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Amélie  
51 x 61 cm



*Marie-Christine*  
102 x 127 cm

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*Belle de jour*  
22 color prints  
2001

## MARISA PORTOLESE

### Belle de jour

Self-possessed women of all shapes, sizes, and ages, each fills the frame with intense looks, confidence, sex appeal, and power as she looks head-on into the camera's lens and past, to the viewer. Compellingly seductive, these subjects pose for themselves and for the camera with a confronting gaze that is just as powerful. They appear to be completely aware of our voyeuristic presence.



*Diane*     *Margaret*  
51 x 61 cm    51 x 61 cm

*Althea*     *Sonya*  
51 x 61 cm    51 x 61 cm



Zoë	Alana
76 x 102 cm	51 x 61 cm
Naomi	Maryse
76 x 102 cm	76 x 102 cm