LE BATELEUR

DIRECTOR
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DURATION
16:00

YEAR
1987

ORIGINAL LANGUAGE
No dialogue

CATEGORY
Video Art



DESCRIPTION
The Fool in the tarot represents the conjurer. He also represents personal initiative. He can alter and play with images, a parallel to video which conjures images as well. In this instance, it records passersby in a part of town where neon and shop windows beckon consumers to stop and look. And it enables us to view the urban structures which displease a young man, whose preoccupation with a mirror evokes the tale of Narcissus.

IMAGE FORMAT
4:3

SOUND
Mono

KEYWORDS
City, Crowd, Consumption, Solitude

THEMES
Identity
Environment
Society