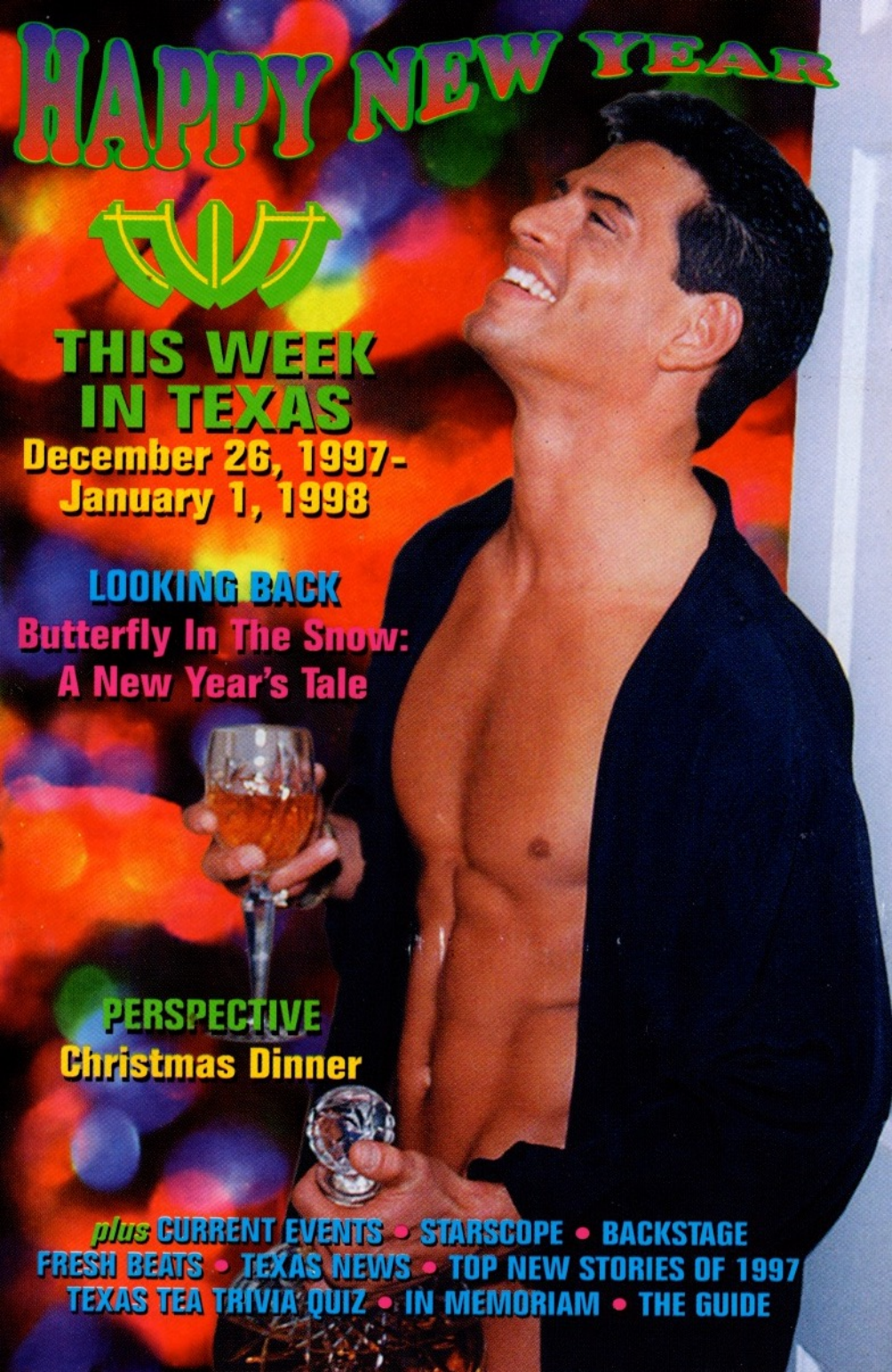


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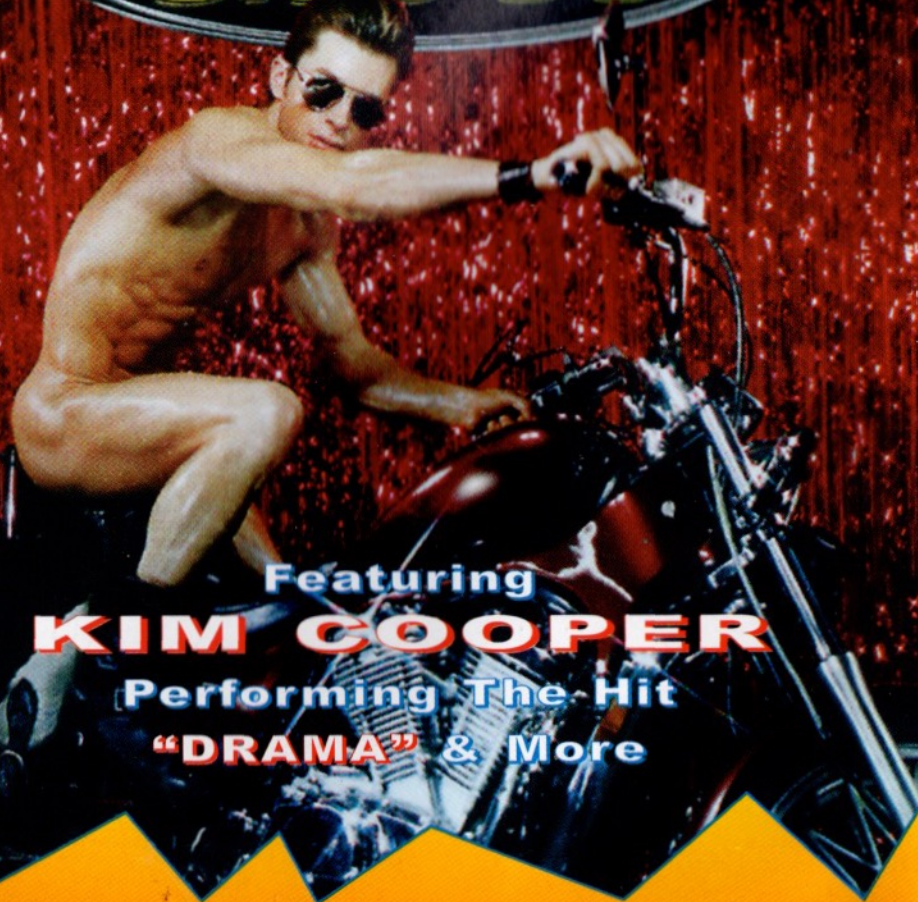
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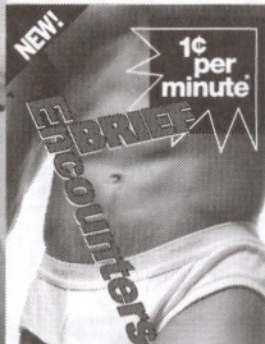
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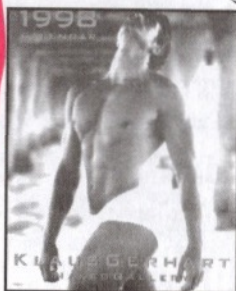
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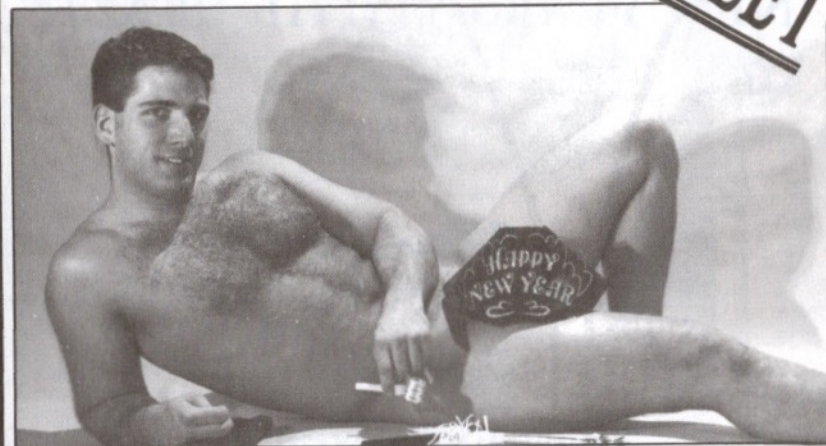


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This kind of thing never happens in my family. Never. And never at Christmas. We are the original "smile nicely" kind of people. My father, whoa! What has gotten into him? I'm impressed. Everybody's squirming, and my sister is having the best time trying to keep from laughing out loud. Well, since we were always the black sheep of the family, I guess that means we're now the only truly colorful ones. Loved ones saying how they really feel. Who would have thought it possible?

It wasn't always this way. When I was born, Dad was a Southern Baptist minister. Just like his brothers. Just like his father wanted them all to be. Then came Dad's first divorce, and he was no longer a minister. And after the second divorce, well, we were no longer Southern Baptists....I guess their forgiveness only went so far.

Dad raised me and my sister as best he could. As a single father, on a single salary, well, let me tell you...dinner was always interesting. Actually it was bland, but it was interesting to see what could be accomplished with ground beef and various pasta products. Learning to appreciate food when I came out as a gay man should have required another four years at college. The most common words we heard growing up were not "Would you like to see the wine list?" but "Thank you, drive thru." Dad did what he could. I appreciate that. Of course, he never let us hear the end of how hard he worked to feed and clothe us, but that was his way. Christmas dinner at Luby's may not have been romantic or festive, but it filled our stomachs. Sometimes it seem to get stuck in them, too.

Christmas dinner is different now, though. It's become this big extended-family thing. Sort of our desire to pretend we're a Norman Rockwell painting. I love Christmas dinner. The turkey, of course, is always there...the stuffing...all that...but

CHRISTMAS DINNER

what I like best is the side stuff. Some of it is so much a part of my family that not to have it would be like not having some member of the family present. Aunt Bessie's rolls. Mmmm. Of course, Great-Aunt Bessie may not be the best example since she died before I was born. Only her rolls made it into the TV age.

Dad's here. It's so good to see him. It's been so long. He looks good, too. And that wife of his, well, I keep my peace about her. My sister, Alicia, is here with her current boyfriend. I got to meet him a while back. I hope this is the one. She deserves someone good. Two aunts, two uncles, various cousins and spouses. More of them apparently saner than I remember. A couple of them frighten me, though, and not the way they did when I was six.

I can see all this in the blink of an eye. I feel strangely removed, though, wishing I felt more fully present. Everyone's sitting around this big Levitz dining room table.

My aunt, Pat, she always has us do stuff like this game. Control, you see...that's her thing. Granted, her kids are now grown so there are fewer souls to fall under her sway. These holiday get-togethers, well...they're her chance to...own us again? Yeah, that seems a good way to say it. All of us at her house, following her rules.

So the question is: Name an event that profoundly changed your life. My cousins, some of them, have already gone. They're sitting next to each other, and we are working our way around the table. It's a tacky table. In a tacky house. Owned by a...but I digress.

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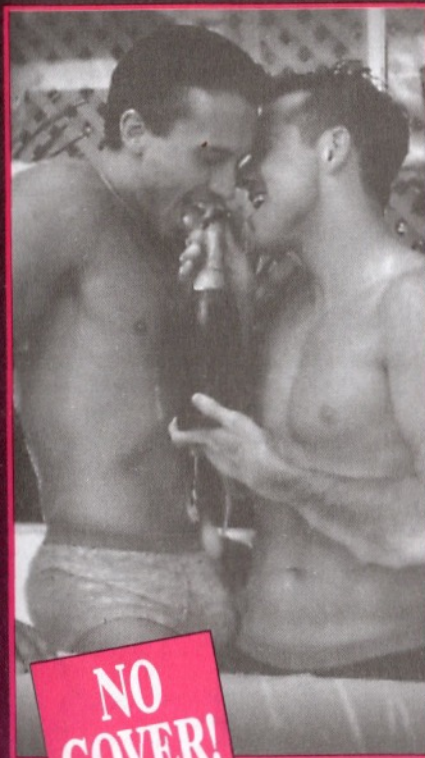
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I can see Pat is thrilled to the point of having an "accident," because her turn is coming up next. Why my father chose to sit next to his sister-in-law is beyond me. Oh, but it's not him finishing his story right now...no, it's Jerry, Pat's son. Jerry is the kind of guy who'd listen to Rush Limbaugh all day, if he could figure out how to work a radio. That may be the kindest thing I've said about Jerry in years. Did I change or did he?

Jerry says the most important thing to happen to him is marrying his wife Jessica. She's beaming at him for saying that. Jerry's gonna get some tonight. I always suspected Jerry's stocking is stuffed pretty well, and I bet she loves it. Jessica has a creepy smile. Too many hours watching those televangelists, I fear.

I love the other Jessica. She's lithe; I love that word and that's what she is. My cousin, Jerry's sister, is also named Jessica. I know what you're thinking: we're from the South, so if we can't marry our sisters, we have to at least marry someone with the same name. But the other Jessica, she and I, well...we got out. Out of the South, that is. Out in the other way, too, come to think of it. Out and proud. Or at least I did. A few years ago, I boycotted this event to get them to stop asking me when I was getting married. Real subtle, huh? They got the picture and since then I could sort of talk about it. I didn't force it on them, and they didn't ask. The Pentagon got that credo from us Southern Baptists: Don't ask, don't tell. Jessica has yet to demand that. But we all know about her. Everyone at this table has a college degree. And *Ellen* did air on national TV.

I keep circling slowly around the group so that I'm hanging behind Pat when Jerry finishes. Her head tilts, and I know her eyes must light up as she begins. "Well, for me it was when Anthony, the kids and I moved into this house. I will never forget the work we did. We built the business from nothing and so we did with this house. The Lord was smiling that day. We came out here to get away from all the problems that were encroaching on the parts of town closer in. Morals collapsing families. Here we could worship in safety. You all whined about the drive, but I saw the potential. God's country, out here." (*That and the country of the Grand Wizard of the KKK living down the road, I thought to myself, although we didn't know that then.*) "I

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My sister asks my aunt, a realtor, "So a house is the most important thing? Not a person?"

"Well, with the house came the people. Or people came to the house....the chicken or the egg, know what I mean?" No. "Anyway, there were good schools for Jerry and Jessica, and I felt safe here. It's such a shame, though; all the growth has in so many ways destroyed that. The subdivisions on the access road to Wood Grove Plantation, well, they're just cardboard boxes. And the owners, well, Fannie Mae and the NAACP must have opened a branch office out here together, from the looks of it."

The only thing closeted about Pat is her bigotry, and it's not very far back in that closet.

I move around to get a better look at Pat, but still can't catch Dad's eye as he sits next to her. Jessica says, "Mom, the Ellises live out there. They moved here to be near us."

"I love them, dear, but they are just, well, I just can't help believing they were born white trash and they will die that way. Some people, Jessica, never choose to change. You see, who we are is what God gives us, who we become is our gift to God."

Homilies for the hardheaded, isn't the holiday season wonderful?

"Yeah, Jess, not everything God gives us is great, but if you strive to overcome your bad situation, then you are doing God's will." That's Jerry, but somehow I don't think we're talking about the truck on the Ellis' front lawn anymore, and Jessica knows it too.

"Yes, I agree," says Jerry's wife. "Look at the people born to poverty. Many rise up and run great businesses. They triumph over their situation. Why, in our church we hold meetings of A.A. They have fought the battle with drinking and won. God gives us all demons."

Somehow I know they're not talking about me. They've written me off. I'm lost. They're telling Jessica that God will help her if only if she'll move back from living with the heathens in L.A. and get married. Oh yeah, that'll solve it. Jessica's lithe frame is curled up in a tight ball. It's as if

I'm a distant memory simply because I'm not sitting next to them.

Partly, I think, to defuse the situation, my father now speaks up. It actually is his turn to have a go at this little exercise, so no one sees it coming. Dad says that the most important moment for him was a sermon in church one day. "It was kind of a nothing topic. It wasn't even my church, and I didn't know the woman minister." Everyone is intrigued because they all know each other's ministers and rate them scathingly. "She was talking about fellowship and love, standard things, but I was crying. Crying tears I didn't know I had. It was Matt's minister and Matt's church. I didn't know a soul there, and we just held each other and cried. I was so proud of him." My father looks so handsome at this point.

