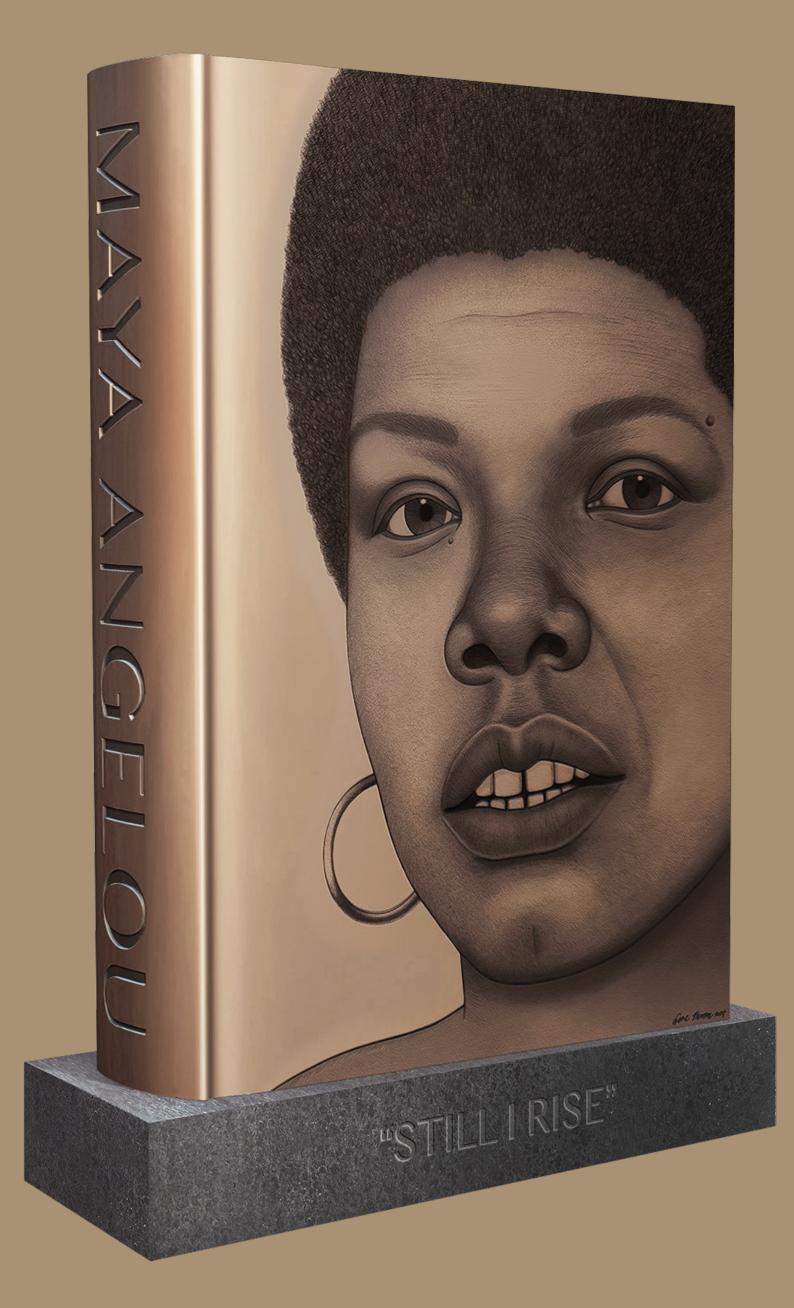
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