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"Night" Stalker

"The Longest Night" is a collection of pictures that kind of look like they were taken from a snuff film. Toronto artist **Frank Rodick** reuses stills from videos to evoke "the experience of rapture, ecstasy, transgression and transformation." We think he forgot "fear, creepiness and horror." *Porneia* is a set of three images of women — all with mouths agape — who are either being pleased or held captive. The grainy, out-of-focus photos look as if they were shot in haste during a moment of stunned surprise. *Illumination of a Living Woman* follows suit with another trio of pictures in which a woman is being fondled by a set of hands, but whose, we don't know. The perpetrator (read: boobie-grabber) hides in the blurred darkness. See these and other disturbing images from 10:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesdays through Saturdays through April 28. **Deborah Colton Gallery**, 2500 Summer. For



Illumination of a Living Woman by
Frank Rodick

THE DEBORAH COLTON GALLERY

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Galleries

Anya Tish Gallery, 4411 Montrose Blvd., 713.524.2299; anyatishgallery.com. Eastern-European to Texas. Through March 20: Soody Sharifi: "The Garden of Persian Delights." April 27 – May 26: Vincent Falsetta, Charlotte Smith.

Archway Gallery, 2019 W. Gray St., 713.522.2409; archwaygallery.com. Artists-owned. Through March 31: "The Kimono Show"; April 1 – May 19: Kit Harrison's acrylic abstracts.

Art in the City, 3601 W. Alabama St., 713.552.0900. Cool mix. March 9 – 11: Assorted art to be showcased at Kreiss Collection, 3912 Westheimer. April 26 – May 17: Maureen Seeba.

The Artful Corner, 3423 White Oak Dr., 713.426.4278. American crafts, especially glass. May 4 – 27: The Houston Metal Arts Guild.

Asia Minor Collectibles, 2402-B Rice Blvd., 713.807.0100; asiaminorart.com. Turkish decorative art.

Barbara Davis Gallery, 4411 Montrose Blvd., 713.520.9200; barbaradavisgallery.com. International, national, top-tier Texas. March 10 – April 7: Paul Kittelson. April 14 – May 12: Donald Lipski. May 19 – June 16: Paul Fleming.

Bering & James, 805 Rhode Place, 713.524.0101; beringandjames.com. Gleaming new digs. March 24 – April 10: Ellen Orseck, Andrew Scott Delesse, Amy Ferrari, Jackie Venegas Loafman, James Stephen Zoller in "Texas." April 14 – 24: "Portrait and Figure Show."

Blossom Street Gallery & Sculpture Garden, 4809 Blossom St., 713.869.1921; blossomstreetgallery.com. Good bet for beginning collectors. March – May: Open Group Show.

Booker-Lowe Gallery, 4623 Feagan St., 713.880.1541; bookerlowegallery.com. Amazing aboriginal. March 2 – April 28: "Colours from Ikuntji." May 4 – June 30: Judy Watson.

Deborah Colton Gallery, 2500 Summer St., 713.864.2364; deborahcoltongallery.com. March 10 – April 28: Frank Rodick, Joe Aker. May 5 – June 30: Salli Babbitt; L. Brandon Krall.

Devin Borden Hiram Butler Gallery, 4520 Blossom St., 713.863.7097; dbhbg.com. Enlightened stable. Exquisite setting. Through March 15: Michael Petry: "Garden of Eden." March 10 – April 14: Houston's William Betts.

De Zeta Art Gallery, 4200 N. Main St., 713.864.9989. Contemporary American and Latin art. Call for shows.

Dunbar Galleries, Galleria, 5175 Westheimer, 713.622.3063; dunbargalleries.com. Recently unveiled. Great 1970s paintings. HQ for the legendary David Adickes. March: Allan Rodewald's canvases and glass sculpture.

Eastman-Smith Gallery, 4920 Center, 713.862.6969; eastmangallery.com. Emerging hometown talents. March 1 – 27: "The Ides of March." April 12 – 24: Abstracts. May 3 – 22: "The Mini-May Show."

Finesilver Gallery, 3913 Main St., 713.524.3733; finesilver.com. Top San Antonio dealer arrives; active in the international fairs. Through April 14: Solos by Erik Benson, Chris Sauter, Julianne Swartz. April 27: Willie Cole and others.

G Gallery, 301 E. 11th St., 713.869.4770. Edgy incubator. March 3 – 18: "Restless." March 24 – April 1: University of Houston Intermedia Lab Show. April 7 – 22: "Lotte." May 5 – 27: "Qua."

