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# PHILLPS PHOTOGRAPHS SALE ACHIEVES £1.2 / \$1.9 / €1.7 MILLION

AUCTION RECORDS SET FOR ROBERT MAPPLETHORPE'S SELF PORTRAIT, ANDREW MOORE AND A UNIQUE WORK BY MICHAEL DWECK



**LONDON**- **6 NOVEMBER 2015** - Phillips November Photographs Sale totalled £1,255,275 / \$1,908,018 / €1,757,385 selling 74% by lot and 68% by value.

A world record was set for **Robert Mapplethorpe's** self-portrait with his 1950s hairdo, the dark leather jacket and a cigarette in the corner of his mouth, where he portrays himself as the quintessential rebel from a bygone era, sold for £98,500 / \$149,720 / €137,900.

"It was great to experience active and constant bidding from the room, online and on the phone. The cross section of works sold was diverse and reflected what Phillips Photographs department is well known for, with top results for rare classics as well as contemporary, blue chip artists." Lou Proud, Head of Photographs, London, Phillips.

# TOP TEN LOTS

36 Ed Ruscha Gasoline Stations 1, 1962 £106,900 / \$162,488 / €149,660

37 Robert Mapplethorpe Self Portrait, 1980 £98,500 / \$149,720 /€137,900

27 Nick Knight Kate, 2006 £50,000 / \$76,000 / €70,000

82 Candida Höfer Teatro Comunale di Bologna I, 2006 £47,500/ \$72,200/ €66,500

84 Florian Maier-Aichen Untitled (Mulholland), 2004 £43,750 / \$66,500 / €61,250

115 **David LaChapelle** *Amanda as Andy Warhol's Liz in Purple*, 2007 £43,750/\$66,500/€61,250

47 Andrew Moore The Rouge from Detroit Disassembled, 2008 £43,750/\$66,500/€61,250

52 Michael Dweck The Duke's Mermaid (Sapphire) from Sculptural..., 2015 £37,500 / \$57,000 / €52,500

33 **Joel Sternfeld** *McLean, Virginia, December 4*, 1978 £31,250 / \$47,500 / €43,750

90 Richard Learoyd Agnes A, 2007 £30,000/\$45,600/€42,000

#### AUCTION RECORD FOR SELF PORTRAIT BY ROBERT MAPPLETHORPE

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#### World Premiere of Anderson & Low: On the set of James Bond's Spectre was 100% sold.

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