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LOS ANGELES, CA (October 16th, 2012) – On Friday, November 16th, 2012, HVW8 Gallery (661 N. Spaulding Ave. Los Angeles CA 90036) will present A Lovely Sort of Death, the debut dual exhibition of Joshua Prince, a.k.a. Dust La Rock; and Cody Hudson, a.k.a. Struggle Inc. This exhibition series focuses on exploring the balance of life and death in our daily lives influenced by drug use (the rise of euphoria as well as the downward spiral) with the intent of coming into contact with a greater spiritual or cosmic order and much like an alchemist, dissolving away all but the very gold of truth. A joint mixed media show, A Lovely Sort of Death consists of works on paper, sculpture, and more.

Joshua Prince (born December 9, 1976 in Newport Beach, California), professionally known as Dust La Rock, is a New York based artist and designer. He is co-founder of and creative director for Fool's Gold Records, serves as art director for A-Trak, and has his hand in a number of low-brow and high-profile projects at any given time. He currently lives and works in Brooklyn, New York. www.dustlarock.com

Cody Hudson is a Chicago based artist, also known for his graphic design contributions under the name Struggle Inc. His graphic work and paintings have been exhibited throughout the US, Europe and Japan including the Museum of Contemporary Art (Chicago), New Image Art (LA), The Lazy Dog (Paris), & Andrew Rafacz (Chicago). Cody's work has been featured in numerous magazines and publications including idN, Elephant, Arkitip, Anthem and Juxtapoz. www.struggleinc.com

HVW8 Art + Design Gallery was founded in 2006 with a focus on supporting fine art & avant-garde graphic design. It soon became one of the premier underground galleries in Los Angeles and over the past 6 years has exhibited emerging and established artists from around the world. HVW8 has also hosted numerous musical performances and special events, continuing to cement its reputation under gallery curator Tyler Gibney as an exhibition space for artists to showcase their varied creative expression. Past exhibitors include Parra, Geoff McFetridge, Kevin Lyons, Anthony Lister, Lance Mountain, Lisa Leone, Craig Costello (aka Krink) and more.

Opening Reception: Friday, November 16th 6:00–9:00pm 661 N. Spaulding Ave. Los Angeles CA 90036 Open Tuesday through Sunday 1:00–6:00pm 323.655.4898

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Dust La Rock A Lovely Sort of Death 4 Color Silk Screen w/ Metallic Gold Ink Edition of 9 18x24" 200.



Dust La Rock Don't Death On Me 2 Color Silk Screen Edition of 3 16x20" 350.



Dust La Rock Road To Hell (Black) 1 Color Asphalt Silk Screen Edition of 3 16x20" 350.



Dust La Rock Road To Hell (White) Blind Deboss Edition of 3 16x20" 350.



Dust La Rock Ride Or Die Embroidered Felt Flag Edition of 1 3x4' (Horizontal) 1500.



Dust La Rock FUBAR 2012 Embroidered Felt Flag Edition of 1 (Vertical) 3x4' 1500.



Dust La Rock Flower Power Human Skull and Flowers Edition of 1 2500.



Dust La Rock Infinity Coffin Wood Frame, 2-Way Mirror and LED Edition of 1 3500.



Dust La Rock Steal Your Face Embroidered Patch Edition of 20 6.00

Fuck A(cross) America Embroidered Patch Edition of 20 6.00



LSD Smiley Embroidered Patch w/ Merrow Edge Edition of 155 6.00

Set of Three Embroidered Patch w/ Merrow Edge Edition of 9 15.00



Cody Hudson Someday (White) Carborundum dusted screen print Edition of 5 24" x 36" 750 (unframed) 1100 (framed)



Cody Hudson Someday (Black) Carborundum dusted screen print Edition of 5 24" x 36" 750 (unframed) 1100 (framed)



Cody Hudson
Call The Cops (meltdown series)
Screen print
Edition of 43
18" x 24"
100 (unframed)
200 (framed)



Shit Is Real (meltdown series)
Screen print
Edition of 43
18" x 24"
100 (unframed)
200 (framed)



Death La Rock (meltdown series) Screen print Edition of 43 18" x 24" 100 (unframed) 200 (framed)



Cody Hudson You Can't Win Them All Set of 6 Letterpress Prints (red / white / blue) Edition of 13 85" x 23" 500 (unframed) 1000 (framed)

(fluorescent yellow) Edition of 4 1000 (unframed)

(black on black) Edition of 3 1200 (unframed)



Cody Hudson You Plus Me B/W Things Are Gonna Change Sculpture 8" x 14" x 5.5" 1200









Cody Hudson Untitled Drawings (Dicks on Parade Series) Ink on paper 5" x 9" 500

Experience Near Death (meltdown series)
Site Specific Mural
Edition of 3
Price available on request