The grave of Andy Warhol live streaming 24h 24

The Andy Warhol Museum has decided to implement a special initiative to celebrate 85 years of the artist. His grave is broadcast live streaming on the internet through a webcam.

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Yesterday, August 6th, we could celebrate the anniversary of Andy Warhol. The great man of pop art would have been 85 years. On this occasion, the Andy Warhol Museum has had a rather strange idea to commemorate the event. The property 'simply' decided to set up a webcam that films 24 and 24 hours 7 days 7 the grave of the deceased man.

The tomb is located in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. It is visited by many fans of the artist who regularly drop off items related to his work. The draft LiveStream is a collaboration between the museum and the service live webcam EarthCam. It bears the name of 'Figment' in reference to a quote from the artist. Could be translated 'figment' by chimera. Here's the quote in question: "I never understood why when you die, you do not simply disappear, and everything could go on as if you are not there. I always thought I'd like my own grave is empty. No epitaph, no name. Well, actually, I would like to say 'chimera ".

So when you read this statement of man one might wonder why on earth the museum decided to highlight filming his fall when he seemed to disappear without a trace? "We believe it would please to know that Warhol is still connected and in action 25 years after his death. [...] This is a fantastic way to connect with his audience Andy 24/7 ". This does not really answer the question but hey, the fans may be affected by the initiative.

If you read the article in the morning, you will not see things very interesting as it's dark but you may come across Andy's ghost will make you a hello to the webcam. Both warn you, the scene image and sound together is quite shabby (the element in black on the picture is highly disturbing). During the day, it should be interesting to see how many fans of the artist come to collect.

If you want to take the initiative 'Figment', go here.

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