

JEFF TALMAN INSTALLATION

MIRROR OF THE MOON (2008)

Video and Sound Installation



the setting sun on the sea, video still

Jeff Talman's new video-sound installation explores the complex of hypnotic wave motions that create our sense of the sea. Shot on the Mediterranean in Genoa, twenty-three scenes of the sea examine a confluence of waveforms. Projected on a rondel of white Carrara marble, the investigation of coincident light, water and sound waves ultimately focuses on the effects of gravity, as the video dramatically recognizes the moon's role in creating the tides.

Wave sounds of the Mediterranean, filtered to the same resonant frequencies as the resonance of the museum gallery, create a multi-channel sonic environment that literally tunes the sea to the space. Offering a wealth of striking textures, colors and glimmers MIRROR OF THE MOON addresses the deep and primal sensual range that is the sea.

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