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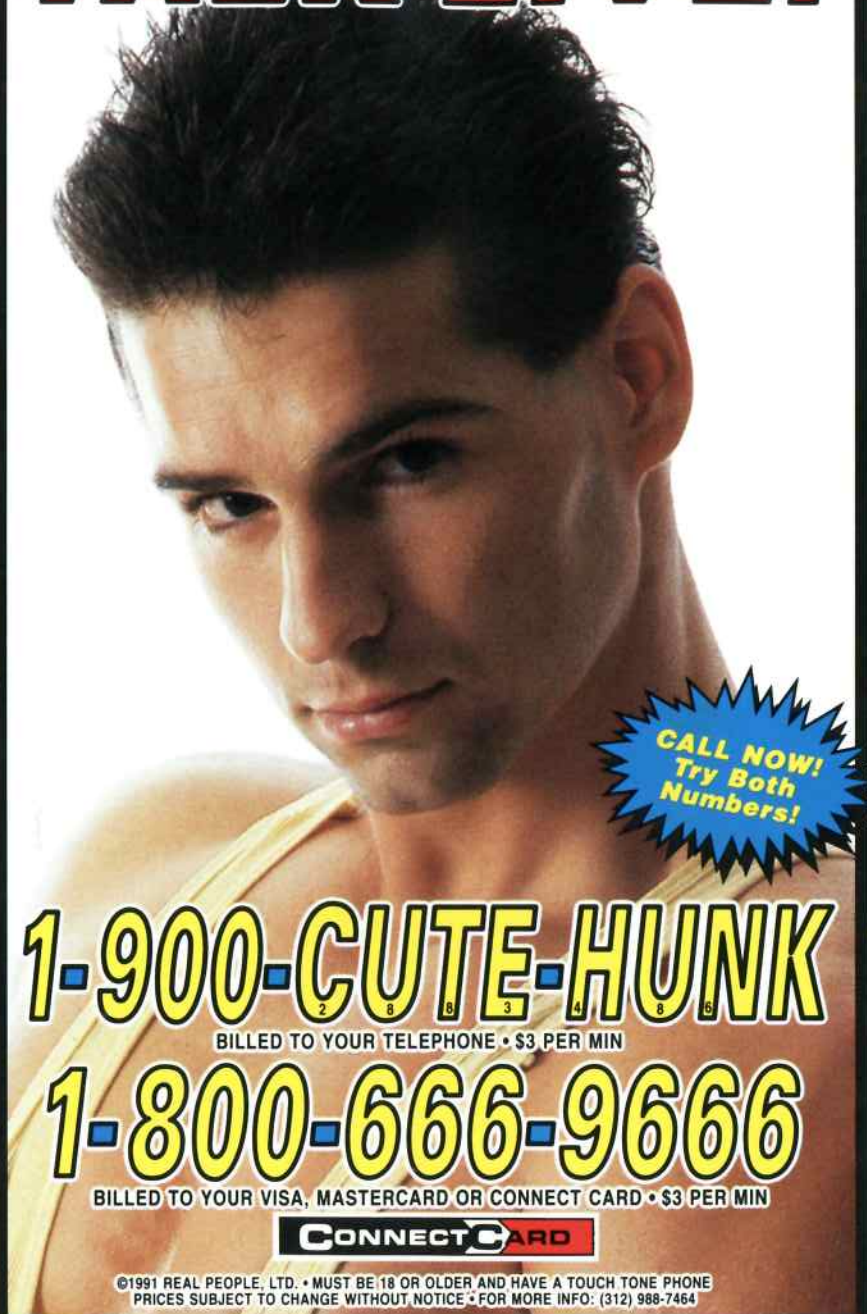


