

## Imagine

An Artists' Book by CUBA (AKA Clarence Robbs)

2019, unique, acrylic, marker pen, 14 x 12 inches, cloth case binding

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\$ 2,200.00

Another amazing chapter out of beloved San Francisco Graffiti Godfather Cuba's (AKA – Clarence Robbs) never-ending super sketchbook of graffiti masterpieces. Functioning as both a daily/weekly diary of current events and a style-book of letterforms illuminating his encyclopedic knowledge of graffiti. Cuba's hand-painted exuberant illuminated manuscripts are unique in both the library world and the close-knit underground of the graffiti scene where style-books rarely see the light of day.

Unbound by any conventions of either biography or book-making, Cuba's unique artists' books have more in common with medieval Arabic manuscripts than with contemporary, printed, limited edition, artists' books.

With a smooth peek-a-boo binding designed by Marshall Weber and bound by Sophia Kramer of White Iris Books.

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