

The Librarian's Apron

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The Librarian's Apron was created for *The Librarian*, an art installation that transformed a small room (formerly a hotel's phone booth) into a conceptual space reflecting on the history of libraries and the impact of books on individuals and culture.

Decommissioned book covers lined the floor, ceiling and walls of the space. A 90 year old artist and maker of artist books wore the apron while sharing her story of living through eras of censorship and attacks on knowledge.

The Librarian asked visitors this question for today, tomorrow, and the future: Whatever happened to knowledge?

Media: Decommissioned book covers on ribbon

Dimensions: 28" x 18" x .5" lying flat

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