I remember that Sunday years before. I had found some measure of peace recently, and church had been a part of it. I had asked Dad if he was proud of me that weekend and he wanted to know why I ever thought otherwise. Classic misunderstanding, I suppose. I had told him that all I ever wanted was his...well, you get the picture.

Dad continues, "See, I changed that Sunday, I saw that God was not just for me. Here were a bunch of people who had found a spirit. In my simple knowledge of the world, was I to say theirs was any less viable than mine?" Everyone's squirming, and my sister is trying to keep from smiling in the wake of what Dad has just said. Jessica sits a little higher and I feel a bit less transparent for a minute.

"Matt has contributed so many beautiful paintings to the world. He was never famous. But after that day he was never a stranger to me again." It's true my father and I grew much closer because we had talked that day. I really needed him, and his approval, and his pride, and his love. In the end, those things had really mattered. I had been shallow not to believe they would.

I love my father so much right now.

"So some of you might have thought that I would say the most important day for me would be the day he died. But it wasn't. It was the day I got him back. I knew him for who he was, and he let me see his world."

I smile. I understand this is why I'm here now. They sent me to witness this moment. I will have to thank them. I always suspected Dad could do something like this. I'm so proud he did. I move on. I'm free to now. What a lovely Christmas gift.



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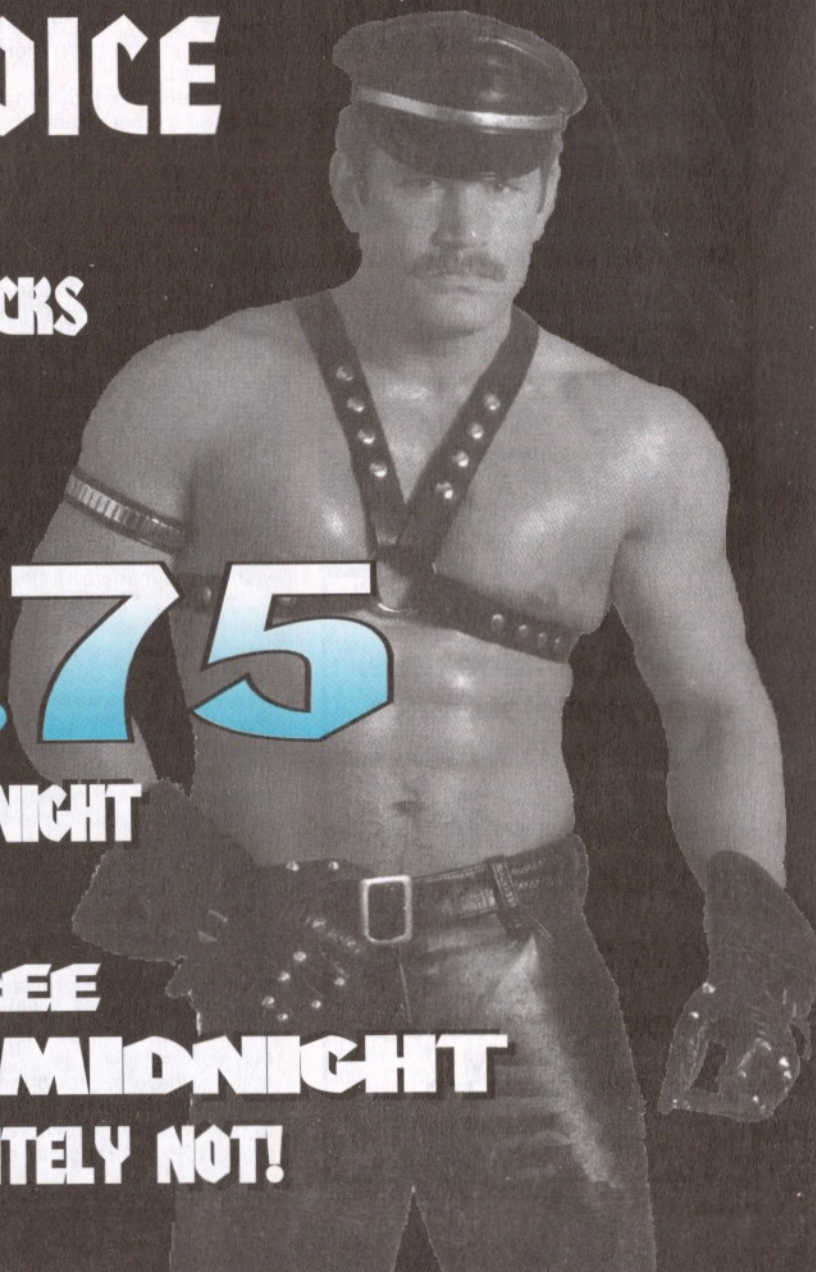
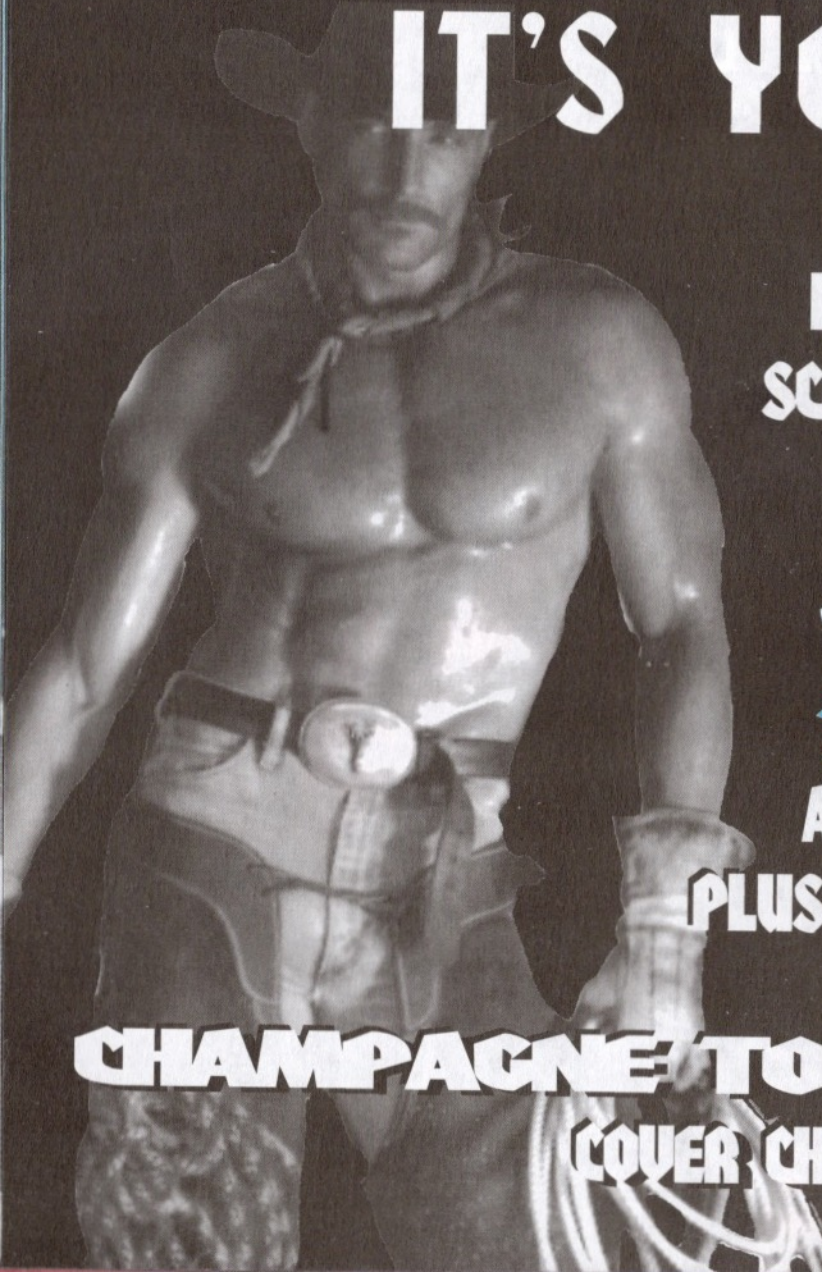
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It's been said that dance music has reached a point where it has become stagnant — one stale track after the next, a never-ending stream of releases, each seeing who can rip off who or sample what. Some blame it on technology; everyone's a "producer" these days, they say. And it's true. Every Tom, Dick, and Harry with a Macintosh, a little software, and a keyboard is running around shouting that he or she's a producer. It's a backlash against the fact that labels support this habit of DAT-pimping. Why develop any artists? Just pay some bedroom producer and be done with it, right? Now we've got this glut of faceless records out there and no one can even tell you the name of most of the songs because there just are so few real songs anymore. It seems as though we've forgotten how to make songs. What was it that made a Donna Summer album so great? She had really good songs, lyrics that meant something and real instruments, as well as some sense of organic quality that appealed to our intrinsic nature. And the Grammys...pity, pity, pity how everyone turned cartwheels for two years trying to get a Grammy category for dance music. Well we got it! Great...and out of all of the hundreds and hundreds of dance records that came out all year long, less than 150 were submitted for consideration, and that was only after a last-ditch effort the day before the deadline.

1997...another year and we're still raising all the same issues, aren't we? Well, I for one am sick to death of hearing about it. So all I really have to say is "Shut up and dance!" Some labels talk the talk, but when it comes to walkin' the walk, wigs go off to only a select few.

If you have to pick one label that really turns it out every single time, it would have to be Arista, for certain. No one's going to argue with the massive success of **De-**

borah Cox's "Things Just Ain't the Same," and if you missed out you should really go back and discover "Who Do You Love" and "Just Be Good to Me" as well. **Lisa Stansfield, Toni Braxton, No Mercy, Real McCoy, even Barry Manilow** back on the charts! Sorry, babe, they get the tiara!!!

And how about a true Cinderella story in **Ultra Nate's** "Free." Not only will this go down as our song of the year, but probably one of the songs of the decade! I'll bet Warner Bros. wishes they'd kept her!

Oops!...what happened to "dream" music? It was a pretty smart move on the part of both **Robert Miles** and **DJ Dado** to bail and then decide to hook up with singers and put out great records like "Freedom" and "Coming Back," respec-

Year-End Top 25
Rankings based on lists
faxed to **FRESH BEATS** from
around the state.

1. "Free" / **Ultra Nate** / Strictly Rhythm
2. "Things Just Ain't the Same" / **Deborah Cox** / Arista
3. "Words That You Say" / **Veronica** / Strictly Rhythm
4. "Show Me" / **Urban Soul** / King Street
5. "Get Up, Stand Up" / **Phunky Phantom** / Groovilicious
6. "Around the World" / **Daft Punk** / Virgin
7. "Something's Goin' On" / **Todd Terry** feat. **M. Wash & Jocelyn Brown** / Logic
8. "Weep" / **Skunk & Anasie** / Epidrome
9. "Coming Back" / **DJ Dado** / Time/Italy
10. "Run to You" / **Joi Cardwell** / eightball
11. "No Need To Hide" / **Sandy B.** / Champion
12. "I Say A Little Prayer" / **Diana King** / Work
13. "Up to No Good" / **The Porn Kings** / Submarine
14. "Drama" / **Club 69** / Twisted!
15. "House On Fire" / **Arkarna** / Reprise
16. "Breakaway" / **France Joli** / Popular
17. "It Must Be Love" / **Robyn S.** / Atlantic
18. The Entire Album / **Peach Union** / Epic
19. "Sing A Song" / **Byron Stingily** / Nervous
20. "It's Alright, I Feel It" / **Nuyorican Soul** / GRP
21. "Spin Spin Sugar" / **Sneaker Pimps** / Virgin
22. "Color Me Danny" Lp. / **Danny Tenaglia** / Twisted!
23. "Kiss You All Over" / **No Mercy** / Arista
24. "It's No Good" / **Depeche Mode** / Reprise
25. "Don't Go" / **Le Click** / Logic 1.



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tively. There are only so many piano glissandos a girl can take in a single night.

"Circuit" music?...Now this is one I really can't take. Will someone tell me who in the hell came up with this term? It's the same stuff we girls have been twirling to for years. A-hem...just another term for that good ol' homosexual hi-NRG, nothing an old-fashioned Sunday afternoon beer bust and tea dance wasn't! And it didn't cost a thousand dollars to get there, either.

Remixers and (real) producers who tore it up this year, now that's no secret. The only real god is **Tony Moran**, but **Junior V** gave us more and more of those "pots and pans" mixes (which you can catch on any Sunday at Luby's after church and **Danny T.** cranked out some more tribal (Which you can also find on *National Geographic Explorer* as well). But when it comes to really going off, kudos are due **Peter Rohauffer**. He called himself **Club 69** and blessed us with an entire album of things new and fresh (look for the naked stud on the motorcycle). And finally, our newcomer of the year for production has to be **Victor Calderone**. His latest release, "Beat Me Harder," is the bomb! And you know what? I can't even remember the name of his first track. The sad part is that I worked for the label that put it out! Seriously!

Which really proves the point I was trying to make earlier: that it's all about having a good song. Dance music is going nowhere until we get it together with more fabulous songs...with words that Joe Public can relate to. We'll see.

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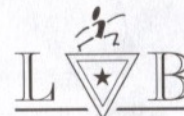


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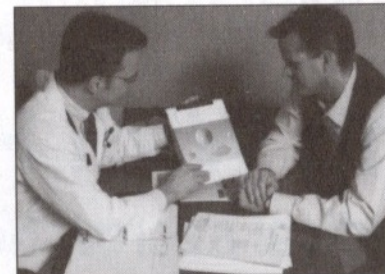
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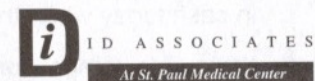
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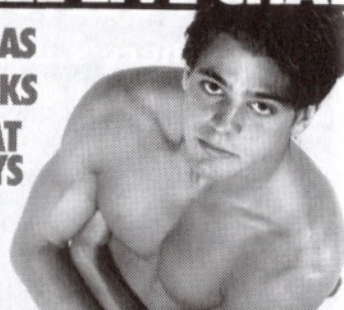
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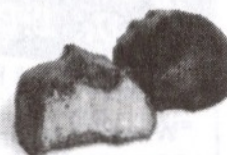
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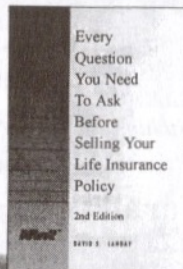
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Positive+Personals seeks volunteers to help out with data entry, newsletter production, Internet/Website management and party planning. For more info, call voice mail number (214)521-5342, ext. 318 or 319, and leave a message for Antjuan Wiley.

Friends Associating and Relating attends a comedy theatre preview at Pegasus Theatre, 3916 Main St., on Monday, Dec. 29, at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$5. Call ahead to reserve tickets, and mention F.A.R. when leaving your name and phone number. After reserving tickets, RSVP by Dec. 28 to Ken at (214) 328-6749.

RALLY (Respecting All Youth) holds its next youth support group meeting on Monday, Dec. 29, from 6-7 p.m.

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An AIDS Healing Service and Eucharist sponsored by **Integrity** will be held next Friday, Jan. 2, at 7 p.m. at Christ Church, 1117 Texas. The Rev. Kristin E. Orr will be the celebrant and the Rev. William L. Russell will deliver the homily.