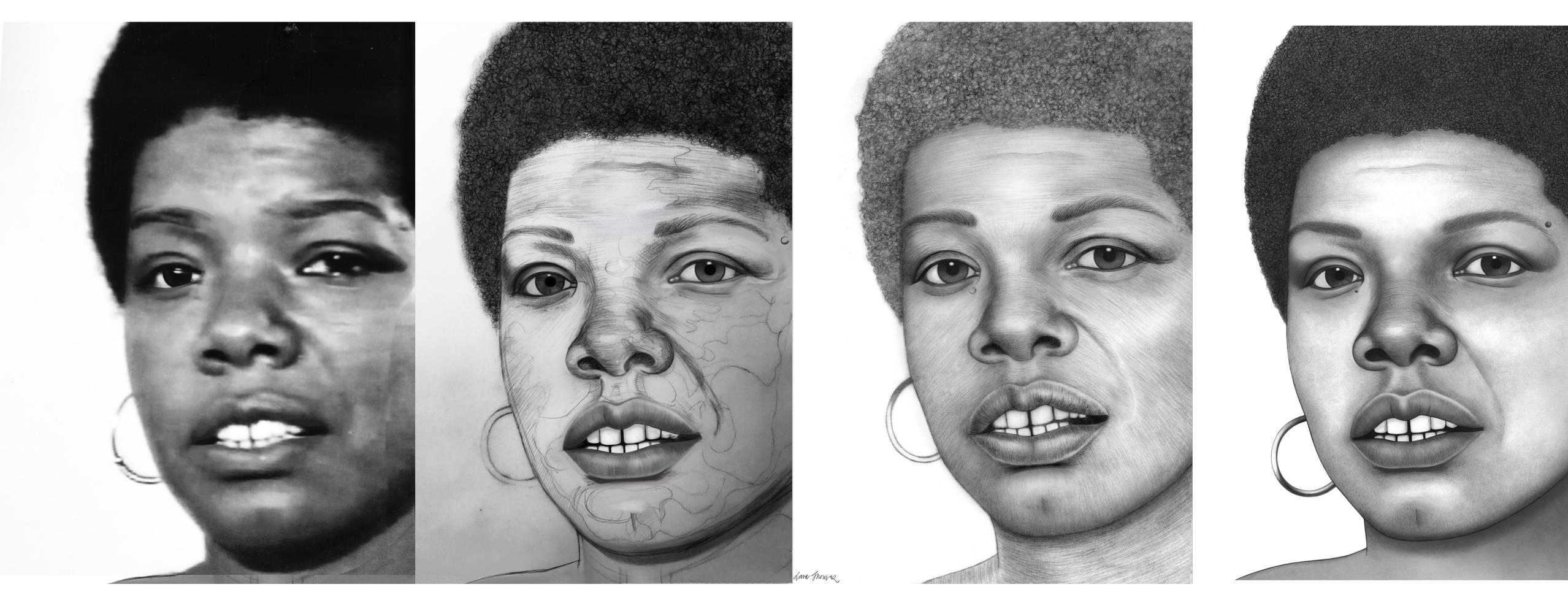
A Monument to Honor Dr. Maya Angelou for the San Francisco Main Library