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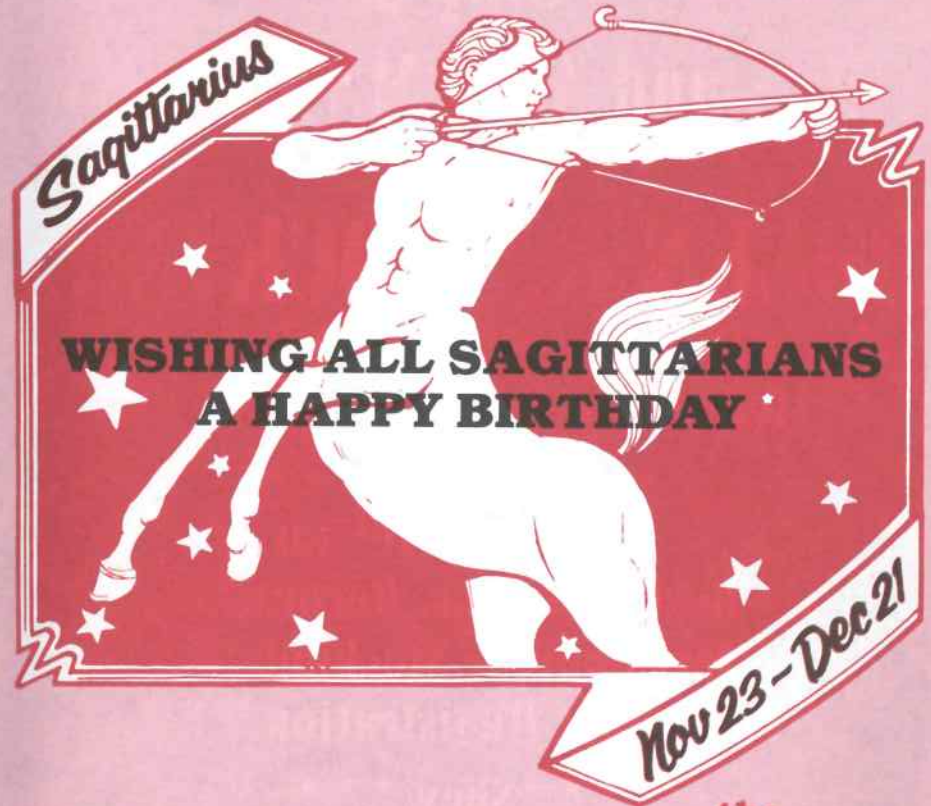


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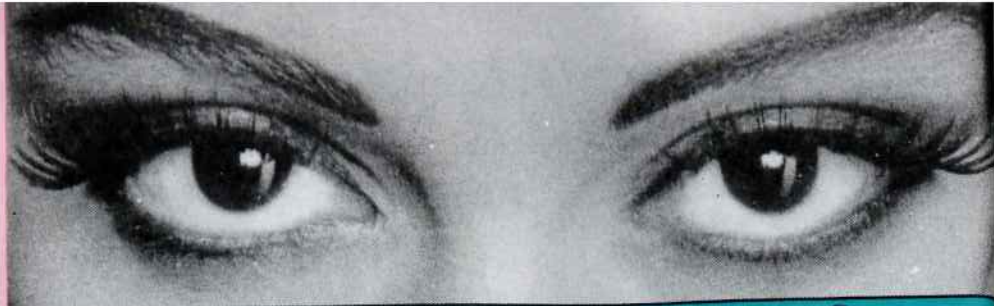
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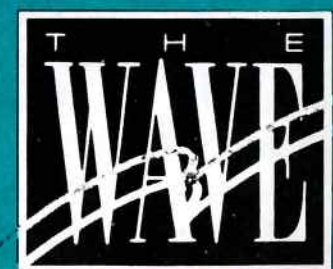
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*Robinson, Calloway Returned to
City Council, Clark Loses Seat.*

HOUSTON — In a runoff election whose final days were characterized by mudslinging and personal attacks, former Metro chairman Bob Lanier won the race for Mayor of Houston against State Rep. Sylvester Turner.

Lanier and Turner had made it into the runoff by coming in first and second, respectively, in the November 5 city elections. Mayoral incumbent Kathy Whitmire, who came in third, had been endorsed by the Houston Gay & Lesbian Political Caucus [GLPC]. Turner received the Caucus' endorsement for the runoff.

