

THE DREAM HOUSE

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This is a one-of-a-kind installation. Between those four walls lies a perfect marriage of sonic sounds and radiantly colored auras that seem to engage every inch of the space. This hallucinogenic destination fosters the growth of enlightened thinking. A place where mental silence only comes to fruition when accompanied by constant outside melody. The Dream House is exactly what it sounds like. Put simply, it is a physical manifestation of a dream-like experience. Artist's La Monte Young, the so called 'father of minimalist music' and his wife and long time collaborator, Marian Zazeela, are the curators of the 'house'. Between the two, an indescribably magical experience is cultivated.

Upon entrance to the house, one instantly feels as though they have been transported to a realm unlike any other. Most noticable at first is what appears to be a deafening silence, as the passenger on this eclectic journey walks through a series of entryways before entering rooms flooded with light. While enveloped by the sonic hums radiating around the group, one is able to reach a state of meditative bliss.

The house is filled with places to explore, as the eyes are drawn to the neon lights strewn artfully across the ceiling.



After leaving, it seems as though one is unusually centered, as though just waking up from a long night's rest. This is because the inside of this unique installation does, truly, feel like dreaming. Sitting amoungst the vibrating sounds and phosphorescent pink lighting, one can only help but notice they are existing in a state that feels far from consciousness.

The overall effect of this incrdible 'home' is that it leaves one with the feeling of being completey transported from reality. The feeling of energy penetrating every inch of the home is unavoidable.

This cultivated dreamscape, a perfect harmony of art and the subconscious is an undoubtably unique space. Leaving is not easy, as the harsh sounds of the city streets are vivid reminders that you are back in the real world.

This incredible excursion is an energetic masterpiece for anybody looking to find a few moments of true peace, a priceless commodity in a world teeming with stimulation and chaos. The home lives up to its namesake. It truly is a dream.

