

## Survey Reveals AIDS Organizations and Patients Need a Better Understanding of Opportunistic Infections

ATLANTA, GA - Results of a recent survey, "Living with AIDS in the '90s," call for increased education on managing opportunistic infections (OI), a critical area in AIDS management.

The survey was conducted among representatives of organizations that offer services to people with AIDS who were attending the National Skills Building Conference (NSBC). The conference was cosponsored by the National Association of People with AIDS (NAPWA), the National Minority AIDS Council (NMAC) and AIDS National Interfaith Network.

The survey shows that 90 percent of those surveyed agree that the people they serve need a better understanding of AIDS related OIs, illnesses that develop in a person whose immune system is not functioning properly.

Moreover, 92 percent of the respondents agree that they would also like to have a better understanding of OIs. The need for information is further underscored by 92 percent of respondents who agree that some OIs in people with AIDS can be averted with preventive therapies.

"AIDS patients need to know about opportunistic infections and the related symptoms to seek appropriate and timely medical care," said Alberto Avendano, MD, medical director, NAPWA. "It is alarming that experts working in the trenches believe that they do not have enough information to share with AIDS patients."

The survey also reveals what the respondents believe their clientele know about AIDS management:

1. More than eight in ten (83 percent) believe their clientele need more information on therapeutic treatment options, while only 11 percent said they

know very much.

2. Only 14 percent said their clientele know very much about what to expect at each stage of the disease, compared to 45 percent who know some but not enough and 36 percent who know very little or nothing.

3. Forty five percent said their clientele know some but not enough about when to seek treatment for various symptoms. Thirty six percent said their clientele know very little or nothing at all, compared to only 15 percent who said their clientele know very much.

Some of the more common OI complications people with AIDS become vulnerable to are pneumocystis carinii (PCP), a serious lung infection; and mycobacterium avium complex (MAC), a bacterial infection that triggers a variety of multi-organ diseases ranging from intestinal problems to wasting syndrome. MAC is the fastest growing bacterial OI among people with AIDS.

When asked about their clientele's attitudes about OIs, 38 percent surveyed said they believe that OI prevention is an important part of managing their disease.

However, the need for more information on OIs was further reinforced by the survey; 34 percent of the respondents believe that if their clientele know more about OIs, they can better manage their disease.

"OI prevention is rapidly becoming an area of AIDS management that's receiving widespread attention," said Dr. Avendano. "By striving to educate the professionals who work with people with AIDS and the patients themselves, we can hopefully better manage this horrible disease and prevent a lot of human suffering."

## Marine Caught In Fight Over Military Policy on Gays

WASHINGTON, D.C. (AP) - Marine Cpl. Kevin Blaesing thought his sessions with a military psychologist were confidential, so he told her he was questioning his sexual orientation.

As the session ended, the counselor said, she believed she was required to tell his commanding officer. Blaesing was charged with violating the "don't ask, don't tell" policy that subjects homosexuals in the military to possible discharge if they reveal their sexual orientation.

A board voted 2-1 to kick Blaesing out of the Marines, but the decision

was overturned on appeal at the Charleston, S.C. Naval Weapons Station.

Since then, however, a new commander has taken charge and he gave Blaesing a low re-enlistment recommendation. Blaesing's lawyer contends that the commander is retaliating because he believes the corporal is gay.

Michelle Benecke, a former Army officer and co-director of the Servicemembers Legal Defense Network, said the Blaesing case is a clear example of how the new policy is worse than the one

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## \$125,000 In Free Long Distance Calls for PWAs

CHICAGO, IL - CommunitySpirit Cares is a new program being launched by CommunitySpirit Long Distance to specifically address the long distance needs of Persons With AIDS who happen to be in financial crisis.

CommunitySpirit Cares provides qualifying with a disposable, anonymous calling card that allows the cardholder to make 60 minutes of free long distance calls anywhere in the United States.

"The CommunitySpirit Cares calling card can even be used to make long distance calls from a cardholder's home phone if the local phone company has placed a long distance block on the line," explains Joe Bartelli, Vice President of CommunitySpirit Long Distance.

CommunitySpirit Long Distance has launched the program on behalf of its existing customers with an donation of \$125,000 from the CommunitySpirit fund. "Our \$125,000 gift is just the beginning," adds Bartelli. "For every person that switches his/her dial-1 service to CommunitySpirit by calling 1-800-ITS-OURS, CommunitySpirit will donate an additional \$10 of free calling to the CommunitySpirit Cares program."

According to Overlooked Opinions, a Chicago market research firm specializing in the Lesbian, Gay and HIV communities, approximately 11% of the Gay male community has tested positive

for HIV, nationwide. Of those, more than 15% have no health insurance. "We estimate that there are as many as 200,000 HIV positive Gay men who are presently financially devastated," notes Jeffrey J. Vitale, Overlooked's President. "All forms of assistance are critically needed."

Distribution centers are needed for the CommunitySpirit calling cards. HIV/AIDS support organizations are urged to contact Kyle Storjohann, Program Director at 1-800-800-9650, if they would like to participate in the distribution.

"Long distance service is considered a luxury unlike most other utilities," notes Bartelli. "With most long distance companies, if a customer cannot afford to pay a bill, the customer's long distance service is promptly cut off no matter what the circumstances are. The ability to make a long distance call is something most of us take for granted. We pick up our home phone and dial whenever we want to. The fact is that many people with AIDS cannot afford to make long distance calls."

CommunitySpirit Long Distance was formed nearly two years ago as the nation's first and only long distance company for the Lesbian, Gay, Bi and HIV/AIDS communities. CommunitySpirit offers dial-1, 800 and calling card long distance service worldwide-just like AT&T, MCI and Sprint at a cost that is up

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## Shanti Receives Check From Estate



TUCSON - Pictured above is Richard Bruce Fowler. The donation is from the estate of late Ansell giving a \$2,500 check to Anne Maley, Director of the Shanti Foundation. Mr. Fowler was a past president of Shanti.

# UPDATE

## Pima Community College Offers Scholarships to PWAs and HIV+ Persons

TUCSON - The Pima Community College Alumni Association and Community Campus are joining forces to offer new scholarships (PWA/HIV) for Corporate and Community Education (non-credit) to HIV positive persons as well as people with AIDS (PWA).

The PWA/HIV Scholarship program has been established through the PCC Alumni Association to encourage terminally ill people to continue their education.

Also, it is the feeling of the Alumni Association that this could be therapeutic and help the mental outlook of those taking advantage of the opportunity.

Guidelines for enrollment are as follows:

1. Scholarships are on a space available basis because Corporate and Community Education activities have to meet an enrollment quota in order for the activity to operate.
2. There is a mandatory \$5.00 registration fee not covered by PCC for every person enrolled in an activity in case of fire or injury.
3. Some activities require materials not covered by this scholarship.

All applications will be reviewed by Henry Warner, President PCC Alumni Association and Nancy Thompson, Program Coordinator, Corporate and Community Education to determine space availability.

Submit applications to: Mr. Henry C. Warner, President, PCC Alumni Association, 4907 East Broadway Blvd. #246, Tucson, AZ 85709-1330.

## Foundation Offers Grants to Writers of Gay Positive Plays

PHOENIX - The Arch and Bruce Brown Foundation, based in Phoenix, was created for the sole purpose of supporting Gay positive arts projects. The Foundations has just announced it is accepting submissions from playwrights for it's 1995 grants.

The foundation was founded by Arch and Bruce Brown. Arch is a film maker, playwright and critic. Bruce was a pharmaceutical chemist. They were life partners for 27 years until Bruce's death from a brain hemorrhage in 1993.

The foundation, realizing the difficulty in bring such works to the public's attention, will award completion grants to artists for the publication, production, or presentation of deserving projects. Each year artists from a specific discipline will be invited to submit works to the foundation.

This year, the Board of Directors has voted to invite playwrights to submit full length plays for possible publication. All submitted works must promote a positive image of Gay and Lesbian lifestyles. And because of the Browns' belief that we can learn from our own history, submissions will be restricted to works based on historic subjects or events.

Playwrights will have until June 1, 1995 to submit works. Winning plays, to be selected by a panel of judges, will then be published by a reputable publisher. All costs incurred by the publication and printing of winning works will be paid for by the Foundation.

Before submitting their plays, interested playwrights should first request a copy of the submission guidelines from the Foundation. Do not submit full scripts! For guidelines, send a SASE to The Arch & Bruce Brown Foundation, POB 45231, Phoenix, AZ 85064.

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Among Arizona women with

AIDS or the HIV virus, the report said 50.5 percent were infected through intravenous drug use. There was no data provided for infected men.

"All these extremely dangerous trends show that Arizona needs more money to battle these problems," said Steve Carter, past president of the association and now executive director of NOVA, a Phoenix based organization designed to help abusers.

## Gay and Lesbian Youth Program Underway

PHOENIX - There are many segments of the Lesbian and Gay community that are overlooked, especially in educational social service agencies. Once of the most forgotten groups is our youth. In an effort to address this disparity, the Lesbian Resource Project is taking a pro-active role and has joined with several other local agencies in developing a landmark grant program.

Barb Jones, Director of the LRP states. "We are extremely proud to take a leadership role in meeting the needs of Lesbian and Gay youth."

The Flinn Foundation, a private, nonprofit grant making organization based in Phoenix has awarded a two year grant providing \$49,442 for the Gay and Lesbian Provider Education Program (GLY-PEP).

This grant was awarded to the Children's Action Alliance, which is teaming with the Lesbian Resource Project, the Lesbian and Gay Community Switchboard and members of the Gay and Lesbian Youth Network to develop a curriculum to address myriad issues faced by Lesbian and Gay youth, and to train employees of education and social service agencies to meet the needs of Arizona's Lesbian and Gay youth.