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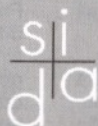
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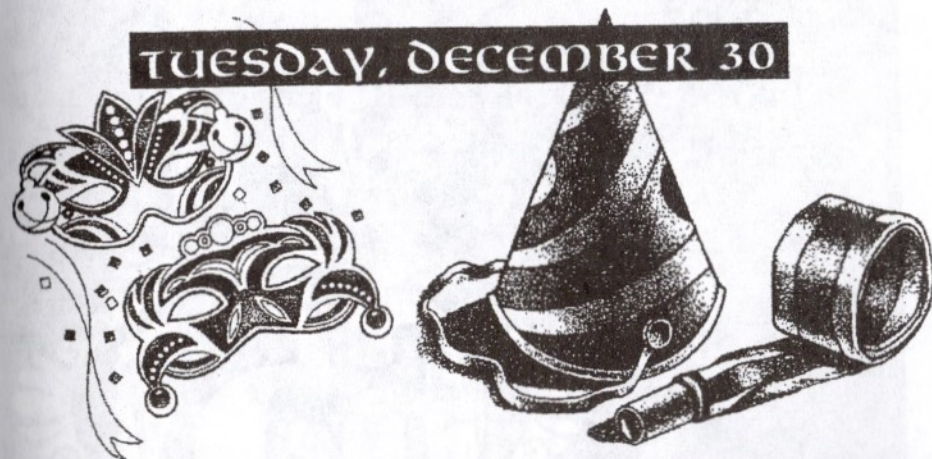
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The second half of the "Everything Old Is New Again" performing arts season at Galveston's Grand 1894 Opera House kicks off with the performance of **Hal Holbrook** in *"Mark Twain Tonight!"* The acclaimed actor has described his one-man show as a "work in progress," composed as it is entirely of Twain's own writing; Holbrook chooses the program as he goes along, so each performance is truly an "original." One night only, on Saturday, Jan. 10, at 8 p.m. For tickets (\$14.50-\$53). For more info, call (409) 765-1894 or (800)821-1894. The Grand is located at 2020 Postoffice.

What do you get when you combine tortillas, X-rated TV and the Virgen de Guadalupe? A miracle, of course. Or, in the case of Teatro Humanidad Cansada, Austin's only bilingual theatre company, an evening of **Ruperto Reyes Jr.'s** *Petra's Pecado*. Petra Dominguez's tortilla factory is about to close, so she orders cable TV to reward her employees for their years of hard work. But the installer accidentally leaves the premium "adult" channel unblocked, and Petra gets an unwanted lesson in sex education. Then the new local priest asks Petra to take over the job of directing the annual celebration of "El Día de la Virgen de Guadalupe." While Petra may know all about tortillas, she knows beans about theatre. Performances are Jan. 15-Feb. 1, Thursdays-Saturdays at 8 p.m. and Sundays at 3 p.m. at the Dougherty Arts Center, 1110 Barton Springs Rd. For more info, call (512)916-4842.

The new year brings the work of **Oscar Wilde** back to the stage of the Dallas Theater Center with *An Ideal Husband*, which opens Jan. 14 and runs through Feb. 8. A rising politician with a reputation for unmitigated integrity is suddenly thrust into a web of intrigue and blackmail when a secret misdeed from his past comes back to haunt him and threaten his career and marriage. Performances are Tuesdays-Thursdays and Sundays at 7:30 p.m. and Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m., with Saturday and Sunday matinees at 2. There'll be a pay-what-you-can performance on Sunday, Jan. 18, at 2 p.m. A sign

BACKSTAGE

language-interpreted show will be presented Sunday, Feb. 1, at 2. Tickets are \$11-\$26 during previews Jan. 14-18 and \$16-\$49 staring opening night on Jan. 20. Call (214)522-TIXX.

The USA Film Festival in Dallas presents the uncensored European version of **Stanley Kubrick's** *Lolita* (1962) as part of the First Monday Classics series on Monday, Jan. 5 at 7:30 p.m. at the AMC Glen Lakes Theatres, 9450 N. Central Expressway. Containing footage removed from the original American release, this version is the definitive look at Kubrick's dark comedy about a middle-aged professor and his fatal attraction to a young nymphet. **Vladimir Nabokov** wrote the screenplay (which was based his novel). Tickets are \$7 general admission and \$6 for USA Film Festival members, and are available at the theater one hour prior to show time. For more info, call (214)821-NEWS.



Sue Lyon stars as the teenage temptress *Lolita*, screening as part of the USA Film Festival's First Monday Classics series on Monday, January 5 at 7:30pm.

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—Shakespeare, As You Like It

Manhattan is a big stage crowded with characters. So much so that New Yorkers have grown accustomed to them. Only out-of-towners seem to notice.

So there I was, new to New York, sitting in the shade of overhanging trees in Verdi Square watching the play. Busy characters made their entrances and exits. None had lines; well, not to a newcomer, anyway. But that was all right; I was happy just being a spectator. Then this huge woman, overflowing her skimpy halter top and slacks, smiled at me and said, "If one of those birds poops in my hair, I'll kill the bastard! I just set this wig this morn..." her voice trailing off as she continued her stroll. Other than me, the only one in the audience, who had she delivered her lines to?

On duty, Leon was a no-nonsense man, a surgical nurse said to be at the top of his profession. He owned the respect of doctors, nurses and staff at Bellevue Hospital and pulled down a very large salary. Off duty, she was a woman standing over six feet tall and weighing about 250 pounds, all of it balanced in heels. I had heard my roommates speak of Large Leona, the Lady of the Park, the Leopardess. No doubt all these were she!

Today, many people believe that before Stonewall gays were fearfully entrenched in their closets. Not necessarily. Oh, we



BY PHIL JOHNSON

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were closeted when it was prudent to be; other times we celebrated. Bold ones even flamed, none more brightly than Large Leona. Secure in her profession and so hefty she had little fear of being assaulted, she was an upfront queer before it was fashionable to be upfront or queer. Yes, there were those less ostentatious who had the need to feel superior by sneering, but they did so *behind* her back.

The lady was built like a water buffalo but was as aggressive as a leopardess on the prowl. I say that because the next time I saw Leona, I was patiently waiting in line to get a standing-room-only ticket to see London's Royal Ballet with Margot Fonteyn as Cinderella. As the line inched forward, I said a little prayer, hoping I would reach the box office before the "sold out" sign went up. In contrast, Leona paced up and down in front of the Metropolitan Opera House wearing a full-length I-will-be-seen leopard skin coat and carrying a picket-like sign on her shoulder that read "Will pay any amount of money for a good seat." Later, when the house lights dimmed, I looked down from the back of the fifth balcony to see the Leopard wedged tightly into a front row, just-off-center seat.

"Did you enjoy the ballet?" she asked as she threw her enormous ass into a chair next to mine at the Automat, her halter top straining to contain the ample boobs that hung over the table. (Once again I said a little prayer, hoping the chair would be able to sustain the strain.) Without waiting for an answer, she chatted away, "You didn't know I saw you last night, did you? You looked cute. I just love dark eyes, blah, blah, blah..."

Cute? I was flattered. Besides, how delightful for a New Yorker to be so hometown friendly. I had come to learn that New Yorkers were not snobs, they were just



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aloof. They had no need to know their neighbors and seldom spoke to strangers except to discuss business or to score.

"You're a dancer. I can tell. You have a dancer's ass. And that little bag containing your slippers and tights that dancers always carry, blah, blah, blah.... And you're unemployed, I can tell by your cheap breakfast. More blah, blah, blah." Suddenly, "Are you seeing anyone steady?" Again without waiting for an answer, "I'd love to give your dance muscles a massage."

She lived alone in a big apartment facing Verdi Square. (Everything about the lady was big.) Only someone making big bucks could afford an apartment like that. However, unlike her "I will be seen" appearance, the decor and furnishings of her apartment were expensively quiet. After an hour of pounding, flexing and stretching my dancer's muscles (she was damned good), she whipped up a meal unlike anything an unemployed dancer could possibly afford. "Any time you need a hot meal in your trim tummy, just drop in, honey," she chirped like a Mae West as I left her apartment.

In show biz we have a saying, "Never turn down a free feed." I didn't. So, over a period of time, "Leona and Phil" became a talked-about item around Verdi Square, "that large woman and her kept boy." Despite what they said, we were friends, not lovers.

When I asked her out, it was to go to something free like the zoo in Central Park or to the Museum of Natural History. Sometimes I would invite her up to the fifth-floor walk-up apartment I shared with two other dancers. She, a woman of luxury, never objected to my humble Spam-and-egg sandwiches.

When she invited me out, we went to the ballet or the opera or a Broadway show. She "just happened" to have orchestra tickets. Of course, I felt uncomfortable with her paying my way all the time and told her so. She, used to getting her way, explained that she wanted to share "a good time with a good friend. You can pay for our tickets when you become rich and famous," she giggled. (We both knew that I'd never become either.) Then she'd smother me in her fleshy arms and I'd think, "My friend's heart is as big as her tits. But what am I getting myself into?"

For a while we were happy because we fulfilled each other's needs, but it gradually became obvious what I had gotten myself into. I was her only friend. On the other

hand, I, being an unemployed show-biz hopeful, was in the same boat with many other dancers, singers and actors in Manhattan. Not that I a lot of friends; no one has. But I had many close acquaintances that I enjoyed being with.

"If you are enough for me, why can't I be enough for you?" she demanded. But I didn't want to be her kept boy, her one and only. Our fights escalated. Our "fun times" no longer were. I gradually stopped seeing her and in time did not return her phone calls. I didn't want to hurt her; I dearly loved her. But not as much as she loved me. I just wanted to be my own man, have my own friends.

Show people can tell all kinds of stories about endless "cattle calls" that end with the oh-so-familiar "It's not that you're not good enough, but obviously we can't use everyone. We have your résumé. So don't call us, we'll call you." After endless months of this variation on a theme, I decided to return to Texas and get a "real" job. Unable to screw up enough courage to tell Leona in person, I sent her a note that ended with, "I'll remember you for the rest of my life. And when I'm in town I'll visit you." That was a promise I had every intention of keeping. But time changes everything. In Texas I had a new life, a new career and new friends.

Well, all that happened 47 years ago and time has dimmed my memories, the good as well as the bad, but there was one weird moment I recall vividly. It was a few days before the turn of the mid-century, 1950. A snow storm had rendered Manhattan strangely quiet and beautiful. Despite the weather, my two roommates would go barhopping. "It's easier to pick up a trick in bad weather," they insisted. "Nobody wants to go home in the cold alone." Me, I luxuriated in a hot shower and went to bed early.

A few hours later, I awakened to beautiful music floating up to my window. Puccini? I glanced at the clock; almost midnight. Then I got into my house slippers and robe and went to peer out the frosted window. There, a half block away, was the largest, most unlikely *Madama Butterfly* ever. Where there should have been a stage, there was curb. Instead of falling cherry blossoms, there were softly falling snow flakes. What should have been footlights was light reflected off the snow from a corner street lamp.

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formance. Leona was dressed in the traditional Japanese wig and robes. Her voice (I hadn't know she could sing) was not the crude falsetto of an amateur. Oh no, this was a voice full and beautifully trained, one that could place the high and low notes with equal ease, one obviously familiar with the nuances the composer had intended. A few measures into the aria, Leona became a believable Cho-Cho-San, ever so tragically fragile even if she was huge.

As I said, New Yorkers are blasé about strange characters, even a butterfly in the snow. The few passers-by did not pause for a moment to appreciate the midnight performance in Verdi Square, but hurried on their way, anxious to get out of the cold. At the end of "Un bel di vedremo," Cho-Cho-San clasped her hands, bowed slightly at the waist and then lifted her face toward my window for a brief moment. Then she disappeared into the night sobbing.

It was touchingly beautiful. Yet only one voice called out "Brava! Brava!" in delirious excitement. That voice came from a flung-open fifth-floor window.

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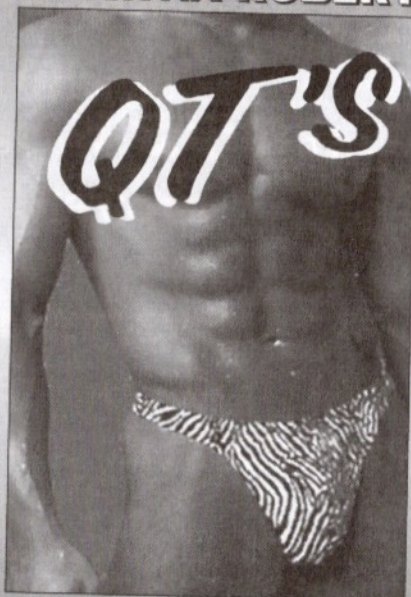
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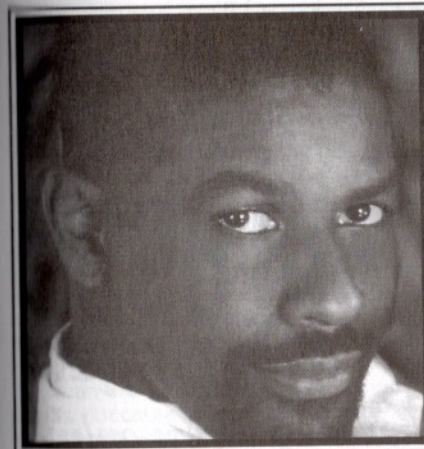
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I have been given the unenviable task of astrologically predicting events in 1998. The pressure is intense; I can't begin to compete with the inestimable visionary talents of Mystic Meg of the Globe or the uncannily adept Serena of the Star. And let's face it, do we really care if Elvis returns and releases a line of exercise videos? As I adjust my turban and gaze at the stars, let's see what the cosmos plans for each sign in 1998....

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20) Goats can become great gay philanthropists in '98 thanks to a fiscal coup by Uranus, Jupiter and Neptune. Pluto, meanwhile, provides karmic angst by digging up and exposing hidden muck in your life. Whatever you're trying to hide and suppress is the one thing you can no longer contain. Pluto opens your Pandora's box and pushes you out, thank goodness.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19) There's something to be said for the conservative look, but not for out and about Aqueerians in 1998. The wild and woolly aspects of expansive Jupiter, surprising Uranus and mystical Neptune provide greasepaint for your crowd. It's perfect if you're playing the queen of clubs, but could hinder your prospects for corporate advancement. Well, where fashion ends, moxie begins.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - March 20) If you feel like a rainbow trout swimming upstream, it's because you're already feeling the effects of Pluto plowing through your professional landscape. It's a long, grinding road, pink Pisces, so maintain an unfailing sense of optimism in '98. When all else fails, seek refuge in meditation or some other mystical, holistic or occult avenue. Avoid astrology; I don't need the competition.

ARIES (March 21 - April 20) The unleashed power of Pluto may knock you for a loop this year; you're not the worldly bon vivant you think you are. Ah, but there's hope, proud Ram; I see international travel on the horizon or liaisons with some delightfully

exotic folk. Plan to participate in the Gay Games in Amsterdam. With that body, though, maybe you should be a spectator.