Artist: Lava Thomas Project Manager: Shelly Willis

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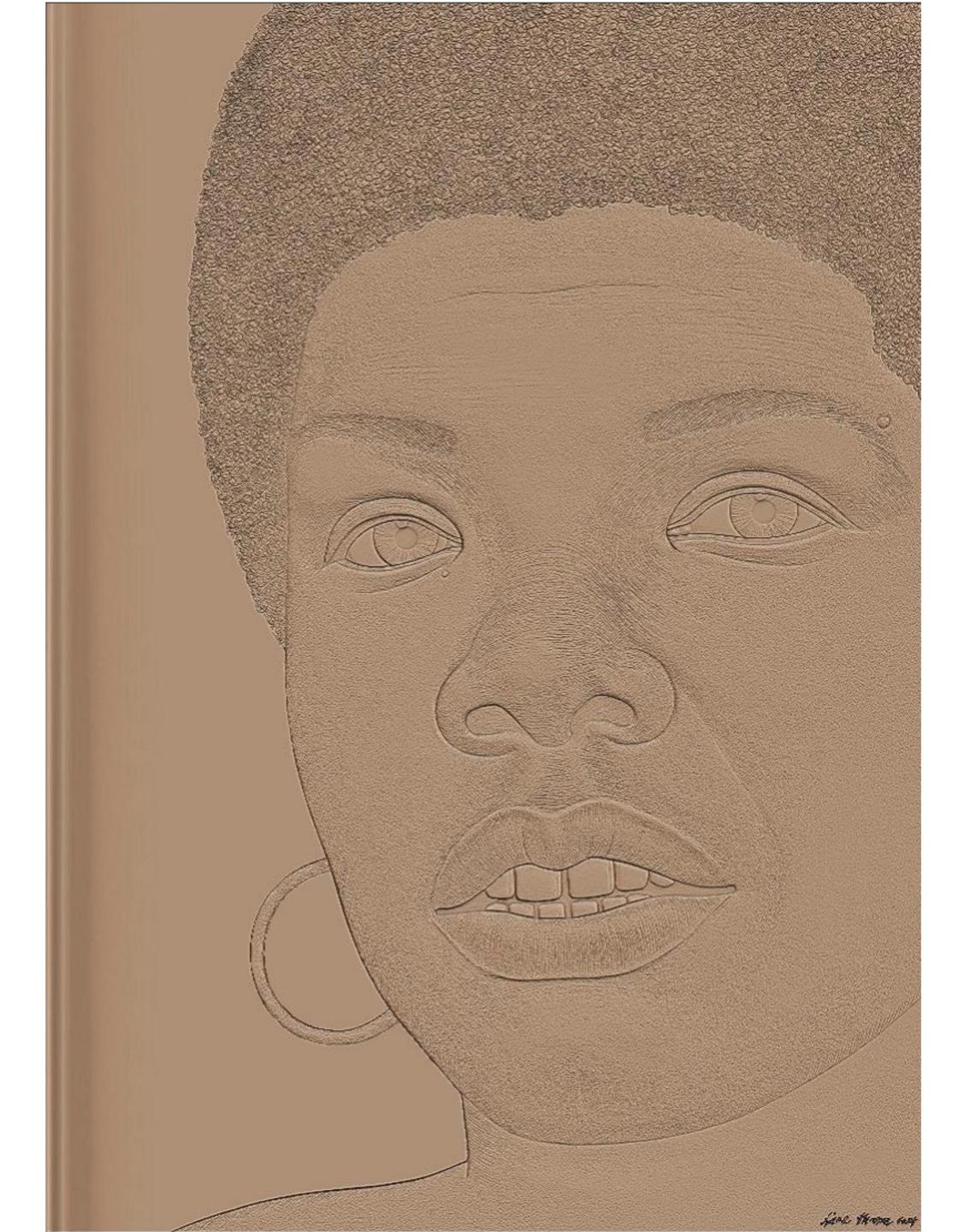