Valley's One In Ten (VOIT), a Gay and Lesbian youth group is encouraged by this project. Darren Whallon, VOIT's Director states, "We believe that Gay and Lesbian youth of Arizona have unique social service needs that must be more thoroughly addressed by our social service system."

The announcement about GLY-PEP has generated a great deal of interest. Bunny Tarquinio, President of the Valley of the Sun Parents, Families & Friends of Lesbians and Gays (PFLAG) states, "Gay and Lesbian youth are part of our families and deserve services to assist them in coping with an adverse society."

Agency trainings are expected to begin in May 1995. Any agency interested in scheduling a training should contact the Lesbian and Gay Community Switchboard at (602) 234-2752, ask for Bonnie Benitez.



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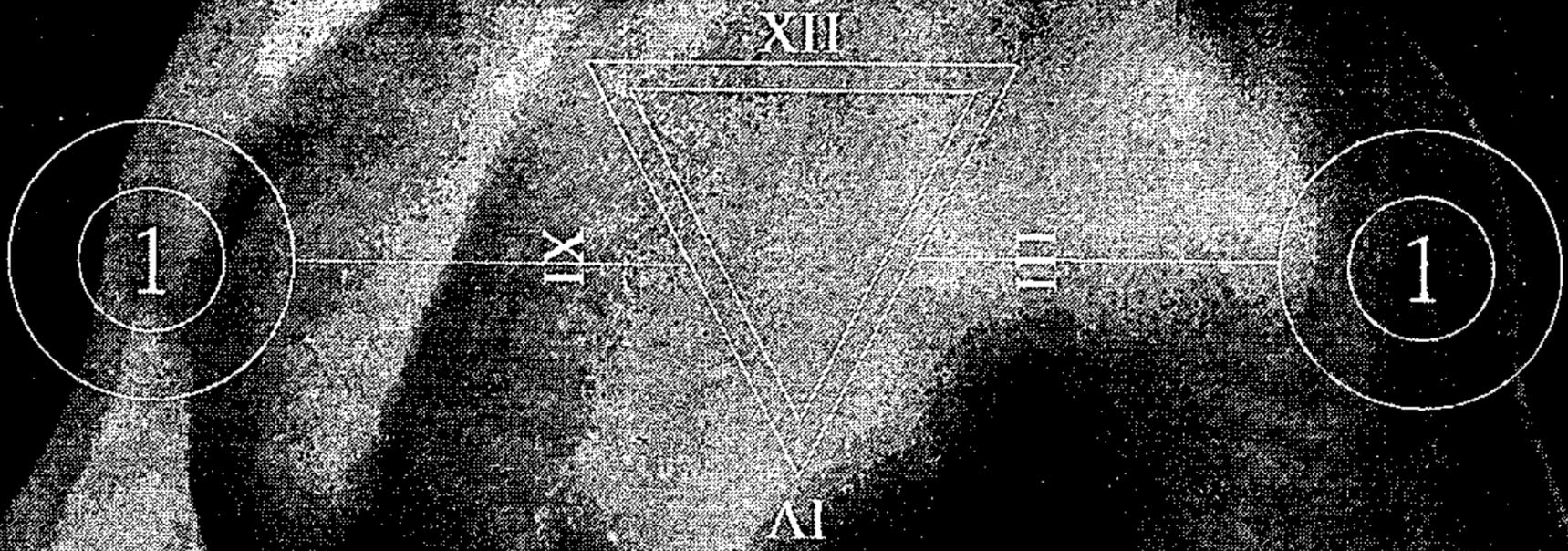
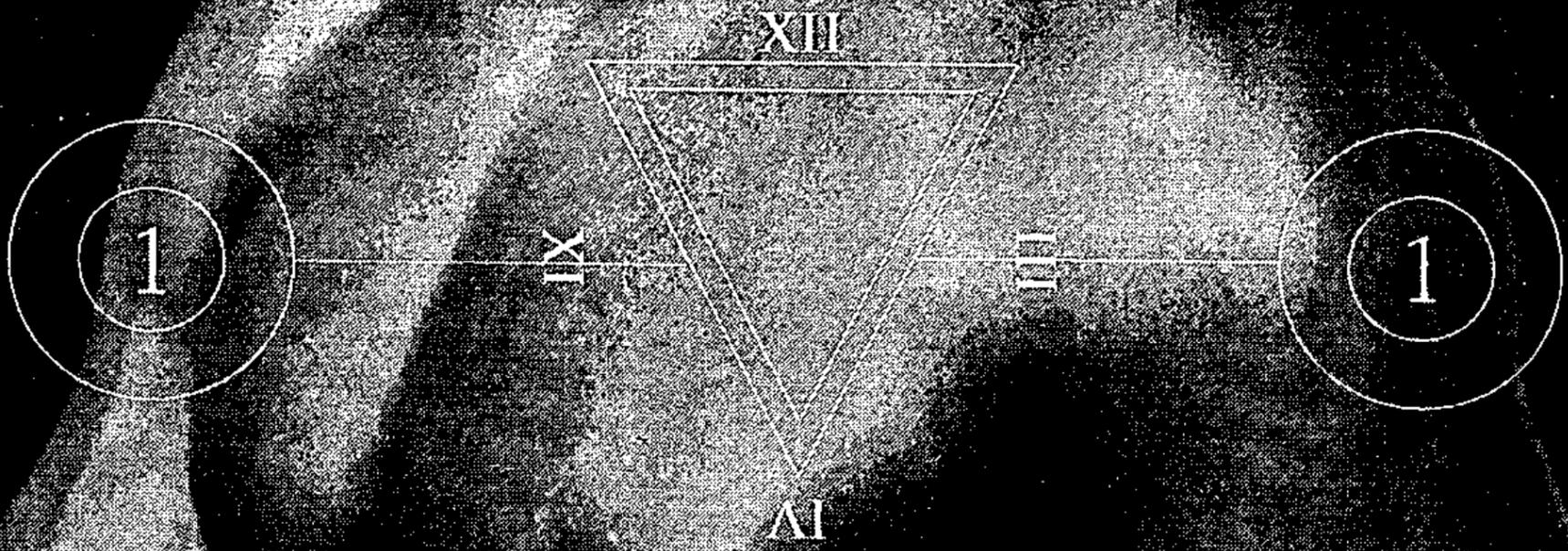
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TUCSON - For those people who have followed the trials and tribulations of the cast members of the "The G Word", that campy program, which lasted longer than "The Martin Short Show" did, the cliff-hanger, season finale will be seen, live, this Thursday, December 15th, at 8:00 P.M. on Tucson Cablevision Channel 64.

Plus, who or what gets the Slap of the Season, and the Ultimate Pat on the Butt. These questions and a lot less will be answered on the live colorcast, this Thursday, 8:00 P.M., on Tucson Cablevision Channel 64!

The show will go on a four week hiatus after the big finale, and will reappear on Cable Access in the middle of January after the crew has had time to regroup and re-charge the energy that it takes to put on a weekly television show such as this.

The "G Word" will be up for TCCC cable Awards and it is expected to take home some trophies after its first season on the air.

The show will have some cliff-hangers that will rate up there with "Who shot J.R.?", from Dallas; "The Krystal and Alexis Cat Fight", from Dynasty and "The Dream Sequence" from Dallas. Here are some tidbits of the upcoming colorcast:

After weeks of tension, one upping, one liners, fighting over lines, and camera time, could this be the showdown between Dear Blabby, Ms. Dani "Precious Eve!" Reid and the host Mr. Gary "Fasten your seatbelts, for tonight's going to be a bumpy ride" Clark. And what happens to Blabby?

After last week's episode, "The G" Boys, Madison O'Neil and Jonathan Berner had to share one hand held microphone, with Madison winning the struggle for the mike. Will Madison win out this time, what does Jonathan have planned?

"The G Words" own news team of Stan Phalp and Scott Hawkins, who have informed the viewing audience of what is going on in the community, leave us in suspense when the question is asked, "Who is going to read the first item?"

And after weeks of contract negotiations, will political commentator Mark "Where's my time cue!" Kerr be back on the show? And if so, will he be reunited with his former siamese twin brother?

Will the producer of the show, Tony "I am butch, really!" DeNinno show his true personality, and finally get the credits right for the first time.

Will Director, Jim Wilcoxon, finally recover from his election defeat for the TCCC Board, and will he announce his candidacy again for the Board in next year's election?

And will the mystery man with the heavy British accent, who does the lights, finally be revealed on the season finale?

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# POLITICS '94 *by Mark Kerr*

**THE ELECTION THAT WILL NEVER END!** Yes, our latest Old Pueblo political scandal (Does it ever end?) involves the count of the votes in the November general election. Here is the story so far:

Problems arose with the slow reporting of the total count; the delay in processing and counting the absentee ballots; 800 or so missing votes from Oro Valley Precinct 12; 14 precincts with no registered voters; voters receiving two or more sample ballots and some voters receiving none; the training of election workers and the possible violation of state nepotism laws.

[Note: For the first time in eight elections, primary and general, that this reporter has covered, Maricopa County reported their final results before Pima County did. (They have 939 precincts compared to Pima County's 402, and a crappy computer system which breaks down about midnight on election day.)]

After the election, the fingerpointing and accusations went back and forth like a battery of shells from the Elections Division, the Clerk of the Board to the County Recorder's office. Then to make matters worse, the Pima County Board of Supervisors, that peace loving body got into the "chi-chi foo, foo fight".

