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**DUST:** Designed by Yukihiro Yoshihara, Robert Ashley's new multimedia television opera is subtitled "An End-of-the-Millennium Meditation on Memory and Loss" for five characters (Sam Ashley, Thomas Buckner, Tom Hamilton, Jacqueline Humbert, and Joan LaBarbara) and two musicians ("Blue" Gene Tyranny and Ashley). Technology has come a long way since Ashley's last large-scale work five years ago, baby, so expect a concomitant increase in Ashley's artistic complexity. **Kitchen**, Wed-Sat at 8, Sat also at 4. (Gehr) \$