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### Fiesta de Mayo '87 - May 1, 2, 3



TUCSON - Pictured above are the three couples vying for the King and Queen of Fiesta de Mayo '87, which will be held May 1, 2 and 3 at the Joshua Tree as a fundraiser for the Tucson Lesbian/Gay Alliance (TLGA).

At the top are Jimmy and Christina. Middle: Juan and Minerva and at the bottom: Andrew and Candy.

TUCSON - On Friday, Saturday and Sunday, May 1, 2 and 3 at the Joshua Tree, the Second Annual Fiesta de Mayo will be presented outdoors. This is a major fundraiser for the Tucson Lesbian/Gay Alliance (TLGA).

The patio and volleyball area will be transformed into very colorful Mexican fiesta surroundings with a large outdoor stage to present the many performances that are planned.

The Fiesta opens officially on Friday evening at 7:00 p.m. with authentic Mexican music and 16 booths that will be offering games, food, arts and crafts, information, etc. At 10:00 p.m. the candidates for King and Queen of Fiesta de Mayo '87 will be

These candidates will be the principle fundraisers for the Fiesta by gathering money at various fund raising events with the couple garnering the most money (votes) being crowned King and Queen of Fiesta de Mayo '87 and will reign over the Pride Week activities this year. See story below.

introduced formally. The winning couple will be announced on Sunday evening after all votes are counted. The King and Queen are selected by the amount of money (which is counted as votes) that they raise via fund raising events or by donations from individuals or businesses.

On Saturday Booths open at 4:00 p.m. The evening performances will include Juan Gabriel and Rosio Durcal imitating the most famous of Mexican singers plus a great cast of female impersonators - Penelope Poupe, Diana King and a special appearance by Miss Gay Arizona, Jaime de Sario, all from Phoenix, and Tabatha Scott from Tucson. The entire event will be hosted by

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### OPBPA elects new officers



TUCSON - The Old Pueblo Business and Professional Association (OPBPA) celebrated its third anniversary last Saturday night, April 18, at the Hotel Park Tucson. Nearly 100 members and guest attended the festivities which also saw the election and installation of new officers for the year-1987-88.

Outgoing President Jim Foley, gave a brief summation of the history of OPBPA and how it has grown to nearly 160 members, all business and professional people. Members gave Foley a

surprise 'roasting' with some hilarious 'revelations' about his public and private life.

Unanimous choice for the presidency for the coming year was last year's vice-president Diane Hill. In her brief acceptance speech, Ms. Hill promised continued growth for OPBPA in the coming year.

Pictured above is Outgoing President Jim Foley being presented with a plaque recognizing his service to OPBPA by newly elected President Diane Hill.

### Ontario court overturns ban on 'Joy of Gay Sex'

by Stephanie Poggi  
TORONTO, ONTARIO (GCN) - "The Joy Of Gay Sex", may be repugnant to heterosexuals, but it is not obscene, according to a ruling by the District Court of Ontario.

The decision handed down by Judge Bruce Hawkins ends a ban on the book enforced by Canadian Customs since last April. The ban was based on Customs' determination that depictions or descriptions of "buggery" - anal sex - violates Canada's obscenity legislation.

Hawkins stated that Customs had misinterpreted the obscenity law, which states that materials may be prohibited if their dominant characteristics is the "undue exploitation of sex, or of sex and any one or more of the following subjects, namely crime, horror, cruelty and violence."

According to Hawkins, "[The Joy of Gay Sex] deals rationally and unsensationally with the sexual practices of a substantial segment of the male population."

"However repugnant the concept of anal sex may be to the heterosexual observer, it is, I find, the central sexual act of homosexual practice. To write about homosexual practices without dealing with anal intercourse would be equivalent to writing a history of music and omitting Mozart."

Hawkins' ruling appears to effectively deny other prohibi-

tions by Customs based on the equation of anal sex and obscenity. Representatives of Toronto's Glad Day Bookshop, which brought Customs to court on "The Joy of Gay Sex" ban, expressed guarded optimism that the decision will halt seizures of at least some Gay/Lesbian material bound for Canada. "The effect will be that that part of the guidelines Customs uses to stop Gay books depicting or describing anal sex can no longer be justified," said Charles Campbell, lawyer for Glad Day.

"But the only test is in the pudding," said Jearld Moldenhauer, owner of Glad Day. "We've signaled for shipment from various sources - of both magazines and books. We'll just have to see what they do."

Campbell added that other aspects of Customs interpretation of obscenity law, including guidelines barring descriptions or depictions of dildoes, submission, bondage, spanking, display of fecal matter, etc. are used to censor Gay/Lesbian material.

Hawkins did not rule on the part of the suit charging that the obscenity law and the interpretations of it in the Customs Tariff Act violate constitutional guarantees of equality and freedom of expression.

Even more alarming, said Campbell, is a proposed amendment in Parliament to the obscenity

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# UPDATE

## CORNERSTONE FELLOWSHIP TO CELEBRATE FIRST ANNIVERSARY

**TUCSON** - This Sunday, April 26, Cornerstone Fellowship will celebrate its first anniversary as a Christian church serving the Gay and Lesbian community of Tucson. The 10:30 a.m. worship service will feature a special message from one of the church's lay pastors, Marcy Shaw. Also featured will be a special appearance by the vocal group, "Heavenbound".

"We're really very excited about the progress and growth we've experienced during our first year," said Rada Schaff, the other Lay Pastor at Cornerstone. "God has truly blessed us with many beautiful and loving people who have become a part of our family. We are not only using this time of celebration as an observance of where we've been, but also as a springboard to where we are going."

(Although Cornerstone Fellowship's anniversary is actually on April 20, the church moved the observance date back one week to avoid conflicting with the many Easter activities they engaged in this year).

Schaff continued, "God has allowed us to support several important ministries as well, such as providing food for AIDS patients and their families, and assistance for a home for abused Pima Indian girls. We know that this is only the beginning of many wonderful ministries that God will open up to us as part of Cornerstone Fellowship."

For more information on the church's anniversary celebration or any of their activities, call 881-3519. Cornerstone Fellowship is located at 1724 N. Alvernon, in Tucson.

## ANTI-GAY RIDICULE LOSES IN MICHIGAN

**FERRYSBURG, MI (BAR)** - Residents in this sleepy little Western Michigan town have decided against changing its name to West Springs Lake. Anti-Gay ridicule had brought the subject before the town council. But residents of Ferrysburg, founded in 1857, nixed the name change.

## GREAT OUTDOORS PLANS WEEKEND TRIP TO MEXICO

**TUCSON** - An inexpensive 3-day weekend trip is planned for May 15-17 by the Tucson chapter of 'Great Outdoors' to San Carlos, Mexico. An early Friday morning departure will get the group to the oceanside resort hotel in time for: swimming, lounging by the fresh-water pool, drinking \$1.00 Margaritas or walking along the sandy beach.

Several excellent restaurants offering great shrimp dinners for \$8.00 are nearby. Side trips are planned to Club Mediterranean and the fishing port of Guaymas.

Several transportation options are available, the cost beginning at \$20 per person for travel and hotel accommodations. Early sign-up is necessary.

