



Elsewhere

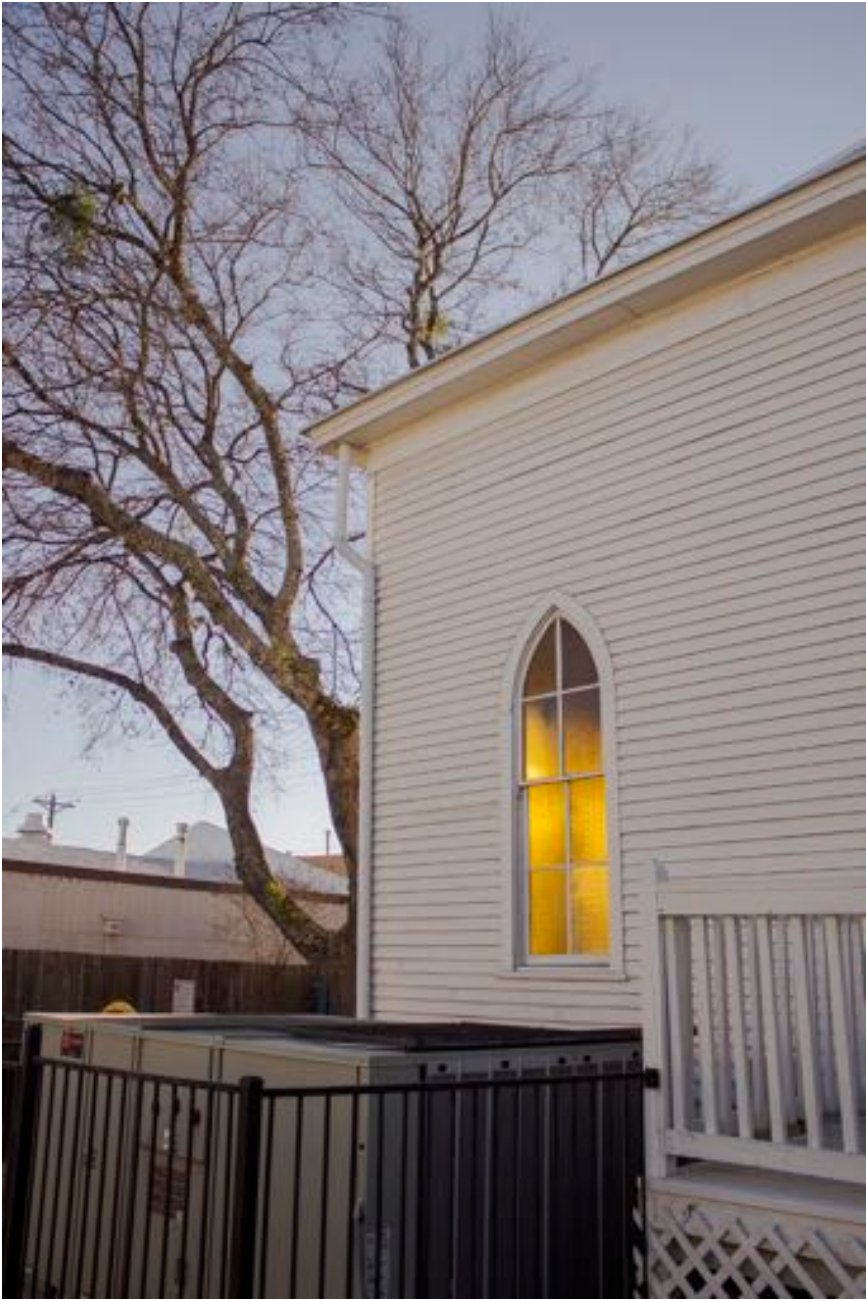
























## Image List

- 1 *Keys*
- 2 *Anonymous*
- 3 *Discarded*
- 4 *An Afternoon in Town*
- 5 *5:29pm*
- 6 *Brick*
- 7 *Light*
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- 12 *Gold Glitter Paint*
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## About

This book explores the idea of female empowerment. Using interesting architectural and intimate spaces in my local town as background settings, I stage myself in front of the camera to stand in for independent, young adult women. “Elsewhere” presents imagined lifestyles of different “characters,” while never disclosing too much information about them. These fictional narratives created are meant to develop in the viewer’s mind based on pictorial visuals. I strive to capture rather mundane moments of these females through documentary-style portraits, advertisements of women, and supporting detail shots to show the beauty in the everyday. Because of cities’ unique qualities, the idea of place is an important element in my work so I used these photographs as a way of documenting San Marcos, Texas as well. Overall, the project showcases the strength and resilience of different women in America.