Turner appeared to have the momentum on his side after the first round in November, and some polls published in the weeks leading up to the December 7 vote show a race too close to call. Many observers thought the winner would take it a margin of only a few thousand votes.

But Turner was dogged by media reports concerning his failure to make good on debts. Questions were also raised about work he had done for a client who allegedly faked his death several years ago.

Lanier also came in for his share of knocks. It was disclosed that he had personally benefited from projects carried out while he was chairman of Metro and the state highway commission.

But in the end, Lanier was better able to capitalize on doubts about Turner's judgment and personal integrity. This, combined with the greater overall white vote and the apparent failure of many former Whitmire supporters to turn out for Turner, gave Lanier a win with 53% of the vote.

Turner got about 97% of the black vote, but considerably less than a third of the white vote. Hispanic voters went almost two-to-one for Lanier, giving him about 63% of the vote to Turner's 36%.

Turnout among black voters was higher in the runoff than it had been in November. But it was down considerably in white precincts that had supported Whitmire in the first round of voting in November, including Montrose.



Attorney Gracie Saenz became the first Hispanic to win an at-large City Council seat by defeating GLPC-endorsed incumbent Beverley Clark for City Council at-large Position 1, getting just over 51% of the vote to Clark's 48%. Saenz even outpolled Clark in Montrose precincts, where she won 60% of the vote.

Judson Robinson III, who was endorsed by GLPC for the runoff for Council at-large Position 5, defeated challenger Lloyd Kelley with just over 50% and a margin of less than 3,000 votes. In the Montrose area, Robinson got about 44% of the vote.

GLPC-endorsed Al Calloway handily defeated challenger Elizabeth Spates for the District D seat on City Council.



GLPC vice-president **Rob Bridges** [l] and former GLPC president **Lee Harrington** [r] were among those accompanying City Council candidate **Judson Robinson III** [center l] and mayoral candidate **Sylvester Turner** [center r] on election-eve tour of Houston gay and lesbian nightclubs.

TWT NEWS photo.

Turner had actively courted the gay vote. He had addressed a recent meeting of the activist group Queer Nation and claimed he would be more sensitive than previous mayors to gay and lesbian concerns. Turner and City Council candidate Robinson also made an election-eve tour of several Houston gay and lesbian clubs to fire up supporters.

When asked about the apparently weak showing of endorsed candidates, particularly Clark, in Montrose precincts, GLPC President Toni Knight said voter apathy was a factor. She also agreed that the failure of Whitmire supporters to turn out more strongly for Turner had played a part. Lanier carried the Montrose area with just over 50%.

Knight added, however, that she believed the Caucus had done a good job in

turning out the vote for its endorsed candidates.

"I think that for the amount of support we've had, we've done a great job. But with more support and more people working with us, we could do even better."

Former GLPC President Lee Harrington believes that greater efforts need to be made to encourage participation by gay and lesbian voters.

"We aren't talking to our own. We need to make a much stronger effort to register our voters, to encourage them to get out and vote and to persuade them to vote as a bloc."

HIDDEN DOOR, INC. DONATES VAN

*PWA Coalition/AIDS Services
Of Dallas Recipient of
Much-Needed Transportation.*

DALLAS — Hidden Door, Inc. has kicked off the holiday season by presenting a 12-passenger van to two needy Dallas organizations.

The van is fully equipped with reclining captain's seats and includes seating that converts to a bed to allow the transportation of the seriously ill. It replaces the organization's previous form of transportation, an old cargo van in which clients were forced to sit on folding metal chairs. In the past, some of the residents were unable to attend special events, get to doctor and hospital appointments or make trips to the food pantry.

Don Maison, Executive Director of PWA Coalition/AIDS Services of Dallas, told TWT NEWS, "We've long had a need for dependable transportation for our clients. The Hidden Door has filled a vital need at AIDS Services of Dallas."



Hidden Door staff members [l-r] Duke Barnett, Chris Donnelly and Bill Merrill join General Manager Tony Bobrow [center] as he presents the keys to a 12-passenger van to Victor Solaste and Tom Watson of AIDS Services of Dallas. TWT NEWS photo.