TAURUS (April 21 - May 21) Life won't be dull in 1998. Proud Bulls experience gay love at its finest (thanks to volcanic Pluto) if and only if they are proudly out. If not, life will be one long stressfest that Pluto is hard pressed to contain. Expect some happy jolts in your career with lucky Jupiter and surprising Uranus supplying the boost. I see it now: gay Bull makes good and creates corporate casting couch.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21) The Twin cannot feel complete until it finds its mate. Thanks to transforming Pluto, 1998 will see either the overthrow of an existing, but flawed relationship or a wave of contentment and fulfillment as you discover your soulmate. The secret is to put your heart and soul into a relationship; proud Geminis can be fairly fickle, you know.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23) Queer Crabs won't spend this holiday season alone if they make proper use of the affirming Capricornic Sun. The planets highlight relationships and enable you either to make the most out of current partnerships or to pluck your soulmate from the back of the chorus line. The secret is to treat others the way you want to be treated, and don't allow yourself to be used as a doormat. Is it possible to improve on perfection? Pink Crabs make great inroads in toning and shaping their fabulous shells in 1998. Pluto advises against testing the limits of your

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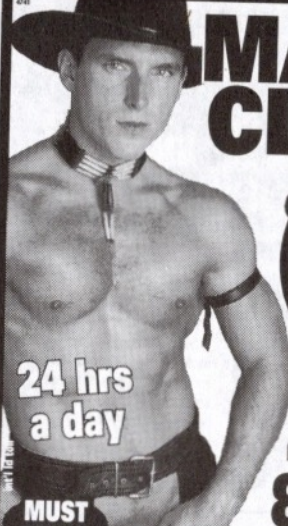
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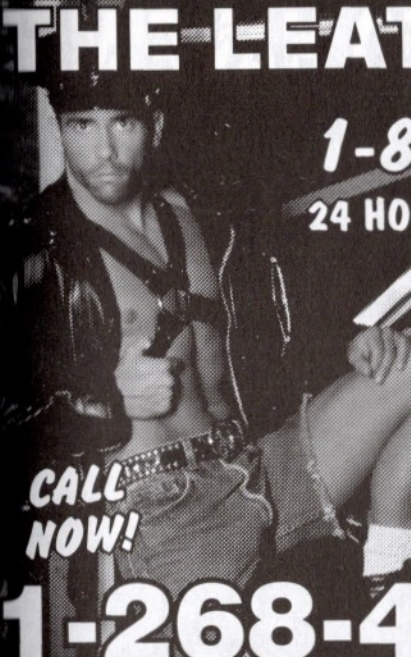
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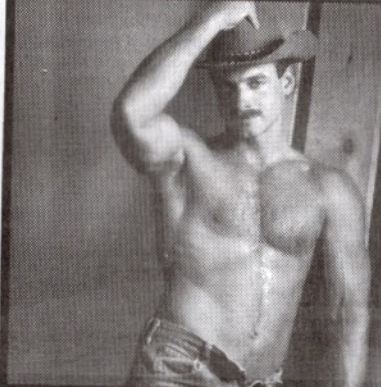
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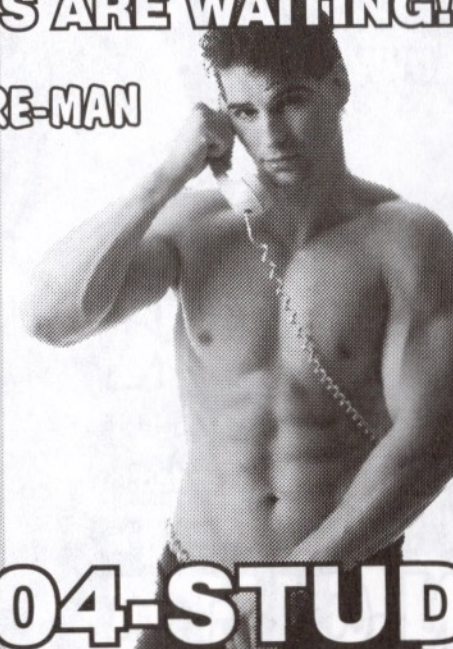


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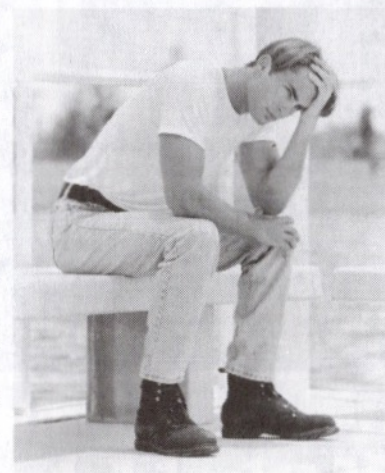
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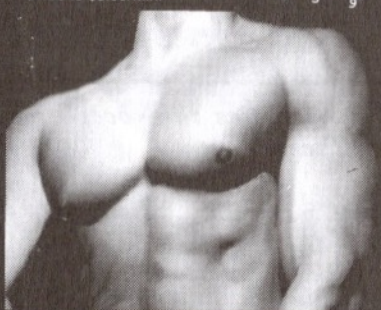
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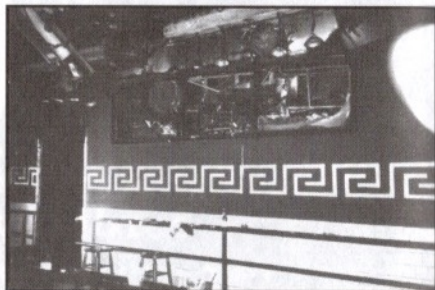
Owner Charles Armstrong Praises Professionalism, Quick Response Of Firefighters and Staff; Says Heaven Will Definitely Be Rebuilt.

HOUSTON — Heaven, a popular nightclub located in the heart of the Montrose area at 810 Pacific, sustained crippling damage by fire the weekend of Dec. 13–14. Owner Charles Armstrong is assuring everyone that while the club is now closed for rebuilding, it will definitely reopen.

The fire started at around 11:20 p.m. Saturday night, Dec. 13, and quickly consumed much of the back portion of the club. No customers, staffers or others were injured, however.



Armstrong commended the actions of everyone involved in fighting the blaze and moving people to safety. "Heaven was completely and safely evacuated in an orderly manner with no injuries to patrons or staff," said Armstrong, who also owns the nearby Montrose Mining Company and



JR's/Santa Fe Bar & Patio. "The management, all staff, off-duty Houston police officers and private security guards acted with professionalism and quick response. We are grateful for all of these individuals actions."

At press time, the fire was believed to have originated in a nonpublic dressing area, probably due to an electrical malfunction. The back area of the club, which included a dance floor, deejay booth and very expensive lighting equipment, suffered severe structural and other damage. The oak dance floor, which had been installed just weeks before, will have to be replaced. The front area of the club suffered smoke and heat damage.

The fire reignited about six hours later, at around 6:45 a.m., but was quickly extinguished.

"The important thing is that no one, among either customers or staff, was injured or worse," Armstrong said.

Armstrong said that as many of Heaven's employees as possible would be employed at JR's and the Montrose Mining Company to lessen the impact of Heaven's shutdown over the holidays and into next year.

Armstrong also had high praise for the professionalism shown by the Houston Fire Department, whose fireman worked in near-freezing temperatures to contain and extinguish the fire.

TOM MOORE MUSICAL FOUNDATION IN HOUSTON MAKES ANNUAL GRANTS

Palmer Society, Houston Pride Band and Gay Men's Chorus Named Beneficiaries.

HOUSTON — The Tom Moore Community Music Foundation announced recently the recipients of its 1997 grants. The beneficiaries are the Palmer Society for the Appreciation of Liturgy and Music, the Houston Pride Band and the Gay Men's Chorus of Houston.

The Tom Moore Community Music Foundation was established by a bequest from the estate of the late Tom Moore, and its purpose is to provide financial support to local community music organizations.

"This year's recipients represent a broad cross-section of the musical spectrum that is part of the rich cultural life in Houston," said David Elliott, a member of the foundation's board of directors.

"Each music organization provides a different type of experience to the Houston audience that greatly enhances our city," board chair Ron Paige said. "The foundation is proud to be able to make a contribution to these organizations so that they may continue their fine work."

For more information about the Tom Moore Community Musical Foundation, write to P.O. Box 2042, Houston, TX 77252-2042.

IMPORTANT NEWS STORIES OF 1997

ANTI-GAY MARRIAGE BILL KILLED IN STATE LEGISLATURE

TEXAS — In an effort that did not draw much public attention, conservative state legislators made an ultimately unsuccessful attempt to pass a bill that would have barred recognition in Texas of same-sex marriages performed in other states.

Supporters attempted to "jump" their bill out of the Calendars Committee of the state House of Representatives and move it directly to a debate and vote on the floor, a move that failed 102–22. The bill then had to await its turn on the committee's list of proposals to be assigned for debate by the whole House.

Opponents of the bill effectively killed it last summer by managing to keep it from ever coming up for a vote in the last few days of the 75th legislative session.

The defeat of the bill, which had been drawn up by the very gay-unfriendly Rep. Warren Chisum of Pampa, meant that, for the time being at least, Texas will not join the list of states with laws that specifically target gay unions.

In addition to efforts by the Lesbian/Gay Rights Lobby of Texas, LGRL Executive Director Dianne Hardy-Garcia praised several legislators for their help in defeating the proposal, including Rep. Dawnna Duke. Rep. Debra Danburg, Rep. Harryette Ehrhardt, Rep. Sherri Greenberg, Rep. Glen Maxey, Rep. Elliott Naishtat and Rep. Senfronia Thompson.

BAD ACCOMPANIED GOOD ON AIDS FRONT IN 1997

U.S. — There was both good and bad news from the front lines of the fight against HIV/AIDS this year.

Last summer, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention announced that AIDS deaths had declined 19 percent in the first nine months of 1996. The decrease was very uneven among different groups, though, with whites showing a drop of 28 percent, African Americans a decrease of 10 percent and Hispanics a drop of 16. The decrease among men was 22 percent, but only seven percent in women. The statistics indicated that blacks now account for 41 percent, and that the disease is increasing fastest among women and minority groups.

A side effect of the improved treatment outlook as well as of sweeping changes in the health care industry was that AIDS facilities and residences in Texas and elsewhere had to struggle to remain open and provide needed services. In Austin, Christopher House announced in February that decreasing admissions were forcing it to

shut its doors. Local activists said the facility's closing would leave local PWAs underserved.

And The Passage, an AIDS hospice in Corpus Christi, saw its funding slashed by more than half in September. The Bay Area Consortium on HIV/AIDS, the local administrative body that decides on how government AIDS funds will be divided up, justified its decision by citing treatment advances and the need to devote more money to medication purchases and other services. Critics condemned the move, calling it shortsighted, and said other local agencies would not be able to fill the void.

'ELLEN' AND ELLEN COME OUT TO AMERICAN AUDIENCES

U.S. — American television reached a milestone last spring when the star of a regular series and her small-screen counterpart both came out as lesbians.

There had been a long run of speculation that the title character of the ABC sitcom *Ellen* was a lesbian and at some point would confirm it. The gossip was further spiced up by rumors that Ellen DeGeneres, who plays Ellen Morgan, was herself also gay.

All the speculation ended on Wednesday, April 30, when during a special one-hour episode that included celebrity walk-ons and a special appearance by Oprah Winfrey as her therapist, Ellen Morgan finally acknowledged she was a lesbian and then went about the momentous task of telling her friends. The followup episode a week later played on the same theme as Ellen informed her parents.

The episode placed first in the Nielson ratings (and indeed single-handedly lifted the network's overall ratings for the period).

The real Ellen also came out, with interviews in *Time* and elsewhere.

HRC waged a big public relations campaign to draw as much attention as possible to the show, including mailouts of "Ellen watch kits" for those who planned to hold parties built around the show. HRC also commissioned a special TV ad to raise audience awareness that job discrimination based on sexual orientation is still legal in most American states. The ad, enti-



Actress *Ellen DeGeneres* beat her TV counterpart to the punch when she came out on the cover and in the pages of *Time* magazine last April.

tled "Shoes," featured a woman who had just been fired from her job for her sexual orientation, and whose friends were surprised to learn that her dismissal was not against the law. "Shoes" was to run during the *Ellen* coming-out episode.

But while ABC affiliates in Austin, Dallas and San Antonio agreed to run the spot, the Houston station, KTRK-TV, joined several other outlets around the country in refusing to run the HRC ad. HRC officials held press conferences in Houston and elsewhere in advance of the show's broadcast to unveil the ad.

Ms. DeGeneres and other observers have since criticized ABC for its insistence on running warnings about the show's content at the beginning of subsequent episodes.

OPENLY GAY CANDIDATES WIN RACES AROUND STATE

TEXAS — Texans drew a few steps closer to the table with the election of openly gay and lesbian candidates to city and other local offices in 1997.

In Dallas, John Loza became the first openly gay Republican to win public office in the state when he captured a seat on City Council. The Log Cabin Republicans backed Loza in his run for the nonpartisan

office. Log Cabin said it was significant that Loza had defeated a heterosexual Democrat who had the backing of much of the city's gay political establishment. Loza became the only openly gay elected official in Dallas after Chris Luna decided to seek reelection to his council seat.

And gay Houstonians received a special holiday gift three weeks ago when Annise Parker easily won election to an at-large seat on Houston City Council. Parker, a longtime community and neighborhood activist who had run for City Council on previous occasions, attributed her win this time around to a well-run campaign and to the ties she has built up in Houston over the last two decades. Parker and other winning candidates will be sworn in on Jan. 2.

HATE CRIMES A CONTINUING PRESENCE IN GAY COMMUNITY

TEXAS — Hate crimes, including those directed against gay people and their supporters, continued to be a significant presence in Texas and elsewhere, and a national conference on the problem was convened by President Clinton in November.

In San Antonio, reports of physical assaults prompted the formation of an emergency task force by the Gay and Lesbian Community Center, the Rape Crisis Center and the San Antonio Police Department's Crime Prevention Unit. The task force's goal was to develop a plan to prevent such attacks in the future through the use of increased awareness of the problem, stepped-up police patrols, improved street lighting, self-defense classes and a gay and lesbian "Cellular On Patrol" unit.

In Austin, gay-baiting tactics surfaced during city elections last spring when Bobbie Enriquez, a candidate for City Council Place 5, announced that her campaign had received anonymous hate calls targeting her endorsement by the Austin Lesbian/Gay Political Caucus. Enriquez condemned the calls, and reaffirmed her thanks for the support she was getting from the gay community. And a similar incident made headlines when an incumbent city councilman told the aide of another that he was "sick of you and your faggot

friends." Austin was also the site of a spring march on the state Capitol that drew thousands of participants calling for stronger hate crime statutes in Texas.

In November, President Clinton convened a White House Conference on Hate Crimes that drew hundreds of people. The President urged the adoption of tougher penalties and stepped-up reporting of the crimes.

HIGH SCHOOL FOR GAY, LESBIAN TEENS OPENS IN DALLAS

DALLAS — The fall semester opened with a unique educational opportunity for seven gay, lesbian and bisexual high school students in Dallas, who enrolled in the Walt Whitman Community School. Believed to be the first and only private high school of its kind in the nation, the institution was founded by Wally Linebarger, Pamela Stone and Becky Thompson.

Thompson, director of the school, told the *Houston Chronicle* that while some gay students succeed in conventional school environments, others face discrimination and taunting by other students and even at the hands of some teachers.

Its founders have said that Walt Whitman, named for the 19th-century American poet whose work contains homoerotic passages and allusions, is for that second group of students, many of whom drop out of high school rather than face continued harassment.

The school's main focus is to be "all-inclusive," regardless of whether individual students are gay or not. The institution's mission statement focuses on creating "an atmosphere of tolerance, an acceptance of sexuality confusion and opportunities for personal growth, so that each individual student can become a fully functioning and healthy member of society."

In addition to providing its students a safe and accepting environment, Walt Whitman has the equally important goal of giving them a complete education in language arts, natural sciences, social studies, math and other areas. penalties and stepped-up reporting of the crimes. 

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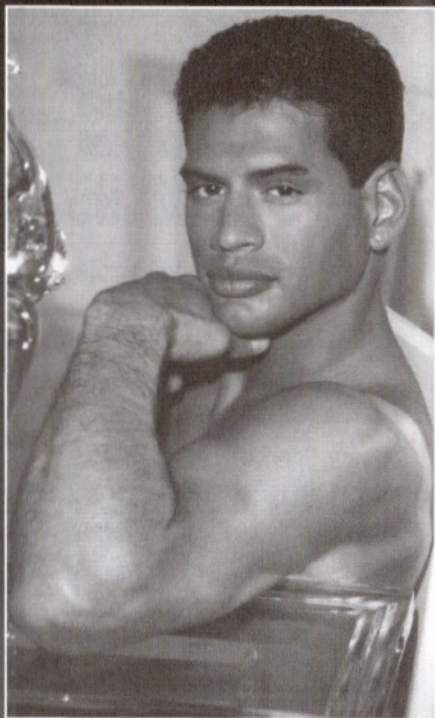
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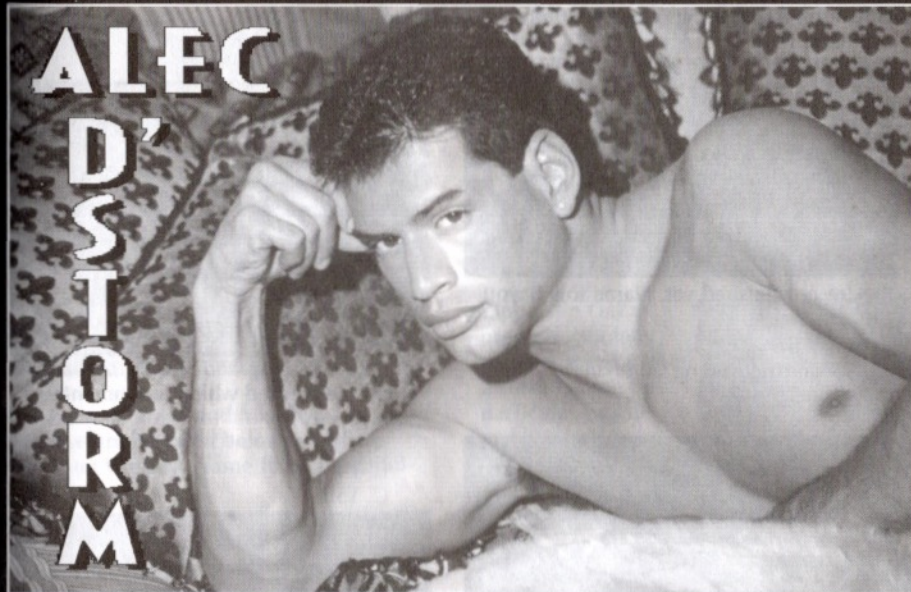


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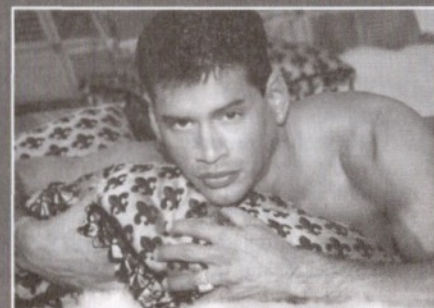
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Houston's #1 nightclub has undergone extensive remodeling during 1997 and



they're not finished yet. Name this Bayou City landmark.