The Board met a couple of weeks back, and voted, unanimously, that County Administrator Chuck Huckleberry appoint someone to investigate the allegations regarding the count. Huckleberry was set to appoint former Tucson City Clerk, Don DeMent, to look into the problems.

Well, the Chairman of the Board, Frank Sinatra, er, Paul Marsh, finally spoke publicly and stated, despite the Board vote, planned to name a tri-partisan committee (2 R's, 2 D's and 1 LBT) to look into the problems surrounding the election. Controversy ensued, and the Committee met once and decided not to meet until the Board grants approval of this.

Did the Board do this? Of course not! After heated debate between Supervisor "Big Ed" Moore, his shadow Paul Marsh, and the rest of the Supes; the Board voted 3 to 2 to quash Marsh's proposed committee. (Oh Paul!) And have Huckleberry appoint someone to investigate the charges.

Well, since "Big Ed" raised such a ruckus over the proposal, Don DeMent bowed out for consideration, citing the controversy raised by the above mentioned. So Huckleberry had to look outside the county for someone.

Who did he choose? None other than former Maricopa County Elections Director and former Arizona Secretary of State Jim Shumway. The investigation is expected to take up to three months and will cost \$7,000 dollars. In February, the Board will consider putting the elections under the auspices of the County Administrator.

**MEDIA MUSH:** Have you heard that there going to remake the movie "Sybil", the story of the person with multiple personalities. Whose going to star in the remake? Who else, the editorial staff of the Arizona Daily Snooze, Tucson's liberal media bastion!

Yes, those dimwits did it again! This past Sunday, they ran a puff profile piece on State Rep. Russell "Rusty" Bowers (R-Mesa), his life, his beliefs, etc.

Did the Snooze, the proclaimed voice for Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, HIV/AIDS rights, talk about the homophobic statements; Bower's record on bills of concern to the HIV/AIDS community; and his support of Frank Meliti and his sponsorship of the legislative attempt to get an Anti-Gay hate proposed State Constitutional amendment on the November general election ballot? Did they ask him about this? Of course not!

This year alone, the Snooze, came out in favor of Gays in the military; increased spending for AIDS research; against the Meliti Hate Amendment; supported to anti-Gay candidates State Rep. Dan Schottel and Freddy Hershberger and ran a puff piece on a ultra-conservative, religious right, vehemently homophobic State Representative from Maricopa County.

When will Tucson's morning paper, ever have a consistent editorial policy? I wonder! Plain and simple, the Snooze needs to learn how to do their research! Hopefully, they will learn soon.

So it goes....



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After, it will be time for TKO's annual Christmas Benefit Show. This year's benefit will be split equally between Shanti and PACT, ear marked for client housing. The show will begin at 8 PM with all the twisted Christmas carols Ray was able to find. In the hopes of not boring everyone into tears, show wise, I can tell you it will not be that long, only 9 different numbers. The main purpose of the complete evening is of course, raising money, so all of TKO do hope you bring plenty and spend.

And, here is one we all can

marvel about, or think about. Check this weeks Venture-N add. Believe it or not, a live band will be performing. Boy, Jim does change, old age catching up I guess.

TBBS: Thanks you Jim, here is one no one thought I'd print. The other day he was saying Keith hates the word NO. Hell, he has had to live with it for the past couple years, NO MONEY AND NO MEAT. Beats the hell out of me what Jim was referring to. News also from Jim, he is running a BLUE LIGHT SPECIAL, that is when they (the lights) are working.

Ernie likes the new Tohono Tada Transit Center. He says it is great, it's closer to the Mall. When ever did he even worry about busses and the Malls? Of course just the other day, as he was tending bar, he made the comment, and he said that he could be quoted on this one. "I am the only bartender that will s\*\*k y\*\*r d\*\*k."

Then I heard about Charlie coming home one evening, I guess after a trick, and he found a \$20 bill in his pants.

I guess I've rattled on enough for today. Do have a beautiful and loving week. And, let's be sure to be at the Graduate for the beer bust and benefit show.



## Home On The Range With AGRA-Tucson

by RY

The Arizona Gay Rodeo Association (AGRA) invites everyone to take part in the AGRA Do It Yourself Messiah this Sunday, December 18. The Messiah will take place at The Southwest Center for Music, 2175 North 6th Avenue. Preselected individuals will sing lead and the public gets to join in and sing the chorus.

Don't worry if you can't hold a tune either, the important thing is to have fun and remember what the holidays are all about. Lets all put our differences, gripes, or what have you aside for just one evening and share with one another the true meaning of the holidays. This is a time for peace and unity with family friends.

The Messiah is open to everyone, kids, adults, senior citizens, "straights", Gays. This a community event for all to enjoy. Admission is \$10.00 per person. The Messiah will start at 7:00 PM. Gift certificates to the Messiah are now available. A gift certificate makes a great gift for that someone that has everything.

Eight are restaurants will present "Taste of the Holidays" immediately following the AGRA Do It Yourself Messiah. This will be a wonderful sampling of Holiday Cooking by some of the areas finer restaurants. "Taste of the Holidays" is included with your paid admission to the Messiah. There will also be a no host bar set up for those that would care for some refreshments throughout the evening. This is an event you will surely not want to miss. Come and share the magic of the holidays with your family and friends.

The December AGRA-Tucson Chapter Meetings will also take place on Sunday, December 18, at The Graduate. Board Meeting will start at 2:00 PM. General Membership Meeting will follow

at 4:00 PM. New members are always welcome. Don't forget your canned food items for the AGRA Pantry.

We'd like to give a very special thanks to Art, Ken, and Stan at The Graduate. The AGRA Christmas Jamboree was held this past Sunday at The Graduate and a fantastic time was had by all. As usual, these folks went well out of their way to make our visit the best possible. We'd also like to thank everyone that came out to The Graduate and helped us celebrate the arrival of the holidays.

What do you get when you mix cocktails, Santa Hats, and AGRA Members together? You get the AGRA Christmas Choir. The group decided to do a little impromptu Christmas Concert at the Jamboree. Let's just say we'll rate them an E for effort. I do believe the dogs in the neighborhood are still howling.

Did you all catch the AGRA Conga Line? It was quite a sight. Why even Art was doing his little Conga Step throughout the bar. Adrienne Alexander entertained the crowd with a couple of Christmas numbers. We also had the presence of Mrs Claus, Alotta Whoremones.

Richard and Barney had trouble controlling their libidos so they decided to have some fun at the expense of yours truly. They decided to sprawl me out on the pool table and have their way with me. Let's just say I didn't feel much, and that's not due to lack of feeling folks. We'll just have to call these two "Stubbie" from now on. Thanks to everyone for helping make this a wonderful evening.

For more information on AGRA or if interested in becoming a member, please call the AGRA Hotline at 323-0805.

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# Photos From Miss Gay America Pageant Held In Dallas Recently

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DALLAS, TX - The annual Miss Gay America Pageant was held here last week. 53 contestants were in the competition. Preliminary events took place during the week at Village Station with the finals being held at the Majestic Theater.

Winning the Pageant was Ramona Le Ger from Louisiana who was representing Miss Gay Atlantic as 1st Alternate. She had entered this pageant for the past seven years.



Contestant Ashley Cruz, 1st Alternate to Miss Gay Southern Coast.



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DEAR EDITOR:

Special thanks to everyone who was a part of PACT's Festival for Life fund raising event. We are very grateful to Ms. Mary Wilson for her continued support. This year's event involved hundreds of individuals and there is not enough space to mention everyone.

Jerry Newcome, auctioneer; the many florists and designers; all concerned artists for their fine art donations; gift basket sponsors; living memorial trees sponsors; raffle prize sponsors; celebrity items and menorahs sponsors; wreaths and decorations designers and sponsors; all gifts and artwork artists and donors; the Windmill Inn management and staff who all worked so hard right alongside of us; Cafe Terra Cotta, Ovens, Daniel's for the wonderful food; local bar owners, managers and staff.

Event Sponsors: Qantas Airways, Windmill Inn, Design Definitions, Focus on Flowers, Desert Leaf, Tucson Lifestyle, Arizona Daily Star, Capitol National Benefits Corp., Sterling Homes, Doby Hillenbrand, Carondelet Healthcare.

Festival Co-Chairs: Greg and Lyn Papanikolas, Clague and Sally Van Slyke, Dr. Lyn Patrick and Diane Brier.

Festival Committee: Robert Alpaugh, Mark Bego, Gael Cassidy, Kirk Demers, Lloyd Dennington, Su Egan, Brian Forte, Stuart Meinke, John Murphy, Terri Nangaroni, Lisa Nowak, Kevin Osborn, R.T. Stacked, Laurie Swanson, Tom Turner.

Tom Gerard, Event Coordinator; Jerome Beillard, Executive Director; Frank Gallego, Volunteer Coordinator.

Most importantly, all of you who attended, participated and guaranteed the Festival's success.

To everyone and anyone else we have failed to mention, thank you.