Hidden Door President and General Manager Tony Bobrow told TWT NEWS, "As the Hidden Door celebrates its thirteenth year in Dallas, we want to thank our customers, employees and friends for their loyalty by helping fill a need in our community."

Founded in 1978 by the late Jim "Pollock" Roberts, Hidden Door, Inc. operates clubs in both Dallas and Corpus Christi.

MCC AUSTIN PURCHASES NEW SITE

*Church Hopes to Occupy Larger
Facility in April of Next Year.*

AUSTIN — The Metropolitan Community Church of Austin [MCCA] has purchased a larger building to provide increased classroom, meeting and worship space for the congregation as well as the gay and lesbian community of Austin.

The new building is located at 425 Woodward Street in south Austin. The church hopes to have its first service at the new location on Easter Sunday next year after remodeling work is completed on the facility.

MCCA financed the purchase of its new church home by issuing \$300,000 in first mortgage bonds. The bonds pay an interest rate above the rates currently being offered by banks, and are secured by a lien on the property owned by MCCA. In the first month after the bonds went on sale, the church sold \$235,000 worth.

Rev. Wendy J. Foxworth, Senior Pastor at MCCA, said there were \$64,500 in bonds still available for sale to the general public. A prospectus may be obtained by writing MCCA at 1100 Springdale Road, Austin, TX 78702 or by calling (512)929-3660.

Over the past year, MCCA's membership and attendance at Sunday services have greatly increased. The church has also expanded the programs it offers to members and their friends.

In addition, the church has hired Rev. Randy Nunnelee, formerly with MCC of San Francisco, as Director of Congregational Care and Christian Education Ministries.

Rev. Nunnelee will join MCCA on January 1. Among his duties will be the development of a spiritual care program for people with AIDS and HIV infection.



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HOUSTON'S MONTROSE COUNSELING CENTER HOLDS OPEN HOUSE

Bradshaw, Johnson Recipients of Annual Scott, Vance Awards.

HOUSTON — The Montrose Counseling Center recently held an open house to show off its newly expanded offices and present awards to two outstanding people associated with the center.

The expansion, which added a new suite to the Center's existing space, brings in two additional offices and a large meeting room. The Center will be furnishing the meeting area with a recent grant of \$3,700 from the Houston Foundation.

The Counseling Center's staff currently consists of 17 therapists, six students who provide therapy services and four administrative employees. Robison said the expansion came at a critical time. "We've had several therapists sharing each office."

The Center has seen a big increase in demand for its services. "We had 70 intakes in November alone, whereas 30 has been the average," she said.

Earlier this year, the Center became the first openly gay organization in Houston to receive United Way funding. A grant of \$53,000 from United Way has gone into the Center's Life Program, which provides general psychotherapy services.



Vera Johnson (l) received Counseling Center's Kenneth E. Vance Award, while Ed Bradshaw was honored with Stella Scott Award. TWT NEWS photo.

Receiving the Stella Scott Award was former board member Ed Bradshaw, who is on the Counseling Center's Permanent Endowment Fund board. The award is named after Stella Scott, the mother of therapist Bill Scott who in 1978 helped finance the founding of the Montrose Counseling Center.

Receiving the Kenneth E. Vance Award was case manager Vera Johnson. The Vance Award was named for the late Kenneth E. Vance, a former Executive Director of the Center.

Robison added that the Center has plans to begin several new therapy groups, including one for men who are incest survivors as well as groups for men and women who are in physically abusive relationships.

TEXANS OBSERVE WORLD AIDS DAY

Day Without Art, Night Without Light Commemorate Those Lost to AIDS Epidemic.

AUSTIN — With temperatures in the 40s and everyone bundled up as much as possible to shield themselves from the cold winds, over 500 people joined the business and art communities of Austin to help draw attention to AIDS awareness on December 1. Austinites marked World AIDS Day by joining other major cities in the United States in Day Without Art/Night Without Light.