- A. JR's Bar & Grill
- B. Montrose Mining Company
- C. Santa Fe



Who were crowned Emperor and Empress IV at the United Court of Austin's "Odyssey 2000: A Starlight Express"?

- A. David Green and Ray McDermott
- B. James Frank and John Bartiromo
- C. Alix Courtneie and John Cummings
- D. Cecilia Martay and Bob Hemby



Who swept the categories and won the 1998 Miss Gay Texas USofA title at Rich's?

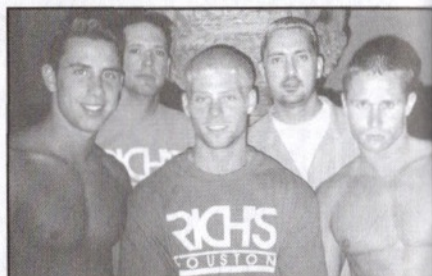
- A. Erica Andrews of San Antonio
- B. Whitney Paige of Dallas
- C. Tommie Ross of Houston
- D. Aretha Wells of Fort Worth

Last year's National Entertainer of the Year, Monica Munro, proudly crowned this year's winner, who hails from Dallas. Name her.

- A. Maya Douglas
- B. Sweet Savage

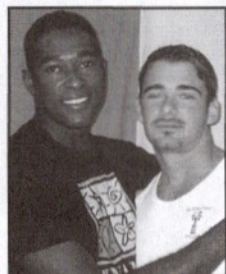


C. Lady Shawn
D. Tasha Kohl



The hunky group above were on hand as Rich's celebrated which monumental anniversary?

- A. 10th
- B. 14th
- C. 15th
- D. 29th



Handsome Alternatives manager Mark Lock presented many adult video stars during 1997. Who is he pictured with?

- A. Jeff Stryker
- B. Eric Hanson
- C. Howard Okon
- D. Steve Kelso



JR's Dallas manager Donald Solomon was there when the club had its grand re-opening. He is pictured with the CEO of Caven Enterprises. Name him.

- A. Aunt Paul Lewis
- B. Uncle Terry Schmidt
- C. Jack Polachek
- D. Kathy Jack

1997 TRIVIA QUIZ

Read along and test your knowledge of TEXAS TEA as we present our annual trivia quiz. Every week, TWT keeps you current on what's been going on around the state. How closely have you been reading?

The winners of Mr. and Miss Texas Universe are pictured below with first runner-up Versace. Name these beautiful people.



- A. Sandy Myers and Dawn Jackson
- B. Joe Elliott and Yolanda Jones
- C. Claudia Foster and Anthony Brown
- D. The Sweeneys: Tom and Ping



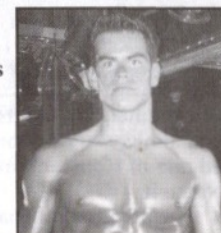
Inergy in Houston hosted the Mr. Gay South All-American contest. Name the winner?

- A. Robert Garza
- B. Byron Lourde
- C. Jason Hightower
- D. Val Rodela



Zipper in Dallas presents fabulous dancers seven nights a week. Name this particular hunk.

- A. Vivian Vance
- B. Myrna Monier
- C. Ricardo
- D. Stormy



The Forum in Austin presented singing sensation Linda Imperial. Who was she photographed with?

- A. Mark
- B. Darren
- C. Tiger
- D. Jaffe



Who was the winner of the 28th annual Miss Gay Dallas Pageant held at the Round-Up?

- A. Kelexis Davenport
- B. Laken Edwards

- C. Charity Case
- D. Victoria West
- E. Gizelle Bivon Ashton



In conjunction with its Labor Day weekend anniversary celebration, Heaven hosted one of Houston's most popular parties. Name it.

- A. Underground Foam Party
- B. I'm Forever Blowing Bubbles
- C. Suds and Studs
- D. Who Dropped The Soap?

Who wouldn't want a closer look at this gorgeous group of studs shown at Gentry.

Name this fantastic function.



- A. Show Me The Booty
- B. Let Us Dazzle You
- C. Jocks In Dresses
- D. Boys R Us

TEXAS TEA favorite Alberto James of Waco presents some of the state's hottest shows and pageants. Who is he pictured with?

- A. Janae Whitney St. James
- B. David Young



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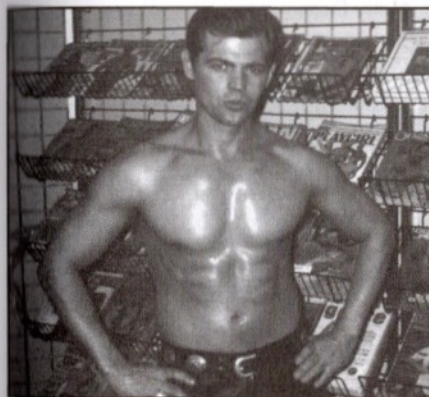
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- C. Sheena LaShay
- D. Jason Spitzer



Who won the title of Mr. Gay Texas USA?

- A. Matt Edwards
- B. Simply Divine
- C. Welton Blaylock
- D. Jordan Harold
- E. Christopher Graham



Name the gorgeous adult video magstar who made a joint appearance at Rich's and Alternatives of Adult Video Megaplexxx.

- A. Ryan Idol
- B. Tom Katt
- C. Jeff Stryker
- D. Monique Johnson

Who was crowned Miss BRB 1997?

- A. Devon DeVasquez
- B. Day-Leigh Edwards
- C. Shawna St. John
- D. Shelby St. John
- E. Paivi Lee Love



Soiree Aubergine's "New Year's Eve Aboard the S.S. Poseidon" was highlighted by a



Shelley Winters look-alike contest. Who was the winner?

- A. Crystal Rae Lee Love
- B. Pittypat Magnolia Sugarbaker
- C. Sparkle
- D. Regina Dane



Who won Crash Productions' Miss Space City USofA Pageant?

- A. Kourtney Van Wales
- B. Lady Shamu
- C. Jame Perry
- D. Craiganne Henderson



We caught Don, Manuel, Tim and Daniel "hanging out" at which San Antonio landmark?

- A. The Saint

- B. Bonham Exchange
C. 2015 Place
D. Prisms



Miss Continental Tasha Long and pageant promoter Jim Flint hosted their fabulous contest over which holiday weekend?

- A. Memorial Day
B. Labor Day
C. Easter
D. Fourth of July

Ted Roundtree was announced as the winner of Houston's most successful charity fundraiser. What is his title?

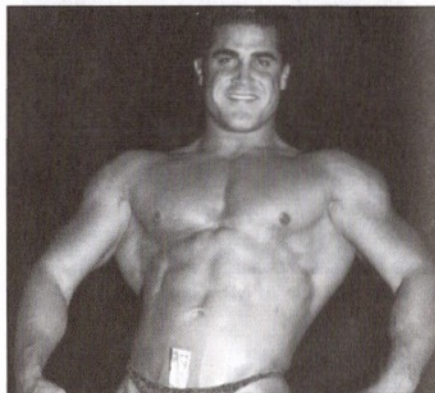
- A. Bayou Daddy
B. Hunk O' Houston
C. Miss Camp America
D. Mother of Montrose



Who are these two Big D movers and shakers?

- A. Mr. and Mrs. Vance Gilliam
B. Spankee and Stormy
C. Loosey Longstaff and Myrna Monier
D. Richard and Gary

Attendees at which Heaven event got to feast their eyes on handsome hunks like Kevin White?



- A. Street Fright Block Party
B. Renaissance Festival
C. Holly Daze

Who is the owner of The Club in Bryan pictured with Tracey Johnson and Blair?



- A. Barry Manilow
B. Michael Jackson
C. Elton John
D. Paul McCartney



Name the 1998 TGRA royalty pictured above?

- A. Ms. TGRA Nevada
B. Miss TGRA Destiny Harper
C. Mr. TGRA Kris Hamby
D. All of the above

Name the superstar pictured with lucky



Bill Heffner at her special appearance in Houston.

- A. Tina Turner
B. Celine Dion
C. Patti LaBelle
D. Liza Minelli



The fiercest show of 1997 took place when Heaven presented "An Evening of Illusion." Which superstars were portrayed?

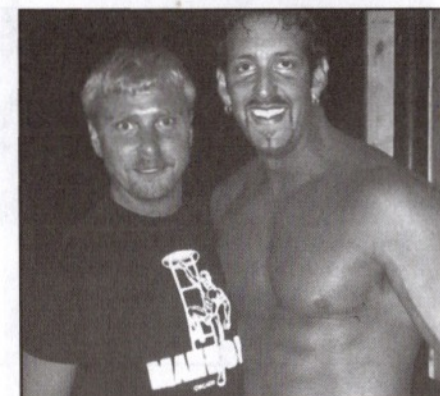
- A. Lucille Ball
B. Madonna
C. Barbra Streisand
D. Janet Jackson
E. Tina Turner



Which Capitol City institution encouraged everyone to "Shut Up and Dance"?

- A. Little Debbie

- B. Dolly Madison
C. Betty Cocker



Who's the great-looking guy pictured with house hunk Gaylon Zandt at The Brick in Dallas?

- A. Tony Brocco
B. Marco Rossi
C. Dallas Taylor



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B. Over \$1,000
C. Close to \$1,500
D. Almost \$2,500

She's big, she's blonde, she's beautiful and she hails from Longview. Who is she?

- A. Grandma Porky
B. Swinehilda



C. Petunia Pig
D. Loni Anderson



Houston's Pacific Street celebrated an evening of flesh and fantasy when they hosted the Mr. Texas Drummer Contest. Who was the winner?

A. Steve Waldron

B. Jeffrey Bays
C. Shann Carr
D. Ken Claude

Who were the winners of the triple crowning put on by Universe Pageantry at Bamboleo's?

A. Jame Perry
B. Tatianna
C. Ivanna Trampp
D. All of the above



Name the gorgeous twins who always set female hearts afluttering at Sue Ellen's New Sue Revue?



A. Pearl Lewis and Terry Schmidt
B. Donna Day and Valerie Lohr
C. Whitney Paige and Maya Douglas
D. Kris and Kandi

Which steamy songstress pictured with



promotions director Scott Lewis was a huge hit at Heaven last Spring?

A. Candy J
B. Jewel
C. Cher
D. Madonna

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A. Linda
B. Tonya
C. Dianna
D. Hot Chocolate



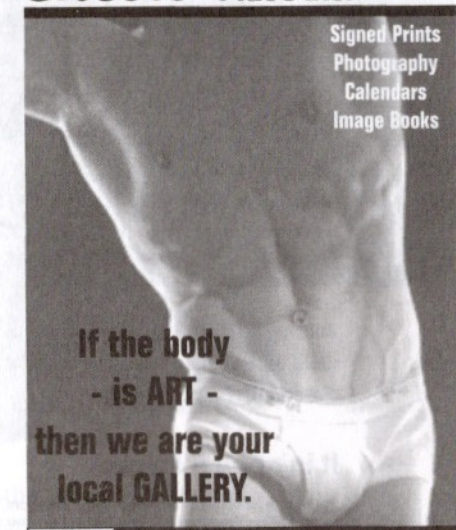
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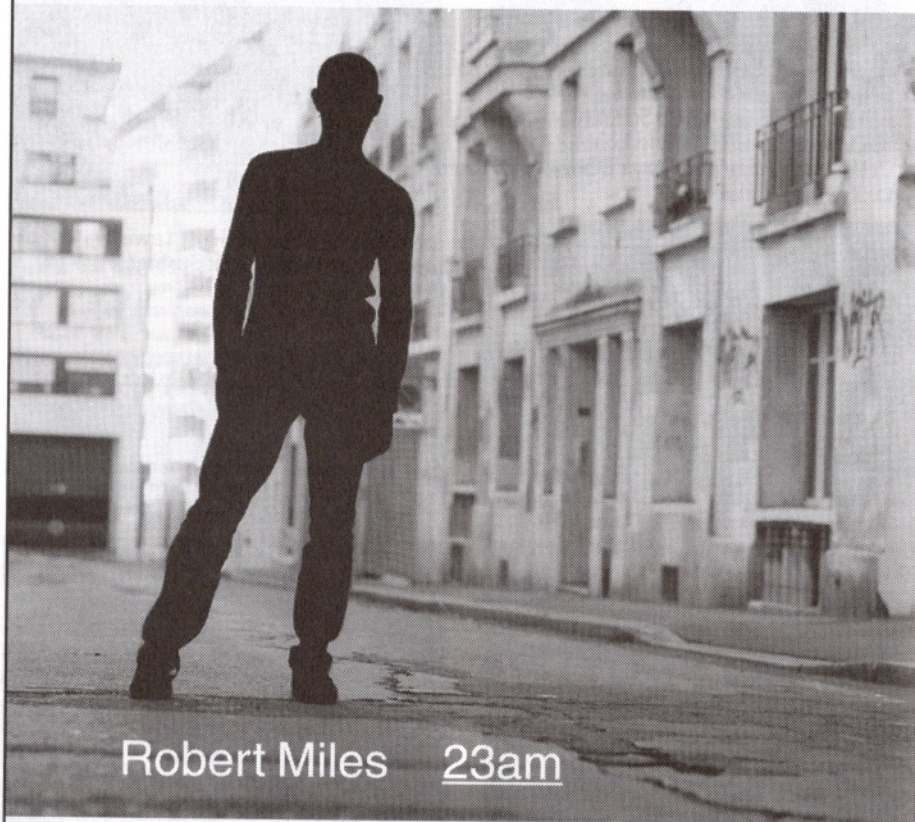
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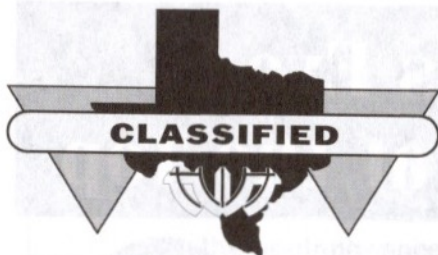
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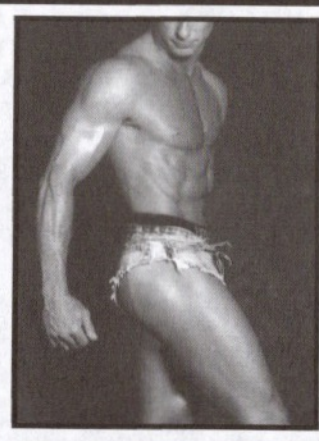
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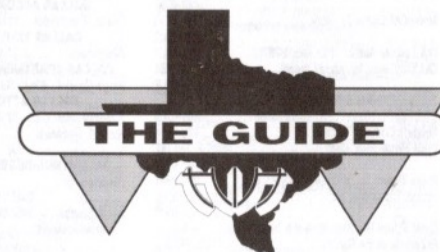
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Amty Int'l Mbrs for LG Concerns... 837-1596fax 836-9715
B.O.A.T... P.O. 1357/78767... 472-3333
Ecumenical Catholic Deameny of Texas... P.O. 1023/78766 (374)4483
Lesbian/Gay Rights Lobby... P.O. 2579/78768 (474)5475
Log Cabin Republicans of TX... P.O. 50484/78763 (467)9797
Positive Threads Newsletter... 478-9218
Texas AIDS Net... P.O. 2395/78768... 447-8887
Texas Freedom Network... P.O. 1624/78767 (322)0545
Texas Human Rights Found... P.O. 1626/Austin/78767-1626 (512)479-THRF (800)828-6417

