



## ART: First and Last

**N**ew York artist Stephen Sollins has a thing about death. More to the point, he creates art using photographs taken from the New York Times obituary section. "Last Portraits," his first solo show in San Francisco, features a large-scale installation containing 175 obituary portraits. In another series, "Wilt," Sollins deconstructs obit photos, reducing them to elegant geometric forms. -- SF Chronicle

**Through August 22:** Last Portraits by Stephen Sollins at Brian Gross Fine

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