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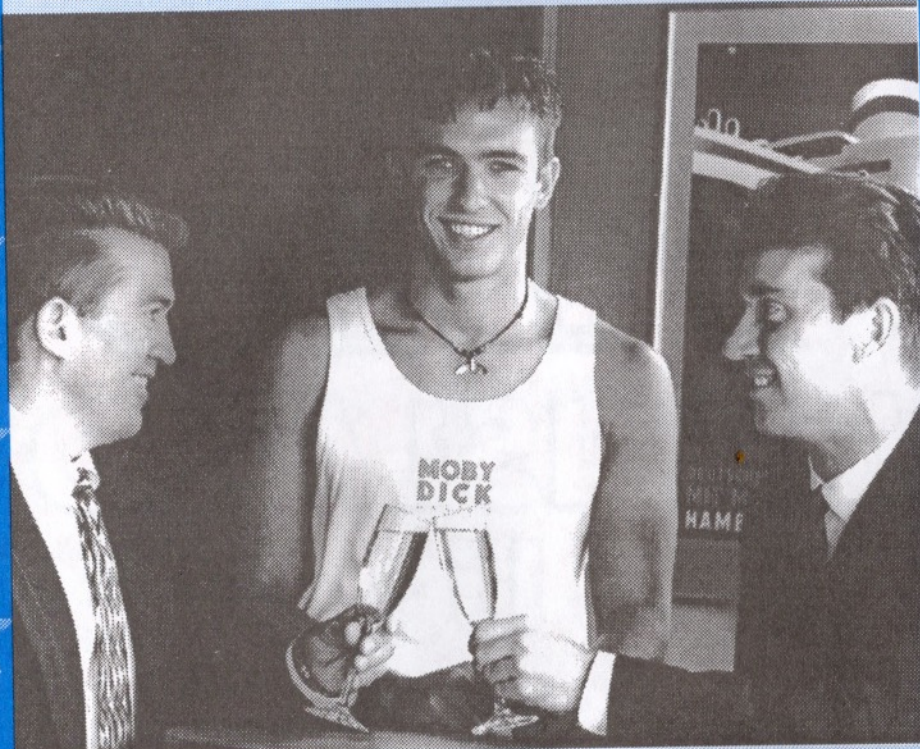
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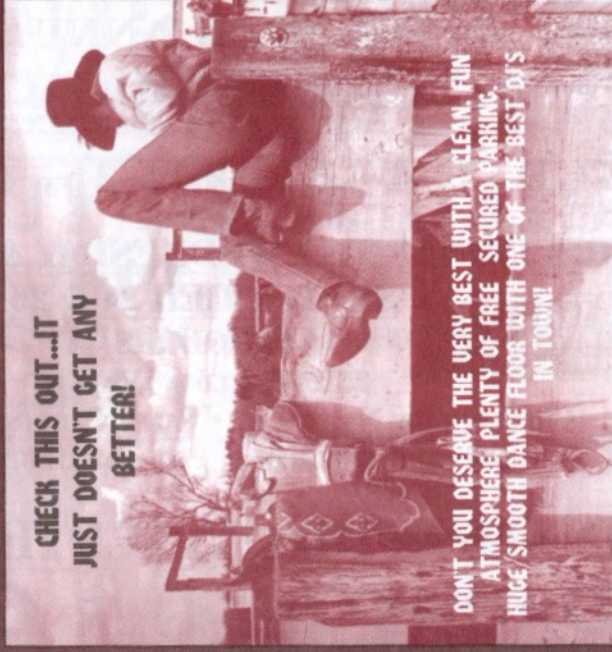
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Alive & Kicking is a love story, but a love story with a twist, which is the best kind. Tonio (Jason Flemyng) is a dancer in a small troupe in London, and he has AIDS, but he refuses any treatment, because medication would affect his dancing. This decision seems perfectly natural to Tonio, because dancing is what he is, and he sees no reason to give it up. It's not a matter of denial, really, but a carefully thought-out way of dealing with reality. Like any artist living in the '90s, he's had to face a great deal of loss, most recently of his mentor and friend Ramon (Anthony Higgins), and has simply decided to take another route.

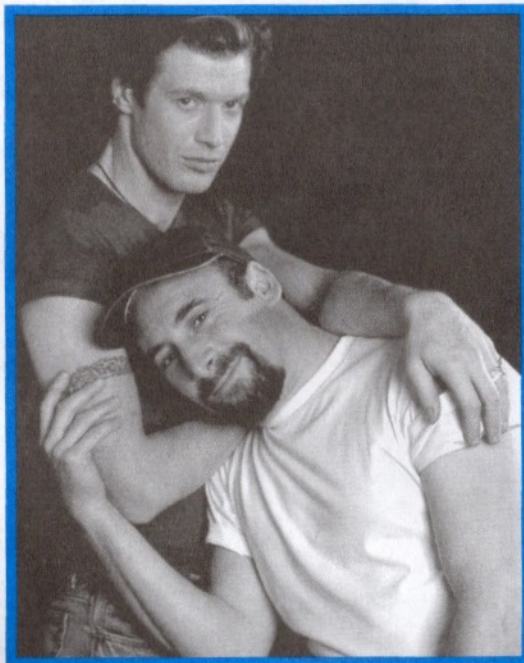
Enter Jack (Antony Sher), an AIDS clinic counselor, who tries, at first unsuccessfully, to pick up Tonio in an after-hours bar. Jack is burned out, romantically and professionally, and he takes on more than he can handle in an increasingly serious romance with Tonio. Mix in Tonio's best girlfriend Millie (Diane Parish), a sassy lesbian dancer from the troupe, the somewhat aptly named Luna (Dorothy Tutin), the *grande dame* creator of the dance company, and assorted friends and colleagues, and you have the recipe for drama. And comedy. Because, as in real life, this film is a combination of the two.

This is a story of two relationships, really — Tonio's with Jack and Tonio's with the dance company. Both are intensely intimate, impossibly demanding and ultimately rewarding, and both are portrayed at a level of realism that draws you in. I know something of the world of dance, and the dynamics of the dancers toward each other are spot on. But even if you have no experience in dance, you can still recognize the bonds



REVIEWED BY GARY LAIRD

between these people as the bonds between any close friends. They are caring, loving and sometimes intrusive, but above all they are bound to each other in a wonderful way. One of the most effective



Tonio (Jason Flemyng, l), and Jack (Antony Sher) fall in love in First Look Picture's *Alive And Kicking*.

scenes in the film takes place at the hospital bedside of the dying Ramon. These people have been through this before, and they know they will go through it again, but their compassion is limitless. They are there for Ramon, and they will do what they must. It's touching and real. And those would be good adjectives to describe the

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The star turn in this film is Dorothy Tutin as Luna. Tricked out in flowing scarves and raccoon-like eye shadow, she fights through the onset of Alzheimer's disease to keep her company together. Struggling to remember the choreography of a piece she created long ago, she tells her assembled dancers, "Queers made my company."

Queers made my company, and this is a dance about queers." Tutin is not well known to American audiences, but she is a respected character actress on the British stage, and has done some film work. Masterpiece Theatre buffs may recall her as Anne Boleyn in *The Six Wives of Henry VIII*.

Alternative sexualities are commonplace in the world of dance, and this aspect is nicely portrayed in the friendship between Tonio and Millie. One of the funniest scenes between them takes place when they are fed up, Millie with women and Tonio with men, and decide they might as well try each other. The outcome is predictably hilarious as they discover basically that there simply isn't enough liquor in the world.

Alive & Kicking is a treat, and its life-affirming message is a pleasant change from all the breast-beating and hysterics we've been subjected to lately. And it has a happy, if improbable, ending. What more could you want?

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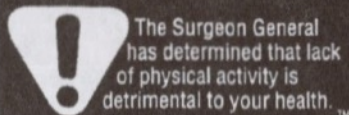
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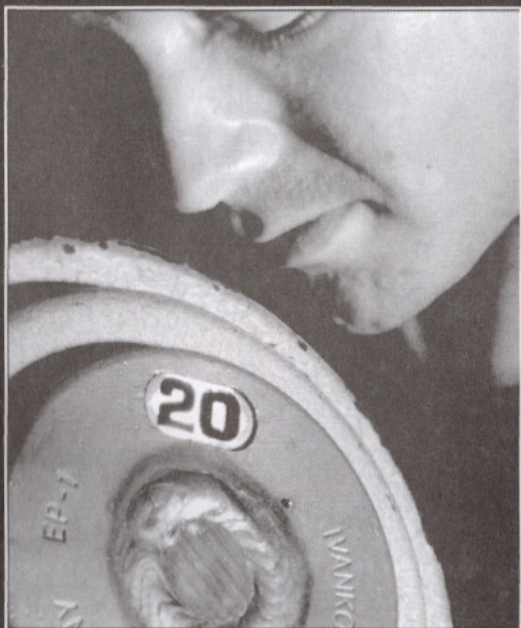
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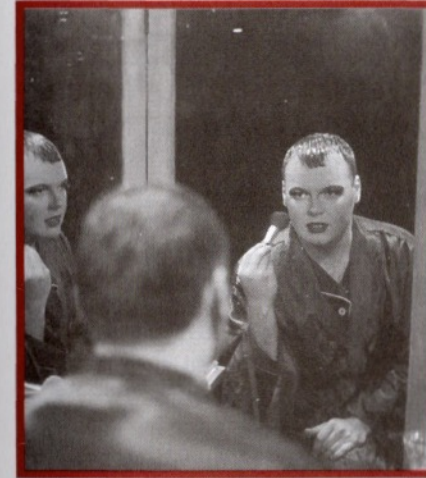
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The lights dim, a piano is heard. Then the lights go up and we see a '40s-style chanteuse in a shimmering gown. She sings — what else? — a torch song. The evening has begun.

In 1983, Harvey Fierstein burst — some say floated — into the American consciousness with the Tony Award-winning *Torch Song Trilogy*, and we have never



Arnold [Michael Kyle Sturdivant] is a one-man band of angst and hope, following his heart rather than his head.

been the same since. *Torch Song* is a compilation of three one-act plays that tell the story of the life of Arnold Beckoff, drag queen extraordinaire, "Strictly Torch Song." The trilogy is one of the handful of works for the theatre that have, for better or worse, defined our community and our lives over the years, along with *Boys in the Band*, *The Normal Heart*, *Angels in America* and, more recently, *Love! Valour! Compassion!* As I have said before in this space, the power and influence of the theatre should not be underestimated. It is

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through the theatre that consciousness can be reached, and raised, to present an experience or point of view that an audience might not otherwise have. The theatre is by nature an accepting environment, and ideas not readily assimilated elsewhere have a better chance on the stage.

The cast of characters in *Torch Song*, we all know and love. There's Ed, the mad-deningly indecisive bisexual lover; Laurel, Ed's on-again off-again girlfriend; Alan, the what-you-see-is-what-you-get love of Arnold's life; David, the son Arnold never had; and Mrs. Beckoff, the long-suffering mother. And then there's Arnold, who struggles blindly, but optimistically, through all this human underbrush, constantly getting smacked in the puss by the swinging branches.

Phillip Duggins' Masquerade Theatre, one of the new kids on the block in Houston, has brought this collection of fools and lovers back to us as their opening production for the fall, and I'm glad to see them. The problem with a familiar play, especially one that has been made into a movie, is that we tend to say, "Oh, I've seen that, what else is on?," but that's a mistake. In the theatre, no two productions are the same (actually, no two *performances* are the same), and this one deserves a look.

Director Rebecca Randall steers a delightful cast through the maze of Arnold's mind with skill and humor, and the result is a refreshing and funny take on the familiar theme. Michael Kyle Sturdivant's Arnold is a one-man band of angst and hope, slamming into one wall after another as he follows his heart and not his head. His monologue in the first act, always one of my favorites, is delivered with a bitchy aplomb that does Harvey proud, and his poignant struggle throughout the play to reach the

pot of gold that he's convinced lies at the end of the rainbow is a joy to watch.

Chris Jimmerson as Ed is, in a word, exasperating. You just want to slap him until his teeth rattle (Ed, not Chris). Ed's inability to make up his mind whether he's gay or straight drives Arnold over the edge, and pretty much takes the audience with him. For most of the play we just wonder what Arnold could possibly see in him (sound familiar?), until we finally do see the desperation and capacity for love beneath the surface. Ed is a complex character, and difficult to play. Jimmerson does a good job.

On the other side of this coin is Laurel, played by Melissa O'Connell. Laurel is the

other woman in Ed's life, depending on your point of view, and her wistfully needy manipulation of the situation should make you angry, but somehow you end up being sympathetic. In her way, she's just as much a victim of Ed's equivocating as Arnold is, and O'Connell plays this beautifully. In fact, Laurel is one of my favorite characters in this production, which has not been the case in other versions I have seen.

Christopher Andre as Alan, Arnold's much younger lover, is playful and puppy-like as the man who gives Arnold everything — almost. And although their relationship is destined to end tragically, it's obviously good while it lasts. Brent Smith as David, Arnold's adopted 15-year-old

son, is at the same time smart-ass and sensitive, and he strikes a beautiful balance between the two. Another of my favorite characters.

And that leaves Amy Ross as Arnold's mother. Mrs. Beckoff enters in the third act determined to deal with all comers, and she does. They come at her right, left and center, and she takes each one in turn. Watching her, it's easy to see where Arnold gets it. As she and Arnold try one more time to reach an understanding, the audience is pulling for them both. There's a lot of history here, and we have a lot of it in common.

So that's it. Oh, except for one thing. That torch singer at the beginning of the

first act? None other than "Lady Blues," aka Joe Melton, aka Tara Dion, who appears during each scene change in Act One, dressed in a series of dazzling gowns, singing — not *synching* — her torch songs. Terrific.

So, whether you've seen *Torch Song* or not, on the stage or not, you won't regret going to see this one. An evening with Arnold may be just what you need after a long, hot summer.

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Compilations, compilations and more compilations! It seems as if many labels have figured out that the best way to make a quick buck is to grab as many good songs as possible, get somebody with a decently popular name and have them mix it all together on a CD. Add in minimal expenditures — low studio cost, slip the deejay a grand or two, get on the ol' Macintosh and work up some cover art — and boom! A brand new moneymaker is born. The name of the game here is variety; let's face it, boys and girls, the market is essentially overflowing with compilations, so if you're going to make yours stand out in the rack, you have to know who you want to sell it to and how to get them to pick up and take it to the register.

If diversity of material is the key, then the guys at Priority Records are surely holding it as they release their latest slew of compilation CDs this month. For a broad variety of styles, simply do some checking into their *Ultra Mix* series. Earlier in the year, we saw the release of *Ultra Mix* volumes *The Best of Latin House*, *The Best of Salsa—Tropical Dance* and *Ultra Mix '97: Non-Stop Dance Club Hits*. Priority tops off the summer and leads us into fall with four more in the series.

Ultra Mix: Drum & Bass, mixed by deejay **R.A.W.**, features some of the UK and America's fastest-rising drum & bass stars, including **Dave Kristian**, **Dave Wallace**, **E-Z Rollers**, **Dr. S. Gachet**, **E-Sassin** and **B Boy 3000**, to name a few. None of these 13 flawless D&B cuts have ever been available on CD here in the States.

Ultra Mix: Euro Dance Hi-NRG comes to us with **Manny Lehman** as the mixmaster. Here we find nine tracks previously available only as imports, songs like **Sonic Dream Collective's** "Don't Go Breaking My Heart," **Restless'** dance cover of "A Horse with No Name," "I Want Candy" by **Candy Girls** and "Girl You Know It's True" by **Centory** featuring **Trey D**. This is a great collection for the more pop-oriented NRG enthusiast.

If you like your Hi-NRG a bit more to the left of center, try out *Ultra Mix: Euro Dance*, which features selections from the newer school of European labels like **Positiva**, **Additive**, **Flex** and **Feverpitch** — labels that operate a bit more on the progressive tip. Deejay **Rafael M.** spins us a mix that includes tracks like "Come with Me" by **Qattara**, "Passion" by **Amen! UK** and "La Batteria" by **Baby Doc**. Quite a

nice little collection here!

