

## The Video: BLANKET WEAVING

Beginning with the hand shearing of a sheep with common kitchen scissors, this video follows a Tarahumara woman through the steps and processes of creating a hand-woven blanket ending with her working the giant loom.

The goal of the video is to document the still existent traditional processes and to instill in the viewer an appreciation for the craft of weaving.

### **The one-hour program includes:**

**An 18 minute Video DVD**, which can be played on a Mac, PC or standard DVD player. Upon request I can supply either a PC or MAC computer. If applicable **your organization will need to specify the type of computer, as well as supply a large screen viewing device plus all interface cables between your screen and my computer.**

**The ARTIST'S TALK** details my personal experiences with the weaver, Maria Elena, and my own necessary use of the massive blankets while traveling and camping in the back country of the Sierras Tarahumara.

### **A Question & Answer Period**

**ADDITIONAL VISUAL AIDS** may include the completed blanket as shown in the video. Upon request: my own expeditionary camping equipment may be set up for display.

### **EXHIBITIONS:**

For exhibition purposes there are seven archival ink jet color images printed 20 x 15 inches and framed 24 x 20 inches.

The video may be looped for continuous play.

The Tarahumara blanket approximately 4  $\frac{3}{4}$  feet x 7 feet may be displayed as a tapestry.

Additionally my own camping gear may be arranged to simulate an expeditionary campsite.

The Artist Talk (detailed above) is available upon request.

To schedule the One-Hour Program or the Exhibition and inquire regarding rental and/or honorarium fees that may apply, please use the **Contact Form or Call (214) 532-2052.**