The day started out like any other, but as it wore on, most of the population of the capital city was reminded of the tragedy of the AIDS epidemic in various ways. Churches, organizations and businesses observed a moment of silence.

Art museums and galleries commemorated the loss to the art community by shrouding their artwork in black cloths and by dimming the lights in their galleries. At the Elizabeth Ney Museum, visitors were greeted by a black bow on the door.

Later in the evening, Austin businesses followed the example of the State Capitol, which extinguished its lights in observance of Night Without Light. Many other prominent structures in the Austin skyline also turned off their exterior lights for 15 minutes to take part in the visual ceremony.

During the darkness, choreographer Sally Jacques' Body Count performance took place on the grounds of the capital. Over 450 participants lay in silence on the capital grounds, their faces lit with flashlights. This ceremony was intended to remind the community not to forget the faces of those who have died of or are infected with the AIDS virus.

"As we take time today, we take a moment to reflect and to realize all of the lost potential," said City Council member Max Nofziger, one of the participants in Body Count.

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In Dallas, attendance at Reverchon Recreation Center for the observance of World AIDS Day was lower than organizers had hoped for. The weather was cold and drizzly, but that might not have been the real reason for the sparse turnout.



Panels from the NAMES Project Quilt were on display at Dallas' Reverchon Recreation Center in observance of World AIDS Day. TWT NEWS photo.

"Until people are personally affected by AIDS, whether it is a friend or a neighbor who tests positive, they won't get involved," Kurt Dreschler told TWT.

Panels from the Names Project AIDS quilt were also on display at the center. Organizers said that some of those who took part ask for more information on making panels for loved ones who had died of AIDS.

Dreschler added it was likely that portions of the NAMES Project Quilt will be displayed in the Dallas/Fort Worth area more frequently, as the metroplex now has its own local group devote to the project, Friends of the Quilt.

In Houston, people gathered at the Metropolitan Multi-Service Center to take part in a ceremony sponsored by the Houston NAMES Project and Body Positive. Participants hung ornaments on the Tree of Remembrance, which has been used to commemorate people lost to AIDS since 1987. The decoration of the tree was accompanied by the reading of names of people who have died of HIV. Panels from the NAMES Project quilt were on display throughout the facility during the ceremony.

The Alley Theatre donated proceeds from its observance of World AIDS Day, "Voices for Life: A Reading for World AIDS Day," to the Stone Soup Pantry.

AUSTIN MAY PROHIBIT EMPLOYMENT BIAS

Gay, Lesbian & HIV-Positive City Employees Would Be Protected Under Revised Clause.

AUSTIN — The City of Austin is considering changes to its personnel policies which could have significant impact on the lives of the many gay and lesbian people employed by the city. Also, because private employers often use the city's policies as a guide in formulating their own policies, the effects of these changes could extend well beyond city government.

In October of 1990, the Austin Lesbian/Gay Political Caucus [AL/GPC] wrote City Manager Camille Barnett, asking her to consider including language in proposed revisions to city personnel policy similar to those adopted by Travis County. The clause that AL/GPC proposed was more specific and comprehensive than the clause now in effect.

City staffers working on the issue have developed a clause which would prohibit discrimination against any applicant or employee based on race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, religion, veteran status, disability or sexual orientation.

The clause would also prohibit discrimination on the basis of an individual's AIDS, ARC or HIV status, as well as discrimination against people perceived to be at risk of HIV infection or who associate with those believed to be at risk.

AL/GPC is also urging the city to modify its current formula for allocating sick leave, emergency leave and dependent leave. The Caucus has proposed a definition of "immediate family," modeled after the county's policy, which would include the words, "...person(s) within the same household with whom the employee shares a significant relationship of mutual caring."

Such a change would recognize gay and lesbian relationships as contributing significantly to the health, well-being and productivity of city employees.

The Caucus is calling on the community to show its support for these changes to city policy. The mailing address for all City Council members is P.O. Box 1088, Austin 78767.