And Priority continues its foray into dance with *Ultra Mix: The Best of Tribal Records America*. The old Tribal label may be gone, but these 12 classic out-of-print tracks are sitting right here waiting to work you o-vah! La deejay **Tony Largo** wickedly weaves together a set that includes previously unavailable mixes from **Junior Vasquez** and **Funky Green Dogs**, plus tracks from **Angel Moreas** and **Danny Tenaglia**. Now you know that with a who's who lineup like that, this one is surely worth the coins!

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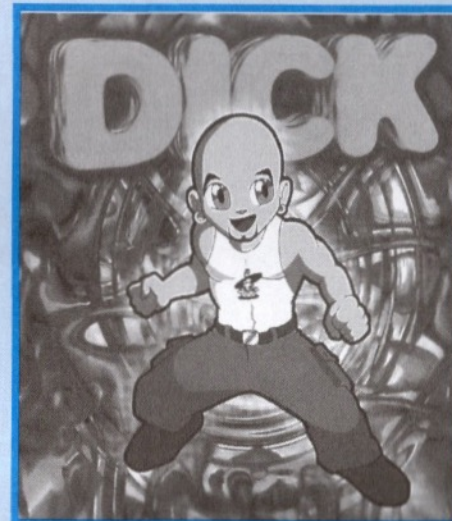
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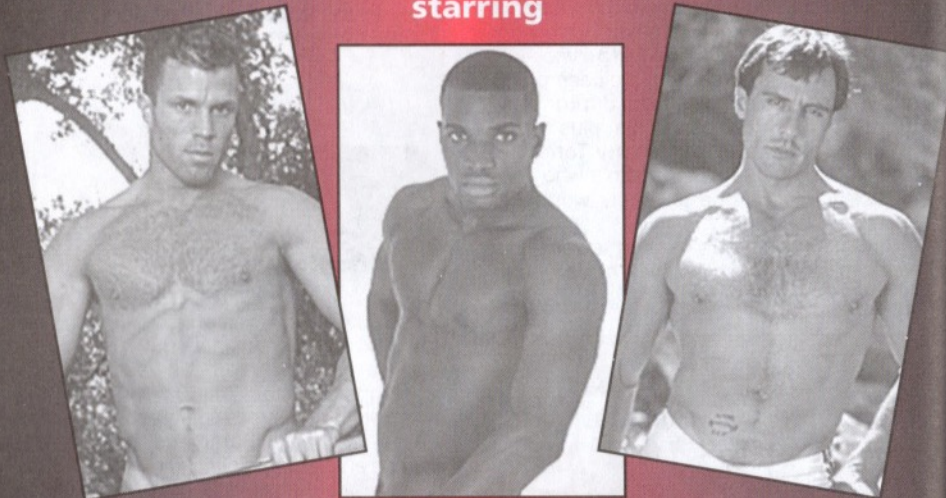
Recordings. Now we can all rush out to our favorite record rack and buy *Dick*. From the ever-growing Jellybean vault we find a wig-flipping compilation just for us. It features eight circuit-sounding vocal hi-house tracks that are guaranteed to rock any party, entitled simply...*Dick*. Contained herein are tracks like **Soul Solution's** "Find A Way," **Pulse's** "Yum Yum," **Deborah Gibson's** "Only Words" and more. While I'll admit that the title of this compilation does get your attention, I'm not sure whether I'm flattered by Jellybean's marketing or offended. Oh, what the hell, we've come a long way over the years; I suppose it shouldn't matter.

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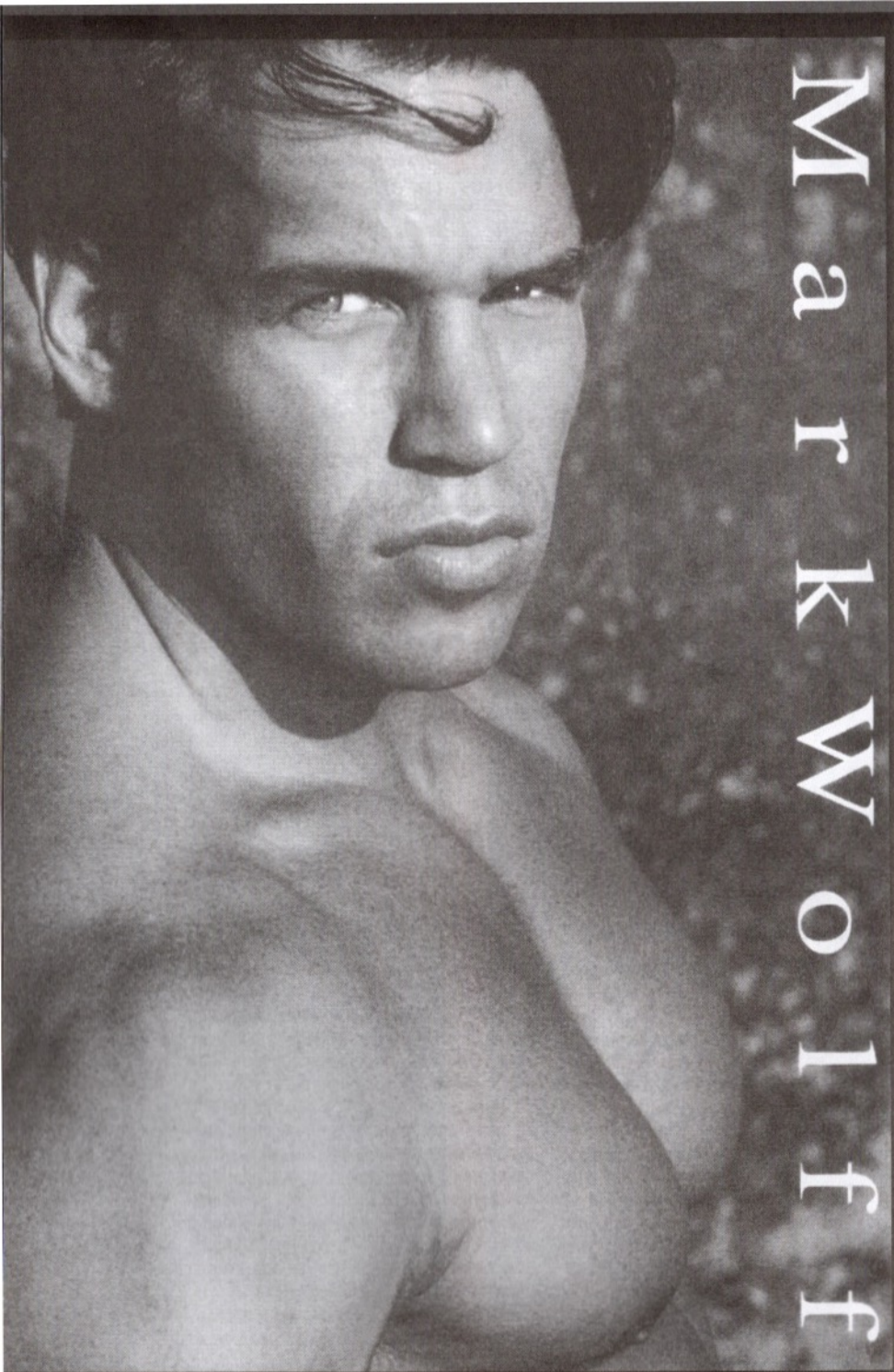
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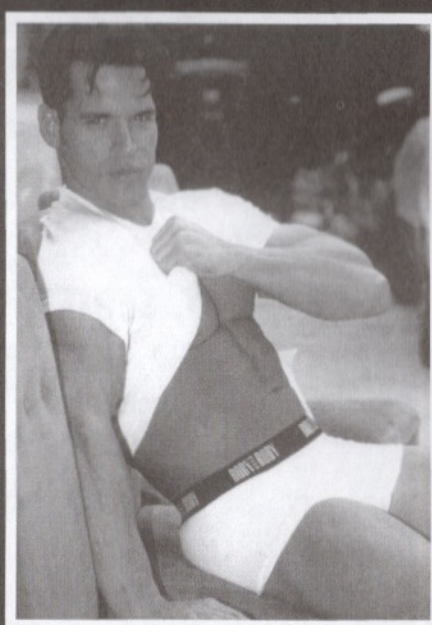
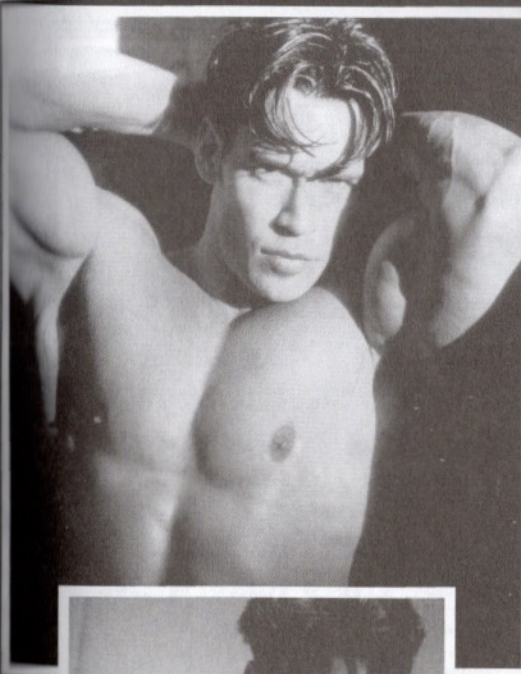
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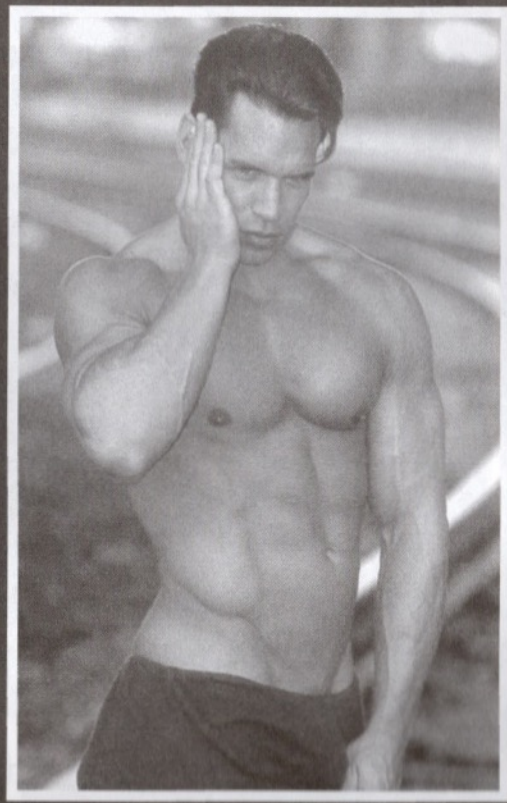
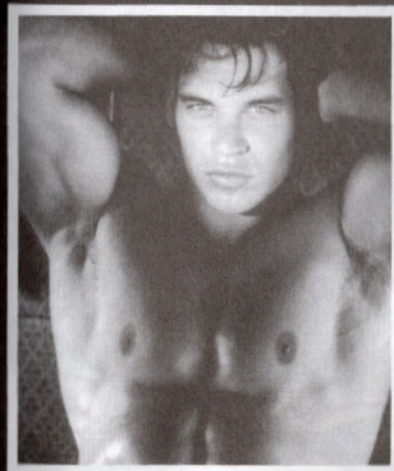
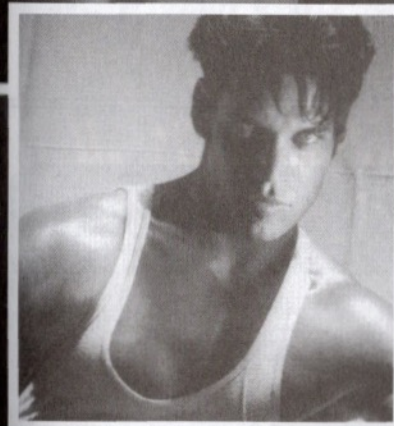
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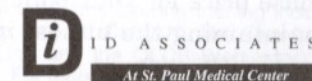
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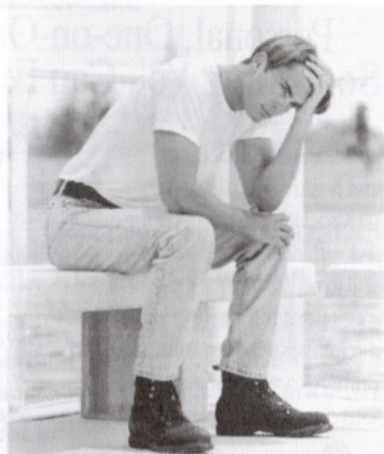
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AIDS Services of Austin benefits from the St. Thomas "No Jacket Required" fashion show Saturday, Sept. 20, at the Renaissance Hotel. For more info, call (512) 406-6175.

The Austin Raedical Faerie Circle is held the third Tuesday of each month (next one Sept. 18) at 7 p.m. Each meeting will be at a different member's home; for next location and more info, call Mike or Steve at (512) 837-0970 or e-mail to lazarus@bga.com.

DALLAS

Organizers of the **14th Annual Alan Ross Texas Freedom Parade** will hold a pre-parade meeting tomorrow, Saturday, Sept. 13, at 2 p.m. in the Rose Room of the Village Station, 3911 Cedar Springs Rd. All Dallas entries are required to have a representative present to discuss the final instructions. Out-of-town entries will be contacted by mail. The Grand Marshals for the parade will be voted upon at this meeting.

Mishpachah, a group for Jewish families and their gay and lesbian children and their families, meets the last Wednesday of the month at Congregation Searith Israel, 9401 Douglas, and the AIDS Support Group meets at Jewish Family Services, 13140 Coit Road, on the third Wednesday of the month. For more info, call (972)437-9950.

The 1997 Black Tie Dinner is themed "A Hand In Giving" and will be held at 6 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 22, at the Wyndham Anatole Hotel (Chantilly and Grand ballrooms), 2201 Stemmons Frwy. The featured speaker is **Maya Angelou**. Cost is \$200 per person. This event benefits numerous local and national organizations. For tickets or more information call (972)733-9200.

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Program. The group also has services and events scheduled over the next several weeks, including the first congregational Pot Luck dinner in years, to be held Friday, Sept. 19, at 7:30 p.m. at the Community Center. Contact Mike Steinberg, who is coordinating services. Gay Day at Six Flags, which is co-sponsored by BEB, takes place on Saturday, Sept. 20. For more info, call (972)497-1591.

Oak Lawn Community Services holds All Agency Volunteer Training tonight and Saturday, Sept. 12 and 13. Volunteers will participate in general training tonight from 6:30–9:15 p.m. This training will include the course "AIDS 101" and a segment on cultural diversity. Volunteers will receive program-specific training on Saturday starting at 9 a.m. OLCS programs offering training include the Buddy Project, CallOUT: The Teen Information Line and the OLCS Womentoring Program. For more info, call Jesse Garcia, OLCS Director of Volunteers, at (214)520-8108.

The membership meeting of the **Leather Knights** is held the second Tuesday of the month at the Dallas Eagle at 7:30 p.m. The third Tuesday is the Knights' Klub Knight, at their home bar from 9–11 p.m. The fourth Tuesday of each month is a potluck dinner at 7:30 p.m. at a member's home. All events are open, and guests are welcome. For more info, call (214)521-5342, ext. 868.

HOUSTON

The 1998 Lesbian and Gay Pride Week Committee has opened up nominations for the new year, with voting at the meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 16, at 7 p.m. at the Metropolitan Multi-Service Center, 1475 W. Gray. Positions include both co-chairs and committees. For more info, call the Pride Line at (713) 529-6979.

