

23 THOUGHTS ABOUT MY MOTHER

DIRECTOR

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DURATION

31:00

YEAR

2021

ORIGINAL LANGUAGE

English

CATEGORY

Documentary

Video Art



DESCRIPTION

In a series of 23 vignettes, the artist offers up memories of his mother who died in March 2020. It offers a mix of analog snaps and diary footage (brain surgery, nursing homes), along with archival material from her former Indonesian home, including the camp she was dispatched to during the Second World War. Slowly a portrait emerges of a quietly determined activist and second wave feminist, community volunteer and family maven, marked like so many others by a war that never quite ended.

IMAGE FORMAT

16:9

SOUND

Stereo

SHOOTING FORMAT

35 mm

Digital

KEYWORDS

mother, mère, posthume, hommage, feminist, photo-montage,