PORTRAIT DEVELOPMENT





FINAL PORTRAIT



INFLUENCES







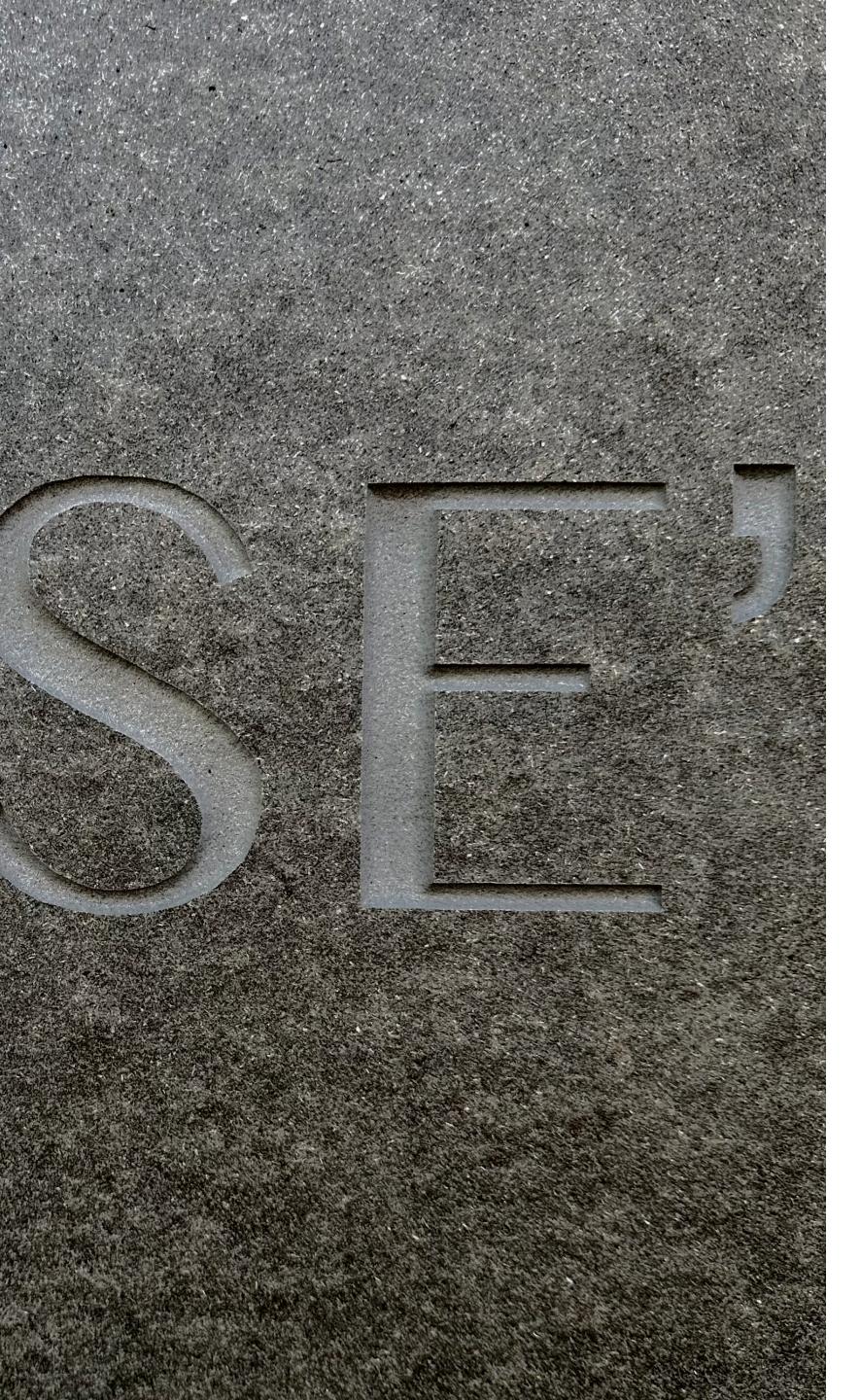
MONUMENT MATERIALS



Bronze with patina

BASE MATERIALS