State Rep. **Debra Danburg** will be the featured speaker at the next meeting of **LiB**, on Friday, Sept. 19, at 6:30 p.m. at the group's new meeting site, Bering Memorial United

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The Gay Alumni Noon Group holds its regular meeting at the Montrose Library, 4100 Montrose Blvd. from 1-2 p.m. this Saturday, Sept. 13. Swale Finley, a physical fitness and nutrition counselor, will speak on health topics as they relate to the needs of older men and women. For more info, call Jim Storrs at (713)622-6918 or Robert Scott, LMSW-ACP, at (713)665-6446.

The Houston chapter of **Black and White Men Together/Men of All Colors Together** holds a picnic at the Memorial Park picnic grounds this Sunday, Sept. 14, at 4 p.m. Participants are urged their own food and games to share. Everyone is welcome. For more info, call (713)869-2197.

The Gay Men's Chorus of Houston, which begins its 19th season with a new Artistic Director, Dr. J. David Faber, holds rehearsals on Thursdays from 7-10 p.m. at Grace Lutheran Church, 2515 Waugh. The group welcomes both singing and nonsinging members. Call (713)521-SING, send e-mail to GMCHOUSTON@GEOCITIES.COM or access the Web page at <http://www.geocities.com/WestHollywood/Heights/1349>.

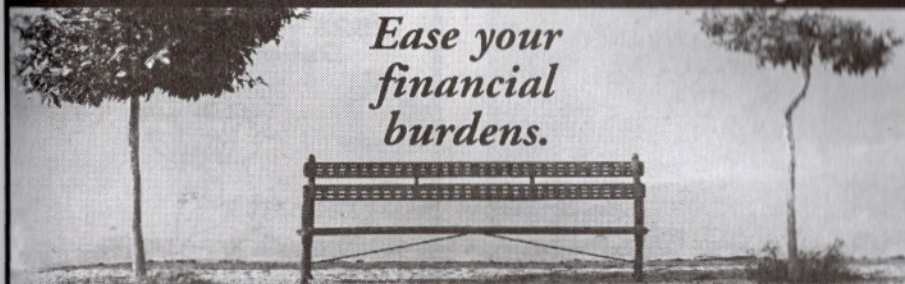
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The Center for AIDS Hope and Remembrance Project holds its next treatment mixer — about the latest HIV/AIDS treatment and research — on Tuesday, Sept. 16, from 7-9 p.m. at the Center, 1407 Hawthorne. For more info, call (713)527-8219.

The Empowerment for Living support group at MCCR (1919 Decatur) hosts Rev. Dr. Chuck Perroncel presenting "Good Grief," an exploration of how grief can benefit people, on Tuesday, Sept. 15, at 7 p.m. A potluck supper precedes at 6:15 p.m. For more info, call (713)861-9149.



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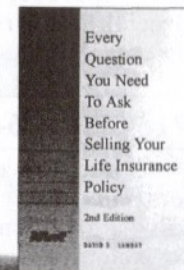
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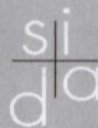
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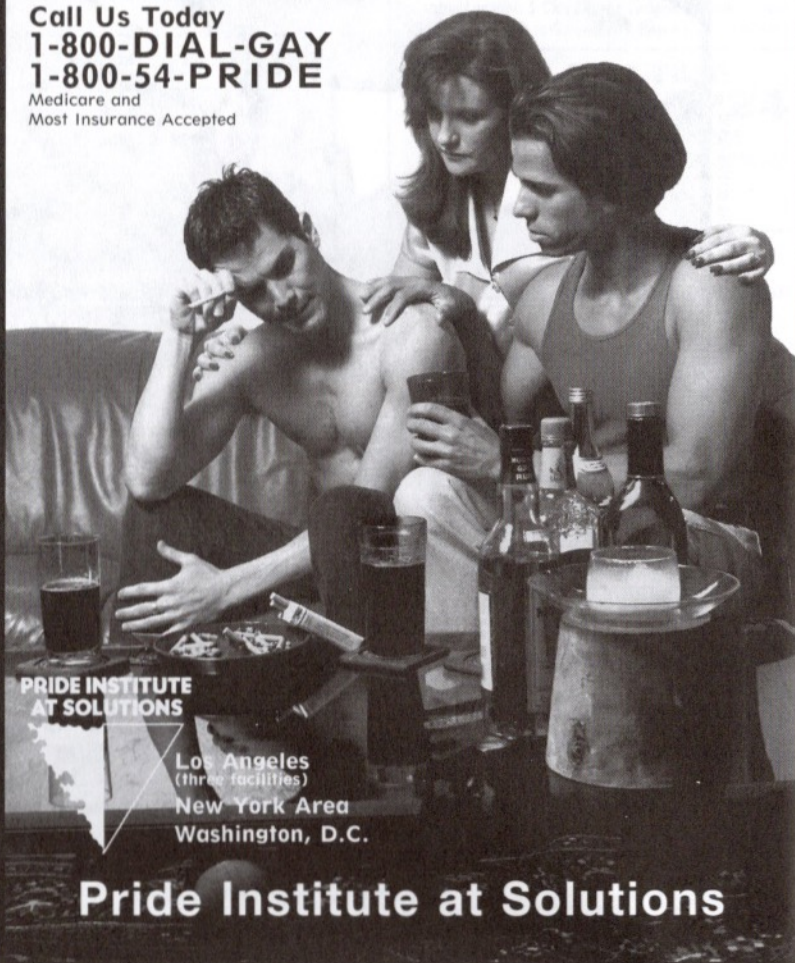
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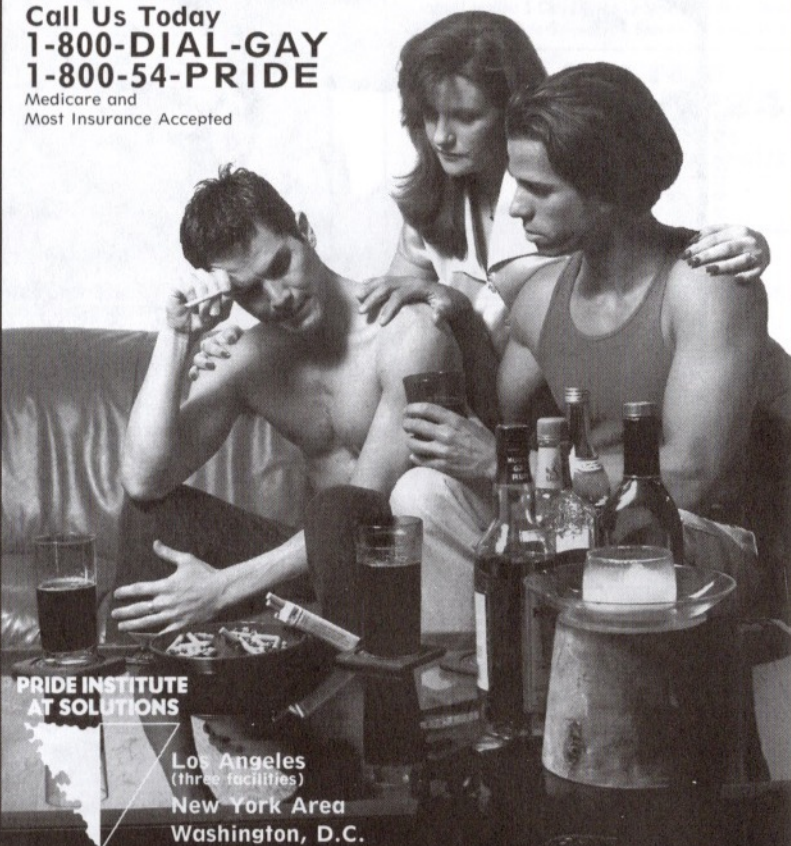
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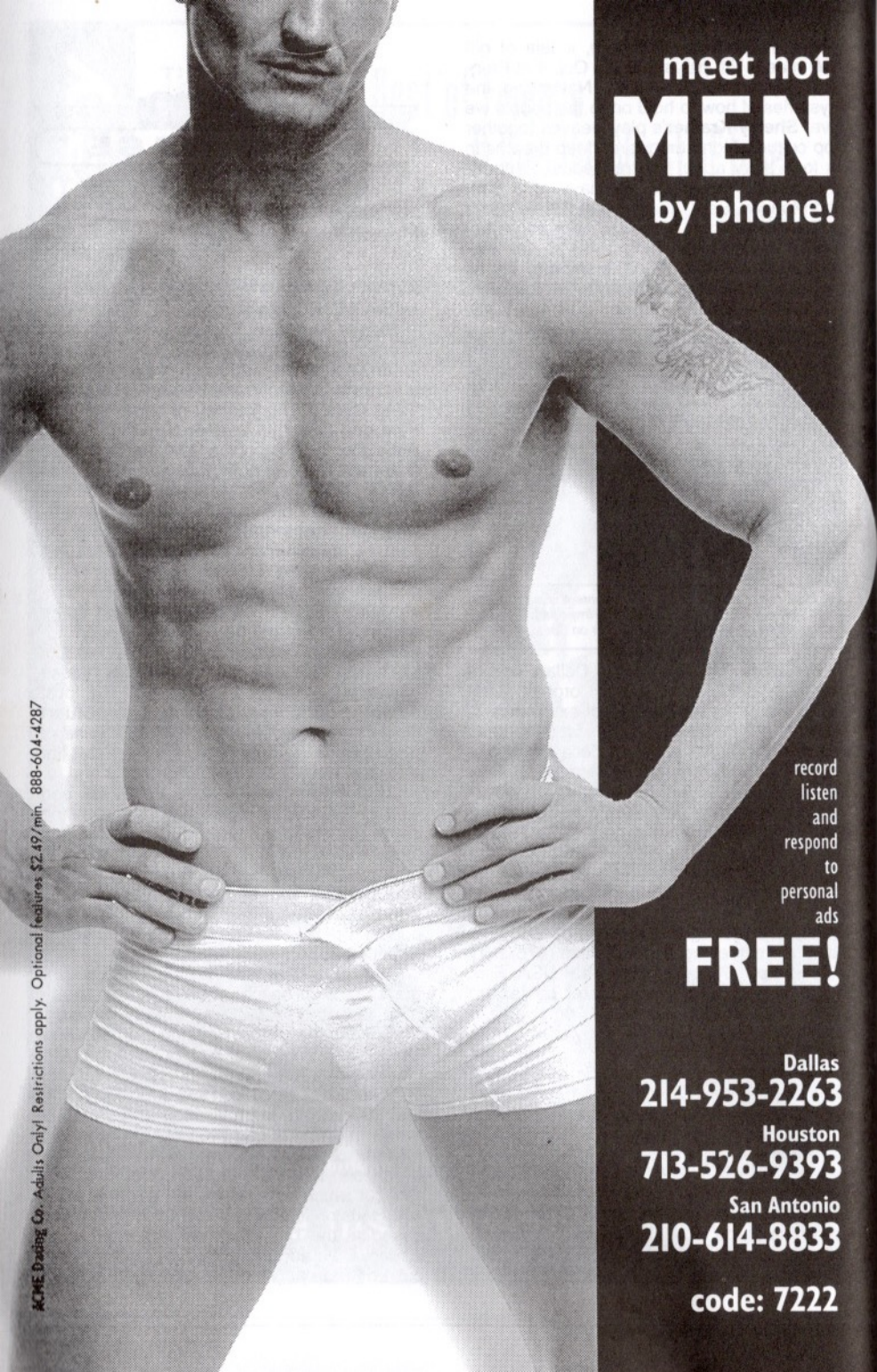
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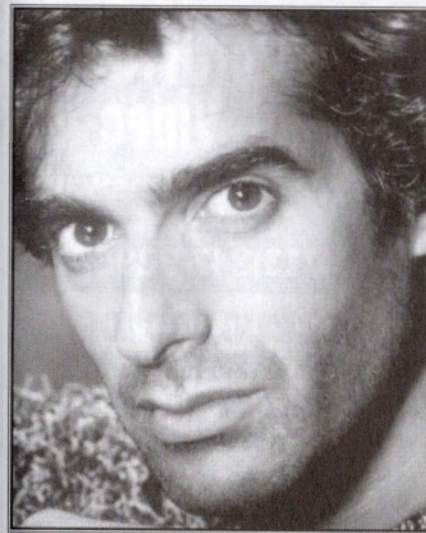
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VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23) If your public debut has been less than fantastic, blame retro Mercury for screwing up the names, faces and places on your dance card. Relief is in sight, darling, but not before Pluto gets into the act and brings family into the mix. That is, of course, what the planets have been waiting for; a successful coming-out party requires full attendance.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23) Gay Libras have had an urge to relate all their innermost private, paranoid thoughts to the immediate world. Hopefully you've shown some discretion over the past three weeks when retro Mercury could make you sound like a woolly-eyed kook. Now, with Mercury square Pluto, you've got one last impressive chance to demonstrate that you're one drop short of a pint. Will you?

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22) The path to true friendship might have been rockier than usual during the retro Mercury. Please be patient and forgiving (look who I'm talking to...). Now, when Mercury squares Pluto, miscommunications with pals turn out to be costlier than usual. Queer Scorps will reevaluate how they regard certain social commitments. Good; a new broom sweeps clean.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22) If your professional path has had more than its share of small pebbles and potholes, blame



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retro Mercury and get on with your life. Gay Archers eventually make their own personal success, but should prepare for agony before the ecstasy when Pluto squares Mercury. You'll eventually emerge from your travails metamorphosed. Strut it proudly and avoid Franz Kafka.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20) Travel may have been more trouble than it's worth when retro Mercury ran amok. Now, just when life appears to be settling down again, Mercury squares Pluto and gay Caps experience one last gasp at trouble in paradise. Don't panic, cousin; there are lessons to be learned in every dirty corner of the world. Grab the psychic significance of every wrong turn and store it for future use.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19) Aqueerians run hot and cold when it comes to sex. Wild retro Mercury may have provided more than its share of miscommunication and inconvenient cramps. Now, with Mercury direct squaring Pluto, friends can get into the balancing act and tip the scales over. The path of true lust may not be running smoothly, but you'll happily gorge once the dust settles.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - March 20) Poor pink Fish pine for connection with a significant other and retro Mercury hasn't been making it easy. Now, Mercury turns direct and

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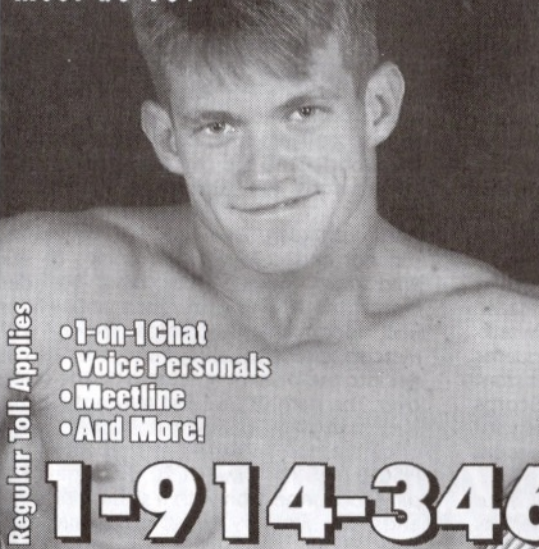
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squares Pluto. Communications clear for partnerships, but volcanic changes occur in your career. You can't expect every aspect of your life to be in balance all the time, so make your trade-offs and work with them. I'd choose the relationship.

ARIES (March 21 - April 20) Miscommunications at work plagued you over the past three weeks, causing delays and wasted effort. Now, just when you thought it was safe, ratty retro Mercury plows directly into Pluto. Proud Rams get a final zetz that could have an impact on any legal endeavor. Pluto upends the landscape, changing your personal outlook. Like it or not, you'll look at things quite differently.