TEXAS GROUPS BASED IN DALLAS (AC: 214/972)

AIDS Mastery... P.O. 36125/75235... 526-LIFE
Lambda Amateur Radio Club... P.O. 35343/75235 (522)1458
Lesbian/Gay Democrats of Texas... P.O. 22424 (521)5342, ext. 229
Texas Republicans for Equality & Privacy... P.O. 191033 (520)6655

TEXAS GROUPS BASED IN FORT WORTH (AC: 817)

Texas Gay Veterans... c/o TGLGA 3327 Winthrop, Suite 243/76116... 763-5544

TEXAS GROUP BASED IN SAN ANTONIO (AC: 210)

Texas Gay Rodeo Info... 735-4108

COMPUTER BULLETIN BOARDS (modem)

At Mswit's End (lesbian BBS)... 512-442-1565
Bare Facts (20+ lines/28.8k)... (Local)817/284-2551
Bare Facts (4 lines/28.8k)... (Metro)817/429-2667
The Bear's Den... 713-550-9243
DABBS - HIV/AIDS Info Service... 214-351-0007
First Time (42 lines)... 214-231-5250
First Time (D/FW Metro)... 214-697-3565
Gay Matchmaker (chat/20 lines)... (Metro)817-355-6600
Inner City Community (32 lines/chat/14.4)... 214-350-6656
Last Call... 713-523-8366
Male 2 Male... 512-389-2487
Man's Country... 214-520-8599
The Park (Waco)... 817-752-1939
The Pink Flamingo... 214-559-3994
The Rainbow Room... 512-473-2727
San Antonio Matchmaker... 210-224-6966
Taly's Lair (adults)... 214-352-2464
The Watering Hole... 713-895-8356

ABILENE CHURCHES (AC: 915)

Covenant of Hope Community Church... 142 Grape St... 677-7654
Exodus-MCC... P.O. 2473/79604... 672-7922

ABILENE CLUB (AC: 915)

Just Friends... 201 S. 14th... 672-9318

ABILENE ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 915)

Big Country AIDS Resources... 1109 Walnut/P.O. 1978 79604 • 672-3077/fax 672-3182
AIDS Hotline... (M-F, 4-10p)... 667-AIDS
T.C.H.D. STD/AIDS Clinic... 317 Pecan St... 676-7825

AMARILLO ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 806)

Amarillo Lesbian/Gay Alliance... P.O. 9361/79105 (373)5725
MCC of Amarillo... 372-4557
Parishwide AIDS Support Organization... 372-1050
Texas AIDS Project... 711 S. Virginia... 371-9110
Texas Gay Rodeo Association... 355-2666

ANGLETON ORGANIZATION (AC: 409)

Gulf Coast Center (HIV case manager)... 2512 N. Velasco 849-2311/(713)489-0545

ARLINGTON CHURCHES (AC: 817)

Christian Gays in Fellowship/EC... P.O. 120611/76012 (446)1555
Lutherans Concerned-Fort Worth/Arlington... 2800 W. Boyce... 924-3966
Trinity MCC... 609 Truman... (Metro)265-5454

ARLINGTON CLUB (AC: 817)

Arlington 651... 1851 W. Division... 275-9651

ARLINGTON ORGAN.HELPLINES (AC: 817)

AIDS Outreach Center... 401 W. Sanford, Suite 1100 (275)311
Alpha House, Inc... P.O. 2031/76004-2031
Crossdressers (T/Vs) Hairline... c/o Delta Omega, P.O. 1021... 264-7103
Tarrant County Gay Pride Week Assoc... Fort Worth, TX 76113

TARRANT COUNTY LESBIAN/GAY ALLIANCE

Tarrant County Lesbian/Gay Alliance... 3327 Winthrop, Suite 243/76116... 763-5544
UT Gay/Les. Assoc... P.O. 19345-77... 519-5140

ATHENS ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 903)

Parents, Families & Friends of Les. & Gays... 675-8326

AUSTIN ADULT THEATER (AC: 512)

Cinema West... 2130 S. Congress... 442-5719

AUSTIN BUSINESSES (AC: 512)

Katz's Deli & Bar... 616 W. 6th... 472-2037
Lobo... 3204-A Guadalupe... 454-5406
Midtown Spa/Austin... 5815 Airport Blvd... 302-9696
NB... 1014-B N. Lamar/78703... 478-3446
Stat Script Pharmacy... 3810 Medical Parkway... 411-7100

AUSTIN CHURCHES & RELIG. ORGAN. (AC: 512)

Affirmation (Methodist)... 451-2329
All Saints Ecumenical Catholic Church... c/o St. George's... 374-4483
AIDS Interfaith Alliance... 444-0787
Dignity/Austin... P.O. 2666... 467-7908
First Unitarian Church... 452-6168
Grace United Methodist Church... 205 E. Monroe/78704... 442-5944

Integrity (Episc)... P.O. 4327

Interfaith AIDS Care Teams (InterACT)... 445-6164/478-2404(TTY) 472-4934
The Kingdom Seekers (charismatic)... 1811 A S. Congress... 443-5940
LC/ACT-Lutherans Concerned (David Austin)... 832-4159

Live Oak Unitarian Universalist Church

Live Oak Unitarian Universalist Church... 13276 Research Blvd./109... 219-9008
MCCA... 425 Woodward... 708-8002
Mishpachat Am Echad (Jewish)... P.O. 9591... 451-7018

Open Circle at University Baptist

Open Circle at University Baptist... 14311 Wells Fort/78728... 251-0698
St. Andrew's Presbyterian Ch... 1306 W. Lynn... 476-8164

Texas Regional AIDS Interfaith Net (TRAIN)

Texas Regional AIDS Interfaith Net (TRAIN)... 600 East 50th... 451-0991

AUSTIN CLUBS (AC: 512)

'Bout Time... 9601 N. I-35... 832-5339
Chain Drive... 604 Willow... 480-9017
Charlie's... 1301 Lavaca... 474-6481
The Edge... 213 W. 4th... 480-8686
The Forum... 408 Congress... 476-2900
Rainbow Cattle Co... 305 W. 5th St... 472-5288
Sister's Edge... 113 San Jacinto... 457-8010

AUSTIN FITNESS CENTER (AC: 512)

Midtown Spa... 5815 Airport Blvd... 302-9696

AUSTIN ORGANIZATIONS/HELPLINES (AC: 512)

AA Austin (Live and Let Live)... 2700 W. Anderson Ln 412/78757... 453-1441
Adventuring Outdoors... P.O. 2332/78768... 445-2870
AIDS Deaf T.T.Y... 459-DEAF
AIDS Legal Resource Project... 815 Brazos #1000/78701... 479-8473

AIDS Services of Austin... P.O. 4674/78765

Amty Int'l Mbrs for LG Concerns... 837-1596fax 836-9715

Austin Lesbian/Gay Political Caucus... P.O. 822

Austin Latino/Les. & Gay Organ... 474-0750

ASA Information Line... 458-AIDS

ASHA (Alive & Surviving With HIV/AIDS)... P.O. 3891/78764... 444-5715

Austin Baptist Women... 442-6415

Austin Gay Nudists... P.O. 684101/78768-4101

NAMES Project... P.O. 14/78767... 385-3094

Austin Radical Fairies... 837-0970

Austin Gay & Lesbian Chamber of Commerce... 472-8299

Austin VO Clinic... 15 Waller... 469-0700

Bisexual Network... P.O. 8439/78713... 370-9573

Blue Collar Gays... 441-9174

Bound by Desire (women's S&M support group)... 339-9213

Capital City Men's Chorus... P.O. 50082... 477-7464

Capital City Riders Motorcycling Club... 326-2595

CARE Free HIV Test... 1633 E. 2nd... 473-CARE

Centex Rainbow Society of Deaf... P.O. 2555/78768

Classic Chassis Car Club... P.O. 12553/78711

Cornerstone (lesbian/gay/bi. community center)... 1117 Red River/78701... 708-1515

Couples-Austin-Texas... P.O. 684413/78768... 990-0182

E.C. Wood Foundation... P.O. 608/78767-0608

From All Walks of Life... 451-9807

FrontRunners... 472-8334

Gamblers (bowling)... 719-4737

Gay Fathers of Austin... 451-5835

Gay, Lesbian and Straight Education Network... P.O. 3803/78764... 373-1271

Heart of Texas Bears... P.O. 684391/78768... 344-2114

Helping Hands for Life, Inc... 478-1210

HIV Dental Project/Sansing Clinic... 479-6633

HIV Study Group... 450-1866

HIV Wellness Ctr... c/o St. George's Epis. Church... 467-0088

Hospice Austin... 4107 Spicewood Springs Rd... (800)445-3261

Informe SIDA (información sobre AIDS en español)... 472-2001

K.O.P. Radio... P.O. 2116/78768... 472-1369

Lesbian/Gay Pride Commission of Austin... P.O. 402064/78704... 479-9431

Log Cabin Republicans of Austin... P.O. 5484/78763

Men of All Colors Together 467-9797
 P.O. 7151/78713

Nat. Leather Assoc. P.O. 49801/78705 928-2590
 703-8927

Out Youth (gay, les. & bi. teens) 1117 Red River/78701
 708-1234/Helpline 477-HELP

Parents, Families & Friends of Les. & Gays
 P.O. 9151/78786 302-FLG4
 People's Community Clinic 478-8924
 Pride Health Fest Club 4805 A Teri Rd.
 707-9070

Prime Timers P.O. 14892/78761-4892 282-2861
 Project Transitions, Inc. P.O. 4826/78765 454-8646

David Powell HIV Assessment & Treat. Clinic 479-6121
 Round-Up at the Ranch 11900 FM 812
 Del Valle/78617 243-2608

SapphFire 243-2608

Sex and Love Addicts Anonymous 440-1494

Southern Country P.O. 13151/78711 243-1578

Team Austin 443-8878

Texas Gay Rodeo Association P.O. 1511/78767
 833-0747

United Court of Austin, Inc. P.O. 150235/78715-0235
 2525 Wallingwood

Waterloo Counseling Center 329-9922
 Bldg. 15, Suite 1500/78746

BASTROP ORGANIZATION (AC 512)
 Rural AIDS Serv. P.O. 1002 Chestnut 303-1403

BEAUMONT CHURCHES (AC 409)
 Rainbow Christian Church 2120 Victoria/77701
 833-2501

Spindletop Unitarian Church 1575 Spindletop Rd.
 77705/0136 833-6883

BEAUMONT CLUB (AC 409)
 Crockett Street Sta. 497 Crockett 833-3989

BEAUMONT ORGANIZATIONS (AC 409)
 Lambda Group AA 6300 College 835-1506

Triangle AIDS Network 2544 Broadway/77702
 832-8338

BROWNSVILLE ORGANIZATION (AC 956)
 AIDS Information Line 1-800-333-7432

BRYAN/COLLEGE STATION RELIGIOUS ORGAN.
 (AC 409)
 Rainbow Christians 846-8187

BRYAN/COLLEGE STATION CLUB (AC 409)
 The Club 308 N. Bryan Ave. 823-6767

BRYAN/COLLEGE STATION ORGAN (AC 409)
 AIDS Services of Brazos Valley 1702-B S. Texas Ave.
 Suite 202/Bryan 260-ADIDS

Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Affairs 847-0321

Lambda AA MHMR Coffeehouse
 (S. Bryan and Sims) 846-3390

Parents, Families & Friends of Les. & Gays 694-2617

Planned Parenthood (HIV testing/STD screening)
 4001 E. 29th #103/Bryan 260-1061

Speakers Bureau 847-0321

CARROLLTON CHURCHES & RELIG. ORGAN.
 (AC 214)
 Cathedral of Light 2040 N. Denton 245-6520

Seventh-Day Adventist Kinship P.O. 110116/75011
 416-1358

COMMERCE ORGANIZATION (AC 903)
 ANGLS/Association for the Needs of Gay and Lesbian St.
 at East Texas State Univ. 886-5205

CORPUS CHRISTI CHURCHES & RELIG. ORGAN.
 (AC 512)
 Dignity/Corpus Christi 937-2604

Metropolitan Community Church of Corpus Christi
 1315 Craig St./78404 882-8255

Society of Friends (Quakers) P.O. 3298/78463
 993-1207

CORPUS CHRISTI CLUBS (AC 512)
 Club Zodiac 4125 Goliath 853-5080

Frenz 511 Starr St. 822-9727

Hidden Door 802 S. Staples 862-5000

Members Only Ayers 862-3775

Mingles 512 S. Staples 864-0022

U.B.U. 511 Starr 862-9693

CORPUS CHRISTI ORGANIZATIONS (AC 512)
 Coastal Bend AIDS Foundation 527 Gordon
 814-2001

Gays Getting Together P.O. 331394/78463-1394
 862-6550

Isla Mujeres (Yo) 854-1471

Loving Spontail P.O. 3534/78404 863-7763

The Passage (AIDS care residence) P.O. 1454/78403
 867-7042

RSIC Texas Riviera Empire P.O. 3882/78463
 937-6557

DALLAS ACCOMMODATIONS (AC 214)
 Dallas Grand Hotel 1914 Commerce 747-7000

DALLAS ADULT THEATER (AC 214)
 Alternatives 1720 W. Mockingbird 630-7071

DALLAS APARTMENT COMMUNITIES (AC 214)
 Kings Quarter Kings Rd. at Cedar Springs 521-8881

DALLAS ATTORNEYS (AC 214/972)
 Kowalski, John 3210 Oak Lawn 526-9699

Stewart, Charles L. 3500 Oak Lawn 4000
 521-3804

DALLAS BUSINESSES/SERVICES (AC 214/972)
 Aardvark, Etc. veterinary services/grooming
 2525 Wycliff, Suite 103 520-8635

Asoci Tuxedos 3400 Oak Lawn/75219 520-8897

Crossroads Market 3930 Cedar Springs 521-8919

Eagle Honda (Jack Averitt) 5311 Lemmon Ave. 357-0700

Ewing & Assoc. (insurance) 866-8445

Leather by Boots 2525 Wycliff, Suite 124 529-3865

Linked Vitality Benefits 3500 Oak Lawn 4000
 523-9678

Oak Lawn Records & CDs 3810 Congress 521-0350

Simple Elegance Florist 4028 Cedar Springs 559-6171

Stat Script Pharmacy 1-800-829-3344

3818 Cedar Springs #106 522-4006

8226 Douglas #331 373-3494

Union Jack 3920 Cedar Springs 528-9600

Zebra Printing & Graphics 4054 McKinney #103
 599-9264

DALLAS CHURCHES & RELIG. ORGAN.
 (AC 214/972)
 Affirmation (Methodist) 528-4913

Bethany Presbyterian Church 4523 Cedar Springs Rd.
 5910 Cedar Springs 351-1801

Cathedral of Hope MCC 351-1801

Congregation Beth El B'nai P.O. 191188/75219
 497-1591

Bethany Presbyterian Church 528-0848

Cathedral of Light 2040 N. Denton Carrollton/75006
 (972)245-6520

Dallas Center for A Course in Miracles 942-6298

Dignity/Dallas (Catholic gays/lesbians) P.O. 190133/75219
 521-5342, ext. 832

Disciples of Christ gay/lesbian support (GLAD) 946-2184
 P.O. 190181/75219

First Unitarian Church of Dallas 4015 Normandy
 528-3990

Friends Full Gospel 5427 Phillip Ave. 821-4332

Gay People in Christian Science P.O. 2878

Grace Fellowship 411 S. Westmoreland 333-9797

Holy Trinity Community Church 4402 Roseland
 827-5088

Honesty (Baptists) P.O. 190869/75219
 521-5342, ext. 233

MCC in Oak Cliff 3839 W. Kiess Blvd. 941-5769

Orthodox Skete of St. Herman of Alaska P.O. 797701
 75379

St. Mary, the Holy Theotokos Orthodox Catholic Church 521-5342, ext. 465

St. Thomas the Apostle Episcopal Church 6525 Inwood Rd. 352-0410

Seventh-Day Adventist Kinship P.O. 38454

Universal Creator's Community Church 416-1358

White Rock Community Church 722 Tension Memorial Rd. 320-0043

White Rock Friends HIV Support 320-0106

DALLAS CLUBS (AC 214/972)
 Bamboleo's 5027 Lemmon Ave. 520-1124

Brick 4117 Maple Ave. 521-2024

Buddies II 4025 Maple Ave. 528-0887

Crews Inn 3215 N. Fitzhugh 528-9510

Dallas Eagle 2515 Inwood Rd. #107 357-4375

Hidden Door 5025 Bowser 528-0620

JR's 3923 Cedar Springs 559-0650

Jugs 3810 Congress 521-3474

Kokors 2525 Wycliff 520-2525

The Metro 2204 Elm 742-2101

Moxy Club 4011 Cedar Springs 520-MOXY

Round-Up Saloon 3912 Cedar Springs 522-9611

Sue Ellen's 3903 Cedar Springs 559-0650

TMC 3014 Throckmorton 559-0650

Trestle 412 S. Haskell 826-9988

Village Station 3911 Cedar Springs 559-0650

Zippers 3333 N. Fitzhugh 528-9519

DALLAS COUNSELING (AC 214/972)
 Bedrick, Dianna M. Ph.D., L.P.C. 223 S. Montclair Ave.
 75208 948-5557

