

All I Want is to Be a Happy Man



Video, interactive installation, mobile, 3d collage, pendulum, custom post-it-notes

Incorporating video, interactive installation and 3D collage, Stephen explores what is supposed to make one happy. Sarcastic, introspective, disturbing, an uncensored look at society and the state of the world. He invites one to write (provided questions on post-it-notes) what makes them; happy, angry, fearful, and what one wishes for, and 'post' their comments directly onto the installation.

Videos:

SMILE: 25:00

AMERICAN ALTER: 6:26

A poetic look at the ideals of America contrasted by the harsh reality and abuse of those ideals.

Post-it-notes, questions for guests to answer:

How are you?
What makes you angry?
What makes you happy?
What do you wish For?
What are you afraid of?

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"Artists co-op marches with a winner",
OC Register, Sun, May 15