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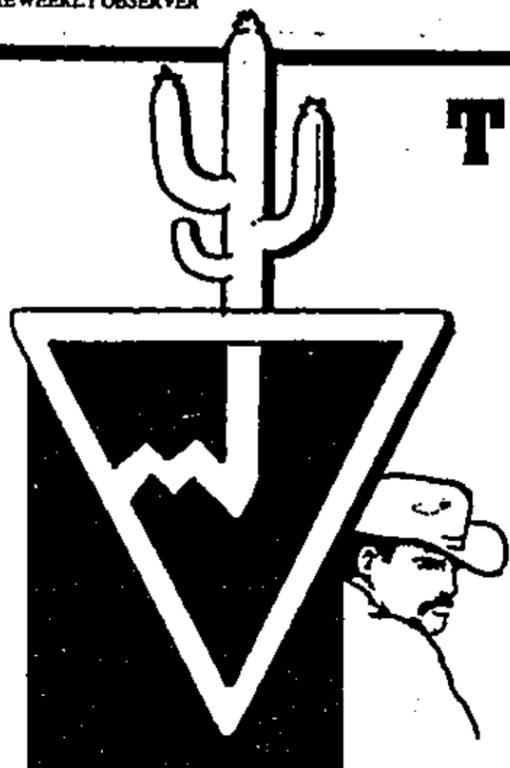
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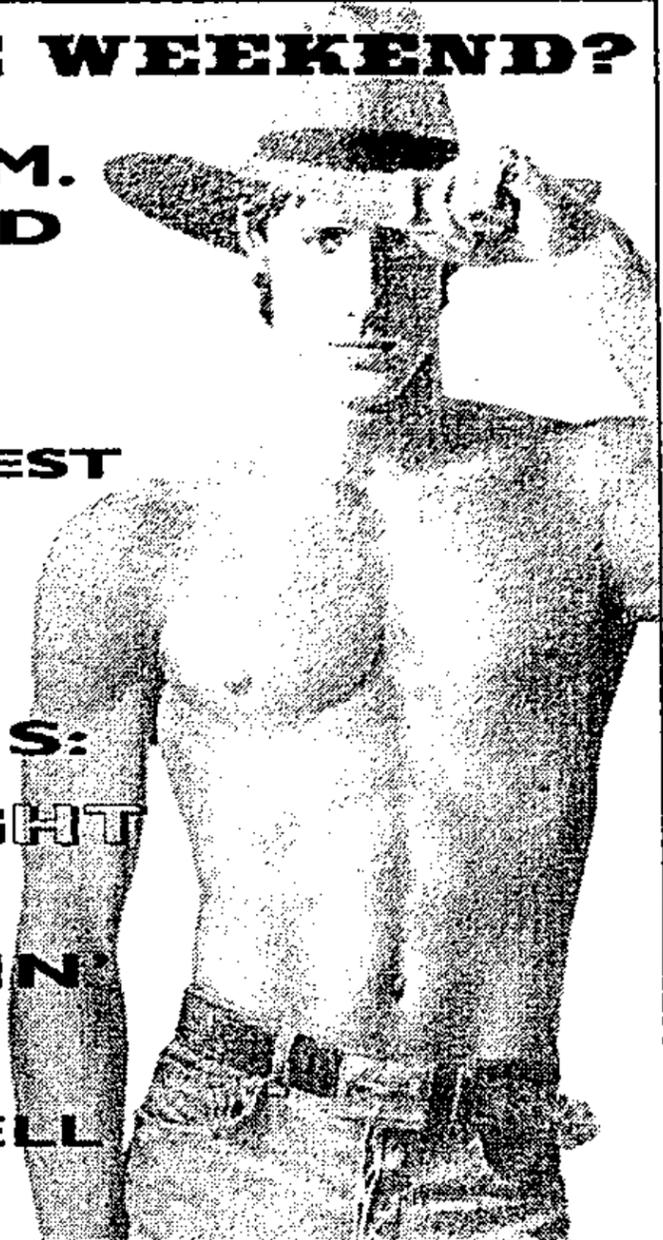
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## MY TURN

by Rev. Douglas Morgan Strong

Christmas is coming, filled with glad tidings of comfort and joy, when hopes and fears of all the years are met with heart and soul and voice. Christmas is ruling the world with truth and grace, with peace on earth, good will to all. It is Christmas, when Goodfolk rest merry, and rejoice.

We all know that Christmas, but what about the other Christmas, the one which we tend to overlook or deny:

When you feel a sense of tension at the family reunion because no one will acknowledge or even admit that your sweet heart is also a Lesbian or Gay man, its hard to don your Gay apparel.

When you remember holidays filled with drunken relatives, abusive family members, you may not want to smile with Tiny Tim.

When you are in the midst of personal conflict, or alone, it may not help to have someone bring you figgy pudding.

When your lover or a friend has died and you are acutely reminded of your loneliness because of the stress on "family" at Christmas, who cares if good Christian men rejoice?

When you are Jewish, Buddhist or Muslim living as a minority in a dominant Christian society, all the decorations, the carols, the greetings can make you feel isolated and excluded.

If a tragedy has occurred during

the last year, it will be brought to thought during Advent. If an inner pain prevents clear action of thought, it will intensely during this, the Season of the Heart. If you don't have the financial resources to uphold the dictates of the economic pressures, your poverty will only strengthen an already depressed mood.

The way we keep urging each other to have a Happy Holiday and a Merry Christmas, we preclude creating any sort of supporting atmosphere for someone to admit that they are having a cruddy Christmas.

Christmas is principally two things, I think. It is family and it is ritual. We all have the right to define who composes our family, be it our biological family (parents, siblings) or our chosen family (lovers, bar sisters, leather buddies). Family for many of us means dear and close friends with whom we share bonds of care and love. Erasmus once wrote, "It is folly which alone makes friendships. It's the sort of absurdity which is the binding force in society and brings happiness to life."

As we all know, Christmas is a composite celebration, mainly one of tradition, legend and myth. We light the candles, sing the hymns, drink the grog, read the words, hear the stories, display the decorations and feel better because of it. Even with stress and agony we strive to create for ourselves a holiday which will be happy. Our chosen families help us craft and create the sort of Christmas which has meaning for us.

What better time for folly and absurdity, for the devising of new rituals and reviving of old ones than Christmas? It is life's most wondrous mystery that friendships can commence any hour of any day, sometimes when we least expect them. Christmas is at least as good a time as any to risk letting a casual liaison deepen into a friendship. "Friends," as High Kingsmill, the late British writer said

somewhere, "can be God's apology for relatives!"

Christmas is coming. May it bring joy and peace to those who want it and love to those who need it. May it be a time to kindle new friendships and rituals. May we don our Gay apparel while we pause to ponder the stillness of a silent night, a holy night. May we reach out to each other in harmony and love.

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# Gay Physicians Applaud Landmark AMA Policy Change

SAN FRANCISCO, CA - The Gay and Lesbian Medical Association (GLMA), a nation organization of Gay and Lesbian physicians, applauded a major policy paper on Gay and Lesbian physicians, applauded a major policy paper on Gay health adopted by the American Medical Association as a landmark policy change.

The 20 page report, "Health Care Needs of Gay Men and Lesbians in the U.S.," calls for the "non judgmental recognition of sexual orientation" by physicians and pledges that the AMA will "work with the Gay and Lesbian community."

The report covers a broad range of issues, including cancer, HIV, substance abuse, access to health care, sexually transmitted diseases, adolescent issues, negative attitudes among health care providers, the impact of anti-Gay bias on mental health, and the need for physicians to take an adequate, non-judgmental sexual history of their patients.

The report replaces a 1981 AMA

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## Marine Caught In Fight

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President Clinton abandoned after taking office in 1993.

The Clinton policy bars the military from questioning personnel or recruits to determine their sexual orientation. But it also calls for discharges of those who state their sexual orientation and cannot subsequently prove they wouldn't engage in homosexual conduct.

"Under the old policy, this case wouldn't have gone anywhere because (Blaesing) did not say, 'I am Gay,'" said Benecke, whose nationwide organization has advised some 200 people accused under the new policy of homosexual conduct or who claim harassment. "Under the new policy, a Gay statement is a statement that you're Gay...or it's this nebulous thing called a non-verbal statement of one's orientation."

The patient-doctor confidentiality that Blaesing relied upon does not apply in the military services, "and the reason is for one of mission readiness," said Maj. Tom Schultz, a Pentagon spokesman.

In a case like Blaesing's Schultz said the counselor would have to report the individual and the commander would be duty bound to consider discharge.

paper on "the health needs of the homosexual population" that focused almost exclusively on sexually transmitted diseases and the possibility of changing a patient's sexual orientation.

According to GLMA Executive Director Benjamin Schatz, JD, the impetus for the AMA's policy shift was a January 1993 meeting between the GLMA board and members of the AMA's board of trustees.

During this meeting, GLMA leadership described the then current AMA document as unscientific and pressed the AMA to revise it; the AMA subsequently approached GLMA member Joseph O'Neill, MD, MPH, a Maryland internist, to draft a new paper. Others, including three members of the GLMA board, were invited to review and contribute to the document, and worked with O'Neill and the AMA for a year to get into final shape.

GLMA President Bob Cabaj, MD, was one of those who worked on the report. "The new AMA report, by counseling acceptance and understanding, and by calling for a national health survey among U.S. adults and adolescents that

includes questions about sexual orientation and behavior, is a remarkable step forward and should have an important impact on public policy," he noted.

Cabaj, a San Francisco psychiatrist, expressed particular satisfaction that the new report explicitly rejects so-called "aversion therapy" to change sexual orientation, citing the report's conclusion that "most of the emotional disturbance experienced by Gay men and Lesbians around their sexual identity is...due to a sense of alienation in an unaccepting environment."

Cabaj was also pleased that the AMA policy paper cites extensively a reported conducted earlier this year by GLMA documenting widespread anti-Gay discrimination in medicine. (The report,

"Anti Gay Discrimination in Medicine: Results of a National Survey of Lesbian, Gay and Bisexual Physicians," is available for \$9 from GLMA, 273 Church Street, San Francisco, CA 94114; 415-255-4547). The AMA report also cites the scholarly work of approximately a dozen GLMA members.