If the following weekend is preferred, Memorial Day Weekend, a similar trip is being planned. For complete information, call Wayne, 325-7607.

## RENAISSANCE NEWS:

**TUCSON** - It was announced today that the Baron von Sloshed, a wealthy socialite from Bisbee, Arizona, has made his finest purchase to date, from the K-Mart Galleries.

The masterpiece "Untitled", was created by one of the Jerome, Arizona's foremost artists, Senor Luis Enchilada Taco Frijole Tostada (HOT) Tamale Burrito Cortez.

The unveiling of the Baron's newest acquisition will be held at his estate, 616 North Fourth Avenue on May 1st at 9:15 in Tucson. He will then invite his guests to his winter retreat in Bisbee May 2nd. Sendoff for Saturday's affair will be at 11:00 a.m. with eyeopeners at his estate in Tucson.

Special guests for the unveiling are noted art critic, Hamilton Spencer III, the Baron von Sloshed's lawyer, as well as his loyal servant, his chauffeur, his valet and his 'upstairs' maid.

The Baron, as well as the Desert Leathermen, hope this will be a fun-filled weekend for all at the Baron's estates.

## A CALL FOR SUPPORT OF AIDS EDUCATION

This is the last call for financial support to the businesses and individuals in the community to bring Jason Serinus to Tucson. So far we have raised 1/2 the amount to bring Jason, author of *PSYCHOIMMUNITY AND THE HEALING PROCESS* to give a seminar in June. His book is the most up to date research and self-help resources on preventative and curative aspects of AIDS. The seminar will be open to the entire community.

Marc Haberman and George Gallego are sponsoring Jason. Please send contributions of \$25 or more to Natural Balance, P.O. Box 40504, Tucson, AZ 85717 or call 881-4582 for more information. Your support is greatly needed.

## SOFTBALL RAISES FUNDS FOR SHANTI

**TUCSON** - Proceeds from the last softball game held at Himmel Park on Sunday, March 29 raised \$275.65 for the Shanti Foundation of Tucson. Shanti wishes to thank all those who participated in the game itself as well as all the spectators who attended and made this afternoon such a successful one for Shanti.

Natalie Perry of Shanti Foundation advises that there will be a PWA/ARC Potluck this Sunday, April 26. For more information about the Potluck or about Shanti Foundation/Tucson, call 622-7107.

## THREE IN CONCERT

**TUCSON** - On June 6, Jamie Anderson and Martie Van Der Voort, from Tucson, and Limerence from Phoenix, will perform at the Unitarian Universalist Church here at 8:00 p.m. The church is located at 4831 E. 22nd Street.

For \$5.00, you will hear three delightful performances. Jamie, a contemporary folk musician, has been writing and performing women's music for many years. Her style is light and humorous. Martie Van Der Voort is also a talented folk musician and she is known for her heart-rending ballads about women's lives.

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## 'AIDS Panic' defense fails in murder trial

by Nancy De Luca

MINEOLA, NY (OCN) - Lorenzo D. Owens, who admittedly killed Kenneth Grice after having sex with him because Grice told him he had AIDS, has pleaded guilty to first-degree manslaughter. The case has been closely watched by Gay rights advocates because the defense argued Owens' action was an understandable response to AIDS exposure.

According to courtroom testimony presented last month, Owens, 19, and Grice, 22, had a prior sexual relationship. On April 17, Grice, who had been discharged from the army for having a positive HIV test, offered Owens, who was homeless, a place to stay for the weekend. On April 20, according to Owens, Grice initiated sex with him, and the two engaged in unprotected anal intercourse.

Owens told police he became outraged when Grice told him he had AIDS right after they had sex. In his videotaped confession, Owens said that when he learned he had been exposed to AIDS, he told Grice, "You've got AIDS! Why don't you treat me better. I'm involved with a young lady... Why do you want to do this to me?" Then, he "just bust out in a rage," got a knife from the kitchen, and grabbed Grice by the neck. "I cut his throat," said Owens. Later he wrote with a crayon on the mirror and a door: "We hate homosexuals. Move out."

Grice was also robbed by Owens, who took several cameras and radios and later sold them. Owens surrendered to police on May 10, 1986, and was charged with second-degree murder and petty larceny.

John R. Lewis, who is Owens' attorney, argued that Owens' behavior was a justified response to exposure to the AIDS virus, and said that his client was "reacting to the pronouncement of death." Owens tested negative for exposure to the virus after the killing.

David Wertheimer, executive director of the New York City Lesbian and Gay Anti-Violence Project, characterizes Lewis' strategy as a variation of the "homosexual panic" defense. Such an argument had been used recently in New York to gain the acquittal of a man who killed a priest (wearing regular street clothes) after engaging in sex with him. In this case, the defense arguments were based primarily on legitimizing Owens' fear of AIDS and the panic which ensued when he found out he had been exposed.

According to Wertheimer, the prosecutor, Assistant District Attorney William Dempsey, seemed reluctant to attack this defense head-on, perhaps because of its recent success. Courtroom observers from the Lesbian and Gay Anti-Violence Project said it was clear Owens understood the modes of transmission of AIDS, and that, knowing the risks involved, certainly had equal responsibility to take measures to protect himself.

The case for the defense unravelled due to the testimony of Owens' girlfriend, Alicia Thompson. Alicia, who was 16 at the time of the killing, testified in court as to Owens' emotional state on the night of the killing. She later met with the D.A. and told him that she was very upset that she might have AIDS because she and Owens had unprotected intercourse hours after the killing took place. The D.A. asked for permission to have Thompson testify again. The judge, Richard Delin of Nassau County Court, cleared the courtroom of the jury, but not the press, and heard the D.A.'s arguments. One of the court observers said that when Thompson's story came to light, "I thought the defense attorney would melt right

into the floor."

Delin, however, initially seemed reluctant to admit the testimony, and adjourned the court for the weekend. Lewis, the defense attorney, knew the Thompson story would appear in the papers over the weekend, and since the jury was not sequestered, planned on obtaining a mistrial on the basis of Thompson's inadmissible testimony becoming public knowledge. When the court assembled, the judge decided the Thompson testimony would be permitted, and the defense then decided to accept a plea bargain for first-degree manslaughter.

Thompson's admission was problematic on two fronts. As D.A. Lewis said during the trial, "It put a lie to the self-serving statement that he [Owens] gave to the police. If this defendant killed another man believing he caught AIDS, he would not have sex with this young woman." Also, since Thompson was underage at the time, it opened Owens up for a charge of statutory rape. The penalty for first-degree manslaughter is 8-25 years.

Gay and Lesbian rights activists are pleased with the outcome thus far. Thomas Stoddard, executive director of Lambda Legal Defense and Education Fund, said acceptance of the defense arguments would have "set a terrible legal and social precedent, and would serve to validate irrational responses to people with AIDS. This defense was shown to be the sham we believed it to be."

### News from MCC Tucson

This past week was a very important and busy week in the life of MCC/Tucson. But now that the Easter season is over it is time to move forward and take care of things that need to be done.

MCC/Tucson is looking for an electrician. We have a lot of electrifying personalities in our congregation but no electricians. We have some new ceiling fans that need to be installed for the summer months, and no one in the congregation knows how to go about installing them. If anyone in the community would be willing to help or even supervise the installation we would be greatly indebted. We have the manpower but not the knowledge.

