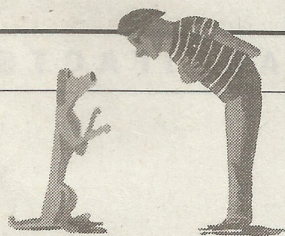


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'DOMESTIC ODYSSEY' Ever wonder if your toaster could be a star? Contemporary artists whose works take mundane household items as inspiration for their astonishing creations come together in this show of domesticity gone alternately awry and alluring. The Los Angeles artist Liza Lou's "Kitchen" is the inarguable showstopper: a 168-square-foot kitchen paved with more than 40 million shimmering, glimmering, multicolored beads (small wonder the artist developed acute tendinitis). San Jose Museum of Art, San Jose, Calif. March 6-July 4. (408) 294-2787. www.sanjosemuseumofart.org

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