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**From The POOP SHEET**

by Ace London

Well kiss ma' grits and butter ma' buns! I was recently told by a Gay brother that I was a "suck up" to heterosexuals; that I cared too much about what straights think. Well, he was correct in that I do care about what straights think. I'm not sure about what he meant in caring "too much"; I guess that's what he felt made me a "suck up."

Now, I don't know this for sure, but here might be an example of a young Gay who is filled with anger at the System, the hetero system, which had said he was sick and wanted him to be seen but not heard. A System, a hetero system, which wanted him to remain closeted; self imprisoned to live a life of lies, but now, being out of his closet, he discovered his hate and felt anyone who cared for this despised system was a "suck up" and a betrayer of freedom for Gays.

What my young friend may have failed to acknowledge is that we live in a Straight Society Structure. We are a minority in the structure; a societal-structure which may be ignorant or uneducated to the needs and desires of our minority.

So whose job or duty is it to educate? it can only be the members of the minority group themselves since it is only they who know the needs.

A teacher who shuts out a student cannot possibly educate that student. A teacher who doesn't care for a student cannot possibly reach the heart and mind of that student. A teacher who does not try every method possible to educate a student is not doing the job; and, any teacher who would try to shove it down a student's throat, so to speak, may be the one truly in need of being educated themselves.

This is not a Marxist Utopia where it is only discovered in the graduation ceremony that "A man convinced against his will may be found unconvinced still." For the few young Gays who may feel their blatant non-sucking up attitudes are effective in affecting their freedom, it may be an ugly awakening awaiting to find they have lived in a fantasyland, having only "turned off" the potential supporters need from that uneducated

majority.

So! What must we remember and consider in our quest within the System? First off: respect and social acceptance for our community is an earned thing. Secondly: Equal rights under the law is a right, but many have had to sacrifice much to see this accomplished in other minorities over the centuries. Thirdly: Sexual liberation is not something granted by anyone but one's self. And lastly: The self esteem all need to live honorably comes with true maturation as a result of living in truth, not lies. It begins with loving ourself and grows as we learn to love others...even our enemies!

So, if patience, understanding, compassion and love are needed in the education process of our straight student brothers and sisters, what should we do if someone says we are "sucking up"? To quiet this critique, should we throw condoms at Priests? Run around in some Pride Parade with our bare ass or tits hanging out? Or deep kiss our lover in public view? All to prove we are not going to be told how we should live or act!?

If our protests are counter productive to our securing Equal Rights under the Law, what will we be gaining?

Although we have an innumerable number of Gays and Lesbian organizations, all seemingly working toward goals, we really have no so-called national agenda or any true national leader like a Martin Luther King. So many of the Organizations seem preoccupied with some more ambitious vision of sexual pleasure than what our Gay and Lesbian predecessors may have experienced, not with Equal Rights Under the Law.

If we only want to vent our anger at society and the system to get rid of our inner rage, we are no different than the criminal elements of society who choose this same road to get rid of their rage. Maybe a few sessions with a therapist might help many of our own to become productive rather than destructive.

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## THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15

**AIN'T NOBODY'S BIZNESS** - The Biz will be holding their Christmas Party here from 7 to 10 p.m. for all their friends. Come on by and celebrate the first Xmas in Tucson for the Biz!

## SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17

**GRADUATE** - Another busy day at the Grad. Things kick off with Partner's monthly Beer Bust from 2 to 6 p.m. plus the Pool Tournament which begins at 2:00 p.m. Then, after the sun goes down! TKO's annual Christmas Benefit begins at 8:30 p.m. Show, auction and raffle with proceeds going to Shaoni and PACT for client housing. Prizes include \$100 cash, \$100 leather gift certificate, 2 tickets to the Copper Bowl, T-shirts, movies and a whole lot more.

## SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18

**AIN'T NOBODY'S BIZNESS** - Tucson's foremost band, Rare Breed, will be here for "Salsa Sunday" from 7 to 10 p.m. Don't miss them!

**GRADUATE** - Arizona Gay Rodeo members will hold a General Meeting here beginning at 4:00 p.m.

## WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21

**IBT'S** - A big Christmas Show hosted by Miss AGRA Gikla Fatale and starring Helena Bubbles, Miss Gay Arizona, Lucinda Holliday, and Adrienne Alexander.

## SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24

**HOURS** - Christmas Eve Party begins at 8:00 p.m. Come join Lee and the gang! Christmas presents, drink special and more! Coming to you from your favorite Elve!

## SUNDAY, DECEMBER 25 - CHRISTMAS DAY

**HOURS** - Christmas Day Pot Luck starts at 4:00 p.m. Bring your favorite dish, sit by the fireplace, watch football on the big screen with your friends and family at Hours.

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# CALENDAR

## THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15

"Revocable Living Trusts: More Than Avoiding Probate" will be presented at the Catalina Library, 15560 N. Oracle at 10:30 a.m. by Bobbie Carichner of Thompkins Investment Center. This discussion is open to the public and is free. 544-4274 for info.

## SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17

Rainbow Families, a Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual parents network, celebrates the holidays with a tour of Winterhaven and a Holiday Party. Activities begin at 6:30 p.m. All Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual parents, partners and family members are welcome. Call Craig at 318-9348 or Mary at 690-1634 for details.

Cronica, (Gay men over 40 and younger friends) Video Movie Party "Meet Me In St. Louis" at 7:00 p.m. For more information and reservations, call Jerry at 690-9565.

## SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18

Gay and Lesbian Hiking Club will hold a moonlight hike up Blackett's Ridge in the Catalina Mountains (6.2 miles; 1,700 ft. elevation change). Hikers will start at 2:30 p.m. in order to enjoy the afternoon views of Sabino and Bear Canyons in the light. When the moon has risen, the group will begin the return trip. Bring flashlights, food and water. Call Les McAllan through pager number 446-3711. Be sure to enter your number (touch tone phones only) followed by the # sign.

Raymond Tess, organist at First Christian Church, will present a concert of "Carols Around the World" featuring the Rodgers 3-manual organ in the sanctuary of First Christian Church, 740 E. Speedway at 3:00 p.m. Mr. Tess will be assisted by Bonnie Brady, harpist, Mark Edwards, tenor and Jeanne Jackson, alto. They will perform a program of Christmas carols from around the world. This will also be an audience carol sing-a-long and the afternoon should prove to be lively and entertaining. There is no admission. For further info call the church office at 624-8695.

Cornerstone Fellowship will hold a Christmas Variety Show at 6:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome. Comedy, drama, music and singing. Free refreshments after the show. 2902 N. Geranium. 622-4626.

## TUESDAY, DECEMBER 20

"Revocable Living Trusts: Protect Your Investments and Yourself" will be presented at the Wilnot Library, 530 N. Wilnot at 10:30 a.m. by Bobbie Carichner of Thompkins Investment Center. This discussion is free and open to the public. 544-4274 for info.

## SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31 - NEW YEAR'S EVE

New Year's Eve, Black and White dinner, dance and show at the Quality Inn University, 1601 N. Oracle. \$25 per person includes dinner, party favors and champagne at midnight. No host bar. All proceeds benefit the National MPS Society. Limited seating. Get your tickets now. All ages welcome. Bring your ID for cocktails, enjoy an evening of live vocals, piano music, comedy, female impersonators. Door prizes and lots of dancing. Ticket information call 747-7426 or get your tickets at Holiday's Headliners gift shop inside Club 2520.

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## sunday

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**CLUB 2520** - Open Noon. Salsa Bar and Western Steak Fry 4 to 7 pm. C/W and Progressive Dance Music 8 to 1.

**GRADUATE** - Happy Hour 4-8 pm, all well \$1.25 Draft 75c Schnapps 75c

**HOURS** - Moody Mays and Screws \$1.25 til 7 pm. Country/Western dance instruction 6-8 pm. Country Dance Music 8 to 1.

**IBT's** - Open 11 am to 1 am. Happy Hour 4-8 pm, \$1.25 domestic beer and well. Benefit B-B-Q and Beer Bust for community organizations 4-7. Tin Dance 4-8. Rock 'n Roll dancing later

**STONEWALL/EAGLE** - Happy Hour 10 am until 8 pm. Pool tournament 3pm. Bar-B-Que and Beer Bust. 50c Draft. Stomewall opens at 8pm, Disco dancing 8 to close.

**VENTURE-N** - Open 10 a.m. 301 Dart Tournament 4 pm, \$3 entry fee. Cash prizes. Patio Bar Beer Bust 3-7 pm, B-B-Q 5-7 pm.

## monday

**AIN'T NOBODY'S BIZNESS** - Happy Hour 4-7, Return Happy Hour 9-11. DJ 9pm.

**CLUB 2520** - Open 3pm. 99c Happy Hour 4 to 8pm. \$1.25 well 8-1 + Moon Madness "Buckets". C/W dancing and Progressive Dance Music begins at 9pm.

**GRADUATE** - Happy Hour 4-8pm all well \$1.25 Draft 75c Schnapps 75c Bring in your VHS movie and they'll play it. (No porno please!)

**HOURS** - Open Noon. Happy Hour 12 to 7pm - Well and Domestic Beer \$1.25. 50c Draft Beer 7 to close.

**IBT's** - Open noon. Happy Hour 4-8pm, \$1.25 domestic beer and well. 8pm to midnight, 50c draft beer. Mellow Jazz Mondays with Pat from 9 to 1

**STONEWALL/EAGLE** - Happy Hour in the Eagle 10am to 8pm with \$1.50 Well and Domestic Beer. Out of Macy Mody, \$1 Domestic Beer and Well 7 to 1. Stomewall opens at 8pm for dancing.

