

## PERFORMANCE "ALBUM" DE DENIS LESSARD

**DIRECTOR**

Marc Paradis

**DURATION**

0:20

**YEAR**

1986

**ORIGINAL LANGUAGE**

French

**CATEGORY**

Video Art

Performance



**DESCRIPTION**

The goal of my performance is to demystify childhood memories. I attempt to break down the prettiness of the memories through the use of irony and humor. To what extent do we re-create our past when memory, oral tradition, and a few photographs are our only remaining markers? The memories which remain are part truth, part fiction. My album is a collection of photos, memories, and autographs. But it could also be a record, stamps, or a book. My performances are long-term projects. Thus the performance itself is the tip of the iceberg, the visual summery of a work which comprises several spheres of human activity. Above all, it is a process through which we learn about ourselves and others.

**IMAGE FORMAT**

4:3

**SOUND**

Mono

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**KEYWORDS**

Dance, Movement, Childhood, Performance, Memory, Photography

**THEMES**

Art and culture

Identity