Last Sunday being Easter Sunday, we had a baptismal service. Lance has been in regular attendance at MCC/Tucson for sometime. He has been taking a very active part in the different functions of the church and he was baptized and became a member of MCC/Tucson. We are very happy and pleased to welcome Lance into full membership of the congregation.

Thought for the Week: True friends at heart remain sincere, and memory keeps them always near.

**A MEDAL AND A DISCHARGE**  
WASHINGTON, DC (OCN) - "When I was in the military they gave me a medal for killing two men and a discharge for loving one." This inscription appears on a large black granite headstone in a prominent Congressional cemetery here. Inscribed above the epitaph are the words, "A Gay Vietnam Veteran."

According to the Bay Area Reporter, the headstone which is inlaid with two pink triangles belongs to a man still living. The man, whose identity is undisclosed, wants the stone to serve as a symbol for those U.S. citizens who played a role in the country's history, but who remain ignored.


The stone is placed close to the plot of J. Edgar Hoover. Cemetery officials approved the headstone without complaint.



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# FIESTA DE MAYO '87



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## WHAT'S UP DOC?

That time is upon us here in Tucson again. It's when Tucson gets invaded by a bunch of out-of-towners. That would be OK if they didn't force a bunch of us to run around town partying, drinking and a lot of other trivial things that TKO doesn't partake in. You each know how quiet TKO is, and they never raise hell. (If you believe that one, see me, I have some Arizona beach property for sale).

Starting Friday night it's the annual TKO Spring Fling time - this being the 7th in a row. Word has reached me that at least one out of Albuquerque will be arriving Thursday evening. Relax Tucson, it's not Sadie, but some of you had better watch out because it's Adequate Richard. Then to make matters worse, on Friday arriving from Phoenix is that OLD stop-Leak himself, Bill L. No telling just what Friday will be like with those two here and then Painted Toenails herself, Sadie arrives.

Now all of you know how quiet and reserved I am, so if you see me getting crazy, you know at least one of those three is twisting my arm, forcing me down that screwed up yellow-brick road. At least I'll have a brief intermission from all of it because I have to go out and catch one of those big silver birds and retrieve Dr. Bowzer (Bo), as he falls off it. I hope there is no one at the landing patch who knows me, and see me picking up that rubber bait.

I bet you could never tell that I'm looking forward to this weekend. For me, Spring Fling starts the summer months out on a high note and continues through that other annual yearly event, the Arizona Brotherhood Run in November - which for the record will also be in Tucson year, hosted by TKO. Then, between both of these runs, some of the other big runs for the summer are: the Desert Leathermen's Bisbee Run; Sons of Apollo Grand Canyon Run;

The Golden Fleece Run in Denver; Hijos del Sol Balloon Run and a lot more that I haven't the room to mention here.

Speaking of some of these other runs, I usually have some info on some of them, and Bert from Desert Leathermen has info on others. If you need information on any of them, say planning a vacation and would like to go on one of these, contact one of us. If we haven't the info you need, we can either get it for you or put you in the right direction.

I guess that's about all on both this weekend and other runs for now. Next week's column, I'll give you a full report on the happenings of this weekend and possibly some good pictures.

The T-Squares reminds everyone of their classes on square dancing on Wednesday and Thursday evenings over at the Fineline in the BFR. Join them for some good fun and loads of laughs.

Now I'm not one to get political in this column but in the April 15 issue of The Transformer, available at all the bars now, there is a question and answer type article on one of all of our favorite Arizonans - Gov. Mecham. The question asked was: "If you could place Mecham in another job (one that he'd be more suited for), what job would you put him in? The following is one of the answers I found when it came to Tucson's responses that I felt fit - "Miss Gay America". (That being the case, I'm glad I'm straight), and out of Phoenix, "Janitor at the Sewer Department". (I think the standards would be too high in this case), and "Dog Catcher". (There wouldn't be any government staff left). So much for our leader (?).

So long for this week. I hope your weekend will be as enjoyable as I plan to have. See you next week if the creek doesn't rise.

## OUT ON THE TOWN

### Stunt Malibu Christi Fan Club Newsletter

A few members of Christi's Fan Club posed for a quick portrait last week. Christi did finally receive her copy.

Mother Divine finally found herself a Red Baron, but he's not going to be cheap to keep. Seems Sister Bootie took diving lessons from Toasted Totie however, different waters, different prey resulting in a different injury. Speaking of injuries, Beatrice went on a rampage last week sending Ronda Jons for a short hospital trip. Maybe Beatrice was just retaliating for being dragged across the desert and for being forced to hike Mt. Lemmon.

Congratulations to Vivian and Mr. V. however they may be needing a new wardrobe soon if things don't change. So, what is Teresa Brenery doing with all those clothes anyway. If it's not beads, it's clothes. Seems she keeps finding various pieces of clothing in the strangest places. She'll probably have a brand new wardrobe before she leaves. So, is she leaving town for good this time or is this another dry run?

Who is that wild woman who's been terrorizing the city? Where is she from anyway, Borneo? And does she ever keep her clothes on?

So Miss Mae is single again. Was she just meant to be a single gal forever, or is there a husband hiding in the woodwork somewhere? Maybe she shouldn't put all her balls in one pocket. It's so easy to do sometimes.

Toasted Totie has been keeping a low profile lately. What is that girl up to? Is she still thinking about that big move? What are those Debbies doing? Are they still entertaining, or are they just going to hit the streets in search of other illicit adventures. How long will Helen be the homebody that she's been. And is Macho Man really ready for the rest of the crew anytime soon? Will the real Miss Mess please stand up? Can she?

Til Next time, Forever Yours  
Jza Jza LaMore  
Fan Mail to: Stunt Malibu Christi Fan Club, P.O. Box 2704, Tucson, AZ 85702.

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ONTARIO COURT OVERTURNS BAN ON 'JOY OF GAY SEX' legislation. Drafts of the amendment show an effort to prohibit depictions of "anything that shows sexual connection: oral, genital, animals and people," and even heterosexual intercourse, said Campbell.


On the other hand, the proposed revision appears to loosen up restrictions against sexually explicit writing. Campbell said the proposed changes are the subject of "great debate in the country. The writers are up in arms." A vote on the amendment is not yet scheduled.

In the meantime, Gay activists face a new dilemma - whether to continue to fight current censorship by Customs or to reserve their energy for fighting enactment of the law.

### THE MANSION


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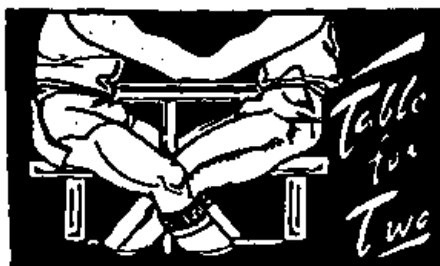


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## restaurant review

## REVIEW OF THE INTERNATIONAL MARKETPLACE

In case you hadn't heard, there is a new restaurant in town that is catering to the Gay and Lesbian community. It is the International Marketplace. It is located on the second floor at the Fineline, 101 West Drachman.