TAURUS (April 21 - May 21) If you've been working hard at being creative over the past three weeks, relief is in sight. Sweat no more, queer Bull; wild retro Mercury squares maniacal Pluto, unleashing a belching inferno of long-buried hopes, dreams and desires that provide grist for your muse mill. If you're tired of that starving artist gig, use the sexy Plutonian power for zestier purposes.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21) It's been a real trial trying to sift through the whats and wherefores of family demands and/or home issues. Thankfully, retro Mercury goes direct, but not before it squares volcanic Pluto. The family dirt that you've been sweeping under the rug blows out and soils partnerships. Pluto demands that you come clean with all involved. Rub a dub, bub.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23) Gay Crabs have been fairly mouthy during retro Mercury. Unfortunately, your best barbs have either fallen on deaf ears or caught you in the craw. Well, kids, Mercury direct now squares transforming Pluto. Words come back to haunt you one last time in a manner that you won't soon forget. Sticks and stones may break bones but words detonate a nuclear explosion.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23) Money streams flow into unexpected caves during the Mercury retrograde as proud Lions race around frantically with their empty thermos jugs. Relief is in sight as Mercury goes direct, but not before one last monetary zetz with Pluto. We live in interesting times, friend; you may splurge on a glorious romantic fling that can transform your life. When in doubt, wear something tight.

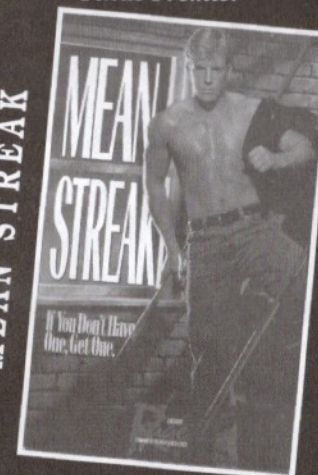
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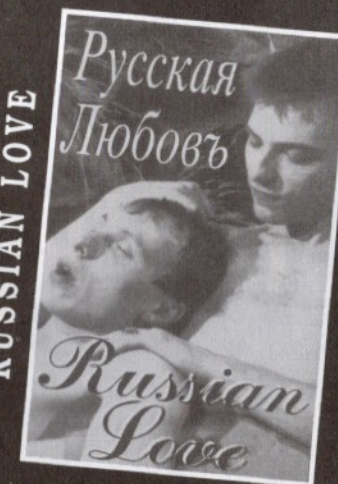
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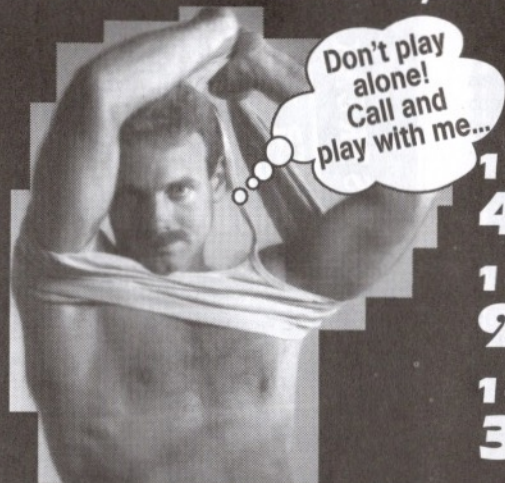
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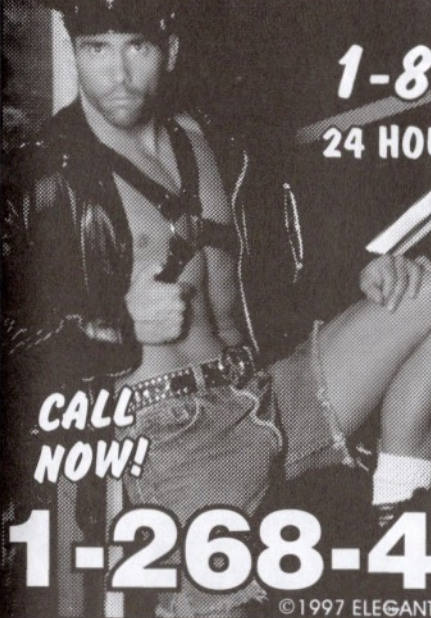
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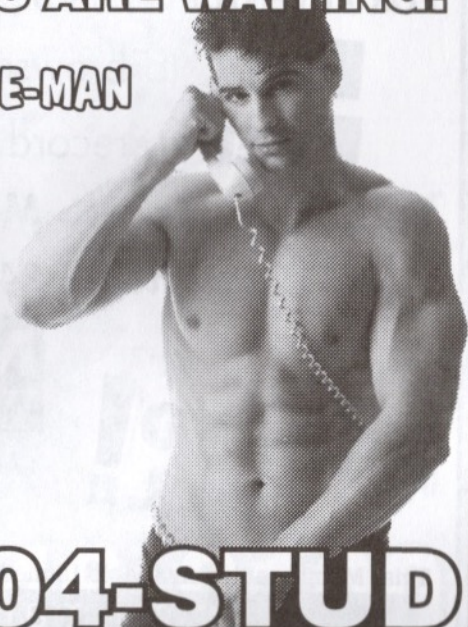
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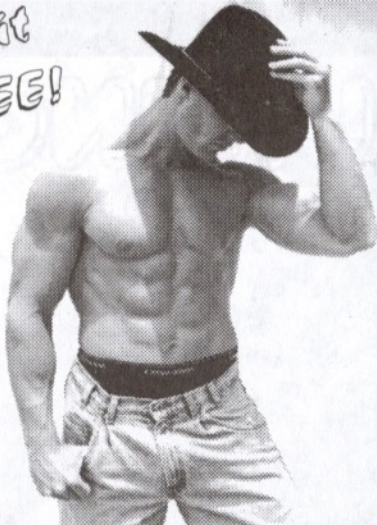
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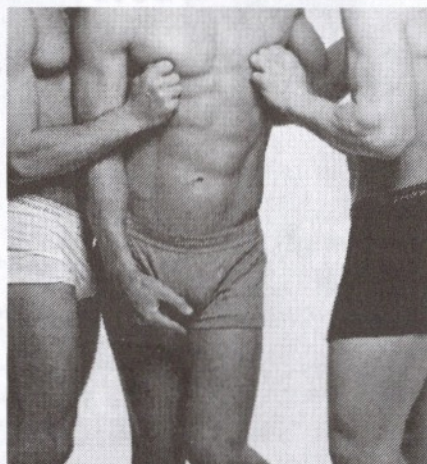
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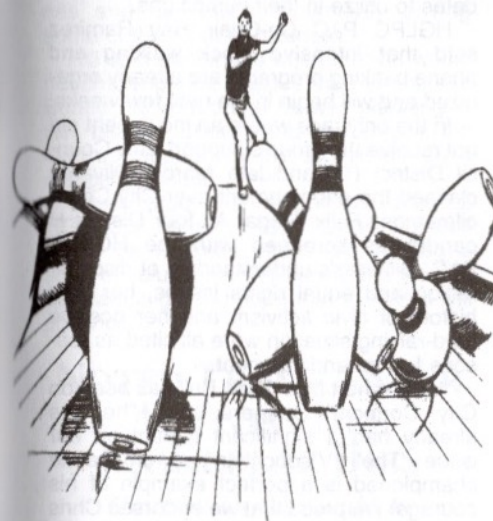
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Individual bowlers are needed for all leagues, and teams are being accepted for Sunday and Monday. For more info, call (713)522-9612.

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HOUSTON — The Houston Women's Flag Football League begins its fall season this year with exhibition games on Oct. 4 and the season opener on Oct. 18, both days on practice fields at U of H. The HWFFL is a nonprofit sports organization open to all women ages 18 and over. There are two divisions, competitive and recreational. Individuals can join by bringing in their own teams; if they don't have a team, the league will be holding two drafts to place individuals, this Saturday, Sept. 13, at 10 a.m. at Memorial Park, and on Sunday, Sept. 28, also at 10



a.m. at Memorial Park.

For individual registration forms, Team Captain forms and more info, call the HWFFL hotline at (713)981-6753.

FISHING TRIPS

HOUSTON — The Rainbow Fishing Club goes out on the 85-foot catamaran New Buccaneer on Sunday, Oct. 26. The club has 20 reservations. Total cost is \$60, with a \$20 deposit due to reserve a spot by Sept. 20. This Sunday's trip is totally sold out.

On Wednesday, Oct. 8, the club will go out on the 70-foot catamaran Cavalier, the sister boat of the New Buccaneer. Cost is \$55, with a \$20 deposit due by Sept. 20. Deposits must be received by the club by due dates for reservations to be held.

The trips, which last 12 hours, start at 7:30 a.m. All fishing tackle and bait are supplied, and food and drink are available at reasonable cost. Both boats have a sundeck.

For more info, call (713)523-6381. Deposits should be sent to the club at P.O. Box 66450, Houston, TX 77266.

LONE STAR VOLLEYBALL

HOUSTON — The Lone Star Volleyball Association began its Fall League with open play last Sunday. League play is open to all interested individuals, ranging from the recreational to the competitive player.

Any individual who has never played with the Lone Star Volleyball Association will receive a 50% discount on registration fees. Registration for recreational play begins at 4:30 p.m., while registration for the competitive division begins at 6:30. Recreational play is from 4:30-6:30 and competitive play is from 6:30-9:30 each Sunday at the Jerabeck Athletic Center on the campus of the University of St. Thomas.

The LSVA Hotline (which has been inoperable the last few weeks) is now accepting calls at (281)878-4629.

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HOUSTON CAUCUS PAC BACKS GREANIAS FOR MAYOR, GARCIA FOR CITY CONTROLLER

*Olivarez Overwhelmingly Endorsed
Over Fraga for District H Seat;
Boney Supported After Discussion.*

HOUSTON — With a capacity crowd of almost 100 people in attendance Wednesday night last week, the Houston Gay and Lesbian Political Caucus' Political Action Committee voted overwhelmingly to endorse mayoral candidate George Greanias and City Controller candidate Sylvia Garcia. The HGLPC PAC's endorsement in the mayoral race marks the first such endorsement by a nonpartisan gay group in this election cycle.

"We were thrilled with the turnout of members and candidates at the HGLPC PAC endorsement meeting," said Caucus President Lane Lewis. "The fact that we screened candidates in 14 races, including two school board seats, is indicative of the respect that the broader community in Houston has for our organization and its screening process."

"George Greanias has been a supporter of equal rights and fair treatment for all people since he was first elected to City Council in 1982," said HGLPC PAC Board Chair Clarence Bagby. "His promise to sign an executive order that would ban discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation is a further indication of his commitment to end all forms of discrimination."

Greanias' endorsement by the HGLPC PAC was the second time he got the support of a gay political organization in this election. Log Cabin Republicans of Houston had endorsed the former City Controller a couple weeks earlier.

"Sylvia Garcia's experience and her sound financial management of the Municipal Courts makes her the most qualified candidate on the ballot for City Controller," said HGLPC PAC Co-Chair Jay Seegers. "Her character and ethics are without blemish as is her record of fairness to all people."

Seegers said that over 40,000 HGLPC PAC Election Newsletters will be distributed to help ensure the election of the group's endorsed candidates. "We also

make our lists available to endorsed candidates to utilize in their campaigns."

HGLPC PAC Co-Chair Ray Ramirez said that intensive block walking and phone banking programs are already organized and will begin in the next few weeks.

In the only race where an incumbent did not receive the group's support, City Council District H Candidate Marcia Olivarez claimed the endorsement over City Councilmember Felix Fraga. All four District H candidates screened with the HGLPC PAC. Olivarez's understanding of discrimination and equal rights issues, her long history of civic activism and her positive fund-raising situation were all cited as reasons for her endorsement.

"In the short time Chris Bell has been on City Council," Seegers said, "he has already had a significant impact on our issues. The HIV education program that he championed is a perfect example of his courage. I'm proud that we endorsed Chris again in this election." Bell holds the At-Large Position Four seat on the council.

Other City Council candidates endorsed are Carroll Robinson, At-Large Position Five; Brenda Flynn-Flores, District A; Michael Yarbrough, District B; Jew Don Boney, District D; Dionne Roberts, District F; and John Castillo, District I. City Council At-Large Position One Candidate Annise Parker has also been endorsed by the HGLPC PAC.

H.I.S.D. School Board candidates endorsed were Gabriel Vasquez, District 1, and Douglas Sandage, District 5.

While the HGLPC PAC membership accepted the Screening Committee's recommendations in all of the races, City Councilmember Boney's endorsement was the subject of a challenge and lengthy floor debate that began when Ray Hill made a motion not to endorse in the race; another motion was then made to table discussion of the race till a later date, and that motion passed. But on the advice of parliamentarian Kevin Davidson, the group went ahead and voted to support Boney, by more than 2-to-1. Hill claimed that the group violated its own rules in doing so, and said that Davidson phoned him the day after the meeting to agree with him and to apologize. Caucus officials insisted that they followed correct procedure.

Although the Caucus endorsed Boney for City Council last time around, he has since alienated some in the gay community. Earlier this year he supported the pas-

sage of an ordinance that would tighten restrictions on sexually oriented businesses and nightclubs, potentially driving some of them out of business.

Hill said earlier this week that he would not challenge the Caucus' vote to endorse Boney. He added that he was planning to run against Boney, and would use the Caucus' support of the incumbent as a campaign issue.

Lewis said that a primary area of HGLPC's focus in City Council races would be Parker's effort. "We've had a flood of volunteers step forward to work in her campaign and hope that the trend will continue."

NOTED TRANSGENDER ACTIVIST DEE MCKELLAR DIES

*Houstonian Succumbs to
Heart Attack While Serving with
Q Patrol Neighborhood Watch.*

HOUSTON — Dee Skene McKellar, an activist who worked to advance the rights of transgender people on the national, state and local levels, died last Saturday evening. McKellar, age 55, suffered a massive heart attack as she and her friends were being assigned their rounds with the Q Patrol, a neighborhood watch group. Resuscitation efforts were begun and emergency medical technicians arrived within minutes of the attack, but McKellar died before reaching the hospital.

"They treated [her] with the utmost of professionalism and respect," activist and attorney Phyllis Frye, an associate of McKellar's, said Monday.

Known as David McKellar prior to 1991, Dee McKellar attended the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and completed three years of engineering studies. She worked for Boeing in Seattle and later on many early NASA projects in Clear Lake City, and was a pilot and a photographer. A founding committee member of what became the International Conference on Transgender Law and Employment Policy, she later served as a Director of the event. She was also a director of the Spectrum business expo and volunteered with the Houston READ Commission. She worked with the Houston City Council campaign of Annise Parker, was an instructor at the



Houston Police Academy on transgender issues and served as office secretary with the League of Women Voters. She was also a co-moderator of Helping CrossDressers Anonymous, a member of Lesbians in Business and a member of the Houston Writers League.

While a Director of the National Lesbian and Gay Law Association, McKellar served on the NLGLA committee responsible for the unanimous board vote last month that brought bisexuals and transgenders fully within the bylaws of that organization. She also served as a Director of Gender PAC for a short time.



McKellar is survived by her daughter, Deborah McKellar Donaldson of Houston, and her mother, Elizabeth McKellar, and brothers Robert and Scott, all three from out of state, and a very large community of friends. Cards may be sent to her daughter and (separately) to her mother in care of Frye at 5707 Firenza, Houston, TX 77035.

McKellar's funeral is this Saturday, Sept. 13, at 11 a.m., in the Woodlawn Cemetery at I-10 West, exit Antoine. There will be an open-casket, graveside service. McKellar will be buried in her Q Patrol T-shirt. Frye encouraged all transgender attendees to wear a relevant activist T-shirt, such as Transgender Menace, It's Time, TG Nation, Q Patrol, etc., or to wear a black armband. "Dee was an activist and died while in our service, and we are going to honor her activist spirit," Frye said.

Q Patrol will serve as Honor Guard. Any-
one who wishes to share a favorite "Dee
story" will be invited to do so.

Viewing hours are today (Friday) from
10 a.m.-9 p.m. at Cremation Service Inter-
national, 5601 Arlington (near Tidwell and
I-45 North).

Frye asked that, in lieu of flowers, an
equivalent amount of money be donated in
McKellar's name to Q Patrol; P.O. Box
66362; Houston TX 77266.

