



Babel

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It might seem unusual to feature a 'movie' book in the pages of *Viewfinder*, but the excellent film stills from *Babel* were too irresistible to exclude. Mary Ellen Mark, the highly respected photojournalist was responsible for a large number of the stills, along with fellow photographers Patrick Bard, Graciela Iturbide and Miguel Rio Branco. Mary Ellen Mark has been shooting since the mid-1960s, and her powerful documentary images have been featured in *LIFE*, *Rolling Stone*, *The New Yorker* and *Vanity Fair*. What's more, she was a member of Magnum from 1977 to 1982.

These excellent images are complemented by comments from the film's director, Alejandro González Iñárritu. He won the best director award for *Babel* at the 2006 Cannes Film Festival and has been nominated for the upcoming Oscars.

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