Oak Lawn Community Services 4300 MacArthur 520-8108

DALLAS DOCTORS (AC 214/972)
 Belkos, Nicholas C., M.D. 8226 Douglas Ave., Suite 311
 (24 hours) 890-7943

Diamond, Susan M., M.D. 8226 Douglas #311 890-7943

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

Midtowne Spa 2509 Pacific 821-8989

DALLAS ORGANIZATIONS/HELPLINES
 (AC 214/972)
 ACT-UP/Dallas 521-5342, ext. 224

Addictive Alcohol & Drug Crisis Line 824-6503

African-American HIV/AIDS Support Group 941-7696

African-American Lesbian, Gay & Bisexual Coalition 526-8376

AIDS ARMS 4300 MacArthur #160, LBS 521-5191

AIDS Clinic/Parkland Hospital 5201 Harry Hines Blvd. #6B 590-5632

AIDS Funding Association 522-3722

AIDS Hotline 559/24371-800-824-ADIDS

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/PWACD 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
 520-2205/1-800-520-5611

Alliance of Design Professionals P.O. 565112
 526-2085

ARC Client Services 521-5444

ARC fax line 522-4604

Asians & Friends P.O. 9142/75208 488-5906

Asian Gay Males: Dragon Flies P.O. 190869/75219
 521-5342, ext. 852

Assoc. for Gay, Lesbian & Bisexual Education 824-9242

Big D Longhorns Square Dance Club P.O. 190869/75219
 521-5342, ext. 272

Bryan's House 559-3946

Buddy Project 520-8108

Call-Out teen info line 520-7433

Cheer Dallas 1317 McAdams/75224 822-9229

Classic Chassis Car Club P.O. 7703/75209
 521-3859

Client Services fax line 699-9306

Club Francais Gai de Dallas 660-0100

Condolenters Anonymous/Lambda 520-8108

Couples/Metro Dallas P.O. 803156/5380
 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. 612813/52561
 933-4334

DFW Young Nudists Club P.O. 802815/5380
 522-4365

Dine Center (adult day care for PWAs) 522-4365

Dal. Co. Deaf AIDS Task Force P.O. 835546
 Richardson/75083

Dallas Bears P.O. 191223/75219-8223
 521-5342, ext. 880

Dallas Gay & Lesbian Alliance P.O. 190712
 528-4233

Dallas Gay Deutschklub 324-8085

DIVA (volleyball) P.O. 190869/75219-0869
 521-5342, ext. 804

D.I.C.D.T. (Dal. Invt. Community Day Tr. Bowling Org.) 240-8351

Dallas Legal Hospice 370 W. 7th 941-2600

Dallas NAMES Project 823-3899

Dallas Silver Sabres 3230 Ardabritt Dr./75211
 467-3474

Dallas Tavern Guild 3300 Reagan St./75219
 521-0638

Deaf Action Center 521-0407

Different Strokes Golf Assoc. 748-8580
 4130 Proton Dr., #13-D
 Addison/75244

Eastfield Lambda Student Alliance 324-7185

Federal Club P.O. 191153/75219 699-5889

Federal GLOBE of Texas, Inc. P.O. 50961/75250
 264-2800

Firedancers (leather/fet club) P.O. 190869/75219-0869
 521-3390

Food Pantry 521-3390

Foundation for Human Understanding 528-0144

Friends Associating & Relating (972)640-7386

Gay and Lesbian Community Center 2701 Reagan St.
 528-9254

Gay & Lesbian Parents Coalition International-DFW P.O. 670069/75367
 521-5342, ext. 808

Gay & Lesbian Switchboard 528-0202

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 558-1696

Gaymsters Bridge Club P.O. 190856/75219-0856
 526-8376

GLAAD/Dallas P.O. 190869/75219-0869
 521-5342, ext. 280

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

Immunos (aerobics) 522-0650

Kyro Proj. 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/812/267-9055

Lambda Car Club P.O. 710271/75371 521-7039

Lambda Condolenters Anonymous 520-8108

Lambda Meeting/Sex & Love Addicts Anon. 241-5442

Lambda Overaters Anonymous 488-3301

Lambda Weekly (radio program) P.O. 30531/75235
 823-8930

Lambda AA 2727 Oak Lawn 522-6259

Leadership Lambda Inc./Toastmasters P.O. 190228/75219 712-6430

A League of Our Own (bowling) 363-9414

Leather Knights P.O. 190111/75219 521-5342, ext. 871

Lesbian Book Club 331-5513

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. 944

Life Walk 443-WALK

Men of All Colors Together P.O. 190611/75219
 521-4783

Log Cabin/Metroplex 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
 P.O. 759775/2509 521-5342, ext. 820

Nat. Leather Assoc. P.O. 759775/2509
 521-5342, ext. 820

North Texas Assoc. of Physicians for Human Rights 12222 Coit Rd. 233-3100

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)285-8842

Oak Lawn Community Services P.O. 191069/75219
 4300 MacArthur #200 520-8108

Oak Lawn Ski Club 521-5342, ext. 469

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 Thirties) olo Gay & Les. Comm. Ctr.
 P.O. 190869/75219-0869 871-1611

Parents, Families & Friends of Les. & Gays 348-1704

Parents Support Group (PWA) 262-8478/27271
 Pegasus Softball Assoc. P.O. 191075
 528-4610

Perseus Mist Treatments 528-2396/521-5124

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

Police Harassment Reporting 528-4233

Positive-Personals 521-5342, ext. 250

Presbyterians for Lesbian/Gay Concerns 823-2317

Prime Timers P.O. 191101/75219 (972)504-8866

Queer Nation/Dallas P.O. 64091/75206
 504-8720

Rainbow Flyers Pilots Assoc. P.O. 190990/75219
 521-5342, ext. 840

Rainbow Garden Club P.O. 225811/75222-6811
 (972)640-7386

Rainbowers (Tues. at 8:30) 528-5813

Rainbow Skydiving Club 357-9880

Respect All Youth (youth) 521-5342, ext. 288

Rice Gay & Lesbian Alumni Assoc./DFW Chapter 834 S. Montclair Ave./75208-5856
 (Michael) 942-9537

Sin Fronteras (radio program) P.O. 190922/75219
 826-8869

Stonewall (Narc. Anon.) 5415 Maple, Suite 120/75235
 Stonewall Democrats 331-3949

Stonewall Dive 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
 528-1115

Texas Human Rights Found. P.O. 1626/Dallas 78767-1626
 (800)828-6417/(512)479-THRF

Team Dallas P.O. 190869/75219-0869
 521-5342, ext. 800

Team Dallas Aquatics (972)579-6340

Texas Fathers for Equal Rights P.O. 50052
 One Main Pl. Stat. 741-4800

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 528-3214

Umoja Hermanas (lesbians of color) 943-8750/946-7108

United Court 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 CLUB (AC 817)
 Bedo's 1215 E. University 566-9910

DENTON ORGANIZATIONS (AC 817)
 AIDS Services of Denton 381-1501

Courage/UNT Student Group 565-6110

Harvest Metropolitan Community Church 321-3332

I-35 at Exit 460 381-1491

Parents, Families & Friends of Les. & Gays 381-1491

EL PASO CLUBS (AC 915)
 Old Plantation 301 S. Ochoa 533-6055

San Antonio Mining Company 800 E. San Antonio
 533-9516

EL PASO ORGANIZATIONS (AC 915)
 AIDS Info Eng-543-3574 Span-543-3575

GLBT Community Center 910 N. Mesa (near)
 533-6024

HIV & STD testing 222 S. Campbell 543-3560

Lambda Line (helpline/switchboard/24 hrs.) 562-GAYS

Lambda Services P.O. 31321/79931-0321

MCC El Paso 9828 Montana 591-4151

National Gay & Les. Victim Assist. Hotline (hate crimes) 800-259-1538

Southwest AIDS Comm. 1505 Mesalero
 732-3366

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. 521-5683

Honesty (Baptists) 924-4159

Special Invitation Ministries 1520 Hemphill

FORT WORTH CLUBS (AC 817)
 Corral Club 621 Hemphill 335-0196

Crossroads 515 S. Jennings Coming Soon

D.J.'s 1308 St. Louis 927-7321

Lancaster Beach Club 2620 E. Lancaster at Beach
 535-4363

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
 268-4100

FORT WORTH ORGAN.HELPLINES (AC 817)
 AIDS Awareness Clinic 2825 E. Rosedale
 534-CARE

AIDS Helpline 870-7346

AIDS Information Line 336-0086
 (outside Tarrant Co.) 1-800-836-0086

AIDS Interfaith Network 1425 Pennsylvania Ave./76104 870-4800

AIDS Outreach Center 1125 W. Peter Smith
 335-1994

Alliance News (TCLGA) 877-5544

Assoc. of Gay/Les./B. Educators 329-3415

Bridge the Gap, Inc. (HIV/AIDS testing, educ.) 2825 E. Rosedale/76105 531-0223

Co-Dependents Anonymous 517-5847

Couples w/gay or bisexual partner 338-4551

Cowtown Leathermen 536-8051

Crisis/Suicide Intervention (24-hr. hel.) 927-5544

Diversity 689-7925

Family Violence Counseling 282-2211

Fort Worth Forum 877-5544

Fort Worth Gay Pride Week Assoc. P.O. 345976/113
 Fort Worth Men's Chorus P.O. 101464
 373-0122

Future Fort Worth-Arlington 5736 Pershing
 323-9031

GALA/Gay and Lesbian Assoc. of T.C.J.C.
 T.C.J.C. Student Act. Bldg. 828 Harwood
 Hurst/76054 788-6644

Gay/Lesbian Youth 338-4551

Health Dept. STD Info 871-7357

Health Education Learning Project 332-7722

HIV Anonymous Support 292-9494

Imperial Court of Fort Worth/Arlington 654-9114

Imperial Privacy Council P.O. 36576101
 Institute for Teen AIDS Prevention P.O. 136116/76136
 237-0230

Lambda AA 1700 8th Ave./76110 921-2871

Lambda Alanon 737-7681

Leadership Luncheon Forum 877-5544

Lone Star Bowling League 338-0706

Lone Star Charity Rodeo Assoc. 336-7927

Longhorn Bowling Assoc. (Tony) 283-8295

NAMES Project 33-NAMES

Over the Hill, Inc. (HIV/AIDS testing center) 2001 S. Fwy/76104 922-9955

Parents, Families & Friends of Les. & Gays 498-5607

Respect-T.C.J.C. NE Campus 281-7860

Ribbons of Hope 763-8168

Ryan Avenue AA 3144 Ryan Ave. 626-9398

Samaritan House 2200 Ephraim fax 626-8289

Second Saturday (gay male socials) 795-1376

Second Tuesday (lesbian socials) 795-1376

Sex Addicts Anonymous 461-8801

Sexuality Education Center 338-4551

Spiritual AIDS Ministry 535-5002

Survivors of Incest 335-4330

Tarrant County Lesbian/Gay Alliance 1219 6th Ave./76104
 877-5544/fax 877-1626

Tarrant County Tavern Guild 877-4419

T.C.M.E.R.F. Drug Treatment Ctr. 900 Southland Ave.
 TCU Triangle Student Gr. 921-7103/36-5454/
 336-1978 HIV clinic 534-2273

Teen Project Hotline 332-8382

Texas AIDS Network (Thomas B.) 335-1994

Texas Gay Rodeo Assoc. P.O. 78676101
 731-2143

Texas Gay Veterans 877-5544

TV/TS Support Group (214)264-7103
 Women's Singles 249-1622

GALVESTON CLUB (AC 409)
 Kon-Tiki 315 23rd (Tremont) 763-6284

GALVESTON ORGANIZATIONS (AC 409)
 AIDS Coalition of Coastal Texas, Inc. 1419 Tremont
 763-ADIDS

Galveston Tennis Network (Jerry) 765-5071

Gulf Coast Center (HIV case management) 762-5935

Lambda AA 1721 Tremont (23rd) 684-2140/(713)489-1573

Parents, Families & Friends of Les. & Gays 744-7558/765-8640

Silk Sticking Ball David Bump, P.O. 5295/77554 737-3122

HARLINGEN CLUB (AC: 956)	306-77250
Colors	703 Ed Carey Dr. 440-8663
HOOD COUNTY ORGANIZATION (AC: 817)	
AIDS Resources of Rural Texas	P.O. 1720/Weatherford 76086 596-3022
HOUSTON ACCOMMODATIONS (AC: 713/281)	
The Lovett Inn	501 Lovett 522-5224
	(800) 779-5224
The Montrose Inn	408 Avondale 520-0206
	(800) 357-1229
HOUSTON ADULT BOOKSTORES (AC: 713/281)	
Adult Video Megaplex	8100 N. Frey 431-1881
After Dark News	1431 W. 18th 431-1881
Big City News & Video	10105 Gulf Frey 431-1881
Gay Light News	3519 Bellaire 431-1881
I-45 North	9924 North Frey 431-1881
HOUSTON ADULT THEATER (AC: 713/281)	
French Quarter	3201 Louisiana 527-0782
HOUSTON ATTORNEYS (AC: 713/281)	
Archer, Danna K.	524-1273
Green, Bill (24 hrs.)	266-1004
Lozano, Deborah C.	682-2999
Milledge, Samuel L.	465-3385
Ritchie & Glass (24 hrs.)	521-9216
Simon & Kneisek	524-6000
Walker, Jim	552-1117
HOUSTON BUSINESSES/SERVICES (AC: 713/281)	
Advance/Diamond Vacations	One Greenway Plaza, Suite 890 888-1023
Basic Brothers	1232 Westheimer 522-1626
Bogart's on the Blvd. (salon)	1536 Heights 802-1281
Cloline Country Store	6511 FM 1464 at Westheimer 281-9277-9534
Crossroads Market	1111 Westheimer 524-0147
Dramatika	310 W. 19th St. 868-5050
Exposure Prints by Tio	736-8069
Gingies Formal Wear	Galleria Mall III 626-3318
Jack Roach Ford	6445 SW. Frey 281-588-5000
Leather by Boots	807 Fairview 526-2668
Linked Vitalist Benefits	811 Westheimer #280 526-6777
Lobo Bookshop	3939 Montrose, Suite S. 522-5156
Meeting and Planning	266-2062
Muscles in Action (C.J. Harrington)	965-9917
Rice Pharmacy	527-8339
Star Script Pharmacy	4101 Greenbriar #235 521-1700-521-5855
	3407 Montrose 522-7373
Tuxedo Gallery	1214 W. 43 688-3199
Universe Pageantry System	S. Cherry Park 345-8959
	(713) 339-1013
USA Pageantry	409/258-3873
	523-5293
HOUSTON CHURCHES & RELIG. ORGAN. (AC: 713/281)	
Bering Memorial United Methodist Church	1440 Harold 526-1017
City of Refuge Evangelistic Ministry	c/o 9600 Braes Bayou Dr. #72 773-2872
Community Gospel	4305 Lillian 880-9235
Community of the Reconciling Servant	(Presbyterian/Reformed) 462-7154
Covenant Baptist Church	6610 Alder St. 668-8830
Dawn of Faith Christian Church	8405-K Alameda-Genoa 991-6766
Dignity/Houston	1307 Yale, Suite H 680-2872
First Lutheran Church	5200 Fannin 526-5200
Grace Lutheran Church	2515 Vaughn 526-7708
Hou. Mission Church	1505 Nevada 529-8225
Integrity (Episcopalians and friends)	P.O. 66008/77266-6008 528-6771
Jewish Family Services	4131 S. Braeswood 667-9336
Kingdom Community Church	4404 Blossom 862-7533
Kolbe Project	861-1800
Lutherans Concerned/Houston	869-4218
MCCR	1919 Decatur 861-9149
Maranatha Fellowship MCC	3400 Montrose, 8600 667-0332/77266-7032 528-6756
Mishpachah Alzheim (gay and lesbian Jews)	P.O. 980136/77298-0136 748-7079
Pentecostal Family of Montrose	4305 Lillian 880-9235
Presbytery of New Covenant	41 Oakdale 526-7508