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**VENTURE-N** - Open 6am. Patio Bar opens at 7pm

## tuesday

**AIN'T NOBODY'S BIZNESS** - Happy Hour 4-7, Dart Tournament 7 pm.

**CLUB 2520** - Open 3pm. 99c Happy Hour 4 to 8pm. \$1.25 Well and Domestic Beer 8 to close. T-Squares Advanced Group 7pm. Country/Western dancing begins at 9 pm.

**GRADUATE** - Happy Hour 4-8pm, all well \$1.25, Draft 75c Schnapps 75c

**HOURS** - Happy Hour 12 to 7pm Well or Domestic Beer \$1.25, Schnapps 75c 7pm to close

**IBT's** - Open noon. Happy Hour 4-8 pm, \$1.25 domestic beer & well. 9 pm to close. Tattou Tuesday. \$1.25 well and domestic beer for those showing their tattoo. Prizes and surprises.

**STONEWALL/EAGLE** - Happy Hour 10am to 8pm. Wet Tackey Short Contest 10pm. Stomewall opens at 8pm for dancing.

**VENTURE-N** - Open 6am to 1am. Patio Bar opens at 7 pm

## wednesday

**AIN'T NOBODY'S BIZNESS** - Happy Hour 4-7, Western Nite. Country Dance Lessons begin at 7 p.m. Schnapps Shots \$1.

**CLUB 2520** - Open 3pm. 99c Happy Hour 4 to 8pm. 50c off on everything from 8pm to close. Drink Specials all night. ID required. C/W dance lessons with Edgar 7:30-9:30

**CLUB CONGRESS** - Rod Farrow's "Queer Extravaganza" here from 8 pm to 1 am, featuring cageed dancers.

**GRADUATE** - Happy Hour 4-8pm, all well \$1.25 Draft 75c Schnapps 75c

**HOURS** - Happy Hour 12 to 7pm, Well or Domestic Beer \$1.25. 50c off all call drinks 7 to close. DJ Mixed Music Night; Request your favorite country, dance or disco.

**IBT's** - Open Noon to 1am. Happy Hour 4 to 8pm, \$1.25 domestic beer & well. \$1.50 Best Product Special 9 pm to close. (Specials do not apply during show)

**STONEWALL/EAGLE** - Happy Hour 10am to 8pm. Stomewall opens at 8pm. Salsa Nite featuring Mexican Canabla, bands y top 40's. Corona or Cervejo Gold \$1.50.

**VENTURE-N** - Open 6am to 1am. Patio bar opens 7pm. Bar: Chest Nite from 7pm. Happy Hour prices for "spendly naked" men.

## thursday

**AIN'T NOBODY'S BIZNESS** - Happy Hour 4-7. Beer Bust 9 to midnight, \$1.25 pitchers.

**CLUB 2520** - Open 3pm. 99c Happy Hour 4 to 8pm. Men's Nite - 50c draft beer and 50c Schnapps 9pm to 1am. 2-Step lessons 7 pm. Dart Tourney at 8, \$2 buy-in with bar matching the pot.

**GRADUATE** - Happy Hour 4-8pm, all well \$1.25 Draft 75c Schnapps 75c

**HOURS** - Happy Hour 12 to 7pm, Well or Domestic Beer \$1.25. Heineken or Corona \$1.00 9pm to 1am. Country/Western dancing 8 to 1.

**IBT's** - Open noon to 1am. Happy Hour 4-8 pm \$1.25 domestic beer and well. Underwear Nite: 10 to 1 - win a pair of Calvin Klein underwear. \$1.25 Well and Domestic Beer to those in their underwear.

**STONEWALL/EAGLE** - Happy Hour 10am-8pm. Stomewall opens 8pm. Country/Western Nite: Drink Discounts for those in Cowboy Hats.

**VENTURE-N** - Open 6am to 1am. Patio Bar opens at 7pm. Leather Nite 8 to midnight. Special prices for men in leather. Pool Tournament 7pm, \$3 entry fee.

## friday

**AIN'T NOBODY'S BIZNESS** - Happy Hour 4-7. Complimentary Hors D'Oeuvre

**CLUB 2520** - Open 3pm. 99c Happy Hour 4 to 8pm. (well and domestic beer). C/W dancing and Progressive Dance Music begins at 8pm.

**GRADUATE** - Happy Hour 4-8pm, all well \$1.25 draft 75c Schnapps 75c

**HOURS** - Happy Hour 12-7pm well or domestic beer \$1.25. C/W dance 8-1

**IBT's** - Open noon. Happy Hour 4-8pm \$1.25 domestic beer and well. GoGo dancers 10pm. Patio Bar with Looney 9-1. Dance Party 9 to 1 with DJ David Z.

**STONEWALL/EAGLE** - Happy Hour 10am-7pm; Hot Hors d'Oeuvre 6pm. Stomewall opens 8pm. 10:30 to 11:30 p.m. Cruise Party, \$1 well and domestic Beer. Leather/Uniform Nite. \$1 Well and Domestic for proper apparel.

**VENTURE-N** - Open 6am to 1am. Patio Bar opens 7pm.

## saturday

**AIN'T NOBODY'S BIZNESS** - Pool Tournament 5 pm. Pot matched, winner take all.

**CLUB 2520** - Open Noon. C/W dancing and Progressive Dance Music begins at 8pm.

**GRADUATE** - Happy Hour 4-8pm, all well drinks \$1.25 draft 75c Schnapps 75c. Pool Tournament 2pm, \$3 entry fee, pot matched.

**HOURS** - Open Noon. Strawberry & Banana Daiquiris, Pilsa Colada \$3. Country/Western Dancing 8-1.

**IBT's** - Open 11 am to 1 am. Happy Hour noon to 8 pm \$1.25 domestic beer and well. Patio Bar with Looney 9-1. Dance 9 to 1 with DJ David Z. and Go Go dancers begin at 10pm.

**STONEWALL/EAGLE** - Open at 10am. Stomewall opens at 8pm. Leather/Uniform Nite - \$1 well and domestic all site for those in proper attire.

**VENTURE-N** - Open 6am to 1am. Patio bar opens at 5pm.

# A View From The Rock

A Commentary From Cornerstone Fellowship

"Deck the malls with boughs of dollars, fa la la, la la, la la, la..." Yes, it's that time of year again. As I get older the time seem to come faster each year. The stores are probably responsible for it, at least in part. They have the decorations out, along with the sale signs, earlier each year.

One of my holiday entertainments is going to the Tucson Mall, grabbing a snack, and sitting where I can watch the monkeys, or sitting at the duck pond at Reid Park and feeding crumbs to the ducks. (Some of the ducks are so bold they will almost take the sack out of your hand and run off with it!)

I like to use my imagination and see the shoppers like the animals at the zoo at feeding time. The shopping frenzy. I call it. The rushing, the crowding, the sense of urgency and even panic as the day approaches!

Everyone is looking for the "perfect" gift for someone special. The questions are so familiar, yet so important. What size? What color? What do you get the person who "has everything"? Will they like it? Etc., etc.

I've gone through all that myself, and I know the pleasure when the "right" gift for the "right" person has been unwrapped, and the glow of appreciation lights up someone's face. It's a great feeling to know that you have done it right, you've made that special person in your life feel important, and you've pleased them.

Then I often become more serious, reflective. Why are we doing this? Is this really important? What are we accomplishing with this urge to go out and spend hours walking till our feet hurt, looking at merchants' displays of often useless and overpriced things and then, with our eyes glazed over, simply throwing money at them in a frenzy of fear that we won't spend enough, make the right choice, get that one item which we think they can't live without?

My mind then turns to the real meaning of Christmas. I think of that little Baby lying in a stable, and why he is important to us.

His name was Jesus, and he is the perfect gift for all of humankind. God, our creator, sent that perfect expression of love to all who will accept it. Jesus is "the gift that keeps on giving and giving." He is the gift about which the statement "one size fits all" is really true!

Once you have received the gift of Jesus, I can guarantee that you won't want to exchange him or ask for a refund! Jesus is the gift that will never disappoint, break down, or wear out. Jesus came to us as a baby to show the love of God, then he shed his blood and gave his life to give us the ultimate gift, forgiveness.

Why should you think about Jesus and accepting him? Simply put, because denial of him will result in your spending eternity in a literal hell, in torment and separation from God. Denying the truth of that won't stop it from happening. Jesus' death on the cross as a substitute for you and me is the only way for us to be restored to the relationship with God that he intended for us.

But knowing that doesn't do us any good until we believe and accept it personally for ourselves. When you reach that point where you realize that you have grieved God, turned away from him, gone your own way, and that the only way back to God is through Jesus, then you are ready to accept his gift to you.

If you get a notice in your mailbox that a package is waiting for you at the post office, it will never become yours until you go to the station and pick it up. In the same way, God's gift of Jesus is yours, but you must accept him for yourself.

If you are looking for the perfect Christmas gift for yourself, may I offer Jesus? Accept him. You'll be glad you did! And you, too, will exclaim, "Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!" (II Corinthians 9:15)



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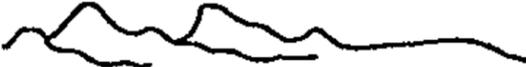
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## Manhattan Co-op Settlement Sends 'Powerful Signal' On Gay Couples

NEW YORK, N.Y. - Harry Kirkpatrick died last year, but a legal settlement allowing him to posthumously inherit his companion's apartment carries a strong message about gay rights, officials said.

In the agreement, the late 56 year old investor, who was gay, was granted possession of a studio apartment on upscale Sutton Place on Manhattan's East Side. He had shared the home with Martin Weiner, who died in 1989.

Since Kirkpatrick died last year, the settlement will benefit his companion of recent years, Marc Tosca, who received rights to the apartment.