For more information on AL/GPC's efforts in this area, contact the Caucus at P.O. Box 822, Austin 78767, or call (512) 474-0750.

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Take Positive Action Against Oak Lawn Plan

TWT COMMENT received the following letter concerning efforts to oppose the recently approved Oak Lawn Plan. A response by Alan Ross of the Dallas Tavern Guild follows.

—Editor

Dear TWT:

As Mr. Ross so respectfully pointed out, the cost of the efforts to stop the City Council from approving the parking ordinances was well below \$22,000, as I had estimated.

Whatever the cost, all efforts were in vain as the City Council passed the parking ordinances on Wednesday, November 13 in spite of the brave supporters who filled the chambers.

Now that the protests have proven to be ineffective and somewhat costly, why not take a positive action like 1) filing a petition for rezoning to parking by an existing property owner at the Zoning Commission at City Hall; or 2) filing a lawsuit in district court claiming that the new parking ordinances are discriminatory and unconstitutional.

Steve Simpson
Dallas, TX

Alan Ross Responds

Dear TWT:

In response to Steve Simpson's letter, I believe past efforts by the bar owners and the newly-formed Oak Lawn Concerned Citizens Coalition have been positive. Although we may have lost with the old Dallas City Council, the battle is not over. The new Oak Lawn Ordinances still must be written by the city's attorneys with the involvement of all interested parties, then taken back to the new City Council for final action.

And, who knows, the buses may again return to City Hall when the ordinances return to City Council for final approval, or perhaps defeat.

Filing a petition for rezoning is not an option to gain more parking in the Cedar Springs area. As stated before, bar owners have tried all avenues (pun not necessarily intended) to provide additional parking, only to be told the Oak Lawn Committee will not allow the rezoning of additional property for parking.

Filing a lawsuit is not an option since the Oak Lawn Committee and Oak Lawn Forum provided an "out" clause, known in these ordinances as the "best effort" clause. This clause allows the dance hall owners to show they have tried in every way possible to gain additional parking but have run into barriers preventing additional parking. If the dance hall owners can prove they have made their "best efforts," the Board of Adjustments can possibly grant them or renew their Special Use Permit. But, there is absolutely no guarantee that they will grant the SUP; and Lori Palmer will no longer be on the Dallas City Council.

As an advance invitation to Mr. Simpson and the community, I suggest interested persons plan to attend the community-wide Oak Lawn Concerned Citizens Coalition meeting on Thursday, January 9 at 7:30 p.m. at the Lesbian/Gay Community Center, 2701 Reagan.

