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Cultural collages

The Hebrew Home at Riverdale, located at 5901 Palisade Ave., presents 'Illuminations,' a new exhibition of collage works made by artist Rachel Leibman, which will be unveiled to the public on Tuesday, Jan. 26. Using images of ancient manuscript pages as her palette, Ms. Leibman pieces together pictures to create both figurative and non-figurative forms that are drawn from a rich variety of sources. The languages visible in the tiny pieces used for each work include Egyptian hieroglyphics and Hebrew, as well as many others. By combining visual remnants of different cultures, the artist's work reflects on how society has become more global and hybridized while also celebrating the unique contributions of various cultures. One of the featured works, titled 'The Convocation,' is shown above. This exhibit will remain on display through Sunday, April 25. There is no charge for admission. Call 718-581-1596.