The room is set off from all other activities in the complex and, with its own soft background music and soft but colorful decor, one realizes that in this room fine food and spirits are dispensed. Upon entering, the ambience of the room is obvious immediately - the colors, the live plants and flowers are all conducive to an evening of gracious dining. Dressy or casual, the environment welcomes all.

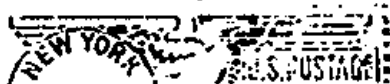
The menu is a combination of appetizers, soups, salads and sandwiches plus dinner entrees that change daily. On the night we were here, the dinner specials included Mahi Mahi, London Broil and Lemon Chicken. We started with a jumbo shrimp cocktail, which was really jumbo, cold and delicious. A fresh garden salad was served crisp and savory. The London Broil was served in a more than an adequate portion, hot, tender and excellent. A bottle of wine from a large selection of domestic and imported wines topped off the meal. But no, it was not over! A creamy-rich piece of chocolate mousse from a large selection on the dessert tray

really capped off an evening of delicious food.

The entire meal took a couple of hours which made the food all the more delectable. That is not to say that the service was slow - it was relaxed to fit our pace. Others in the room, who had to make appointments, were served at a faster pace. It's all in how you want it done here.

That brings us to the service which was most attentive and professional, done by experienced personnel who know how to make the diner feel welcome, relaxed and pleasurable.

The price for the above evening of gracious dining is extraordinarily affordable and is highly recommended to all who want an enjoyable night of good food in very comfortable surroundings, cooked and served by obviously highly professional personnel.



## LETTERS

DEAR EDITOR:

The Tucson Lesbian/Gay Alliance (TLGA) would like to thank Ben and Annie Corbin as well as the Tucson Knight Owls and Gary of TKO for the generous contribution of their prize money from the Easter Bonnet/Basket Contest held last Sunday at the Graduate.

Their donations, which totalled \$200, will help support this year's Lesbian/Gay Pride Week 1987.

Please don't forget about our big fund raising effort on May 1, 2 and 3. The Fiesta de Mayo shindig at the Joshua Tree. Your monetary support goes right back to the community.

Thank you  
Natalie Perry  
TLGA

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## Fiesta de Mayo CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE

last year's Queen and King of Fiesta '86 Aviva Diamond and Roger Barger.

Sunday, activities begin at 1:00 p.m. There will be no volleyball this afternoon only because the entire area is full of booths, staging, lighting, people, etc. There will be live bands playing dance music beginning at 9:00 p.m. and continue until midnight. The coronation of Fiesta de Mayo King and Queen '87 will be held at approximately 11:00 p.m.

There are only 16 booth spaces for this year's event and ten of those have been reserved for this year's Fiesta. If you as an individual or business or club or organization would like to reserve booth space please contact Big Mike Ulloa at 881-4527 before they are all gone.

Booth rental for all three days is only \$25 and is being reserved on a first-come basis. A non-refundable one-half (\$12.50) of the booth rental is required along with the reservation form. If any forms are received after all booths are reserved, deposits will be promptly returned. TLGA must receive your reservation on or before April 25. Forms are available by calling 881-4527.

All net proceeds go to the Tucson Lesbian/Gay Alliance who in addition to producing the week-long Pride Week '87 events, also present various forums and workshops and social events throughout the year. This money goes right back into the community. A very worth while benefit which in the long run will benefit every man and woman in the community.



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## A View From Within



A COMMENTARY BY  
CHRISTOPHER GEOFFREY McPHERSON

### JUDGING

A couple of months ago I was asked to be a judge for the fifth annual Gay and Lesbian Press Association Awards for excellence in media. Being a new member to the GLPA I eagerly said yes.

The GLPA was created May 2, 1981, and is a professional trade organization which is devoted to the betterment of all the Gay/Lesbian press media and the people who are responsible for the existence of the Gay press. It is an honorable attempt to unify and improve the informational outlets which supply you, the Gay reader, with info about your community.

Anyway, I decided to enter some of the very columns you may have read in this space during 1986 in two different categories, sincerely not expecting to win. Actually, I am the type of person who thrives on competition, and I hope to learn more about my peers and the quality of work which exists in other newspapers across the country. (Of course, if I do win, I will be happy. It is just a high honor to be amongst the competitors.....)

A couple of weeks ago, I got the entries which I shall judge as one of three judges. I expected some good work, and I was very curious to see what others in the Gay press were doing, but I never expected to see the quality of work entered.

I guess it would be in poor form to tell you which individuals and newspapers were entered, but let me assure you I saw some amazingly good work.

The entries came from California, across the country to Atlanta, and represented a major diversity of events which occurred in the Gay and Lesbian community during 1986. Without exception, the work was of a high quality on par with that which appears in the mainstream press. The reporting was as good, the photographs as good, and the advertisements as good.

Most of the newspapers in which the entered works appeared are --I gathered-- of a small circulation, comparable to the circulation of this newspaper. To see such good work in a small newspaper --including the work you see in the OBSERVER-- never ceases to amaze me. Not that we don't have the competence to do the work, but that such good work is done in light of the very limited budgets under which most newspapers in the Gay press must operate.

That a newspaper like the OBSERVER even exists at all, let alone three newspapers in our state, and the large number of publications of the Gay press across the country, is evidence of the complete and sincere dedication of those men and women not only proud to be journalists, editors, photographers, artists, and staff, but proud to be Gays and Lesbians as well.

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KEEP A LOOK OUT, but don't hold your breath, for the newest film by Stephen (My Beautiful Laundrette) Frears. The new film, PRICK UP YOUR EARS, is a biography about comic playwright Joe Orton who was murdered by his one-time lover Kenneth Halliwell.

The film, already running in New York and apparently nowhere else, is not likely to see the Valley of the Sun until this fall. Harkins Theatres --who brought us both Laundrette and Parting Glances last year-- is already considering bringing the film to Phoenix after the summer.

I have not seen the film, which stars Gary Oldman, Alfred Molina, and Vanessa Redgrave, but a review in the New York Magazine Details was hysterical, and makes the film look like a real winner. Watch this space for updates.

That's the view for now; see you, same space, same column, next week!

## NOTES FROM NANCY

by Nancy Neman

Back in the old days, "coming out" was something most Gays did pretty much alone. Fortunately, though, nowadays it's a lot easier, with all sorts of self-help groups around that deal with coming out, as well as other Gay and Lesbian issues. We have an abundance of these groups in Tucson, and some of them are as follows:  
1). WOMEN'S GROUPS: Lesbian Issues "Coming Out" - Mondays 7:30 - 9:00 p.m., April 27 through May 25.

"Relationships" - Wednesdays 7:30 - 9:00 p.m., April 29 through May 27.

Contact: Anne Levy, M.Ed, 323-6140 eves and weekends. (Private sessions also available).

2). LESBIANS and GAYS UNDER 22: Saturdays 3-5 p.m., 560 S. Stone. 792-3372.

3). GLAD (Gay and Lesbian Adult Discourses): Weekly group discussions especially for persons "coming out" or over 21. Call 881-1794 for more information.

4). INFORMATION AND REFERRAL for Gays and Lesbians: Ask about services unlimited - 884-1606 for information.