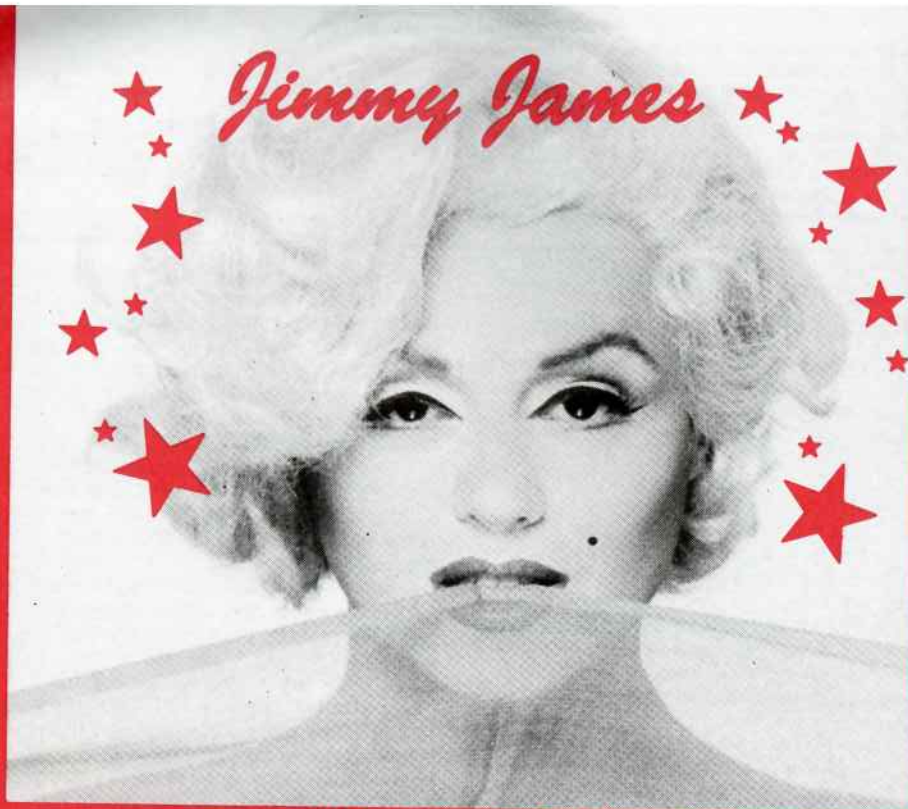
Alan Ross
Dallas, TX

Fall Harvest '91 a Smash

Dear TWT:

Over \$2,300 was raised through the efforts of all the participants in the Colt 45's Fall Harvest '91. \$900 plus was raised from the auction alone! We thank all for our auction and door prize donations.

The auction item that received the highest bid was a Burmese Buddha bust donated by Pyranak. Rarely does an auction battle have more than two winners, but this battle had at least four (the \$300 high bidder; his opponent, who for another \$300 commissioned an identical piece;



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The Colt 45's would like to thank the gay and lesbian community of Houston. You have been our pillar of support, we depend on you and deeply thank you.

Mark your calendars now. Tonight, December 13 at the Tower Theatre, Ticketmaster, the Tower, Smyth-Katzen and the Colt 45's present Allen Dryman in *American Legends*. His talented celebrity impersonations have been performed nationwide.

This show will benefit the Colt 45's AIDS TroubleFund. Tickets are available through Ticketmaster and at the Tower Theatre this evening. Tickets are only \$10 general admission. We ask that you spread the word!

Thanks again for a great fall harvest!

Tony Duran
Ways and Means Chairman/Colt 45's
Houston, TX

Show Caring for Misguided

Dear TWT:

Last Friday, a man was preaching on the corner of Cedar Springs and Throckmorton. A crowd gathered and a lot of anger and indignation was justifiably unleashed on him, including by me.

Using their own language, I asked his helper if he lived without sin. He replied that he had repented and was a "holy man." I replied that the only way he was holy was through his ass.

Since I was getting nowhere, I took a different tack. I sensed he was gay, so I told him that I knew why he was here, that he was "a fag." When he gave a look mixed with horror and recognition, I knew I had him. He admitted at one point that he was. I still railed at him a while longer.

My anger melted into understanding the next day when I remembered an acquaintance, now admittedly gay, who, as a preacher, split a gay couple up due to their "sin." He later realized his mistake.

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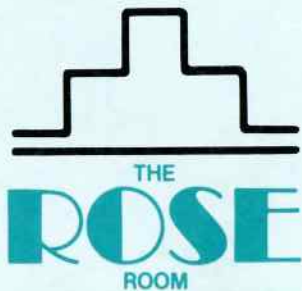
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time I am confronted with a similar situation, I am going to very calmly suggest that he or she is gay or lesbian. Then I will give the person my phone number so they can call me and talk about their homophobia, and I can give them a gay hotline number.

If the person insists he or she is not gay or lesbian, I'll offer my number anyway (recognizing it's a risk) so they can get to know an open one and to have any questions answered. Then I'll let them know that I care about them and calmly walk on.

The point of relating the story is this: we can exemplify the love that these people only seem able to talk about. However misguided they are, it is their way of showing they care for us. We, as gays and lesbians, can do the same.

Jeff Chernin
Dallas, TX

Reaching Hispanics on AIDS

Dear TWT:

My name is Ronnie McNab. I am the new Hispanic Program Coordinator at the AIDS Coalition of Coastal Texas [A.C.C.T.], here in Galveston. I am writing to let everyone know that I am here to help anyone in any way that I can.