'UNDER THE BIG TOP' SPOOFS BEAUTY PAGEANTS SATURDAY IN HOUSTON

*29th Miss Camp America Show
To Be Held in UH's
Cullen Performance Hall.*

HOUSTON — Miss America and other
beauty pageants take a flamboyant ribbing
this Saturday when the Miss Camp Amer-
ica Foundation, Inc. presents its 29th
annual pageant. It's all for a good cause,
with proceeds benefiting local AIDS ser-
vice organizations.

Anywhere from 1,500-1,800 people
attend the traditional fall event, which fea-
tures an all-male (and one female) cast of
overly enthusiastic amateurs, including the
reigning Miss Camp America and "her"
court of nine runners-up, performing in
Texas-sized wigs, extravagant head-
pieces, fabulous costumes and improbably
large heels as they spoof the real thing.
The theme of this year's show is "Under
the Big Top," and its plucky cast will per-
form humorous (and sometimes unbeliev-
able) circus acts and "dangerous" stunts,
all under the direction of a professional
choreographer and the skillful guidance of
Master of Ceremonies Danny Williams, a
comedian from San Francisco.

The curtain goes up at the Cullen Per-
formance Hall on the University of Houston
central campus at 8 p.m. following "Pre-
Show Warmup" festivities which start at 7.
Previous pageants have been held at the
old Tower Theater, the Alley Theatre and
the Houston Music Hall.

The roots of the Miss Camp America
Foundation, Inc. began in 1968 when 11
people gathered to watch the Miss Amer-
ica Pageant on television. Ten of those

attending took turns drawing one of the
state names representing the top ten final-
ists in the pageant that year. While the
parties continued to socialize as the
pageant progressed, several of them,
caught up in the moment, began to mimic
the contestants. Before the evening was
over, one of them became "Miss Camp
America," by virtue of the fact that his state
won the title in Atlantic City, New Jersey.
That simple beginning led to the extended
guest list of 50 state representatives and
more guests.

During its first 24 years, Miss Camp
America was a social club, hosting a vari-
ety of parties and other gatherings simply
for the enjoyment of members and friends.
In the meantime, however, AIDS began
devastating the community in the early
'80s, and members of MCA were affected
along with everyone else. In 1992, the club
was dissolved and reconstituted as The
Miss Camp America Foundation, a 501(c)3
nonprofit corporation whose mission was
to raise funds that would be distributed
each year among local nonprofit AIDS
service organizations. Since its incorpora-
tion, the Foundation has raised and distrib-
uted in excess of \$200,000. Organizers
this year hope to bring in at least \$75,000,
which will go to The Assistance Fund, the
Bering Dental Clinic, The Colt 45's Trou-
bleFund, the Montrose Clinic/Frost Eye
Clinic and the People With AIDS Coalition-
Houston.

Tickets to this Saturday's pageant are
available through TicketMaster and range
in price from \$25 to \$100. Call (713)
629-3700.

'COINTREAUPLY HOP' TO RAISE FUNDS FOR AMFAR

*Dallas and Houston Among
Eight Cities Taking Part
In Bartender Race This Sunday.*

TEXAS — Cointreau S.A., French mak-
ers of the familiar orange-based liqueur,
have created the "1997 Cointreaphy Hop,"
a national fund-raiser that will benefit the
American Foundation for AIDS Research.
Bartenders in eight U.S. cities — including
Dallas and Houston in Texas — will take
part in a competition that puts a twist on
the old concept of bar-hopping. They are

raising money through pledges, then on
Sunday will race against fellow bartenders
on bright orange "hoppity-hops."

Other cities taking part in the event
are New York, Chicago, Miami/Fort Laud-
erdale, Boston, Los Angeles and San
Francisco.

The grand-prize winner will be the bar-
tender who collects the most pledge
money nationwide and completes the one-
mile hop. He or she will receive the "Coint-
reaphy," an original piece of trophy art; a
seven-day trip for two to Paris; a day trip to
the Cointreau distillery in Angers; and
\$1,000 in spending money.

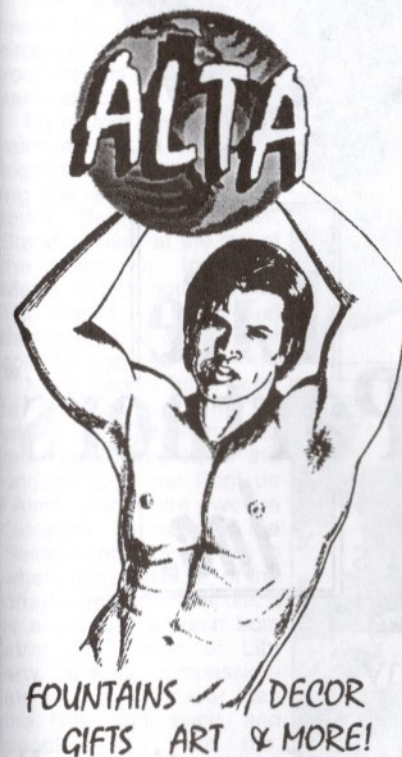
Additionally, Cointreau S.A. will donate
\$10,000 to AmFAR in the winner's name to

augment the pledge money he or she
raised through the competition. More win-
ners will be selected based on the amount
of pledge money raised for AmFAR in each
of the local markets.

In Dallas, the event will take place in the
West End Historic District. In Houston, the
Cointreaphy Hop will be held at Market
Square in the downtown area. Registration
starts at 1 p.m. and the event begins at 2.

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A Visit to Paris

I was horrified...outraged...saddened...
distressed. Here it is,
within 24 hours of Diana's
death, and happenstance
has me on a plane to Paris.
I had called several people,
I don't know, maybe to
lessen the blow. That's not
simple to do when everyone
you know is subject to the
same shock.

My mother says it always
rains in Paris, at least in her
experience. I must be hav-
ing one of her experiences
today. Sadly appropriate.
Standing here at the top of
the steps, up from the
Métro, it has gotten quiet.
The rain is not heavy and
the cars make only a light
splashing sound.

Many people have gone
to the hospital. That is
where she died. Some, like
me, have come here: the
underpass at the Pont de
l'Alma where the Avenue
Georges V crosses the
Seine River. Maybe this is
where the paparazzi, or the
drunks who drive, will die. It
is a cast of the torch from
atop the Statue of Lib-
erty, another compas-
sionate lady. It is smaller than
the New York torch, and
people have, like me,
brought things to leave
here. A tribute. Is that
creepy? I could not be a
part of her life and so I had
to find some way to be a part of her death.
A disturbing, uncomfortable thought.



BY MARK DEATON

I walk down the side of the road,
towards the mouth of the tunnel, to look
in...drawn...rubbernecking.
Well, here's another acci-
dent waiting to happen.
Cars approaching the crash
site suddenly stop. I would
believe that prayers are
said, and then bouquets —
some quite large — are
hurled out of car windows,
into the oncoming traffic. Or,
more likely, at the car oppo-
site, which is also at a dead
standstill. The line of cars to
get into this tunnel, I
assume to accomplish just
this feat, is unnervingly
long.

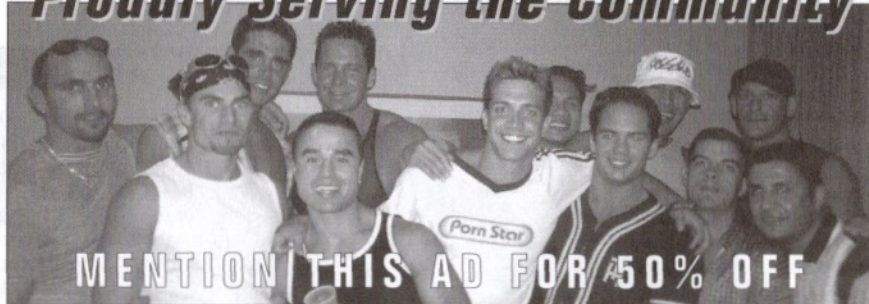
I am back by the torch, by
the flowers. People still
gather, are still quiet. It is
a French grief, subdued,
silent, resigned to the fact
that so many beautiful
things end. Abruptly. Sad-
ness; the French word is
tristesse. I like that better. It
sounds like a rainy day.

I remember the first time
she shocked me. I saw her
on TV. She was holding
hands, with an AIDS pa-
tient. No gloves. Unheard
of. Classy. Noble. Utterly
without self-interest, she
made a compassionate
gesture. It was the first of
many that won her a place
in the hearts of gay men
and lesbians everywhere.
She was an outsider at the
royal party, and wound up

having the most style of them all. Now is
that a gay metaphor or what?

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There is a guy, obviously gay, who has decided that he is now the designated florist at the monument. This bunch of flower goes here, that one there. Beautifying the tragedy? No, I think maybe he's just organizing the grief. Strangely, my card didn't get lost in the pile, somehow finding its way to the top. I hadn't thought about the "Queen of Hearts" thing, but this card does have a gold foil heart on it. It's attached to lace, pressed on rice paper. I bought it in Texas, on my way to Paris. I signed. "Mark." Others signed it along the way. Moana, Kim, Steven. I signed it for people who wanted to come. Kelly, Rick, Todd, Mikel. I signed it for people who couldn't come. Brent, David, Mom, Scott. I

I remember the first time she shocked me. I saw her on TV. She was holding hands with an AIDS patient. No gloves. Unheard of. Classy. Noble.



signed it for people no longer with us. Gary, Don, Ritchie, Frank, Joe, Johnny, Dennis, Nick. The rain has almost stopped now, but the card is already wet. The ink is running. The names are blurred. Another tragedy in our long string of tragedies.

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AUSTINteaCIOUS — Another fun week has gone by here in the capital city. All the boys from Splash are still riveted in our memories. Everyone's still saying, "That was the best Splash ever!" Of course we all say that every year....

'Bout Time keeps all the boys jumping with weekly volleyball tournaments — they just can't seem to stop leaping, spiking and diving for the ball. The game is fun, too! This Saturday, Sept. 13, the United Court of Austin presents a benefit and investiture show at 8 p.m. Empress Alex Courtney tells us the proceeds will go the Pediatric AIDS League. You go, boys!...

As usual, Charlie's keeps the crowds hot. The Men of Portfolios were the special guests this past Wednesday — three dynamite studs who had everyone begging for more. Especially this handsome young lad [right]. Don't forget Steak Night on Tuesdays and Orca burgers on Sundays. Daddy Wayne and Orca serve up the best food in town. Monday, Sept. 15, is the final night of Charlie's Calendar Boy search, and emcee Heather Thomas and the judges will pick Mr. October, November and December. A cash prize of \$250 goes to all three winners. See you there....

Ladies, don't forget the weekly pool tournaments at Sister's Edge. New manager Joelle tells us that new things are in the mix. Stop by and she'll be glad to tell you all about them....



Rainbow Cattle Company and the city of Austin bid a fond farewell to our own Mike Love — the cowboy/bartender/hairdresser [left] is moving on to new challenges in the nation's capital. We will miss him. Austin's loss is DC's gain. Don't forget the dance lessons twice weekly, beginner and advanced classes, so the rest of y'all can learn to boot scoot....

Over at the Forum, even dancers Giorgio and Brant [right] can't stop cruising. The newly remodeled dance club has the men and the boys. If you like it, they have it waiting for you.

This week's Montserrat Volcano party had all the staff in sarongs and not much else. We know we erupted at the bar...hope you did, too. Don't forget the "Back to the Boathouse" parties on Wednesdays... '80s music and prices, always unforgettable....



The Edge is one place where you'll always find a festive atmosphere. Bartender Steve [left] is a prime example of the fun waiting for you there. We already knew that Robbie can't be beat for Saturday/Sunday happy hour, and now Ms. Paula has a new home. She's the weekday happy hour barmaid at the Edge. All your loyal customers have wondered where to find you, girl — now we know....

All you rockers out there, don't forget that the only gay-oriented live music venue in town is the Blue Flamingo. Seven nights a week these friendly folks rock the house with blues, funk, rock and punk. It's your place for live music downtown....

If you have anything you want to tell **THIS WEEK IN TEXAS** about, send it to me online at Austintea@mail.com.

TWT is proud to present a Lone Star State exclusive! This week's cover man — international model, bodybuilding champ and video star Mark Wolff — will be making special appearances at three of Texas' most popular nightclubs. Next Friday, Sept. 19, he'll be at Moby Dick and The Brick in Dallas, while on Sunday, Sept. 20, he'll be at Heaven in Houston. For a sneak preview of this extremely handsome hunk, turn to pages 30 and 31 of this week's issue.

DALLAS TEA — Dallas Eagle hosts a Travel Fund Show this Sunday, Sept. 14, for Mr. Gulf Coast Drummer Ken Claude. The club wishes Ken the best of luck in the



upcoming International Mr. Drummer contest in San Francisco. The following Sunday, Sept. 21, the Eagle will open at 6 p.m. for a celebration after the 14th annual Alan Ross Texas Freedom Parade. Don't miss their dart tournaments on Wednesdays at 9 p.m. along with reduced prices on longnecks and wells. Monday night football is shown starting at 8 p.m. Come cheer on the Cowboys this Monday, Sept. 15. The Dallas Softball Tournament is set for Oct. 11 and 12, Columbus Day weekend. Teams are expected from Houston, Chicago and Kansas City to challenge Dallas teams. For more info, contact Matt Miller at the bar....

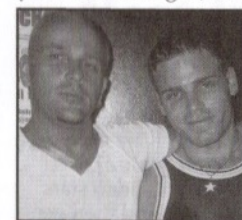


The parties at Crews Inn on Tuesdays continue to be the place where all men converge for their legendary party night. Club manager David Moore is just one reason the club is so successful. David [above, c] is shown with satisfied customers James Tomlinson [l] and Jerry Harris [r]. The Saturday afternoon Big Band T-Dance is in full "swing" from 4–8pm. Get your caboose loose and give Fred and Ginger a run for their money on the dance floor. Last Sunday, Stormy Knightz' birthday bash raised over \$2,700 for the Jan Barton AIDS Assistance Fund. Congratulations on your success....

Moby Dick bartender Brian Clark [right] is ready, willing and able to serve you your favorite cocktail. The happy hour at Moby is the happiest in town, with the lowest drink prices every day from noon till 11 p.m. Sundays are extra special, with lowest drink prices from open until close. This week's **TWT** cover man, Mark Wolff, will be making a special appearance at Moby at 11 p.m. next Friday, Sept. 19. That's your opportunity to get up close and personal with this international cover model for autographs and photos. This Wolff will definitely leave his mark on



Moby! Get in on the action as the Wolff pack attacks Big D, only at Moby Dick....



TMC customers Bill Owens and David Conn [left, l-r] were caught by our **CRUISE CAM-ERA** having some fun recently. Catch some more men at TMC's

Mansland Sundays. They've got reduced drink prices all day and all night. Stick around for the Bear Buns contest at 10 p.m. for a real man-sized treat....

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JR's is definitely the place to see and be seen. Customers Dwayne and Carter [above, l-r] were snapped during a recent visit to this incredible people-watchers' paradise. Monday Martini Madness kicks off your week in high gear. They offer 12 flavors and reduced prices on their well drinks and domestic longnecks all day and all night. Check it out....

Midtowne Spa celebrates their 21st anniversary next Friday, Sept. 21. You definitely want to be at the Spa for their

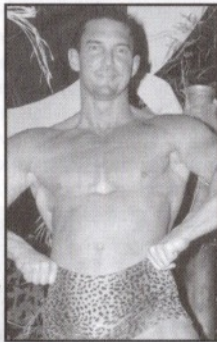
Quarterly Dance Contest this Sunday, Sept. 14 at 9 p.m. They'll offer a \$250 cash prize to the winner. Make up your mind to be at Midtowne this month for all the exciting events they've got planned....

The Caven Job Fair is set for tomorrow, Saturday, Sept. 13, from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. at the Village Station. The managers from all Caven Enterprises clubs will be on hand to interview applicants on site. Get up, get out and get down to the crossroads tomorrow. This may just be the opportunity to get the career you've always wanted....

