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FORGET SHAKESPEARE IN LOVE... The Studio Theater Secondstage has done a splendid job with **KIT MARLOWE**, David Grimm's challenging, engrossing play about gay Elizabethan writer Christopher "Kit" Marlowe. Director Mike Chamberlin, who also did fine work on Secondstage's *A Clockwork Orange*, amplifies the unconventional in Grimm's take on Marlowe's short life (he was a royal spy murdered at the age of 29). The result is a delightfully kinky, blood-soaked adventure that leaves your pulse racing and mind reeling. Add Jon Cohn to your list of rising stars to catch while you can. His ultra-appealing rendition of Kit exemplifies commitment, risk-taking, and bravura. He gets naked, too! At 8:30 p.m. at 1401 Church Street NW. Through November 25. General admission tickets are \$20. Call 202-332-3300. Visit www.studiotheatre.org...