



WER ULYSSES

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Heureux qui, comme Ulysse, a fait un beau voyage...



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What does W.E.R. ULYSSES means?

W. Ander + E. Errer + R. oving

Three synonyms of french and english words about wandering that encompass us

WER = WE ARE
We are all ULYSSES

W.E.R is a collective of photographers created by Hermine and Aurelien, who have decided to put together several photographers around different themes. It all started with the theme « WANDERING ». What has moved us can be observed at first in Marseilles: the daily wandering of these people we meet in the Streets. Where are walking all those people to, who seem to have no place to reach in particular? Moved by the wandering cowboys of our kinetic city with golden walls, we have tried to capture them through our lenses.

What called out as well is what the youth has to go through to find fulfilment. Every generation have been troubled by this initiation to the world: it seems that one need to experience observation phases, waiting times, confusion to find their way. "Being Human" seems to be this search for balance between being nomadic or settled: two different ways to be in the world, to live it. It is as much a way to live the world as to think it: we build through thinking, through destroying and rebuilding, rambling, wandering...

WHY ULYSSE ?

Is there any hero more symbolic of the wandering than him? Isn't the mythological myth of his trip a metaphor of the modern rambling? That is why we made him the godfather of our exhibition.

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We are all ULYSSES; the wanderers' community is as one. We try to observe the dialogue that is being played between the wandering and the people who live it.

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