5). AA (Alcoholics Anonymous) for Gays and Lesbians. Call 624-4183 for information on Gay and Lesbian

AA meetings.

6). CORNERSTONE FELLOWSHIP, 1724 North Alvernon, 881-3519 Tuesday - Friday 7 - 9 p.m. Counselors available.

There are also many private counselors available who specialize in Gay and Lesbian issues. Call Information and Referral at 884-1606 to get specific names and numbers.

"Coming Out" groups are especially popular, not only for the young Lesbian, but for older women as well. I have noticed that many women who "come out" later in life have been through a marriage and often have raised several kids to boot. It's especially tough for the older woman, as not only is she re-entering society in general, but she's trying to discover and fit into a community that's somewhat foreign to her.

If the bars are the only places women "coming out" go, they get a limited look at life. That's why the previously mentioned groups are so helpful, in that they offer a more complete look at Gay life, plus they're not as threatening or scary as the bar scene might be.

So fear not, future Gays - give I&R a call and find a group that suits your needs.

# A Critics Review.....

Ben Corbin

This is the first article of this type by this contributor to the OBSERVER. So, I guess a little background is in order. First, let me say that I am not and have never been a professional performer, even though I have been a female impersonator, probably while most of our present entertainers were still in diapers. I know how much work it is to make the transformation and to put an act together. I have seen "drag" shows across the country and I have a reasonable idea of what is professional and what is amateurish. My respect goes to each and every one of you who do perform. So, any remarks made in this column will be constructive criticism. We don't always know what we did wrong or how to improve ourselves unless someone has the guts to tell us. In this article, I will be reviewing the local shows at different localities in Tucson. It is my intention not only to remark on the faults and poor performances, but to give praise and credit where it is due. Oh joy, you say.

So on with the show. My first review is the Easter Parade at the Graduate last Sunday.

First of all, it started out

like all "Drag Shows" - late. This time I can't say anything about the late start since there was no time shown in the Observer for this show. (ED NOTE: No time was given OBSERVER).

We were entertained by three qualified personalities, Aviva Diamond, Bobbie Jo and Jacquleen de Savoi. Even if the show had started on time, it lasted too long. Many in the audience made this comment with their walking out during the performance. Bobbie Jo was the most accepted performer in the event. Aviva, as usual, had many outstanding costumes but the most stunning was a black sequined gown with red bows. Her costumes were far superior to her renditions. The Judy Garland medley was just that, a Judy Garland medley - a Judy Garland. Aviva is not. Jacquleen rounded off the evening show with her physically active and outrageous numbers - but entertaining she was, most of the time.

The Easter Bonnet and Basket Contests are better left unmentioned, not a professional was presented. Maybe I should mention that Big Mike did a reasonable M.C. - but a Bert Parks? Never!

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Most Beautiful - Dennis



TUCSON - The fifth annual Easter Bonnet/Easter Basket Contest was held at the Graduate last Sunday. OBSERVER is happy (?) to present the winners of this 'exciting' contest.

Winners of the Most original Bonnet was our own Mr. Ben Corbin. Most Beautiful winner was Dennis from Tucson Knight Owls and Mark Eldridge won the most tacky prize by presenting his dog with a brand new Easter chapeau. Gary also from TKO took the prize for having the most beautiful Easter Basket.

Ben Corbin donated his \$100 prize for Most Original to the Tucson Lesbian/Gay Alliance as did the Tucson Knight Owls who donated the \$75 from the Most Beautiful and the Easter Basket winnings to TLGA, which will help defray costs of the Pride Week '87 celebration.

The show featured Aviva Diamond, Jacquleen de Savoi and the country miming talents of Bobbi Jo. Big Mike Uolla was master of ceremonies at the Bonnet contest while Aviva Diamond held the honors, among other things, at the Easter Basket Contest.



Most Original - Ben Corbin



Gary with Aviva Diamond and the prize-winning Easter Basket



# SPECIAL CALENDAR

SATURDAY, APRIL 25

**COLETTE'S WEST** - All alumni women ruggers are invited to party here at 6:00 p.m. after the rugby games in Estavan Park from 1 to 4 p.m.

SUNDAY, APRIL 26

**COLETTE'S WEST** - Third Annual LUAW from 1 p.m. to 1 a.m. Fresh Lei's will be flown in from Hawaii. Order your fresh Lei from the bartender in advance and wear it on this festive occasion. Two Roast Pigs, plus drinks specials all day long. Tons of sand will be brought in, giving the surroundings a real beach atmosphere with palm trees and the whole nine yards! Bring your own lounge chairs and enjoy the tropical atmosphere.

**GRADUATE** - Plan on attending the big Send-Off Brunch for the TNO Spring Filings. Everyone is welcome.

FRIDAY, MAY 1

**JOSHUA TREE** - Opening evening of Fiesta de Mayo the big outdoor carnival that is a fund raiser for the Tucson Lesbian/Gay Alliance. Booths, games, outdoor stage, glitter and glamour. Gates open at 7:00 p.m. Watch for details.

SATURDAY, MAY 2

**JOSHUA TREE** - Fiesta de Mayo celebration continues at 4:00 p.m. Outdoor booths, food, games, drinks, arts & crafts. Mariachi band, live entertainment the whole enchilada! Introduction of the Fiesta King and Queen candidates.

SUNDAY, MAY 3

**JOSHUA TREE** - Fiesta de Mayo celebration continues at 1:00 p.m. Outdoor booths, food, games, drinks, arts & crafts. Mariachi band and other live entertainment with the crowning of the King and Queen at 10:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 6

**COLETTE'S WEST** - The live band Jahword returns for a command performance. If you missed the first time around, get in on these great sounds from 9 to 1. \$2.00 Cover.

SATURDAY, MAY 9

**GRADUATE** - Singer Loren Johnson makes a return visit to Tucson. If you haven't heard him sing, be sure to take advantage of this opportunity.

SUNDAY, MAY 10

**GRADUATE** - Singer Loren Johnson here for repeat performance in Tucson. Johnson has just released a record album. Be sure to hear this excellent vocalist.

SUNDAY, MAY 17

**GRADUATE** - A big "Comedy Revue" will bring its talents here direct from Phoenix. Watch for more details.

**RUMOR HAZZIT** - MALE STRIP SHOW for Bruce's Birthday. Cast will include Jesse, BJ, Michael, Donnie and much more. Candy Plastique will be the lucky MC.

TUESDAY, MAY 19

**COLETTE'S WEST** - Nationally known Robin Flower will be giving a special Tucson performance at Colette's from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m. Make your reservations now!

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## THE TUCSON CALENDAR

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**BACK POCKET/JOSHUA TREE** - "Wednesday Madness" - From 2-8 pm Drink Special: Check the chalkboard. Draft Beer Bust 9 pm to 1 am .50 per glass! Bobby Jr. DJ's 9 pm to 1 am.

**COLETTE'S WEST** - Check for daily sandwich special. Schnapps shots .75 from 8 pm to midnight.

**GRADUATE** - Domestic Beer \$1.00 with other specials. **FINELINE** - Full service bar open 5 p.m. to 1 a.m. T-Squares meet at 7 pm. THE INTERNATIONAL MARKET PLACE - Fine food and spirits open for dinner 5 p.m. to 1 a.m.