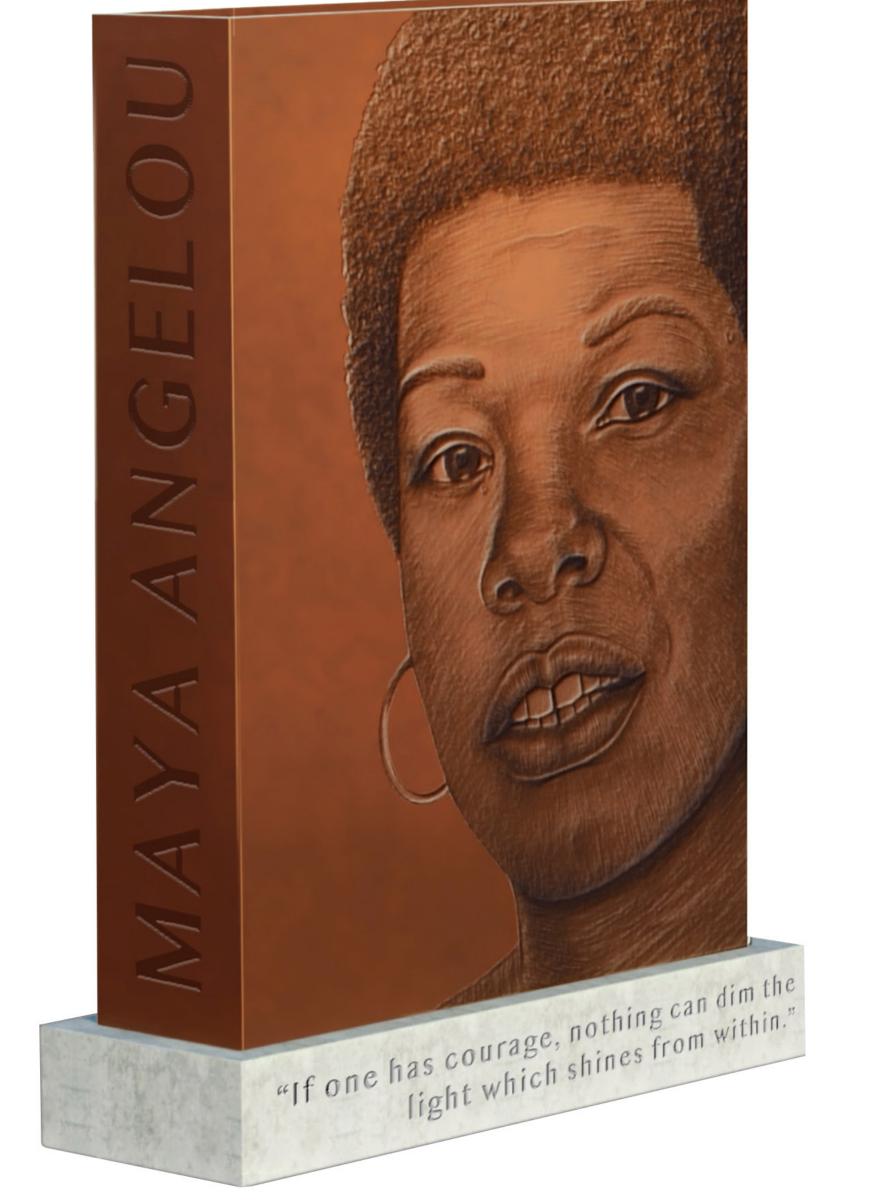


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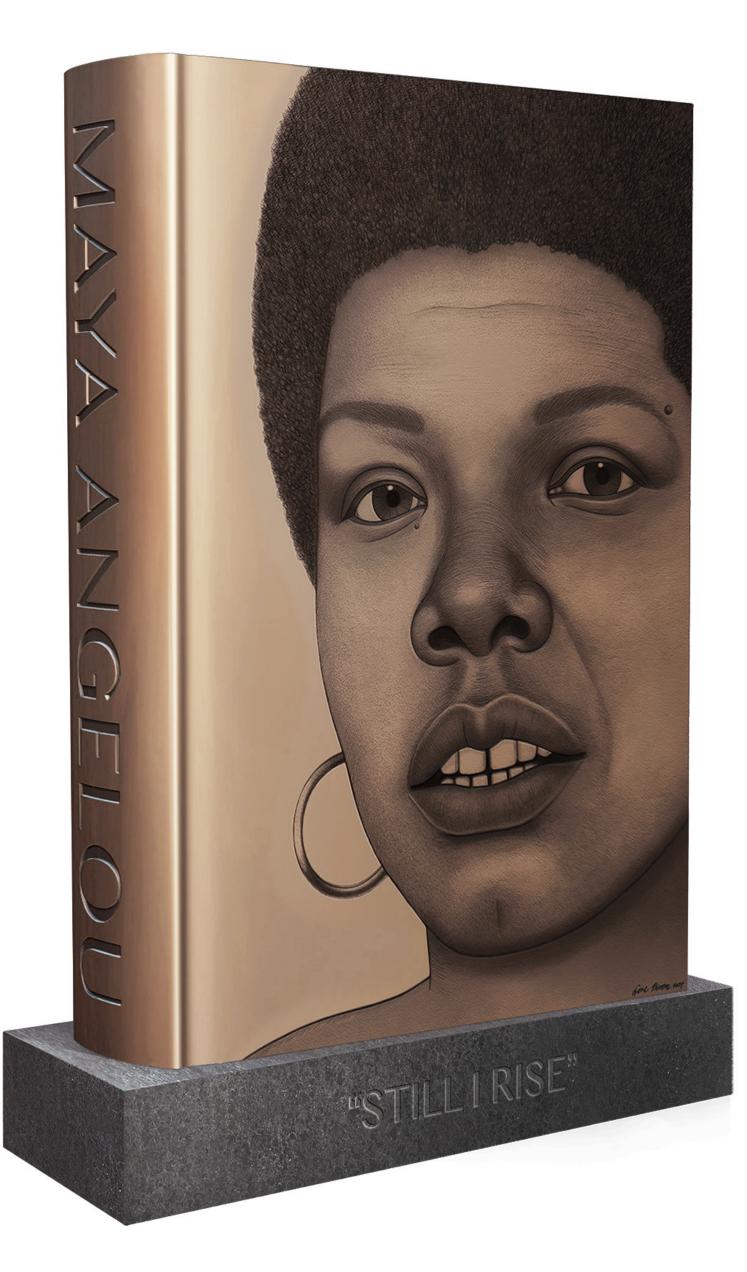
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"STILL I RISF"