Alternatives of New Fine Arts on Mockingbird Lane will have you seeing stars next weekend. They've got the hottest shooting stars coming to Dallas to participate in the 14th annual Alan Ross Texas Freedom Parade on Sunday, Sept. 21.

Catch a glimpse of three adult video stars on the float starting at 3 p.m. and then get over to the store and meet them in person from 6-10 p.m. Manager Mark Lock and folks always give you something new to enjoy year round. Make sure you get by and enjoy Jake Andrews, Tyson Cane and Steve Rambo next Sunday....

Village Station brings the best of entertainment to the mega-dance club. Stop in this weekend and you'll be amazed at all they have to offer, like sexy male dancer Maverick [right]. The music is hot and the men are hotter. Make your destination the Village Station....



Bamboleo's hosts the third annual Miss Fiesta USofA Pageant tonight, Friday, Sept. 12, at the club starting at 10:30 p.m. Alfredo has set the dates for the Miss Diez y Seis Pageant this Thursday, Sept. 18, and the Miss Bamboleo's at-Large Pageant for Friday, Sept. 26. You don't have to be Hispanic to enter this pageant. Check out their Thirsty Thursdays with no cover and incredibly priced drinks midnight. Make your plans to see their Las Vegas-style Sunday Shows with cast members Vanessa, Lucia, Candy and guests....

Union Jack will be giving away 100 pairs of Body Body underwear, valued at

over \$1,700, at the Crews Inn tomorrow night, Saturday, Sept. 13, starting at 10 p.m. See their ad on page 2 for more details and get your body over to the club. The store has lots of of back-to-school wear and their selections of accessories, shoes and underwear make Union Jack the place to shop for all your clothing needs....



Round Up bartender David Justin [left] is just one of the friendly faces you'll find at Dallas' favorite C&W dance hall. Check out the Dallas chapter of

TGRA's 1998 Dallas Dance Competition this Sunday, Sept. 14, at 10 p.m. Don't forget their free dance lessons every Tuesday and Sunday at 8:30 p.m. Volunteers are still needed to help escort the giant Texas Flag in the 14th annual Texas Freedom parade on Sunday, Sept. 21, at 3 p.m. Contact Gary Miller for more information....



The Brick welcomed adult video star Kyle Brandon [above, c], with corporate P.R. Director Laurie Pomaro [l] and club manager Jan Milstead [r] on hand, for this photo opportunity recently. This week's cover man Mark Wolff will be making a whirlwind tour of Texas next weekend. You can catch all 200 pounds of manly muscle and the fabulous face that makes Mark the international cover model everyone adores. He comes to tour Texas from Vancouver, British Columbia, and will be appearing at The Brick next Friday, Sept. 19. Make your plans to see this gorgeous guy in an exclusive midnight show only at The Brick....

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The Dallas Tavern Guild presents the 14th annual Alan Ross Texas Freedom Parade, which rolls down Cedar Springs Road to Lee Park at 3 p.m. next Sunday, Sept. 21. The theme for this year's parade is United in Life. The Celebration in Lee Park will be held immediately following the parade. The guest speakers and trophy presentations, from the steps of Arlington Hall, highlight this event. The mandatory pre-parade meeting is tomorrow, Saturday, Sept. 13, at 2 p.m. in the Rose Room of the Village Station, 3911 Cedar Springs. For more information, call Alan Gellman, Executive Director of the Dallas Tavern Guild, at (214)521-0638....

Contestants from all across the state will converge on Dallas next week for the Silver Jubilee of Texas' longest-running pageant for female impersonators. Preliminary nights of competition for the 25th annual Miss Gay Texas Pageant will be held at Kolors, 2525 Wycliff, on

Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 24 and 25. Cover charge is \$7 and valet parking is available. Pre-judging will begin at 8 p.m. and the pageant begins at 9:30 p.m. both nights. The final night will be held in the prestigious Dallas Arts Theatre, 2401 Flora at Fairmont in Dallas. Pageant promoter and Miss Gay America Emeritus Norma Kristie will present the pageant along with an all-star celebrity lineup including special guests Miss Gay America Lauren Taylor, Miss Gay Texas Laken Edwards and former Miss Gay Texas titleholders Celeste Martinez, Lady Shawn, Nakoma Shaye, Riki Rousseaux and Sweet Savage. Final-night tickets are available for \$10 at the theatre. There'll be a cash bar that evening, and you'll want to get there very early because the doors open at 6 p.m. and the pageant will begin promptly at 8. For more information, contact Norma Kristie, Inc. at (501)666-6900.



HOUSTON TEA — Video Classifieds at Heaven are the perfect way to let someone know how you really feel. And someone you should definitely express your feelings for is international cover model Mark Wolff. Club staffers Gary, Roger, Michael and Shawn [above, l-r] are ready to welcome this super sexy muscleman next Sunday, Sept. 21, for an up-close and personal autograph party and show. Along with all that, there are incredible well, longneck and "you call it, we pour it" drink specials all night long. All this and more is waiting for you at Heaven....

Have you gotten your tickets for tomorrow night's 29th annual Miss Camp America Pageant at the University of Houston Cullen Performance Hall? If not, call Ticketmaster at (713)629-3700 right away to get a seat at this year's "Under the Big Top" event. Comedian Danny Williams will be returning as the show's outrageous master of ceremonies. Don't miss it....

Sensational male strip contests have always been popular at JR's, so the friendly folks at the club continue to bring you

more of what you want to see. Their weekly bare-as-you-dare competitions include the 800 Pacific Beach Party on Sunday, the Pump! professional dancer pose-off on Monday, the 2(x)ist undergear event on Tuesday and the Joe Boxer Shorts



contest on Wednesday. Recently, we found hostess Kourtney Van Wales [above, c] getting cozy with Brook [l] and Chris [r], two of JR's most popular entertainers....



Last Sunday, Inergy hosted the Miss Gay Space City USofA At-Large Pageant. At the end of the contest, the winner's circle included [above, l-r] first runner-up Donet McKim, winner Chevelle Brooks, last year's winner Vanessa Casti, second runner-up Clarissa Contreras and special guest Miss Texas Continental Plus Kelexis Davenport. This Sunday, Sept. 14, the club presents the Miss Inergy Fiestas Patrias Pageant with special guests Lola Flame, Bianca, Ricci Andrews and emcee Lady Shamu....

Following up last weekend's larger-than-life "Two Tons of Fun" show at Gentry, the Imperial Court presents "Broadway Bound" this Sunday at 9 p.m. Everyone's invited to stop in and check out this showstopping extravaganza. Because everyone loves a beautiful body, Gentry continues to serve up Boy Toy dancers seven nights a week and sizzling male strip contests every Wednesday and Sunday....

Tonight, Rich's and Craig Henderson present the 1998 Miss Gay Texas USofA At-Large Pageant with special guests Miss Gay USofA At-Large Stacey Holliday and former titleholders Jill Jordan, Cookie LaCook, Kelexis Davenport and Whitney Paige. This Sunday, they want you to "Get Down to the Sounds of Motown" with a

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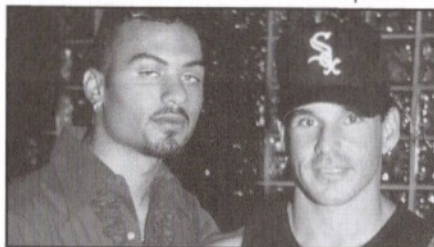
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If you're looking for a good time, look no further than Pacific Street, where there's a party going on every night of the week. Staffer Wesley and Don [above, l-r] gave us the rundown on the club's weekly lineup — Monday Afterglow, Tuesday Executive Night, Ecstasy Wednesday, Sexx Thursday, Friday Foreplay, Saturday Leather & Flesh Fantasy Night and Sunday Male Overload. They also have cheap drinks and shameless male dancers....

Next Friday, the gang at the Midtowne Spa is celebrating the facility's twenty-first anniversary with a 10 p.m. show starring Debbie Delicious, Ova Ewe, J.T. Stone, Rafael Martinez and Rainbo D'Klown. There'll also be lots of food and fun along with a drawing for a trip to New Orleans. On Friday, Sept. 26, the Midtowne presents

"Round-Up!," a benefit for the Texas Gay Rodeo Association....

Next Saturday, Sept. 20, at the Westin Oaks Hotel at The Galleria, AVES presents the second annual Viva AVES Gala dinner and dance, beginning at 7 p.m. The highlight of the evening will be the presentation of the AVES Pyramid Award honoring leaders in the fight against AIDS. This year's honorees are Dr. Adan Rios of the ONCOL Medical Group, Channel 48's Marcello Marini and community activist Martha Mendiola. For more information or tickets, call (713)626-2837.



SAN ANTONIO TEA — Our **CRUISE CAMERA** captured studly trio Sebastian, Ray and John [above, l-r] hanging out at the Annex. They love sampling the club's delicious buffet every Sunday at 6 p.m. Bring a friend and a healthy appetite and join them this weekend. Every Saturday at the Annex is levi, leather and longnecks night with a contest for the best looking man in leather and great drink specials all night long....



John, Eva and Brian [above, l-r] will be on hand tomorrow night when the Bonham Exchange presents its annual Jungle Party. The stunning historical structure will transform itself from landmark to lush jungle paradise. Doors open at 8 p.m. and party-goers are encouraged to dress in their favorite jungle attire. Drink specials and native go-go boys ensure that you'll live it up all night long at one of the River City's most anticipated parties....

The final figures are in for the Eagle Mountain Saloon's Labor Day "Block Party"

and over \$900 was raised for Providence House and the Blue Light Candle Project. EMS extends its heartfelt thanks to everyone who helped make this year's event such a fabulous success. This weekend, the Eagle Mountain Saloon and its sister club, the Annex, will both be having blowout parties with fantastic margarita specials in celebration of Diez y Sies....

Destiny Harper, San Antonio candidate for Miss TGRA '98, will present a benefit pageant on Oct. 23. The "Prince and Princess of Pegasus" pageant is open to any entertainer, and all proceeds will benefit the Bullfrog Benevolence Fund. Applications and information are available at Pegasus....

San Antonio's Gay Fiesta will be held Sunday, Oct. 19, at La Villita on the historic River Walk. Vendor booths are available for folks interested in selling food or merchandise. Gay Fiesta is sponsored by Blue Light Candle Project and proceeds benefit local AIDS services. For vendor information, call (210)735-8484....



Saint doorman John [above] will be just one of the club's staffers working in their undies tonight for the Saint's first ever underwear party. Hot male dancers, low, low drink prices and show hostess Shady Lady will highlight the event, and coat check will be available for party-goers. This Sunday, the Super Sunday Show welcomes Tommie Ross and Kourtney Devereaux.

PAGEANT TEA — The Dallas Grand Hotel and the state of Texas were once again graced with another spectacular national pageant. Over Labor Day weekend, the recently-revived Miss Gay Universe Pageant showed off what it has to offer. At the end of a fantastic competition, we focused in on Miss Gay Universe At

Large Donna Day, Miss Congeniality Nikki Collins of Houston, second runner-up Jame

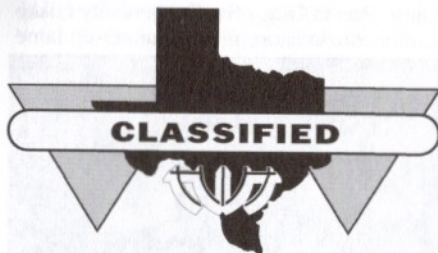


Perry of Austin, winner and newly-transplanted Dallas resident Tamisha Iman, first runner-up Lindsey Adams of Dallas, Mr. Gay Universe Allan Gibson and contest promoter Kitty Divino [above, l-r]. Congratulations on a great event! Coming soon, Universe Pageantry will present both the Mr. Gay Universe contest, Sept. 27-29, and the Miss Gay Universe At Large pageant, Oct. 25-27, at Club Quest in Orlando, Florida. For more information, call (409)258-3873.

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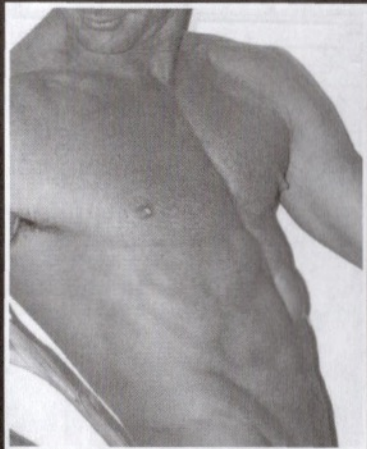
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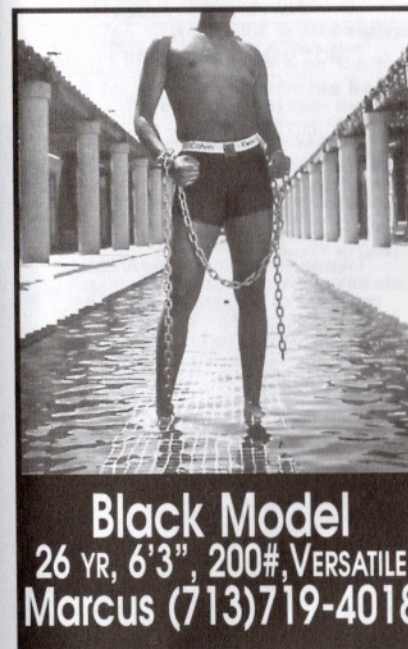
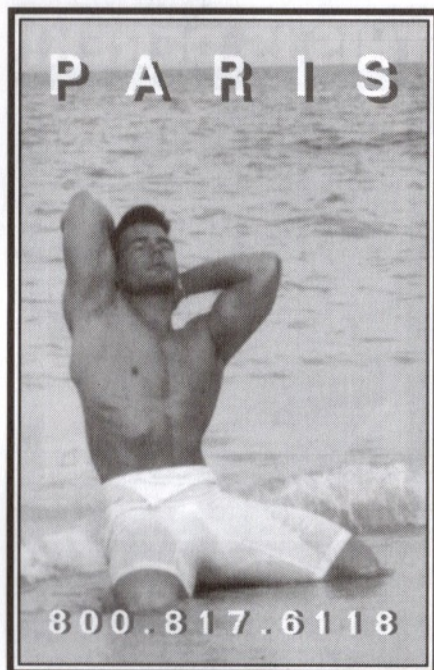
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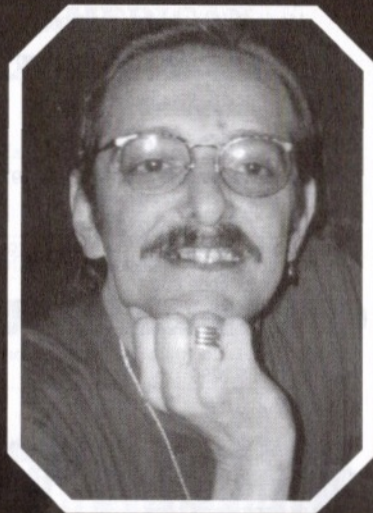


Scott was well known for his work in east Texas AIDS services, and very well known in Oak Lawn during the '70s-'80s. He was a country boy, a manly man as he put it, and

an expert artist.

He is survived by his husband of eight years, Bruce Wayne Lacy. Other survivors: parents, Hassie and Roy; three brothers, Bobby, Dewayne and Roy; one sister, Annette; and several nieces and nephews; and a whole bunch of critters. Memorial donations appreciated in his honor to Special Health Project/Longview.

Artwork will be donated to Special Health. Proceeds from sale will be used in direct HIV/AIDS services.



Edward "Eddie" Cecil Barnett
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A celebration of life was held on Thursday, Aug. 21, 1997 for Eddie Barnett. Eddie passed away surrounded by his brothers and sisters on Aug. 18 in Dallas.

Born in Kentucky, Eddie was raised in Oklahoma and Kansas. After obtaining a degree in music, Eddie moved to Dallas in 1982 and launched a successful hairdressing career. One of the fondest memories of his family is that he was an accomplished vocalist.