The settle was reached by the city Human Rights Commission and the co-op board of 650 Sutton Place South, which had appealed a finding by the commission that it had discriminated against Kirkpatrick.

The case was resolved before being heard by the Appellate Division.

It will not establish a legal precedent, since it was concluded in an out of court settlement. But commission officials and the Lambda Legal Defense and Education Fund Inc., which joined the commission in the case, said it reinforced anti-discrimination law for gays and lesbians.

"A lawyer advising a co-op which finds itself in a similar situation would be very well advised and very likely to advise that the law is what is reflected in this settlement," said Robert Hammel, deputy human rights commissioner.

He said the settlement sends "a very powerful signal" to co-op boards that they will be sued if they violate the city's anti-discrimination law.

Arthur Weinstein, a lawyer and vice president of the Council of New York Cooperatives, said he is drafting an article for the council's quarterly publication, advising members of the settlement and recommending they treat homosexual life partners the same way they treat spouses.

He said most co-ops already follow such rules.

Under the terms of the settlement, the 60 Sutton Place co-op board, which said it never discriminated against homosexuals, agreed to transfer ownership of the apartment to Tosca and amend its leases so that domestic partners can inherit apartments, as spouses do, without the board's consent.

The agreement also stipulated that single owners be allowed to transfer their apartments to joint ownership with partner of the same sex, without the board's consent.

Under the Sutton Place agreement, domestic partners are defined as those who have registered their relationship with New York City by signing an affidavit that they: are at least 18 years old, not related by blood, have a close and committed personal relationship, and have been living together on a continuous basis.

If such as affidavit has not been filed with city, domestic partners are defined as those who fit the definition under existing court rulings and housing regulations.

The settlement does not touch on

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the related but more difficult issue of shareholders who do not bequeath their apartments to their domestic partners in a formal will. That is covered by state law and is the domain of Surrogate Court.

"If you don't have a will, a Gay life partner is essentially not on the map of people to whom your property will go," said Beatrice Dohren, legal director of the Lambda Legal Defense Fund, a national gay and lesbian legal rights organization.

## African AIDS Scientists Cite Failure to Curb High Risk Sex

PARIS, France (AP) - The key to curbing the spread of AIDS in Africa is to determine why efforts to change people's high risk sexual behavior have failed, African AIDS researchers said.

Researchers from at least a dozen African countries joined French AIDS

discoverer Luc Montagnier at UNESCO headquarters to announce a fund to finance AIDS research by African scientists in their home countries.

AIDS in Africa will be one of the main topics at the 42 nation AIDS summit at the headquarters of the U.N. Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization.

Of 15 million people known to be infected with the virus that causes AIDS, some 10 million are in Africa, according to the World Health Organization.

Education the population about the dangers of unprotected sex, the main means of AIDS transmission in Africa, has not been sufficient to halt the spread of the deadly disease, researchers said.

"Interviews with soldiers, bus drivers, students and prostitutes show that they all are aware of the dangers, yet they haven't changed their behavior," said

Abdurahman Sow, a WHO researcher. "The toughest part is getting them to take that first step."

Montagner said he hoped the fund, to be overseen by UNESCO, would get contributions from African governments and from companies doing business in Africa.

Montagner, who heads the World Foundation for AIDS Research and Prevention, reiterated the importance of international cooperation in a news conference with U.S. Health Secretary Donna Shalala.

Shalala toured the Pasteur Institute in Paris where Montagnier discovered the AIDS virus. For years the institute was embroiled in a dispute with an American research group over royalties from their simultaneous development of the AIDS blood test.



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Now that Mars has completed it's dance in Leo, it is now ready to march into Virgo. This change in energy may be just what is needed to put old tasks to bed and prepare for new obligations. Mars in Virgo will give us the ability to separate the chaff from the wheat. Read ahead to see how we can be a bit more discerning.

**ARIES**

**MARCH 21 - APRIL 20**

Energy levels shift from fun and recreation to work, work, work. Good thing too, says Mars in Virgo. You have been using Mars' considerable energy to party and now you must use it to sweep up after yourself in shape, changing your diet if need be, so you can be ready to party hearty another day.

**TAURUS**

**APRIL 21 - MAY 21**

The creative muse calls and you must answer. Mars in Virgo encourages you to tap into artistic well. You may be inspired to do a bit of creative writing, work with your hands in clay, attend a thrilling concert or play or even prepare something fabulous for a romantic evening. Whatever you decide, use this wonderful and directed energy to make your life more beautiful and enriched.

**GEMINI**

**MAY 22 - JUNE 21**

Even though we are in the middle of December, it may be the perfect time for a little spring cleaning. The Mars in Virgo energy is great for sweeping out the cobwebs in both your psychological and physical closet. Entrapments of any kind must be carefully picked apart and reduced. Virgo is great at handling the details, so don't be afraid.

**HOROSCOPES**  
BY C. LICHTENSTEIN

**CANCER**

**JUNE 22 - JULY 23**

It is possible to make you point effectively without encouraging the wrath of the gods thanks to Mars in Virgo. Careful thought to your communications will produce dramatic and far reaching results so be prepared to take on a greater role in charting destinies. Mars in this sign also makes you a terrific investigator. Clear up any mysteries while the planets are hot.

**LEO**

**JULY 24 - AUGUST 23**

Money may come to you from past investments or you may find yourself examining a new financial strategy. Mars in Virgo allows you to carefully consider all the monetary options and ultimately choose the best method of your means. Happily, Mars in this conservative sign will prevent you from squandering has taken you so long to accumulate so you'll have a little something for a rainy day.

**VIRGO**

**AUGUST 24 - SEPTEMBER 23**

Mars travels into your own sign and gives you the oomph you need to get out into the public eye. Projects that you have been selflessly toiling on behind the scenes may catapult you into the limelight, ready or not. I rather enjoy seeing a Virgo face the spotlight. They are composed and usually have all the facts at their fingertips. Take it to the streets!

**LIBRA**

**SEPTEMBER 24 - OCTOBER 23**

The spirits are whispering sweet somethings in your ear. Will you heed the call? Mars in Virgo breathlessly answers, "Not until I have all the facts." Your intuition may give you some signals that will simply have to be explored in more detail. Virgo is also the service sign of the zodiac and this planetary placement almost demands that you turn into your energies into volunteering for a Gay cause or two.

**SCORPIO**

**OCTOBER 24 - NOVEMBER 22**

Feisty Mars in placed squarely in the area of your life ruling friendships and large social groups. What this means is that friends may require more of your time right now. Mars in Virgo may tend towards sacrificial duty and you must be careful to not give too much of yourself for others. On the other hand, Scorpios are pretty astute. I suspect you will know friend from fiend.

**SAGITTARIUS**

**NOVEMBER 23 - DECEMBER 22**

Mars in Virgo excites career aspirations. If you have been carefully building your empire and your allies, now is the time to cash in some of your chits and go for the top. If you have been putzing along, satisficing at every turn, Mars in this placement gives you a reprieve to rebuild and solidify your foundation. Sags are considered the luckiest sign in the zodiac and this situation bears that title out.

**CAPRICORN**

**DECEMBER 23 - JANUARY 20**

When all is said and done, you would rather be somewhere else. Mars in Virgo can give you a case of wanderlust, but only to places that stir your feeling of charity. In other words, if you were to travel to a place where you can learn or do something constructive (such as an educational tour) this may hold greater appeal and ultimate satisfaction than lets say a trip to the beach.

**AQUARIUS**

**JANUARY 21 - FEBRUARY 19**

Mars in Virgo may make even you too hot to handle. Aquarians with this placement may have the embers of desire stir up to a raging fire. It's not bad to have your coals burning on occasion and astute Virgo will also provide you with a far more discerning eye in choosing your sexual quarry. Don't be surprised if you go for a cleaner, more conservative look in a lover this time!

**PISCES**

**FEBRUARY 20 - MARCH 20**

Partnerships become more of a focal point in your life now that Mars has moved into Virgo. If you are looking for a relationship, you may suddenly acquire a more practical outlook of what you really need in a partner. If you are already in a relationship, you may find yourself more critical of lapses or more discerning in what you will or will not accept in others. It's about time!