**IT'S 'BOUT TIME** - Noon to 5:30 Well Drinks \$1 (with juice \$1.25), Long Neck Beer (non-premium) \$1.25. 5:30 to 1 am Draft Beer .50 and Schnapps .30 shot. Dance 8 - 1 am.

**RITA'S RENDEZVOUS** - Open Noon to 1 a.m. **RUMOR HAZZIT** - \$1.00 Well Drinks or Long Neck Domestic Beer & .50 Hot Dogs 4-7 pm.

thursday

**BACK POCKET/JOSHUA TREE** - Bottle Beer Nite \$1.25 domestic 9 pm to 1 am. Dave Pierson DJ 9 to 1 am.

**COLETTE'S WEST** - Check for daily sandwich special. Bottle Beer Special from 8 pm to midnight.

**FINELINE** - Full service bar open 5 pm to 1 am. T-Squares meet at 7 pm. THE INTERNATIONAL MARKET PLACE - Fine food and spirits. Dinner 5 p.m. to 1 a.m.

**GRADUATE** - Happy Hour Prices until closing! **IT'S 'BOUT TIME** - Noon to 5:30 Well Drinks \$1 (with juice \$1.25), Long Neck Beer (non-premium) \$1.25. 5:30 to 1 am Long Neck Beer (non-premium) .75 Dance 8 to 1.

**RITA'S RENDEZVOUS** - Open Noon to 1 am **RUMOR HAZZIT** - \$1.00 Well Drinks or Long Neck Domestic Beer & .50 Hot Dogs 4-7 pm. Coors Draft Beer Bust 7 to 10 pm .25 per glass. Regular disco/video dancing 9 pm to close.

friday

**COLETTE'S WEST** - Check for daily sandwich special. Party Nite, Hourly Drink Specials 8 p.m. to midnight.

**FINELINE** - Full service bar open at 5 pm. Downstairs opens at 8 pm for non-alcoholic drinking and dancing. Afterhours till 4 am. THE INTERNATIONAL MARKET PLACE Fine food and spirits open for dinner at 5 pm. Afterhours dining till 4 am.

**GRADUATE** - Drink specials until closing. **IT'S 'BOUT TIME** - Noon to 5:30 pm Well Drinks \$1 with juice \$1.25, Long Neck Beer (non-premium) \$1.25. 5:30 to 1 am All Well \$1.50 (with Juice \$1.75). Dancing 8 to 1.

**JOSHUA TREE** - Bobby Jr. DJ's 9 pm - 1 am. **RITA'S RENDEZVOUS** - Open Noon to 1 am

**RUMOR HAZZIT** - \$1.00 Well Drinks and Long Neck Domestic Beer plus .50 Hot Dogs 4-7 p.m. Video dancing 9 pm to close.

saturday

**COLETTE'S WEST** - Party Nite Hourly Drink Specials 8 to Midnight.

**GRADUATE** - Drink Specials until closing. **FINELINE** - Full service bar open at 5 pm. Downstairs opens at 8 pm for non-alcoholic drinking and dancing.

Afterhours till 4 am. THE INTERNATIONAL MARKET PLACE, Fine food and spirits. Dinner at 5 pm. Afterhours till 4 am.

**JOSHUA TREE** - Bobby Jr. DJ's 9 pm to 1 am. **IT'S 'BOUT TIME** - Noon to 6 pm Bloody Marys \$1.00 6 pm to 1 am All Well \$1.50. Dance 8 to 1.

**RITA'S RENDEZVOUS** - Open Noon to 1 am **RUMOR HAZZIT** - Open Noon to 1 am. Video Dancing 9 pm to 1 am.

sunday

**BACK POCKET/JOSHUA TREE** - Beer Bust 4 to 7 pm .50 per glass. Steak Dinner 5 pm to 7 pm \$4.00. Dave Pierson DJ's from 9 pm until 1 am.

**COLETTE'S WEST** - Football on our big screen plus "Nine Down Nite" .75 Wine 8 pm to midnight. Movie Nite at 7 pm.

**FINELINE** - Full service bar open at noon. T-Squares meet at 1 pm. THE INTERNATIONAL MARKET PLACE Fine food and spirits. Sunday Brunch noon to 3 pm. Sandwiches and light fare until 9:00 p.m.

**GRADUATE** - Bottle Beer (non-premium) \$1 with other drink specials.

**IT'S 'BOUT TIME** - Bloody Marys \$1.00 Noon to 5:30 5:30 to 1 am "Moose Madness" every hour (??). Dance 8pm-1am

**RITA'S RENDEZVOUS** - Noon to 1 a.m. **RUMOR HAZZIT** - Open Noon to 1 am. Brunch served 12:30 to 3:30 pm. \$3.00 per plate. Screwdrivers and Bloody Marys \$1.25 during brunch hours.

monday

**BACK POCKET/JOSHUA TREE** - Bowler's Special: .75 Well Drinks for J/T Bowlers. Dave Pierson DJ's 9 pm to 1 am.

**COLETTE'S WEST** - Check for daily sandwich special. .50 hot dogs and .25 draft. All White Well .89 from 8 pm to midnight.

**FINELINE** - Full service bar open 5 pm to 1 am. **GRADUATE** - All White Well Drinks \$1.50 until 1 am plus other drink specials.

**IT'S 'BOUT TIME** - Noon to 5:30: Well Drinks \$1 (with juice \$1.25), Long Neck Beer (non-premium) \$1.25. 5:30 to 1 am "Moose Madness".

**RITA'S RENDEZVOUS** - Open Noon to 1 am **RUMOR HAZZIT** - Open 1 pm to 1 am. 4 to 7 pm Well drinks or domestic long neck beer \$1 & .50 Hot Dogs. Coors Draft Beer Bust 7 to 10 p.m. .25 per glass. Video dancing begins at 9 pm.

tuesday

**BACK POCKET/JOSHUA TREE** - Dave Pierson DJ's in J/T beginning at 9 pm.

**COLETTE'S WEST** - Check for daily sandwich special. "Sudserize" .40 draft beer from 8:00 until midnight. Alternative listening and dancing music from 60s - 70s and early 80s from 7 to 11.

**FINELINE** - Full service bar open 5 pm to 1 am. THE INTERNATIONAL MARKET PLACE, Fine food and spirits open for dinner at 5 pm.

**GRADUATE** - Dark Well Drinks \$1.50 till closing plus other drink specials.

**IT'S 'BOUT TIME** - Noon to 5:30 pm: Well Drinks \$1.00, Long Neck Beer (non-premium) \$1.25. 5:30 to 1 am "Moose Madness".

**RITA'S RENDEZVOUS** - Open Noon to 1 am **RUMOR HAZZIT** - Well drinks or domestic long necks \$1 & .50 hot dogs 4-7 pm. Video Dancing 9 pm to 1 am.