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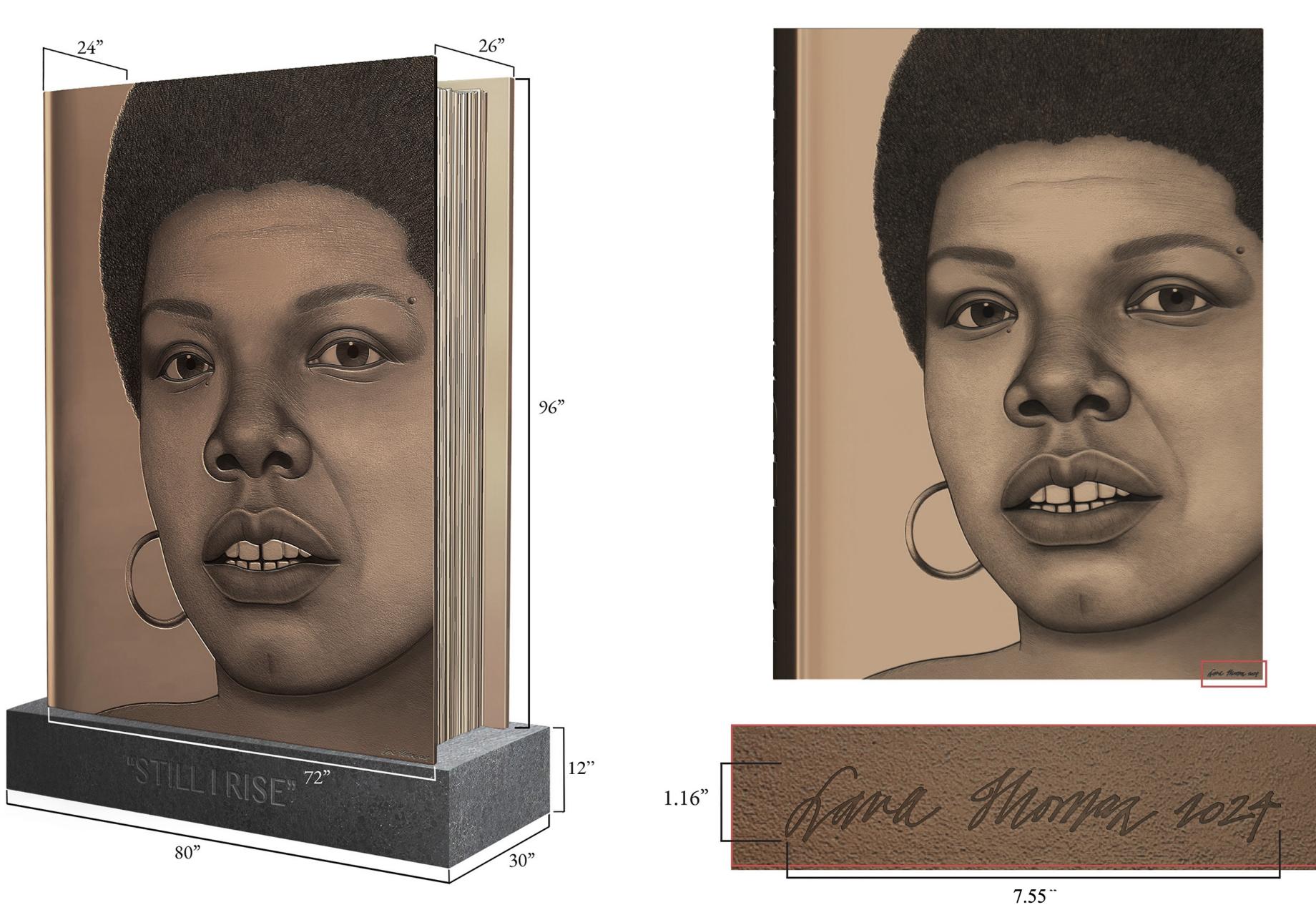


