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Stars to the Sun Pieter Henket

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• Beautiful photography of the Carnaval de Rio in San Luis, Argentina

"An ever-rising star in the world of photography, Pieter Henket is noted for his accomplished portrait pieces and for his work with celebrities from Anjelica Huston to Sir Ben Kingsley. Having gained worldwide renown for shooting the artwork for Lady Gaga s debut album The Fame, he has continued to break ground with a varied oeuvre that includes landscapes, fashion photography and narrative work documenting Carnaval de Rio. . . In his first book, Stars to the Sun, we chart his diverse disciplines over 172 pages of visionary imagery. As the party comes to town in San Luis, Argentina, Henket takes us on a pictorial journey of the carnival, from the mountainous landscapes of the region to the characters that flood this traditional locale wrapped in feathers and glitter. Both documentary-in his unique cinematic style and artistic endeavour, it evidences Henkets ability to find inspiration in everything from the curve of the rock to the sways of a dancer." MOJEH Magazine

Every year, there is a huge party in San Luis, Argentina. Thousands of Brazilians are invited to the city to organize a show for the 'Carnaval de Rio'. To photograph it, Pieter Henket was contacted, one of the 'hottest' photographers of the moment. The beautiful photography from Pieter Henket allows the reader to join the party and shows the people behind the show. Combined with the impressive Argentinean landscapes, this book will be a unique document. Text in English, Spanish and Dutch.

Pieter Henket lives in New York and is one of the most talented upcoming celebrity and fashion photographers. His work can be described as being sexy, hyper chic and memorable. He started 12 years ago and has become the favorite photographer of many directors, actors and pop stars. His breakthrough was in 2008, when he portrayed Lady Gaga for her first album The Fame. The photo was selected for the American Woman exhibition in the Metropolitan Museum in New York. Together with Banksy, Damien Hirst, Tracey Emin and many others, Henket participated at a group show in Dallas, Texas, organised by the Van de Goss-George Michael foundation. His work has been published in The New York Times Magazine, The London Times, Harper's Bazaar, Der Spiegel and the Asian edition of Esquire. He is a blogger for the Dutch edition of Vogue (The Dutch Files from Vogue). Stars to the Sun is his first book.

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