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Bernard-Marie KOLTES NY 2003

presents a **ROTOR Production**

WEST PIER

by Bernard-Marie KOLTES

new american translation by Marion Schoevaert and Theresa Weber

Room and Clothes designed by **Andrew Lieberman**; Sound and Video designed by **Leah Gelpe**; Light designed by **Jeremy Morris**; Dramaturgy by **Laura Butchy** with Performances from **Vanessa Burke, Tom Day, Marina Garcia-Gelpe, Dan Illian*, Krassin Yordanov, Ryan Justesen, Aimee Phelan, Michael Stumm*, Zishan Ugurlu***

Produced by **Jeremy Morris** and **ROTOR Productions.**

directed by **Jay Scheib**

In this Summer sex comedy, a suicidal venture capitalist with a hole in his pocket to the tune of ten million dollars in missing retirement funds politely requests that somebody fill him with cement and punt him into the West river.

Meanwhile, the disillusioned wife of a disillusioned Marxist revolutionary from Peru—who's missing half his foot and losing his memory—descends upon the capitalist with the zeal of the mother of all immigrants—gunning for a better life in American with no visas, no cash, no hope... but now they've shut off the electricity, now they've shut off the water.

...even the black-eyed virgins are too coked-up on caffeine to grasp what passes for Terror in the age of Dissent.

Just when Dissension has become a threat to National Security, and Terror has emerged as the most audible wild-card-pursuit-of-the-good-life—four new translations of the work of French (freedom) writer Bernard-Marie Kolt s (1948-1989) hit the stage as part of a retrospective of his theatrical works. Kolt s' trademark themes—trafficking and transaction, social economics, love and depression—infiltrate an array of characters—from Peruvian immigrants, to the labourers of the African steppe—are presented at the Ohio Theater during the month of May.

Performances of WEST PIER May 8, 9, 10, 20, 21 / 8 PM
at the OHIO THEATER in SoHo, 66 Wooster Street (Spring/Broome)

Ticket Reservations: 212-966-4844 Tickets: 15\$ (passes: \$50/35)

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