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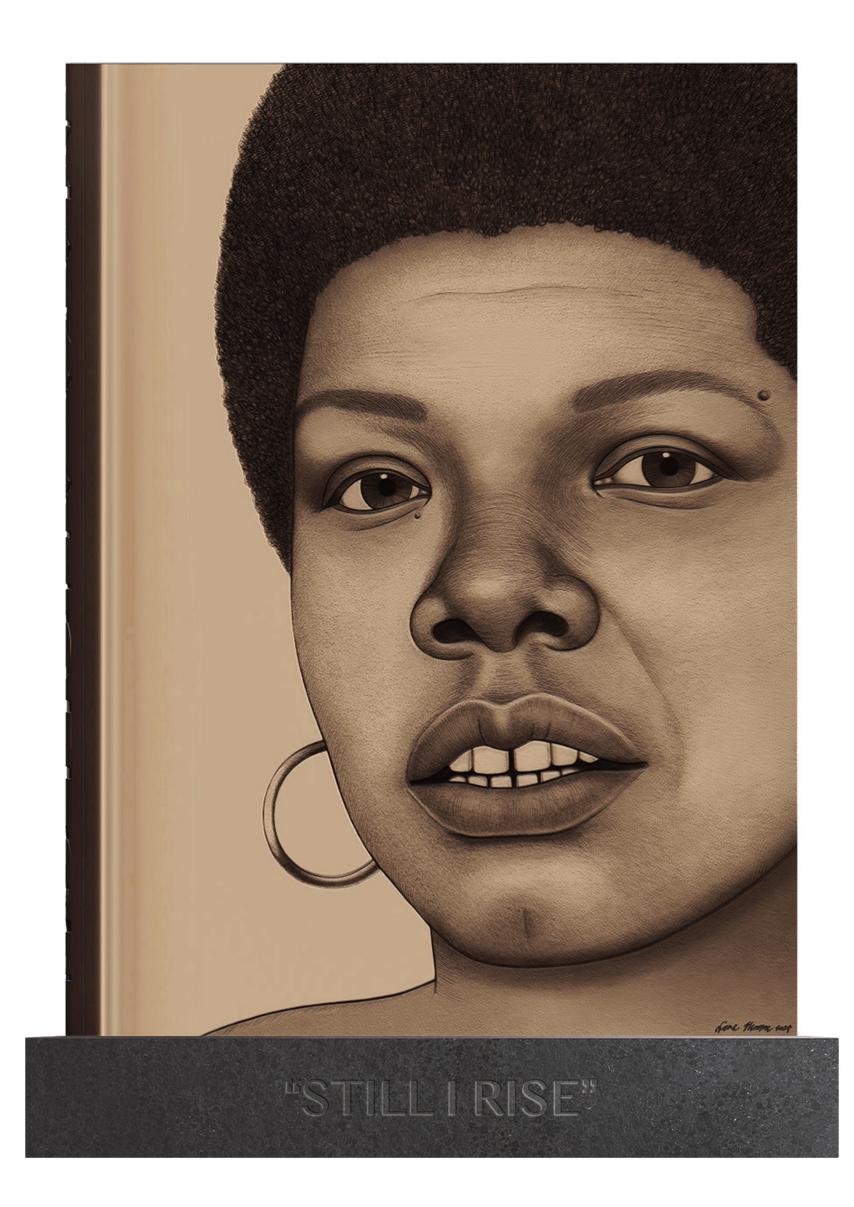
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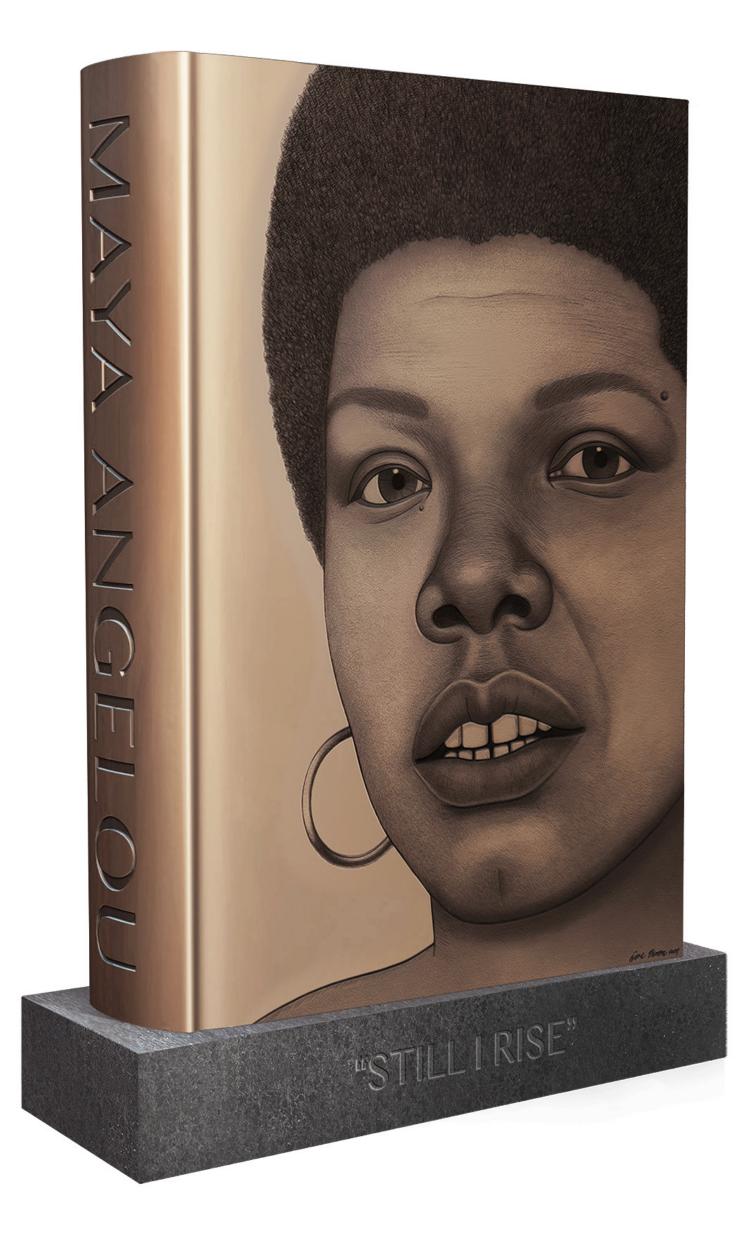
DIMENSIONS





