

CONCEPTUAL DRAWINGS HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL

ELDON GARNET

2010

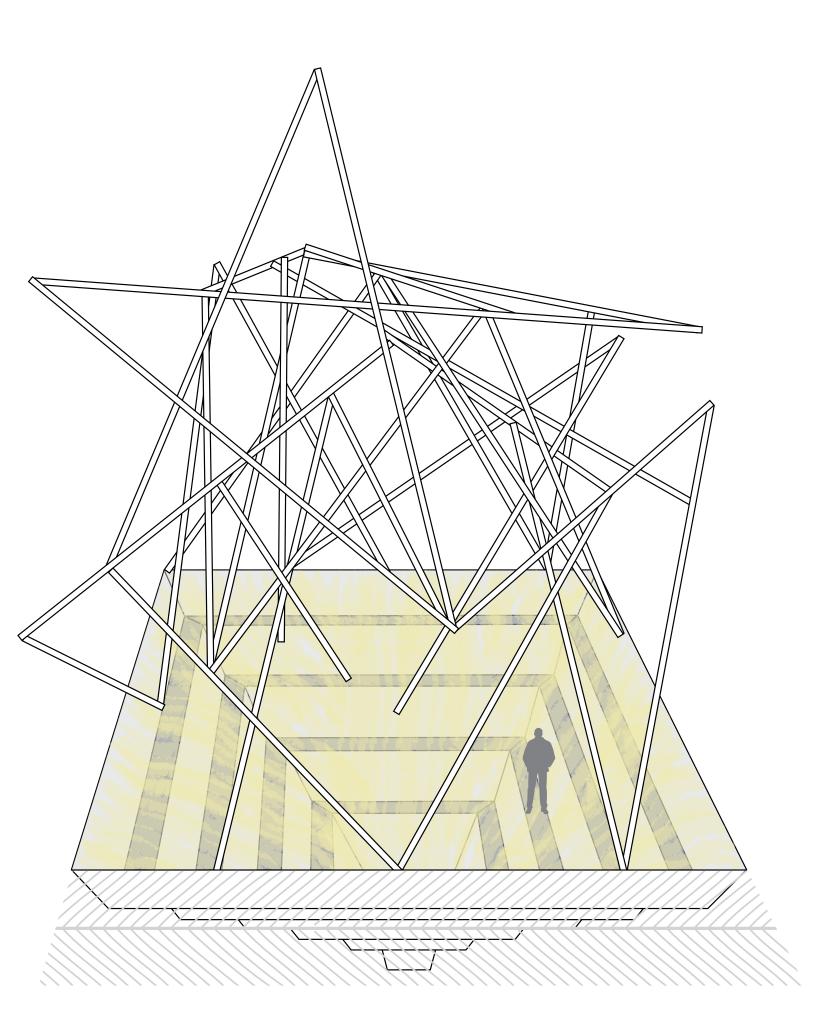
YOU STAND ON A GLASS FLOOR AND LOOK DOWN.

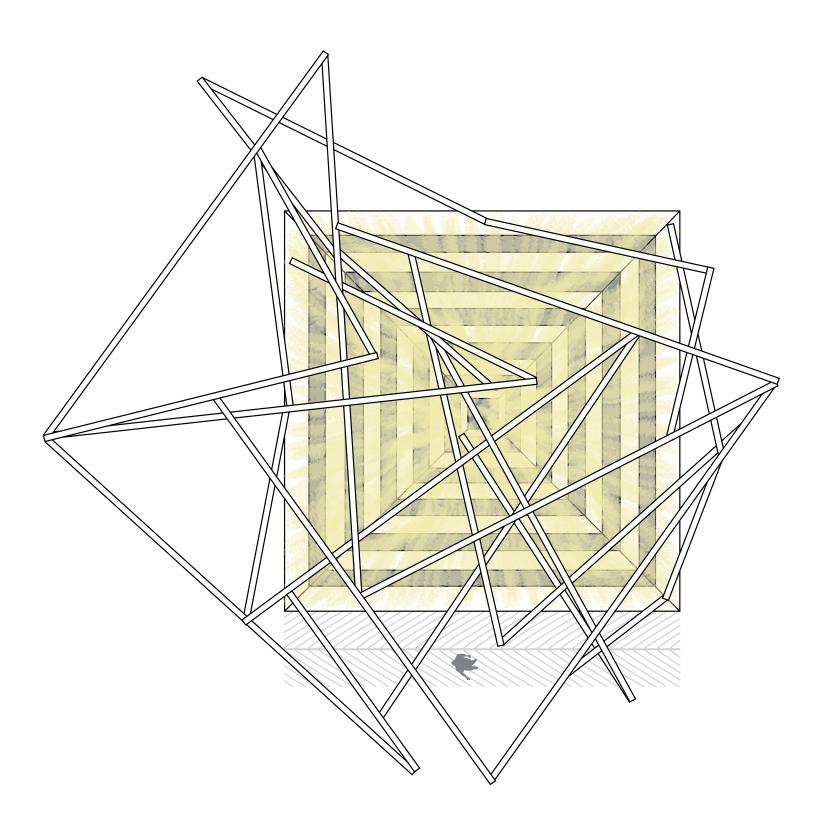
YOU ARE STANDING ABOVE A WATERFALL OF SAND.

