beard?" "Do you think it's something abnormal?"
"Before seeing me, were you aware that women do have facial hair?"

These are some of the questions Forest Hope, the bearded woman, asked other women in the streets of New York City. The answers are just... surprising! Together with the street interviews, Forest explains why she decided to stop plucking her beard and let it grow naturally. And what things changed in her life after she did that.

Ms. Pontes and Ms. Moreira, Brazilian born artists, are accomplished in the video, film, and literary fields. They have produced a great number of video documentaries concerned with feminist issues.

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9:45
PARTICIPATION

Woody & Steina Vasulka

45 minutes

"We are primarily known for the generation of electronic imagery with no camera. At one time, however, (1970-1971), we worked primarily with a single camera and a portable recorder. "Participation" is a new edit of some of that earlier material. The work is personal not social: it shows the particular way that video has affected us."

The Vasulka's have been active in video for seven years. They have pioneered not only in electronic imagery but also in establishing a showplace for video, The Kitchen. They are currently working out of the Buffalo Media Center and are on the faculty of SUNY at Buffalo.

10:30
HAPPY BIRTHDAY AMERICA (CAPE MAY, NEW JERSEY)

Maxi Cohen, Joel Gold, Bill Marpet, Esti Marpet, Video Repertorie, Ltd.

16 minutes, b & w

A small town has a birthday party on the Bicentennial Fourth with talent shows, parades, baby contests, the Coast Guard, fireworks... the ordinary looks extraordinary. And the big surprise — Rev. Carl MacIntire on his evangelistic mission to ban the liberty bell that Queen Elizabeth will give to America. Why? Because she has left the Bible verse "Proclaim liberty throughout all the land unto all the inhabitants thereof" (Lev. 25:10) off the bell.

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TOTAL RUNNING TIME: 2 hrs., 46 mins.