FRONT VIEW





SPINE VIEW



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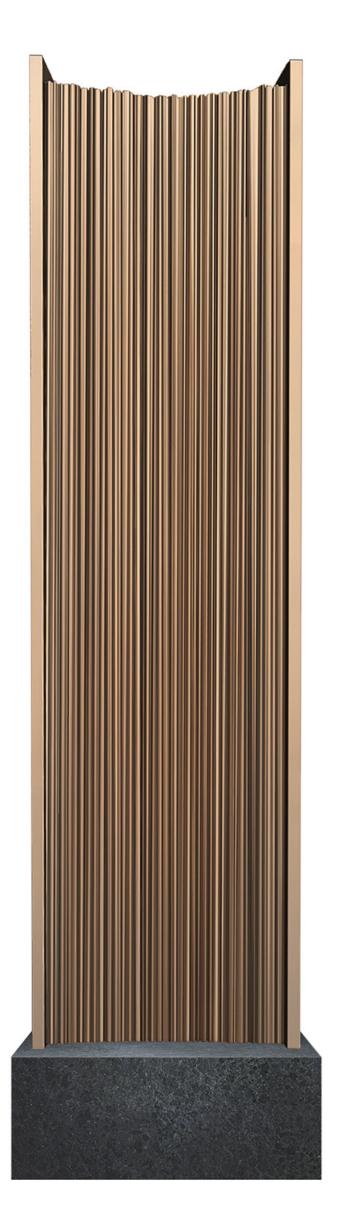
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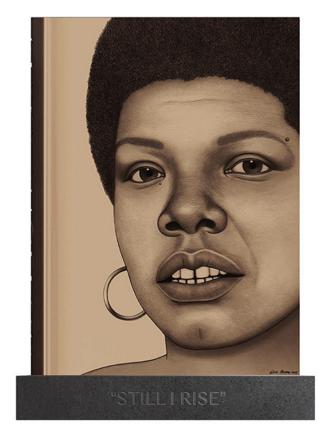




SITE LOCATION



ALL VIEWS







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