P.O. 77305/77215-3305	782-4380
G.A.N.G. (Gay Alumni Non over 40s)	622-6918
Garden and Yard Society	661-8378/520-1068
Garden Party	P.O. 66693/77266-6693
Gay Fathers/Fathers First of Houston (John)	861-0153
	861-6181
Gay & Lesbian Health Professionals	523-4700
Gay & Lesbian Switchboard	P.O. 66468/77266-6468
	529-3211
Gay, Lesbian and Straight Teachers Network	529-4571
Gay/Lesbians of Rice	527-8101
Gay Men's Chorus	P.O. 541004/77254-1004
Gay Men's Network	529-3211
Gay, Lesbian & Bisexual Alliance at U of H	P.O. 314/77204-3650 743-5180
Good Sports (college sports fans)	523-9180
Greater Houston Gay & Lesbian Chamber of Commerce	1109 Hyde Park/77006 523-7578
Greater Houston Pocket Billiards League (PJ)	863-8482
Grey Party	P.O. 130773/77219
Stone Soup (AFH)	P.O. 66405/77266-6405 877-1191
Team Houston	P.O. 66405/77266-6405 877-1191
Texas Gay Rodeo Association	P.O. 130585/77219-0585 777-1444
Hate Crimes Hotline	P.O. 66468/77266-6468
Health Dept. AIDS Hotline	794-9020
Heartson (women's chorus)	P.O. 980243/77098-0243 917-4910
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HIV Counseling	701 Richmond 529-0337
Houston Area Bears	P.O. 66443/77228 867-9123
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Houston Black Tie Dinner	523-9511
Houston Gay & Lesbian Parents	P.O. 66647/77269
Houston Gay & Lesbian Political Caucus	P.O. 66647/77269 521-1000
Houston Gay/Lesbian Pride Week '97	P.O. 66071/77266-6071 529-6979
Houston Lesbian and Gay Community Center	P.O. 2304/77252 867-7004
Houston Metropolitan Billiards League	299-8369
Houston Outdoor Group	KAMP-OUT
Houston Pride Band	309 Stratford #4 524-0218
Houston Tennis Club	692-2703
Houston Wednesday Night Mixers Bowling	522-9612
Houston Women's Softball League	P.O. 70666/77270
	Trish 668-9468
Houston Wrestling Club	1109 Hyde Park #116/77008 587-5428
Imperial Court of the Single Star	P.O. 980444/77098-0444 524-9261
Independent Billiard League	P.O. 66696/77266-6696 524-9261
Inner Loop Sunday Bowling	522-9612
Integrity (Episcopalians and Friends)	528-6771
Jewish Family Services	4131 S. Braeswood 667-9336
Just for Us (teens with gay/lesb. parents)	284-4339
Krewes of Olympus/Texas	P.O. 920794/77292
KPFT Radio	419 Lovett 526-4000
Lambda Center AA	1201 W. 4th (office) 521-1243 (lobby) 528-9772
Lambda Roller skating Club	7414 Puerto Vallarta/77083 729-7077
Larry Garrett Fund, Inc. (10a-6p)	11525 Burdine #421/77035 729-7077
Lesb./Gay Students/Univ Clear Lake	2700 Bay Area/77058 529-0077
Lesbians in Business	529-0077
Lesbians Over Age 50	P.O. 980601 661-1482
Log Cabin Houston	P.O. 131104/77219-1104 529-9100
Lone Star Nudist Group	P.O. 66621/77266 866-8847
Lone Star Volleyball Association	878-4629
MCC Library (Gay & Lesbian Archives)	861-9149
Miss Camp America Foundation	P.O. 742/Bellaire/77202 940-STAR
Monday Night Women's Bowling	437-6218/862-3630
Montrose Clinic	215 Westheimer 520-2000
Montrose Counseling Center	701 Richmond 529-0037
Montrose Ice Picks	P.O. 66450/77266 667-7367
Montrose Monday Night Men's Bowling	641-5424
Montrose Softball League	P.O. 541954/77254-1954 867-3913
NAMES Project	4617 Montrose #C-140 52-NAMES
Narcotics Anonymous (24-hr. helpline)	661-4200
Nat. Leather Assoc.	P.O. 66553/77266-6553
Nearshore Association	1413 Westheimer/77006
North Montrose Civic Assoc.	P.O. 130184/77219-0184 523-1139
Omega House, Inc.	602 Branard 706-2508
Outrage, Inc.	1436 W. Gray #2/977019

Parents, Families & Friends of Les. & Gays	867-9020
Pvt Patrol	522-1954
Presidents Club (HGLPC past pres.)	P.O. 66844
Prime Times	P.O. 980612/77098-0612 667-3903
PWA Coalition	3400 Montrose, Suite 106 522-5428
Q Patrol	528-SAFE/72323
Rainbow Fishing Club	P.O. 66450/77266
Rainbow Rangers Dance Club	3115 Houston Ave./77009 880-0670
Rice U. Gay and Lesbian Alumni Assoc. (Rice GALA)	(Neal Tannahill) 528-6718
Soiree Aubergine	524-9304
Southeast Texas Legal Clinic	(HIV term. lit. legal clinic) 3400 Montrose, Suite 203/77006 523-7852
Southern Country Houston	P.O. 1502/77262
St. Michael's AIDS Support Group	1801 Stage 221-4370
Steven's House	522-5757
Stone Soup (AFH)	522-6796
Team Houston	P.O. 66405/77266-6405 877-1191
Texas Gay Rodeo Association	P.O. 130585/77219-0585 777-1444
Texas Invitational Bowling Tournament	794-9020
	(Andrea) 447-8133 (Tom) 522-9612
Texas Riders-Houston	P.O. 66545/77266-6545 529-0337
That's What Friends Are For (10a-6p) (AIDS charity event)	11525 Burdine #421/77035 729-7077
TLC House (HIV-positive shelter)	902-2231
TV-TG-TS Helpline	780-4282
United States Mission (res. shelter program)	810 Branard 432-0355
Visiting Nurse Association	520-8115
Wednesday Night Mixers Bowling	(Tom) 522-9612
Women's Info. and Referral	528-2121
Women for Sobriety (Pat)	520-1500
Women's Center	528-6798
HUNTSVILLE ORGANIZATION (AC: 409)	
Planned Parent. (HIV counseling)	2405-C Ave. 259-6396
IRVING ATTORNEY (AC: 214)	
Kowalski, John	(Metro214) 445-4149
LAREDO ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 956)	
AIDS Gateway Community Health Center	200 W. Lyon 722-5780
City Health Dept. HIV Project	722-2437
LONGVIEW CHURCH (AC: 903)	
Church With A Vision	420 E. Cotton St. 753-1501
LONGVIEW CLUBS (AC: 903)	
Decisions	2103 E. Marshall 527-4884
Lifestyles	446 N. Eastman 758-8082
LONGVIEW ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 903)	
Special Health Resources/Serv. & Test.	1-800-526-0669
American Red Cross/AIDS support group	753-2091
Lambda AA	906 Padon 236-3974
LUBBOCK CHURCH (AC: 806)	
MCC Lubbock	4501 University 792-5562
LUBBOCK CLUB (AC: 806)	
Captain Hollywood	Main and Ave. X 740-6442
LUBBOCK ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 806)	
Gay/Lesbian Student Assoc.	P.O. 4310, SOS office #8 745-9207
Lambda AA	828-3316
LLGA	P.O. 4310/79464 766-7184
PFLAG	P.O. 94493/79413-4493 799-5466
South Plains AIDS Resource Center	4819 Ave. Q P.O. 6949/79493 765-0444
LUFKIN ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 409)	
East Texas AIDS Project	569-8240
Planned Parent. (HIV counseling)	1304 Frank 634-8446
MCALL CLUBS (AC: 956)	
PBD's Lounge	Ware Rd. at Daffodil 682-8019
10th Avenue	1820 10th Ave. 682-7131
MCALL ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 956)	
Casa de la Merced (HIV support/services)	686-6047
Comfort House (AIDS hospice)	687-7367
Corazones Unidos (HIV care/services)	668-1155
Gay & Lesbian Bowling League	971-8894
Nombres de la Frontera (AIDS Quilt)	565-5437
Proyecto Salud (HIV education)	630-4309

MIDLAND/ODESSA CHURCH (AC: 915)	
Holy Trinity Comm. Church	402 E. Gist 570-HTCC/4822
MINERAL WELLS ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 940)	
AIDS Resources of Rural Texas	P.O. 1720/Weatherford 76086 596-3022
Aura Social Group	1404 SE 13 St. 325-0325/328-1799
Friends of Jesus (Quakers)	325-0325
NACOGDOCHES ORGANIZATION (AC: 409)	
Health Horizons of East Texas	569-8240 569-2021
ODESSA CLUBS (AC: 915)	
Fictions	409 N. Hancock 580-5440
Miss Lillie's	8401 Andrews Hwy 696-6799
PORT ARANSAS ACCOMMODATIONS (AC: 512)	
Sea Horse Inn	1423 11th St. 749-5221
RIO GRANDE VALLEY ORGANIZATION	
UT/Plan Amer. Gay and Les. Student Org.	(956) 381-2250
SAN ANGELO ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 915)	
Lambda AA	1121 S. Bryant 949-0662
San Angelo AIDS Foundation	P.O. 62474/76906 658-3634
SAN ANTONIO BUSINESSES (AC: 210)	
Alta Gifts	7701 Broadway 930-2582
Encore Video	8546 Broadway 821-6345
Encore Video Too	1216 E. Euclid 742-3004
The Q Bookstore	2803 N. St. Mary's 734-4299
Shocking Gary	1216 E. Euclid 742-2800
Zebra's (gifts)	1216 E. Euclid 742-2800
SAN ANTONIO CHURCHES & RELIG. ORGAN. (AC: 210)	
Dignity/San Antonio	P.O. 12544/78212 558-3287
First Lutheran Church	7150 IH 10 W. 344-4965
Infant Jesus of Prague Chapel	3442 W. Woodman/78228 432-2510
MCCSA	611 E. Myrtle 742-3597
Monastery of St. Jude	Eastern Ortho. Church in Amer. 123 Yale #1/78201 733-9284
River City Living Church	202 Holland 822-1121
St. Sergios & St. Bacchos Orthodox Mission	P.O. 17232/78217 697-3264
SAN ANTONIO CLUBS (AC: 210)	
The Annex	330 San Pedro 223-6957
Bonham Exchange	411 Bonham 271-3811
Eagle Mountain	1902 McCullough Ave. 733-1516
Mick's Hideaway	5307 McCullough Ave. 828-4222
The Pegasus	1402 N. Main 225-7430
Prisms	330 E. Grayson at Broadway 225-7430
The Saint	1430 N. Main 225-7330
Silver Dollar	1418 N. Main 227-2623
Sparks	8011 Webbels 599-3225
2015	2015 San Pedro 733-3365
SAN ANTONIO DOCTOR (AC: 210)	
Dougliss, Albert H. M.D.	5018 San Pedro 826-2311
SAN ANTONIO FITNESS CENTERS (AC: 210)	
Alternative Clubs, ACI	827 E. Elmira 223-2177
Executive	1121 Basse Rd. 732-4433
SAN ANTONIO ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 210)	
AIDS Information	225-4751
AIDS Resource Ctr.	800 Lexington 222-2437
Alamo Business Council (prof./social)	P.O. 15481/78212 742-4300
Alamo City Men's Choral	P.O. 120243/78212 495-7464
Bearx Co. Bears	P.O. 17232/78217-0232 697-2175
Bearx Men (gay nudist)	P.O. 12342/78212-0342 690-7791
Bisexual Network	P.O. 29023/78229-0023 227-5968
Casa Martin	132 W. Grayson St./78212 227-5968
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. Mitchell 732-4300
Gay & Lesbian Community Center/Unity Foundation	P.O. 15857/78212 734-UNITY
Happy Foundation	411 Bonham 227-8451
Hispanic AIDS Committee	132 W. Grayson St./78212 224-7330
Lambda AA	923 E. Mitchell 732-4300/option 9

Lesbian Info./S.A.	P.O. 12327	828-1504
Log Cabin Republicans	923 E. Mitchell/78212	828-8899
Men of All Colors Together	433 W. Rosewood #1	736-0793
MHMF	736-3948	fax 736-0793
Metropolitan Health District	402 Austin	225-4227
NAMES Project	818 E. Grayson	224-2437
Parents, Families & Friends of Lesb. & Gays	121 W. Woodman/78212	822-4135
Prime Times	P.O. 13613/78213-0613	733-9086
Rainbow Garden Club	P.O. 1592/78212	734-3630
River City Pool League		734-3630
RSI Court of the Alamo Empire	P.O. 120123/78212	348-8482
Ryan White Dental Clinic	818 E. Grayson/78208	224-8950
San Antonio AIDS Foundation	818 E. Grayson/78208	225-4715
San Antonio Equal Rights Political Caucus	P.O. 12571/78212	828-2723
San Antonio Gay & Lesbian Youth Panel		732-4300
San Antonio Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Vets of America	P.O. 33367/78265-3367	554-9916
San Antonio Gay and Lesbian Switchboard		733-7300
San Antonio Lambda Students Alliance	P.O. 12175/78212	736-4329
San Antonio Men's Chorus	102 Wickes St.	225-2324
San Antonio Tavern Guild	P.O. 1217/78212	733-9284
South Texas Outreach Program for AIDS/UT Health Sci. Ctr.	301 S. Frio #278	270-4621
Texas Gay Rodeo Association	P.O. 12651	349-8478
United States Mission of Tx. (res. shelter program)	626 E. Quincy/78215	299-1318
Wellness Connection	1424 Fredricksburg Rd.	732-3111
Young Men's Health Project [YMPH]	104 Babcock Rd./78201	736-2444
SAN MARCOS ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 512)		
Lambda/Gay, Lesbian B. Student Assoc. (SWTU)		396-4317
GLSA of GLSA		754-0948
Rural AIDS Service Program	142 Jackson Ln.	742-3597
	P.O. 748/78667-0748	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	120 E. Atol St.	761-5953
TEXARKANA ORGANIZATION (AC: 501)		
Texarkana AIDS Project		773-1994
TEXAS CITY ORGANIZATION (AC: 409)		
Gulf Coast Center (HIV case manage.)	6510 Memorial	935-0506
TYLER CHURCH (AC: 903)		
St. Gabriel Community Church	13904 Cr. #193/7503	861-6923
TYLER/SMITH CO. ORGANIZATIONS (AC: 903)		
Planned Parent.	3500-E S. Broadway	581-8277
WACO CHURCH (AC: 817)		
MCC	1601 Clay	752-5331
WACO CLUB (AC: 817)		
David's	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. 9081/76714	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 76086	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
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