Eddie came from a large family which includes his parents, seven brothers and sisters, and numerous nieces and nephews. Her cherished his family and their close, supportive relationship throughout the years.

Eddie was active in the Oak Lawn Bowling Association and was a major contributor to many of Dallas' AIDS organizations. He had a tremendous love of travel and was an avid "Run 21" player. Eddie was never without his camera or a spare picture frame.

Eddie's death leaves us heavy-hearted. His unconditional love for his friends is undying. He touched our lives with his warmth, compassion, humor and free-spirited nature. Each of us has special but different memories of our friend. It has been a distinct privilege and honor for all of us to have shared these many years with him.

Eddie's only personal wish for himself was "to do it his way...." Through tears of laughter and pain, our hope is that his wish came true.

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 521-5342, ext. 832
 Disciples of Christ gay/lesbian group (GLAD) P.O. 190181/75219
 946-2184
 First Unitarian Church of Dallas 4015 Normandy
 528-3990
 Friends Full Gospel 5427 Phillip Ave.
 Gay People in Christian Science P.O. 2878
 Grace Fellowship 411 S. Westmoreland 523-9797
 Holy Trinity Community Church 4402 Roseland
 827-5088
 Honesty (Baptists) P.O. 190869/75219
 521-5342, ext. 233
 MCC in Oak Cliff 3839 W. Kieth Blvd.
 Orthodox Skeet of St. Herman of Alaska P.O. 791770
 St. Mary, the Holy Theotokos Orthodox Catholic Church 75379
 521-5342, ext. 465
 St. Thomas the Apostle Episcopal Church 6525 Inwood Rd.
 352-0410
 Seventh-Day Adventist Kinship P.O. 38454
 416-1358
 Universal Creator's Community Church 690-0883
 White Rock Community Church 722 Tension Memorial Rd.
 White Rock Friends HIV Support 320-0043
DALLAS CLUBS (AC: 214/972)
 Bamboo's 5027 Lemmon Ave. 520-1124
 Brick 4117 Maple Ave. 521-2024
 Buddies II 4025 Maple Ave. 526-0887
 Crews Inn 3215 N. Fitzhugh 528-9510
 Dallas Eagle 2515 Inwood Rd. #107 357-4375
 Hidden Door 5025 Bowser 526-0620
 JFF's 3923 Cedar Springs 559-0650
 Jugs 3810 Congress 521-3474
 Kolors 2525 Wycliff 742-2525
 The Metro 2204 Elm 720-2121
 Moty Dick 4011 Cedar Springs 520-MOBY
 Round-Up Saloon 3912 Cedar Springs 522-9811
 Sue Ellen's 3903 Cedar Springs 559-0650
 TMC 3014 Throckmorton 559-0650
 Treble 412 S. Haskell 826-9898
 Village Station 3811 Cedar Springs 559-0650
 Zippers 3333 N. Fitzhugh 526-9519
DALLAS COUNSELING (AC: 214/972)
 Bedrick, Danna M. Ph.D., LPC 223 S. Montclair Ave.
 75208 846-5557
 Oak Lawn Community Services 4300 MacArthur

DALLAS DOCTORS (AC: 214/972)
 Bellos, Nicholas C., M.D. 8226 Douglas Ave., Suite 311
 (24 hours) 890-7943
 Diamond, Susan M., M.D. 890-7943
 Nelson-Tebedo Community Clinic 4012 Cedar Springs
 P.O. 190869/75219-0869 528-2336
 Swanson, Jan, D.O. 1244 S. Ridge Ct. #103, Hurst
 (817)268-4100
DALLAS FITNESS CENTERS (AC: 214/972)
 The Club 2616 Swiss 821-1990
 Midtown Spa 2509 Pacific 821-8989
DALLAS ORGANIZATIONS/HELPLINES
 (AC: 214/972)
 ACT-UP/Dallas 521-5342, ext. 224
 Addicare Alcohol & Drug Crisis Line 824-6503
 African-American HIV/AIDS Support Group 941-7696
 African-American Lesbian, Gay and Bisexual Coalition 521-5342, ext. 828
 AIDS ARMS 4300 MacArthur #160, LBS 521-5191
 AIDS Clinic/Parkland Hospital 520-5372
 AIDS Funding Association 520-5632
 AIDS Hotline 559-2437/1-800-924-AIDS
 AIDS Info Line (24 hrs.) 1-800-299-2437
 AIDS Interfaith Network (Oak Cliff) 941-7696
 AIDS Mastery 521-5342, ext. 325
 AIDS Prevention Project (free and anon.) 905-2190
 AIDS Programs/OLCS 2017 Cedar Springs 520-8108
 AIDS Resource Center/FHU 2701 Reagan St.
 P.O. 190869/75219-0869 521-5124
 AIDS Services of Dallas/PWADC P.O. 4338
 941-0523
 AIDS Update (ARC newsletter) 521-5342, ext. 220
 Alcoholics Anonymous/Lambda Group 2727 Oak Lawn
 522-6259
 Alliance for Progress 3102 Oak Lawn, Suite 700
 520-2205/1-800-520-4AFP
 Alliance of Design Professionals P.O. 565112
 526-2085
 ARC Client Services 521-5444
 ARC fax line 522-4064
 Asians & Friends P.O. 9142/75209 480-5906
 Asian Gay Males: Dragon Files P.O. 190869/75219
 521-5342, ext. 852
 Assoc. for Gay, Lesbian & Bisexual Educators 824-5924
 Big D Longhorns Square Dance Club P.O. 190869/75219
 521-5342, ext. 272
 Bryan's House 559-3946
 Buddy Project 520-7433
 Call/Out teen info line 520-7433
 Cheer Dallas 1317 McAdams/75224 922-9229
 Classic Chassis Car Club P.O. 7703/75209
 HIV testing/sex fax line 521-3859
 Codependents Anonymous/Lambda 520-8106
 Couples/Metro Dallas P.O. 803156/75380
 521-5342, ext. 464
 Crossdressers (TVs) Helpline 264-7103
 DFW Big Man's Club 264-2449
 DFW M.A.N. (Metro Area Nudists) P.O. 612813/75261
 933-4334
 DFW Young Naturalists Club P.O. 802815/75380
 Daire center (adult day care for PWAs) 522-4365
 Dal. Co. Deaf AIDS Task Force P.O. 833546
 Richardson/75083
 516-5442/516-5443(TDD)
 Dallas Bears P.O. 191223/75219-8223
 521-5342, ext. 880
 Dallas Gay & Lesbian Alliance P.O. 190712
 528-4233
 DIVA (volleyball) P.O. 190869/75219-0869
 520-8108
 D.I.C.D.T. (Dal. Invit. Columbus Day Tr. Bowling Org.) 520-8108
 240-8351
 Dallas Legal Hospice 370 W. 7th 941-2600
 Dallas NAMES Project 823-3899
 Dallas Silver Sabres 3230 Adairman Dr./75211
 467-3474
 Dallas Tavern Guild 3300 Reagan St./75219
 528-4610
 Deaf Action Center 521-0407
 DIFFA 748-8580
 Different Strokes Golf Assoc. 4130 Proton Dr. #13-D
 Addison/75204
 Eastfield Lambda Student Alliance 324-7185
 Federal Club P.O. 191153/75219 699-5889
 Federal GLOBE of Texas, Inc. P.O. 50961/75250

654-2800
 Fire dancers (leather/levi club) P.O. 190869/75219-0869
 Food Parity 521-3390
 Foundation for Human Understanding 528-0144
 Friends Associating & Relating 326-6749
 Gay and Lesbian Community Center 2701 Reagan St.
 528-9254
 Gay & Lesbian Parents Coalition International DFW 528-5813
 P.O. 670069/75367 521-5342, ext. 808
 Gay & Lesbian Switchboard 528-0022
 Gay/Lesbian Info. Line (OLCS) P.O. 191069
 520-8781
 Gay/Lesbian Young Adults 2701 Reagan St.
 521-5342, ext. 260
 Gay Married Men's Support Group 556-1696
 Gaymers Bridge Club P.O. 190856/75219-0856
 GLAAD/Dallas P.O. 190869/75219-0869
 521-5342, ext. 260
 HIV Anon. Testing & Counseling 920-7916
 HIV Testing (AIDS Resource Center) 528-2336
 HIV Testing & Counseling 819-1980
 Hands to Hearts (social/singles) 699-5763
 Housing Opportunities for PWAs (HOPWA) 819-1828
 Immunosee (aerobics) 522-0650
 Imperial Sovereign Royal Court of Dallas P.O. 190464/75219
 521-8446
 Kyo Prox. Inc. (KYRO News) P.O. 214223
 526-KYRO (5976)
 Lambda Amateur Radio Club P.O. 35343/75235
 522-1458
 Lambda Bowling (men and women) (Metro) 817/267-9055
 Lambda Car Club P.O. 710271/75371
 521-7309
 Lambda Codependents Anonymous 520-8108
 Lambda Meeting/Sex & Love Addicts Anon. 241-5442
 Lambda Overeaters Anonymous 488-3301
 Lambda Weekly (radio program) P.O. 35031/75235
 823-8930
 Lambda AA 2727 Oak Lawn 522-6259
 Leadership Lambda Inc. P.O. 190228/75219
 712-6430
 A League of Our Own (bowling)(Steve) 372-5337
 Leather Knights P.O. 190111/75219 521-5342, ext. 871
 Lesbian Book Club 311-5513
 Lesbian/Gay Political Coalition of Dallas P.O. 227273/75222
 504-6724
 Lesbian Moms and Gay Dads 526-5088
 Lesbian Resource Center 821-3999
 Lesbian Visionaries P.O. 190712 521-5342, ext. 844
 Life Walk 443-WALK
 Men of All Colors Together P.O. 190611/75219
 521-4765
 Log Cabin/Metropole Republicans P.O. 191033
 520-6655
 NAMES Project P.O. 190869/75219 520-SEWS
 Narcotics Anonymous (24 hrs.) 699-9306
 Nelson-Tebedo Community Clinic 4012 Cedar Springs
 528-2336
 Nat. Leather Assoc. P.O. 7597/75209
 521-5342, ext. 820
 North Texas Assoc. of Physicians for Human Rights 233-3100
 12222 Col. Rd.
 Northern Lights Alternatives 871-1611
 Oak Lawn Band Sammons Center for the Arts
 3630 Harry Hines Blvd. 972-497-1458
 Oak Lawn Bowling Association (972)295-8842
 Oak Lawn Community Services P.O. 191069/75219
 520-8108
 Oak Lawn Soccer Club 834 S. Montclair Ave./75208
 942-9537
 Oak Lawn Tennis Assoc. P.O. 224605/75222-4605
 (972)390-0787
 OASIS Recovery Program/OLCS 4300 MacArthur
 520-8108
 O.U.T. (Over & Under Thirty) c/o Gay & Les. Comm. Ctr.
 P.O. 190869/75219-0869
 Parents, Families & Friends of Les. & Gays 348-1704
 Parents Support Group (PWA) 262-8479/248-2721
 Pegasus Softball Assoc. P.O. 191075
 528-4610
 Pentamidine Mist Treatments 528-2336/521-5124
 People Like Us [PLUS] 521-5444
 Phil Johnson AIDS Research Library 521-5124
 Phil Johnson Gay & Lesbian Library 528-9254
 PWA Coalition of Dallas P.O. 4338 941-0523
 Positive Harassment Reporting 528-4233
 Positive/Personals 521-5342, ext. 250
 Presbyterians for Lesbian/Gay Concerns 823-2317

Prime Timers P.O. 191101/75219 (972)304-8866
 Queer Nation/Dallas P.O. 84091/75206
 540-8720
 Rainbow Flyers Pilots Assoc. P.O. 190907/75219
 521-5342, ext. 840
 Rainbow Garden Club P.O. 226811/75222-6811
 528-0323
 Rainbowglers (Tues. at 8:30) 528-5813
 Rainbow Skydiving Club 357-9890
 Respect All Youth (gay youth) 521-5342, ext. 288
 Rice Gay & Lesbian Alumni Assoc./DFW Chapter 834 S. Montclair Ave./75208-8566
 (Michael) 542-9537
 Sin Fronteras (radio program) P.O. 190922/75219
 526-8869
 Stonewall (Narc. Anon.) 5415 Maple, Suite 120/75235
 Stonewall HIV Club P.O. 227031/75222
 Stonewall Professional and Business Association P.O. 191343/75219
 526-6216
 Suicide & Crisis Center 828-1000
 Texas Gay Rodeo Association P.O. 191168/75219-8168
 526-1115
 Texas Human Rights Found. P.O. 1626/Dallas 78767-1626
 (800)828-647/(512)479-THRF
 Team Dallas P.O. 190869/75219-0869
 521-5342, ext. 830
 Team Dallas Aquatics (972)579-6340
 Texas Fathers for Equal Rights P.O. 50052
 One Main Pl. Stat. 741-8000
 The Texas Motorcycle Club P.O. 9188/75209
 528-5692
 T.R.U.S.T. (adolescent children of gays and lesbians) 528-9191
 Turtle Creek Chorale 526-3214
 Umoja Hermanas (lesbians of color) 943-8750/946-7106
 United Center of the Lone Star Empire 712-1810
 Women's Health Project 4012 Cedar Springs
 521-5131
 Women's Spirituality Group 5008 Homer St.
 826-9213
DENISON CLUB (AC: 903)
 Good Time Lounge 2520 Hwy 91 N. 463-9944
DENTON ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 817)
 Bedo's 1215 E. University 566-9910
 AIDS Services of Denton 381-1501
 Courage/UNT Student Group 565-6110
 Harvest Metropolitan Community Church 135 at Exit 460
 321-2332
 Parents, Families & Friends of Les. & Gays 387-1491
EL PASO CLUBS (AC: 915)
 Old Plantation 301 S. Ochoa 633-6055
 San Antonio Mining Company 800 E. San Antonio
 533-9516
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 AIDS Info. Eng.-543-3574 Span.-543-3575
 GLBT Community 910 N. Mesa (rear)
 533-6024
 HIV & STD testing 222 S. Campbell 543-3560
 Lambda Line (helpline/switchboard/24 hrs.) 562-6495
 Lambda Services P.O. 31321/79931-0321
 Metro El Paso 9828 Montana 491-4155
 National Gay & Les. Victim Assist. Hotline (hate crimes) 800-259-1536
 1505 Mesalero
 Southwest AIDS Comm. 1505 Mesalero
 772-3366
ERATH COUNTY ORGANIZATION (AC: 817)
 AIDS Resources of Rural Texas P.O. 1720/Weatherford 76086 596-3022
FORT WORTH CHURCHES & RELIG. ORGAN.
 (AC: 817)
 Agape MCC 4615 S.E. Loop 820 535-5002
 Celebration Community Church 1959 Sandy Ln.
 695-1792
 Fellowship of Love 711 Gambrell St. 821-5683
 Honesty (Baptists) 924-4159
 Lutherans Concerned/Fort Worth/Arlington 2800 W. Boyce 342-3966
 Special Invitation Ministries 1520 Hemphill
FORT WORTH CLUBS (AC: 817)
 Corral Club 621 Hemphill 335-0196
 D.J.'s 1308 St. Louis 827-7321
 Magnolia Station 600 W. Magnolia 332-0415
 The 651 Club 651 S. Jennings 332-0745
FORT WORTH DOCTORS (AC: 817)
 Swanson, Jan, D.O. 1244 S. Ridge Ct. #103, Hurst
 268-1010
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 AIDS Awareness Clinic 2825 E. Rosedale

534-CARE
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 (AC: 817)
 Agape MCC 4615

