

GALLERIES-CHELSEA

SLATER BRADLEY

A video and photographs celebrate the cult of Kurt Cobain, who killed himself ten years ago this April. Bradley, twenty-nine years old and something of a cult hero himself, is a seasoned channeler of adolescent despair. Here he perpetrates what might be called a true hoax: a convincing video of a performance by Nirvana—a "lost tape" with mythic status among Cobain fans—with lip-synching and air guitar by friends of Bradley. Cobain is played by Ben Brock, who also poses in character for the show's photographs. The effect is a sensational, cold excitement, haunted by death in a thoroughly lively way. Through March 27. (Team, 527 W. 26th St. 212-279-9219.)