

Emmett Till / America 1955

Date 1990

Primary Maker Donald E. Camp

Medium

Glass mirror with liquid light and sun baked acrylic

Description

Black and white newspaper image of a young African-American Boy juxtaposed with a vertically hanging American flag. The name "Emmett Till" is written under the boy's image and there is illegible text above his image. His visage is obscured in areas with dark

streaks of pigment from the printing process. The composition is made up of cracked mirrored panels.

Dimensions

48 × 36 in. (121.9 × 91.4 cm) frame: 49 3/4 × 37 3/4 × 2 1/2 in. (126.4 × 95.9 × 6.4 cm)