

SARAH PUCCI

1902 (Everett, Massachusetts) - 1996 (Everett, Massachusetts)

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1902 - Born in Everett, MA on October 7th to Mariantonia and Francesco Nicoletti, immigrants from Calabria, Italy

1904 - Death of father. Family moves to Boston to live with grandparents until Mariantonia remarries.

circa 1914 - Graduates from Ulysses Simpson Grant Grammar School in East Boston

circa 1915-1918 - Attends Industrial School to learn sewing

circa 1918 - Works at Leopold Morse Men's Clothing Factory

circa 1919-1929 - Works at Schrafft's Chocolate Factory making chocolate designs

1929 - Marries William Iannone (born c. 1900, Boston, MA)

1933 - Birth of daughter Dorothy

1933 - Vision of Virgin Mary while breast-feeding Dorothy

circa. 1935 - Death of William Iannone of pneumonia

1935 - Moves back to family home and begins work at Foss Chocolate Factory

circa 1939 - Marries Dominic Pucci

1942-1962 - Works at General Electric Factory on an assembly line

1952 - Builds ranch house in Medford, MA.

1959 -1993 - Makes her art works as gifts for Dorothy

1976 - Death of Dominic Pucci

1977 - Sells home and moves to an apartment in Everett, MA where she lives until the year of her death

1996 - Dies of respiratory arrest

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2025 Mother of a famous artist, Dorothy Iannone, Sarah Pucci, 1992, Ginny on Frederick, Londres, 8.03 - 12.04 2025
Between Ecstasy and Self-Determination: Female perspectives in the art of Dorothy Iannone, Niki de Saint Phalle & Sarah Pucci, Stiftung Ahlers Pro Arte, Herford, Germany
- 2024 Dorothy Iannone & Sarah Pucci : the hands that do things so sweetly, Prats Nogueras Blanchard, Madrid, Spain
- 2023 Ms. D. Iannone and her mother Sarah Pucci, Air de Paris, Romainville, France
- 2022 Sarah Pucci and Dorothy Iannone, Hannah Hoffman, Los Angeles, USA (cur. Scott Portnoy)
- 2020 Love Gifts, Cabinet Lillo-Renner, Monaco, France
Made with Love for Dorothy, Villa Alicius du Facteur Cheval, Hauterives, France
- 2007 Random Gallery, curated by Yves Brochard, Air de Paris, Paris, France
- 2006 "Seek the extremes, Dorothy Iannone and Lee Lozano", curated by Sabine Folie, Kunsthalle Wien, Austria
- 2001 Galerie Andy Jillian, with Dorothy Iannone, Zürich, Switzerland
- 1998 "Love is forever, isn't it ?" curated by Liesbeth Brandt-Corstius, Museum of Modern Art, Arnhem, Holland
- 1993 Galerie Werner Fischer, Berlin, Germany
- 1988 Sarah Pucci and Gudrun Hrönn Ragnarsdóttir, Living Art Museum, Reykjavik, Iceland
Boekie Woekie, Amsterdam, Holland
- 1980 "Dorothy Iannone and her mother Sarah Pucci", Ludwig Collection, Neue Galerie Stadt Aachen, Germany
- 1975 Galerie Ben Vautier, Nice, France
- 1973 Eat Art Galerie, Düsseldorf, Germany

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2025

Just More, Air de Paris, Monte Carlo, Monaco

2024

KINSHIP, Kin Brussels, Brussels, Belgium.

Soft Opening, London, England and Los Angeles, USA
L'amitié : ce tremble, CRAC Alsace, Altkirch, France

2023

Calling, Kunstverien für die Rheinlande und Westfalen, Düsseldorf, Germany

2021

Se souvenir du présent, esprits de l'assemblage, Le 19 CRAC, Montbéliard, France

2020

« Fuck You Be Nice » Air de Paris, Romainville, France

"Entrée des artistes", Air de Paris, Romainville, France

2019

Les vitamines du bonheur, La Tôlerie, Clermont-Ferrand, France

More, Air de Paris, Romainville, France

2018

La réalité viscérale, Les Bains-Douches, Alençon, France

2013

Si l'art de la parure m'était conté..., Château du Rivau, Lémeré, France

Champs Élysées, Palais de Tokyo, Paris, France

2012

On the beach, Galerie Commune de l'ESA, Tourcoing, France

2011

Independent Art Fair New York, USA

2009

More love hours than can ever be repaid, Feinkost Gallery, Berlin, Germany

2007

Air de Paris at Galerie Delphine Pastor, Monaco, France

RE-DIS-PLAY, curated by Anna Catharina Gebbers, Heidelberger Kunstverein, Heidelberg, Germany

2005

The Addiction, curated by Anna Catharina Gebbers, Gagosian Gallery, Berlin Biennial, Berlin, Germany

1998

Conversation Pieces, curated by Bettina Allamoda, Galerie Zwinger, Berlin, Germany

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« Dorothy, à la folie », Inès Boittiaux, Beaux-Arts Magazine, 24 Septembre
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- 1980 « Toward the Art of the Tatoo », Wolfgang Becker in "Dorothy Iannone and her mother Sarah Pucci", exhibition catalogue, Neue Galerie Stadt Aachen, Sammlung Ludwig, Aachen, Germany
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- 1980 « Bilder eines bunten Lebens, Arbeiten von Dorothy Iannone und Ihre Mutter Sarah Pucci in Aachen », Gernot Geduldig in AN, number 97, 26 April, Aachen, Germany
- 1977 « Never cry while you cook », Dorothy Iannone in Artitudes, number 39/44, Saint Jeannet, France, April - November
- 1973 « Sarah Pucci », Dieter Roth in Sarah Pucci exhibition poster, Eat Art galerie, Düsseldorf, Germany, 19 June 1973

VIDEO

- 1980 "Sarah Pucci", Dorothy Iannone, 15 minutes, color