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**Gays and pedophilia, Jasper Johns at the Met, East Village memories and more.**

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## **Glen Fogel**

The mainstream media all too often equates gay men with pedophilia, a link that artist Glen Fogel explores to fascinating ends in his video "Quarry." Fogel takes a 3-minute excerpt from a "Law and Order: Special Victims Unit" episode, in which a convicted gay pedophile sniffs boys' baseball caps to identify his victims, and substitutes his own face and voice every couple of seconds for the criminal's. The intercut visuals are creepy and intense. And the sound effect—a stuttering of sorts that is achieved from continually splicing the two voices—is most jarring of all. The violence, shame and fear that many gay men feel (unconsciously at least) from this guilt by association is unspeakable. Noon-6 p.m., Tues.-Sat., until April 26, The Kitchen: 512 W. 19th St. (2nd floor), [thekitchen.org](http://thekitchen.org), 212-255-5793.