## SPORTS



JOSHUA TREE VOLLEYBALL

SPRING LEAGUE

Standings as of April 13, 1987

Second Half

TEAM	WON	LOST	GAMES	PCT.
1. U-GUYS	12	5	17	.706
2. MEN AT PLAY	12	5	17	.706
3. PLU & THE TRAMP	9	8	17	.529
4. ONE MORE TIME	8	9	17	.471
5. MIS FITS	2	14	16	.125

With three weeks left in the second half of league play, "U-Guys" manage to hold on to first place but are now tied with the first-half winners, "Men At Play". "PLU & The Tramp" remain in third place with "One More Time" very close behind in fourth. "Mis Fits", although in last place, has really improved their game play and are no longer to be considered an easy win.

Due to Easter Sunday, we did not play last weekend, but with that rest, we will be ready this Sunday for some very heavy competition. Volleyball League play every Sunday at 1:00 p.m. through 8:00 p.m. at the Joshua Tree.

Schedule of Play

Week of April 26, 1987

PLU & THE TRAMP vs. MEN AT PLAY  
U-GUYS vs. ONE MORE TIME  
PLU & THE TRAMP vs. MIS FITS  
MEN AT PLAY vs. U-GUYS  
MIS FITS vs. ONE MORE TIME

JOSHUA TREE MIXED BOWLING LEAGUE  
STANDINGS AS OF APRIL 13, 1987

TEAM	WON	LOST	PINS
1. PENETRATING FORCE	41	15	24509
2. KASSIE'S KLAN	37.5	18.5	24518
3. FLYNTSTONES	34.5	21.5	24601
4. MEN AT WORK	34	22	24114
5. HEAD GAMES	33	23	24129
6. J J's	29.5	26.5	23100
7. JOSHUA TREE	28	28	23625
8. SHOTS PLEEZ	27.5	28.5	23797
9. BACK ROCKET	24.5	31.5	23521
10. RITA'S GIRLS	23	33	23484
11. THE MISFITS	23	33	23336
12. THAT'S THE TICKET	20.5	35.5	23447
13. THE THOMPERS	20	36	23833
14. THREE MINUS ONE	16	40	23355

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Scott B. 166 - 176 - 207 = 549

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## Lights of Tucson

by Michael - Tucson

The last Quarter Moon occurs coincidentally with the Sun's entrance into Taurus Monday, June 20 at 3:16 PM Tucson time bringing work health and pleasure to the fore.

### ARIES

Partnerships will be most important for Aries this week, new ones, both business and personal. With Jupiter present some new unions may be formed, and romance is a key to the whole week.

### TAURUS

Will put an end to old matters, have new beginnings. May inherit or receive money and property from other people, or may simply have to take responsibility for it. Insurance or tax refunds can come this week.

### GEMINI

May take long trips, meet foreign people, or people of a different background than their own. Take an interest in religion, philosophy or higher education. Could gain honor and public attention in those areas.

### CANCER

May come to some public attention, gain some honor or change their occupations. Join new organizations, clubs or fraternities.

### LEO

Will also have something to do with clubs, and organizations this week, meet new friends or an unusual nature and personality, visit hospitals or prisons and discover secret information about themselves or others.

### VIRGO

May have a rather dull routine week with extra work loads and no extra compensation. Health will be of important interest to them and it is a good time for a check up. Cheer up, time passes and things will get better.

### LIBRA

Will be into money and property this week. Buy something you have wanted for a long time either to beautify yourself or your home environment.

### SCORPIO

Could come into big bucks this week. But, if you have been keeping a secret about some money or property, it will come out now. Make sure your defenses are secure.

### SAGITTARIUS

Will do lots of communicating this week on phone by mail and taking little short trips to visit friends and relatives. There is also a change of residence or occupation possible which could happen suddenly or unexpectedly.

### CAPRICORN

May also change residence, or job with promotion, have a new romance or win the Pick. Get involved in a new romance or become a grandparent.


### AQUARIUS

Time for a medical check-up. Pay attention to your job and small details. You may have to work overtime without any extra compensation, but how well you do your work will bring a greater reward later on because someone is watching you.

### PISCES


You also need to watch your health, but you will benefit from new relationships and partnerships, so be on the alert for opportunities to meet people, or business opportunities you can share.

(Personal daily forecasting according to your own horoscope is available through Michael at 327-4243 in Tucson).

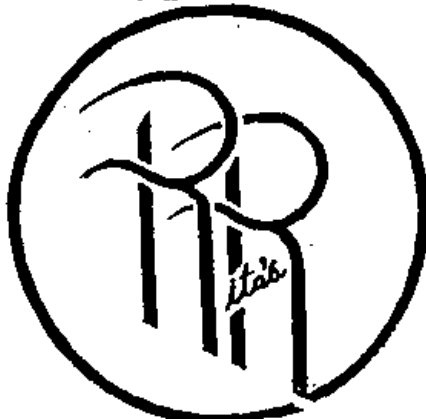


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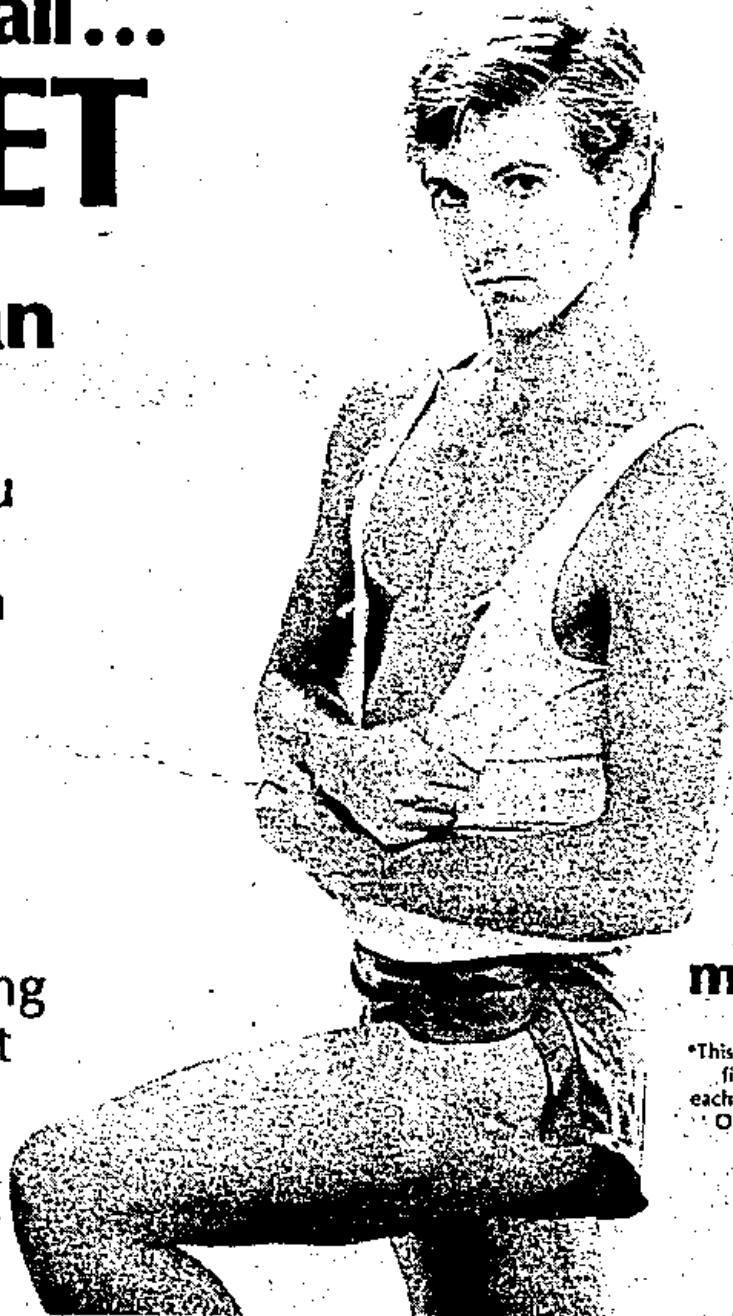
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## B R I E F S

### JUDGE BARS TESTING OF GAY MAN'S BLOOD

SAN DIEGO, CA (AP) - Police must return, without testing for AIDS antibodies, a blood sample taken from a Gay man who allegedly bit two officers during his arrest last year, an appeals court has ruled.