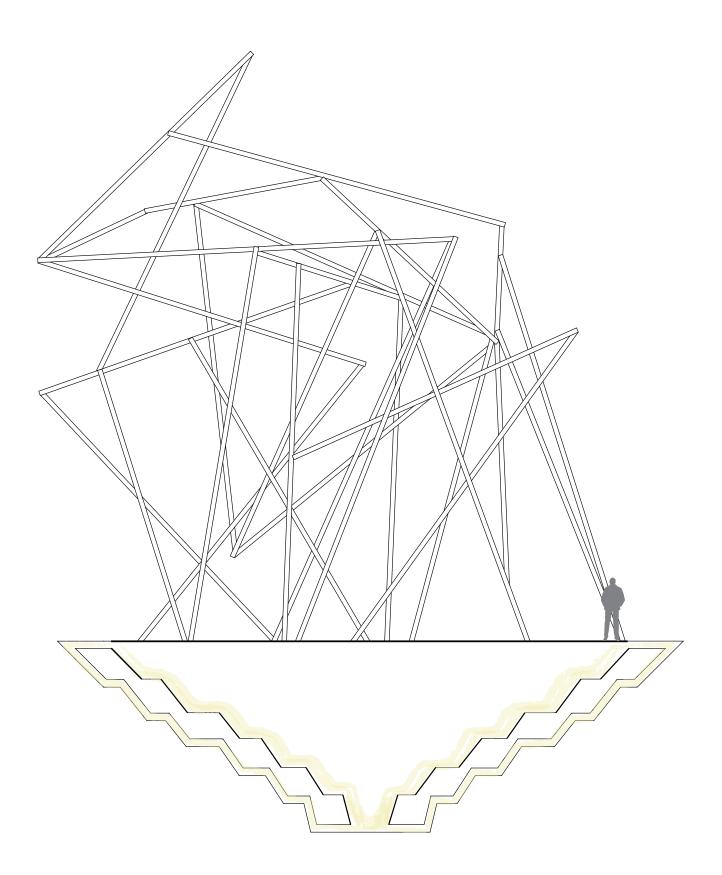
AS THE SAND FLOWS OVER THE LIGHT A GLITTERING IN THE DARKNESS.

YOU ARE STANDING INSIDE A BROKEN STRUCTURE.

IF YOU LOOK OUT YOU CAN SEE THE OCEAN.







This Holocaust Memorial is comprised of two major elements:

an above grade, open pavilion; a below grade, Sand Fall.

Although not immediately apparent, the disjunctive, stainless

steel pavilion is constructed of components of the Star of

David.

The pavilion's floor is of transparent glass though which the

viewer can experience the visual and audio spectacle of the

Sand Fall below. The glass floor and the pavilion above are

supported by a stainless steel grid.

Each descending step of Sand Fall is a bright light. From

above the steps appear as six symmetrical squares of

descending light. The sand flows over the lights to create a

lively, flickering shadow.

This Memorial is a dynamic personification of human

ingenuity and life. At the heart of Sand Fall is a machine

working tirelessly to pass sand over light.

In the darkness below: flickering light.

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