(800) 779-5224	Mary's	1022 Westheimer	527-9669	Gay, Lesbian & Bisexual Alliance at U of H	529-5180
The Montrose Inn	408 Avondale	Montrose Mining Co.	805 Pacific	P.O. 31477204-3650	734-5180
(800) 357-1228	Pacific Street	710 Pacific	523-0213	Good Sports (sports enthusiasts)	529-6045
HOUSTON ADULT BOOKSTORES (AC: 713/281)				Greater Houston Gay & Lesbian Chamber of Commerce	523-7576
Adult Video Megalease	8100 N. Fwy	534 Westheimer	529-8813	1109 Hyde Park/77006	523-7576
After Dark News	1431 W. 18th	Rascals	1318 Westheimer	Greater Houston Pocket Billiards League (P.J.)	863-8482
Big City News & Video	10105 Gulf Fwy	Rich's	2401 San Jacinto	Gay Party	P.O. 130377/77266
Gas Light News	3519 Bellaire	Ricord	715 Fairview	Gulf Coast Transgender Community	P.O. 66647/77266
I-45 North	9924 North Fwy	Santa Fe Bar & Patio	804 Pacific		780-4282
HOUSTON ADULT THEATER (AC: 713/281)		611 Club	611 Hyde Park	Hate Crimes Hotline	P.O. 66469/77266-6469
French Quarter	3201 Louisiana	Voo Duo (Tuesdays)	2151 Richmond		529-9615
HOUSTON ATTORNEYS (AC: 713/281)		HOUSTON COUNSELING (AC: 713/281)		Health Dept. AIDS Hotline	794-9020
Archer, Donna K.	524-1273	Carroll, Tony, LMSW-ACP	522-3045	Heartsgon (women's chorus)	P.O. 980243/77098-0243
Green, Bill (24 hrs.)	266-1004	Edg, Nicholas, Dr., Psy.D.	493-9984	Herpes H.E.L.P. Hotline	917-4901
Lozano, Deborah C.	682-2999	Montrose Counseling Center	701 Richmond	HIV Counseling	701 Richmond
Milledge, Samuel L.	465-3385		529-0037	Houston Area Bears	P.O. 66443/77226
Ritchie & Glass (24 hrs.)	521-9216	HOUSTON DOCTORS/DENTISTS (AC: 713/281)		Houston Area Trans Coalition of Homosexuals	867-9172
Simon & Knesek	524-6000	Fletcher, Richard/chiropractor	862-3897	Houston Black Tie Dinner	523-9611
Walker, Jim	552-1117	OnCal Medical Group	961-7100	Houston Gay & Lesbian Parents	284-4399
HOUSTON BUSINESSES/SERVICES (AC: 713/281)		Smith, Bruce W., D.D.S.	529-4364	Houston Gay & Lesbian Political Caucus	P.O. 66666/77266
Advances/Damron Vacations		HOUSTON FITNESS CENTERS (AC: 713/281)			521-1000
One Greenway Plaza, Suite 890	888-1023	The Club	2205 Fannin	Houston Gay/Lesbian Pride Week '97	
Basic Brothers	1232 Westheimer	Midtown Spa	3100 Fannin	P.O. 66071/77266-6071	529-6979
Bogart's on the Blvd. (salon)	1536 Heights	HOUSTON HEALTH CLUB (AC: 713/281)		Houston Lesbian and Gay Community Center	
Crossroads Market	1111 Westheimer	Fitness Exchange	4040 Miam #100	P.O. 230477252	867-7904
Exposure Prints by Tio	619-1968	HOUSTON ORGANIZATIONS/HELPLINES (AC: 713/281)		Houston Metropolitan Billiards League	299-8969
Gingiss Formal Wear, Galleria Mall III	626-3318	African-American Lesbian/Gay Alliance	P.O. 130818/77219	Houston Outdoor Group	KAMP-OUT
Kirk Roach Ford	2727 S.W. Fwy.	AIDS Alliance of the Bay Area	1751 El Camino Real #107	Houston Pride Band	309 Stratford #4
Leather by Boots	807 Fairview	AIDS Foundation Houston	3202 Wesleyan	Houston Tennis Club	692-2703
Lobo Bookshop	3939 Montrose, Suite S	AIDS/HIV Info. Line (referrals)	902-2231	Houston Wednesday Night Mixers Bowling	522-9612
Meeting and Planning	266-2062	AIDS Hotline (9a-9p)	524-4015	Houston Women's Softball League	P.O. 70666/77266
Muscles In Action (C.J. Harrington)	965-9917	AIDS Interfaith Council of Houston	682-5995		721-6854
Rice Pharmacy	527-8339	AIDS Legal Hotline	528-7702	Houston Wrestling Club	1109 Hyde Park #116/77006
Star Script Pharmacy	4101 Greenbriar #235	AIDS Mastery	524-4015		
1-800-829-3044	521-1700/521-5855	American Civil Liberties Union	942-8146	Imperial Court of the Single Star	P.O. 980044/77098-0444
3407 Montrose	522-7373	Asians & Friends	P.O. 740346/77274		567-5428
Tuxedo Gallery	1214 W. 43	The Assistance Fund	1116 Jackson Blvd.	Independent Billiard League	P.O. 66696/77266-6696
S. Cherry Park	345-8959		529-4788	Inner Loop Sunday Bowling	522-9621
Universe Pageantry System	(713) 339-1013	Astro Rainbow Alliance of the Deaf, Inc.	P.O. 661367/7266-6136	Integrity (Episcopalians and Friends)	528-6771
USA Pageantry	523-5293	AVES, Inc.	4126 S.W. Fwy, Suite 1717	Jewish Family Services	4131 S. Braeswood
HOUSTON CHURCHES & RELIG. ORGAN. (AC: 713/281)		AWARE (SW Bell gay employees group)	235-7299		667-9336
Bering Memorial United Methodist Church	1440 Harold	Bay City Boys Club	P.O. 131284/77219	Just for Us (teens with gay/lesb. parents)	284-4931
Community Gospel	4305 Lillian	Bering Care Center	1440 Harold	Krewe of Olympus/Texas	P.O. 920794/77292
Community of the Reconciling Servant	(Presbyterian/Reformed)	Bering Community Service Foundation	P.O. 540517/77254	KPFT Radio	419 Lovett
Covenant Baptist Church	6610 Alder St.	Bering Dental Clinic	1440 Harold	Lambda Center AA	1201 W. Clay
Dawn of Faith Christian Church	8405 K Alameda-Genoa	BNET Houston	467-4380		(office) 521-1243
Dignity/Houston	1307 Yale, Suite H	Body Positive/Hou.	1475 W. Gray #176	Lambda Roller skating Club	714 Puerto Vallarta/77083
First Unitarian Church	5200 Fannin	Brotherhood of Pain	P.O. 665247/7266-6524	Larry Garrett Group, Inc.	(10a-P)
Grace Lutheran Church	2515 Waugh	Bunnies on the Bayou, Inc.	P.O. 666832/77266		11525 Burdine Lake #21/77035
Hou. Mission Church	1505 Nevada	Black & White Men Together/Men of All Colors Together	744 E. 9th St./77009	Lesb./Gay Students/UH Clear Lake	2700 Bay Area/77058
Integrity (Episcopalians and friends)	P.O. 66008/77266-6008	Center for AIDS	1407 Hawthorne	Lesbians in Business	529-0077
Jewish Family Services	4131 S. Braeswood	Chain Gang Bicycling Club	768-8793	Lesbians Over Age 50	P.O. 980601
Kingdom Community Church	4404 Blossom	Classic Chassis Car Club	P.O. 920888/77292	Log Cabin Houston	P.O. 1311047/77219-1104
Kolbe House	1509 Fairview	Colt 45's, Inc./AIDS Trouble Fund	P.O. 666047/7266		529-9100
Lutherans Concerned/Houston	P.O. 66668/77266-6669	Crisis Hotline	228-1505	Lone Star Nudist Group	P.O. 66621/77266
MCCO	1919 Decatur	Dana Foundation	P.O. 665237/7266		866-8847
Marianatha Fellowship MCC	3400 Montrose, 8600	DIFFA/Houston	5120 Woodway, Suite 279	Lone Star Volleyball Association	878-4529
Mishpachah Alizim (gay and lesbian Jews)	P.O. 667032/77266-7032	Discrimination-Free Zone Project	P.O. 666647/7266	MCC Library (Gay & Lesbian Archives)	861-9149
Pentecostal Family of Montrose	P.O. 980136/77266-0136	Dizinger Foundation	3701 Montrose/77006	Miss Camp America Foundation	P.O. 742/Bellaire 77402
Presbytery of New Covenant	41 Oakdale	Drug Abuse Hotline	1-800-662-HELP		940-STAR
Seventh-Day Adventist Kinship	P.O. 301047/77230	Executive and Professional Association of Houston	P.O. 130227/77219-0227	Monday Night Women's Bowling	437-6218/862-3630
St. Stephen's Episcopal Church	1805 W. Alabama	Fundación Latino Americana Contra el SIDA, A.C.	P.O. 773305/77215-3305	Montrose Clinic	215 Westheimer
Unitarian Men's Group	526-5200	G.A.N.G. (Gay Alumni Noon Group, over 40s)	622-6918	Montrose Counseling Center	701 Richmond
HOUSTON CLUBS (AC: 713/281)		Garden Party	P.O. P.O. 666937/7266-6693		529-0037
Brazos River Bottom	2400 Brazos	Gay Fathers/Fathers First of Houston (John)	P.O. 981053	Montrose Ice Picks	P.O. 66450/77266
Briar Patch	2294 W. Holcombe at Greenbriar	Gay & Lesbian Health Professionals	523-4700	Montrose Monday Night Men's Bowling	641-5424
Bricks II	617 Fannin	Gay & Lesbian Switchboard	P.O. 664687/7266-6469	Montrose Softball League	P.O. 541954/77254-1954
Gentry	2303 Richmond	Gay, Lesbian and Straight Teachers Network	529-4571		867-3913
Heaven	Pacific at Grant	GayLesbians of Rice	527-8101	NAMES Project	4617 Montrose #C-140
Inergy	5750 Chimney Rock	Gay Men's Chorus	P.O. 541004/77254-1004	Narcotics Anonymous (24-hr. helpline)	661-4200
JR's	808 Pacific	Gay Men's Network	529-3211	Nat. Leather Assoc.	P.O. 665537/7266-6553
The Mailbox	4215 Washington			Nearfoot Association	1413 Westheimer/77006

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(HIV counseling) 2405-C Ave. I 296-6396	NACOGDOCHES CHURCHES (AC: 409) Health Horizons of East Texas P.O. 631346 569-8240 testing/569-2021 ODESSA CLUBS (AC: 915) Fictions 409 N. Hancock 580-5449 Miss Lillie's 8401 Andrews Hwy. 366-6799 PORT ARANSAS ACCOMMODATIONS (AC: 512) Sea Horse Inn 1423 11th St. 749-5221 RIO GRANDE VALLEY ORGANIZATION UT/Pan Amer. Gay and Les. Student Organ. (956) 381-2260 SA ANGELO ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 915) Lambda AA 1121 S. Bryant 499-0662 San Angelo AIDS Foundation P.O. 62474/76906 556-3634 SA ANTONIO BUSINESSES (AC: 210) Alta Gifts 7701 Broadway 930-2582 Encore Video 8546 Broadway 821-5345 Encore Video Too 1216 E. Euclid 472-3004 The Q Bookstore 2803 N. St. Mary's 734-4299 Shocking Gray 1216 E. Euclid 472-2800 Zebra's (gifts) 1216 E. Euclid 472-2800 SA ANTONIO CHURCHES & RELIG. ORGAN. (DC: 210) Dignity/San Antonio P.O. 12544/78212 558-3287 First Unitarian Church 7150 IH 10 W. 344-4695 Infant Jesus of Prague Chapel 3442 W. Woodlawn/78228 432-2510 MCCSA 611 E. Myrtle 472-3597 Monastery of St. Jude, Eastern Orth. Church in Amer. 123 Yale #1/78201 733-8284 River City Living Church 202 Holland 882-1121 St. Sergios & St. Bacchos Orthodox Mission. P.O. 17723/78217 697-3264 SA ANTONIO CLUBS (AC: 210) The Annex 330 San Pedro 223-6957 Bonham Exchange 411 Bonham 271-3811 Eagle Mountain 1902 McCullough Ave. 733-1516 McK's Highway 5307 McCullough Ave. 828-4222 The Pegasus 1402 N. Main 299-4222 The Saint 1430 N. Main 225-7330 Silver Dollar 1418 N. Main 227-2623 Sparks 8011 Webbles 599-3225 2015 San Pedro 733-3365 SA ANTONIO DOCTOR (AC: 210) Douglass, Albert H., M.D. 5018 San Pedro 826-2311 SA ANTONIO FITNESS CENTERS (AC: 210) Alternative Clubs, ACI 827 E. Elmira 223-2177 Executive 1121 Basse Rd. 732-4433 SA ANTONIO ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 210) AIDS Information 225-4715 AIDS Resource Ctr. 800 Livingston 222-2437 Alamo Business Council (prof./social) P.O. 15481/78212 Alamo City Men's Chorus P.O. 120243/78212 495-7454 Bexar Co. Bears P.O. 172307/78212-0232 687-2175 Bexar Men (gay radio) P.O. 123427/78213-0420 Bisexual Network P.O. 290223/78223-0023 696-7791 Casa Martin 132 W. Grayson St./78212 227-5966 Chain of Command 2807 Westview Dr. Canyon Lake, TX 78133-4418 733-6475/899-7879 Crisis Helpline (24 hours) 227-4357 Gay & Lesbian Community Center 923 E. Mistletoe 732-4300 Gay & Lesbian Community Center/Unity Foundation P.O. 15957/78212 734-UNITY Happy Foundation 411 Bonham 227-6451 Hispanic AIDS Committee 132 W. Grayson St./78212 224-7330 Lambda AA 923 E. Mistletoe 732-4300/option 9 Lesbian Info./S.A. P.O. 12327 828-LISA Log Cabin Republicans 923 E. Mistletoe/78212 828-8699 Men of All Colors Together 433 W. Rosewood #1 736-3948 fax 736-0793	MHRI 402 Austin 225-4227 Metropolitan Health District 224-2437 NAME'S Project 818 E. Grayson 225-4715 Parents, Families & Friends of Lesb. & Gays 121 W. 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Quinry/78215 299-1318 Wellness Connection 1424 Fredricksburg Rd. 732-3111 Young Men's Health Project (YMHP) 104 Babcock Rd./78201 736-2244 SA MARCOS ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 512) Lambda/Gay, Lesbian Bi Student Assoc. (SWTU) 754-3317 GLSA of GLSA 754-0948 Rural AIDS Service Program 142 Jackson Ln. P.O. 7487/7667-0748 754-6628 SHERMAN ORGANIZATION (AC: 903) A.R.C.O.T. P.O. 3677/5091 813-1272 S. PADRE ISLAND ACCOMMODATIONS (AC: 210) Upper Deck Hotel/Crews Quarters Bar P.O. 2309/78597 781-5853 TEXARKANA ORGANIZATION (AC: 501) Texarkana AIDS Project 773-1994 TEXAS CITY ORGANIZATION (AC: 409) Gulf Coast Center (HIV case manager) 6510 Memorial 935-0506 TYLER CHURCH (AC: 903) St. Gabriel Community Church 13904 Cr. #193/75703 581-6923 TYLER/SMITH CO. ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 903) Planned Parent. 3550 E. S. Broadway 881-6277 WACO CHURCH (AC: 817) MCC 1601 Clay 752-5331 WACO CLUB (AC: 817) 507 Jefferson at 5th 753-9189 WACO ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 817) Court of the Central Texas Empire P.O. 20761/76702 754-2060 Gay & Lesbian Alliance of Central Texas P.O. 90817/76714 752-7727 Parents, Families & Friends of Lesb. & Gays 750-7211 WEATHERFORD/PARKER CO. ORGAN. (AC: 817) AIDS Resources of Rural Texas P.O. 1720/Weatherford 76098 596-3022 WICHITA FALLS CHURCH (AC: 817) MCC 1014 Wichita 322-4100 WICHITA FALLS ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 940) AIDS Support Center 405 Galveston, Suite 10 322-9122 Diversity (gay/lesb. students at Midwestern State Univ.) 3410 Telf Blvd./12806 692-4968
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