The ruling reverses a judge's order allowing the testing of blood taken from Brian Barlow, 40, of San Francisco.

"While some cultures require a leper to ring a bell to warn the passer-by, our Legislature has not so stigmatized the victims of AIDS," Justice Edward Butler wrote.

**THEOLOGIAN HIRED BY CORNELL U.**  
WASHINGTON, DC (AP) - Theologian Charles Curran, suspended from Catholic University of America for his dissent on sexual issues, (OBSERVER, Jan. 14), will take a post as visiting professor at Cornell University, officials at the New York school announced.

Curran, a Roman Catholic priest, is fighting the suspension from his tenured professorship at Catholic University in court and has said repeatedly that he has no plans to leave the school permanently.

Curran was suspended in January - though he remains on the Catholic University payroll and still lives on campus - more than seven years after the start of a Vatican investigation of sexual-ethics views that church leaders find too liberal.

Among his points of disagreement with church teachings are his views that contraception and sterilization "are not intrinsically evil."

### WOMEN HELPING WOMEN


TUCSON - In mid-life many women are forced, because of economic pressures or crises, to re-enter the work force. Others have a desire to make a change, follow a different career, while still others are striving for higher levels of management. All have different goals, but all have the same need - for information and career counseling so that they can achieve their goals. For the practical help they need, in a private counseling session, the YWCA's Women Helping Women is the answer.

Counseling is given in the areas of legal, financial, and career concerns. The legal counselors are practicing women attorneys and the financial and career advisors are fully accredited professional counselors.

The counseling sessions are available every Thursday evening, by appointment, from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. These are individual sessions, on a one-on-one basis, not group sessions. If you need counseling, you can schedule an appointment by calling 884-7810 or 296-1285. There is a charge of \$10 for legal, and \$5 for financial or career half-hour sessions.

The counseling sessions are held at either the YWCA City Center at 738 N. Fifth Avenue or a central location. Call 884-7810 for further information.





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## NOTICES

ALUMNI TUCSON WOMEN HUGBY PLAYERS are invited to a "Reunion Game and Party" Saturday, April 25 from 1 to 4 p.m. at Estavan Park. Party follows at Colettes. For more info call DI 795-6428, or LJ 298-7990. 143

**ROOMMATE REFERRAL OF TUCSON**  
Men and women both welcome. NO FEE. Call Bill James 622-3808 in Tucson.

**CORNERSTONE FELLOWSHIP** is a loving Christian church where YOU are welcome. Sunday worship services are at 10:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study is at 7:00 p.m. Our caring staff is on duty Tuesday through Friday 7-9 p.m. and at other times by appointment. Call 881-3519 or stop by at 1724 N. Alvernon, just north of Pima.

**SQUARE DANCING** 1 to 3 p.m. Sundays; 7-9 p.m. Wednesdays and Thursdays upstairs at the Fineline. Come join Tucson's own Square Dancing club T-Squares. Hoedowns 3rd Saturday of every month.

**SENIOR GAYS (OVER 40).** If you are interested in joining write P.O. Box 1463, Tucson, AZ 85702-1463.

**TUCSON LESBIAN CO-OP - WOMEN'S COMMUNITY ROTULOCK.** Open to all women. 2nd Sundays at 6:00 p.m. Various locations. Call Claire at 795-1006 for more information.

**TRANVESTITE RAP GROUP.** Contact Art, 296-0733 Tucson

**GAY INFORMATION AND REFERRAL IN TUCSON**  
Call Information and Referral 881-1794

**TUCSON YOUTH GROUP** meets every Saturday from 3 to 5 p.m. at 560 S. Stone. All Lesbians and Gays under 22 invited. 792-3772.

**AFFIRMATION, Gay and Lesbian Mormons** meet monthly in Phoenix for fellowship and positive support. AFFIRMATION, P.O. Box 315, Mesa, AZ 85201 or (602) 981-0121.

Mecham recall stickers and buttons are available for \$1.00 each and are available at Rumor Hazzit in Tucson.

**AIDS HOTLINE - TUCSON AIDS PROJECT (TAP)** 792-3772 from 8 p.m. to Midnight. Transmission, sympathy, testing for AIDS, medical and counseling.

**GAY OR LESBIAN AND HAVE A DRINKING PROBLEM?** Call A.A. 624-4183. 24-Hour Hotline. Call for information on Gay and Lesbian meetings in Tucson.

**TUCSON AIDS PROJECT (TAP)** meets the second Thursday of each month at the University of Arizona Medical Center in Dining Room "C" (second floor) at 7:30 p.m. Everyone welcome and urged to attend. Get involved! For more information call 792-3772.

**SOURCES UNLIMITED** is a non-profit information and referral service for the Lesbian and Gay community. Businesses and individual listings are free. Call 884-1806 in Tucson for information.

**GAY & LESBIAN ADULT DISCOURSES (GLAD)** provides weekly group discussions on various topics for Tucson's Gay community. Especially open to persons just "coming out" and over 21. Confide in us. Learn about yourself through discussion. For contact information, call "Information and referral" at 881-1794.

**ANYONE INTERESTED IN JOINING A SUPPORT GROUP** for Parents and Friends of Gays please contact Herb at 792-0893 or Sean at P.O. Box 27929, Tucson, AZ 85726. All information is strictly confidential.

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**GMM, 5'8", Joyfully Chubby!!** Would like to meet friends 35 to 65. If interested, write to: William Long, 2384 West Diamond, No. 14, Tucson, AZ 85705. No drunks or drugs. 144

**Looking for masculine guy 18 to 25 years old** who would like to travel to Virginia. All expenses paid. Spend summer at the beach. Leave 1st week in May. House boy chores. 293-8831 Tucson. Call after 6 pm. 145

**What or Who is in your Horoscope or Tarot Spread TODAY?** Computability by the Stars. Call Michael 327-4243 Tucson.

**PUT A LITTLE ADVENTURE IN YOUR LIFE.** An Arles is looking for sincere friends between 20-40 who enjoy hiking, nude sun bathing, massage, pure crazy fun and celebrating each day. Call Marc before 9 p.m. 881-4582 in Tucson. 142

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**A special thank you to David Ross** for getting us on the Boards last Sunday.  
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