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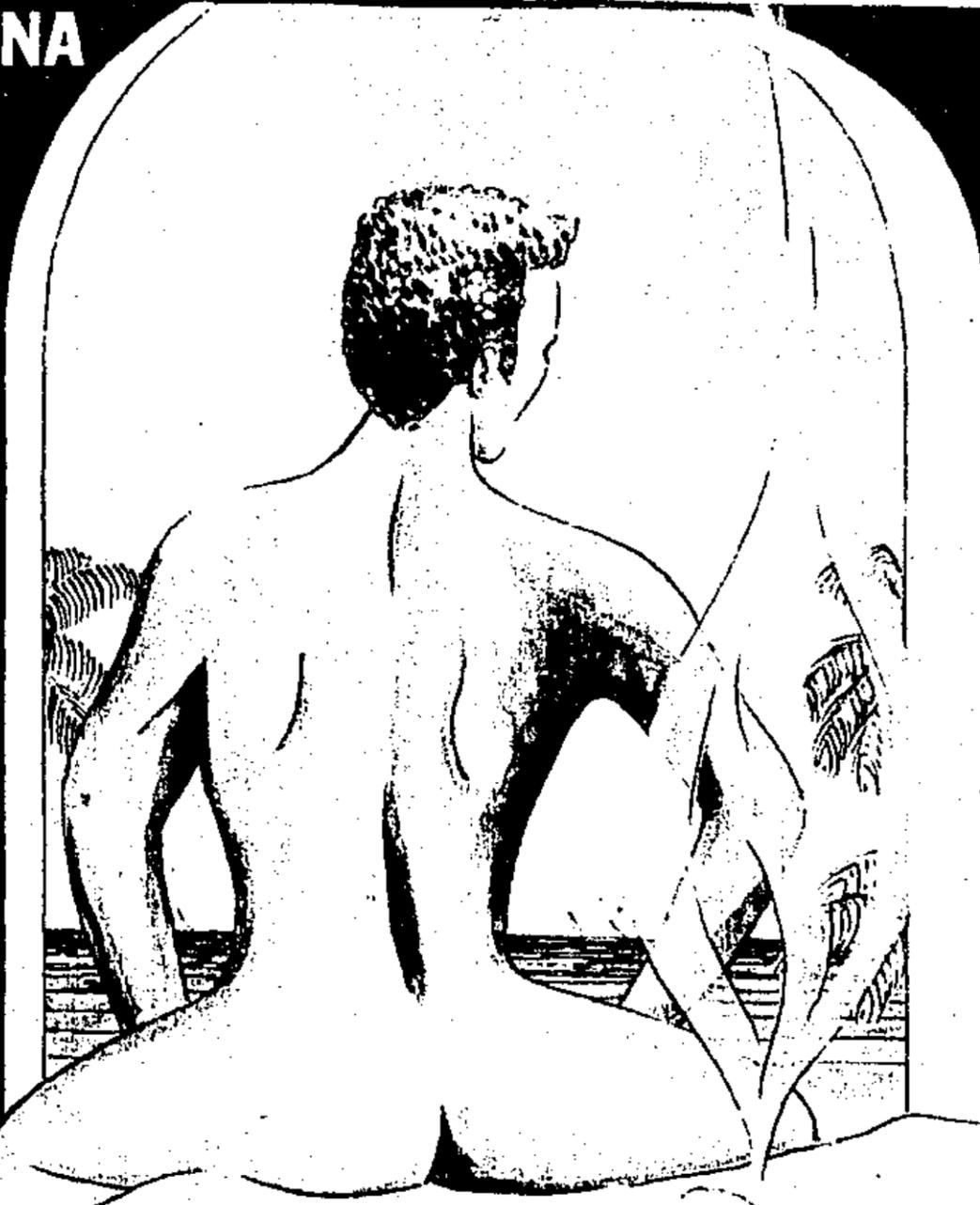
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**FACT** - People with AIDS Coalition of Tucson, 601 W. Congress. Office hours 8 to 5 M-F (8-7 Wed). Support Group meets every Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. Call 770-1710 for info.

**SIANTH FOUNDATION OF TUCSON**  
Help us help others in giving emotional support to persons with life threatening illnesses and their families, friends. Contact us Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. 622-7107. VOLUNTEERS WELCOME.

**P.F.L.A.G.** - Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays - is a support group available to anyone who has a son, daughter or friend who is Gay. Call 575-8660 or write P.O. Box 30264, Tucson, AZ 85740-6264. All replies confidential.

**Case De La Paloma Apostolic Church**, 223 W. Flores, Tucson. Worship Services Sundays at 10:30 & 6:30 pm. Wednesday & Saturday Bible Studies 7 pm. Tuesday, women's Day Group 7 pm. Coming out issues couple counseling provided. For appointment Pastor S. Lewis for info 323-6855.

**ARE YOU GAY OR LESBIAN** and someone else's drinking is getting to you. Call information and Referral about Alcohol 790-8922 in Tucson info about special groups for Gays and Lesbians.

**OLD PUEBLO BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION**  
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**WOMEN'S THIRD FRIDAY COFFEE HOUSE** meets third Friday of each month at Unitarian Universalist Church 4831 E. 22nd Street, (offering DJ Sister Jam. \$2 at the door (more if you eat, less if not).

The **TUCSON Chapter of PRIME TIMERS INTERNATIONAL** invites Gay or Bisexual men over 30 years old to join and share Prime Timers Fellowship. We welcome men who are or wish to be involved in Gay community activities, issues and organizations. Call 887-7493 and leave your name and phone number. Monthly meetings are held on the 3rd Sunday, 4-6 p.m. at Wingspan, 422 N. 4th Ave.

**TUCSON AIDS PROJECT (TAP)**, 351 S. Tucson Blvd., Suite 252 (The Drummer Center Bldg.). Direct services for persons with and affected by HIV/AIDS. Prevention education programs. Business hours, M-F, 8-5. 322-6226. AIDS Hotline: 326-AIDS.

**AFFIRMATION Support group** for Gay, Lesbian & Bisexual Mormons and ex-Mormons. For information write P.O. Box 78461, Tucson, AZ 85703 or call 791-7946. Meetings are held the 1st Sunday of the month at 4:00 p.m.

**UofA FACULTY AND STAFF** for Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Equity meets on the fourth Monday of each month for a Brown Bag Lunch from noon to 1:30 p.m. in the Student Union, Room 283 or 285. Open to UofA faculty and staff concerned about Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual issues.

**ARIZONA/SONORA PROYECTO, S.J.D.A. - AIDS INFO LINE 882-3933**. Also seeking volunteers who are bilingual (Spanish/English) and are interested in providing information about AIDS to Spanish groups in Arizona and Sonora, Mexico. Early Intervention Center, 801 West Congress, Tucson, AZ 85745. 770-1314.

**ARIZONA GAY RODEO ASSOCIATION (AGRA) TUCSON CHAPTER**. Interested? Call 323-0805 or write AGRA/Tucson, P.O. Box 40894, Tucson, AZ 85717.

**AMERICAN GAY & LESBIAN ATHEISTS** advocating state/church separation. Monthly meetings and support for the non-religious. Write: 3003 N. Central Ave., Suite 221, Box 217, Phoenix, AZ 85012-2903. "Educating Our Community Since 1983".

**SOURCES UNLIMITED**, a Lesbian & Gay referral service. Business and individual listings are free of charge. All information available to anyone just simply by asking. 322-5655. Leave message.

**GAY COWBOY CLUB** - Nationwide Personal Ad. Admirers welcome too. Send stamp for information: Mavericks, Box 9543, Santa Fe, NM 87504.

**ATTENTION ALL NUDDISTS** - Tucson Tanors is a nudist group open to all - Nude activities scheduled both indoor and outdoor. Not "Gay Only", but Gays are welcome and invited to join. For further information send SASE to: Tucson Tanors, P.O. Box 84-G, Cactus, AZ 85632.

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**BEARS OF THE OLD PUEBLO** - a social club for bears and bigger, more robust men (and of course, those who prefer their company). For more info, write PO Box 41141, Tucson AZ 85717 or come to our general meetings the first Thursday of every month at 7:30 pm on the Ventura-N patio.

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**JOIN US! PLGC**, Presbyterians for Lesbian & Gay Concerns, is a national organization of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.). The Tucson chapter formed in May 1993; PLGC de Cristo. We invite all Presbyterians to join us at our meeting on the 4th Sundays of each month at St. Mark's Presbyterian Church, 3809 E. 3rd St. Tucson in Geneva Hall. For more details contact Nancy Brown, 327-1293.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE GROUP** - Outreach to Gay and Lesbian people in Arizona. Meets monthly. Write to P.O. Box 893, Phoenix, AZ 85001 or call Fally Waters, (602)371-1102

**ARE YOU A GAY MAN 40 OR OLDER?** Do you enjoy the companionship of your peers? Call Cronica 888-7264 in Tucson.

## Notices

**ATTENTION ALL NUDDISTS!** Arizona Nude Dudes or ANDES/Tucson for short, is a Gay men's nudist group. We hold local activities each month and have connections to Gay men's nudist groups across the country. For further information please send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to ANDES/Tucson, P.O. Box 32083, Tucson, AZ 85731-2083. For faster reply please include phone number.

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**GAY & LESBIAN HIKEING CLUB**. Persons interested in desert and mountain hiking and backpacking experiences which average 8 miles or more are encouraged to join. Hikers must be willing to create a drug/alcohol-free, environmentally friendly experience. For information about hikes, call pager number 446-3711 and leave your number followed by a # sign or write Les McAlan, P.O. Box 42532, Tucson, AZ 85733-2532.

**MALE MEN**: Long-haired Gay male penpal network. Photo, 3 IRC's to join. Box 231, Station B, Ottawa, CANADA, K1P6C4

**GAY & LESBIAN SPIRITUALITY GROUP** meets at St. Philips in the Hills Episcopal Church on alternate Mondays. Call David, 325-7943 for more info.

**"AT EASE AGAIN"**, a men's discussion group meets at Wingspan at 7 p.m. every Tuesday. All Gay and Bisexual men are welcome. 422 N. 4th Ave.

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**UCSC ALUMNI**: The first reunion of Lesbian, Gay and Bisexual University of California Santa Cruz alumni will be held April 23, 1995. For more information contact Leocadia Gray, Bisexual Reunion, Alumni Office, Carriage House, UCSC, Santa Cruz, CA 95064 or call (408)459-2330. Email: linda\_booper@macmail.ucsc.edu.

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**WINGSPAN** - Tucson's Gay, Lesbian & Bisexual Community Center, 422 N. 4th Ave., offers support groups / info line / social events / library / meeting space. Volunteer Opportunities. Board meetings every 2nd Sunday (open to all), 6:00 p.m. Information 624-1779.

**GAY SUPPORT GROUP**. Lesbians and Gay men meet weekly for open discussion in a loving, supportive atmosphere. Meetings Thursdays from 7:30 to 9:30 pm at St. Francis in the Foxhills Church, Swan and River Road. Call the church at 299-9063 for information.

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