I have found that the Hispanic community is very uneducated about AIDS. It is my duty to change this. Even though I am working with the Hispanic community, I am available to all who need assistance. I am always open to new ideas. I can be reached at (409)763-AIDS.

Ronnie McNab
Galveston, TX

Cabs Would Miss Gays

The following letter, a copy of which was furnished to TWT COMMENT, was sent to American Cab Company in Fort Worth.—Editor
Dear Sir or Madam:

I wish to make a complaint about one of your drivers, [name]. On Saturday, November 16, 1991, I had the concierge of the Worthington Hotel (where I was staying in connection with the Southern Historical Association annual meeting) call for a cab to take me and three colleagues to a restaurant called [name]. When we told the driver where we wanted to go, he said something along the lines of, "Are you sure you want to go *there*?" We asked him why

he should ask that. I thought perhaps he was going to comment on the quality of the food. He replied, "Well, I guess they say you can't get it that way now, but you know, the chef there is a homosexual," clearly suggesting that we risked exposure to AIDS by eating there. He then remarked that the chef sometimes took his taxi to get to gay clubs after work.

When we got out of the cab, the driver gave one of my colleagues your company's card with his name written on it. I suggested that without gay clients he might be out of business. I decided to write this letter of complaint, because I am very disturbed by his behavior on a number of counts.

First, he seems to be laboring under the most ignorant preconceptions about AIDS and its transmission. To spread this ignorance and to warn clients away from a restaurant needlessly is inexcusable, and it is certainly not a good policy for your company to allow it.

Gay men and lesbians make up a significant percentage of the population of Fort Worth, and of those visiting for conventions and tourism. I doubt that your company is doing well enough to decline all such business. You should make your employees aware of this fact.

I am sending copies of this letter to the Worthington Hotel, the Fort Worth Better Business Bureau and the Fort Worth Convention and Visitor's Bureau to alert them to this problem and urge them not to patronize your company.

Ignorance and intolerance cannot be permitted to flourish unchallenged.

Barry H. Bergen
Houston, TX

Heartwarming Thanksgiving

Dear TWT:

Thank you, thank you, thank you to all who volunteered at Bering Care Center's Thanksgiving Dinner. It was a great success due to your presence, support, generosity and hard work on Thanksgiving Day.

We are doing it again on Christmas Day, so please plan on joining us again. Call (713)520-7070 if you want to sign up as a volunteer on Christmas Day.

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G.L.A.A.D. Tidings



by **Scott Sherman**
Member of Gay and Lesbian Alliance
Against Defamation, Inc.

T*TV Guide* lied. Again. In January of this year, GLAAD contacted *TV Guide*, asking why they don't include the programming of Gay Cable Network [GCN] in their listings. In a series of contacts, the magazine gave us a number of excuses for the omission; however, none of the reasons they offered made sense. For example, *TV Guide* told us that they only list "program services that are on the air for clearly defined periods of time."

Informed that GCN does run at clearly defined periods, *TV Guide* told us that the real reason was because GCN does not have "a variety of shows." When we countered that GCN runs three programs, *TV Guide* responded, "Well, they're not a real network"—this, despite the fact that GCN runs nationally in 11 cities and has been providing award-winning services for over 10 years! When asked what constitutes a "real" network, *TV Guide* stopped talking to us.

TV Guide has no problem listing a number of special-interest "networks." Their listings regularly include the Black Entertainment Network, American Christian TV System and National Jewish Television. Apparently, different standards apply to lesbians and gays.

Many of you wrote to *TV Guide* on this issue and asked that they include GCN as they do other programming services. *TV Guide* responded to your notes with a form letter, reiterating the same tired excuses we had already proved false. Even the Manhattan Borough President's office and the New York State Consumer Protection Board, who wrote on our behalf, were given the brush-off.

When *TV Guide* got a new editor, we hoped that we'd be able to convince her to reverse the magazine's biased stance. When we approached her, she sent back a note using the same lies and refusing even to meet with us—proving that at *TV*

Guide, not all the villains are on the soaps.

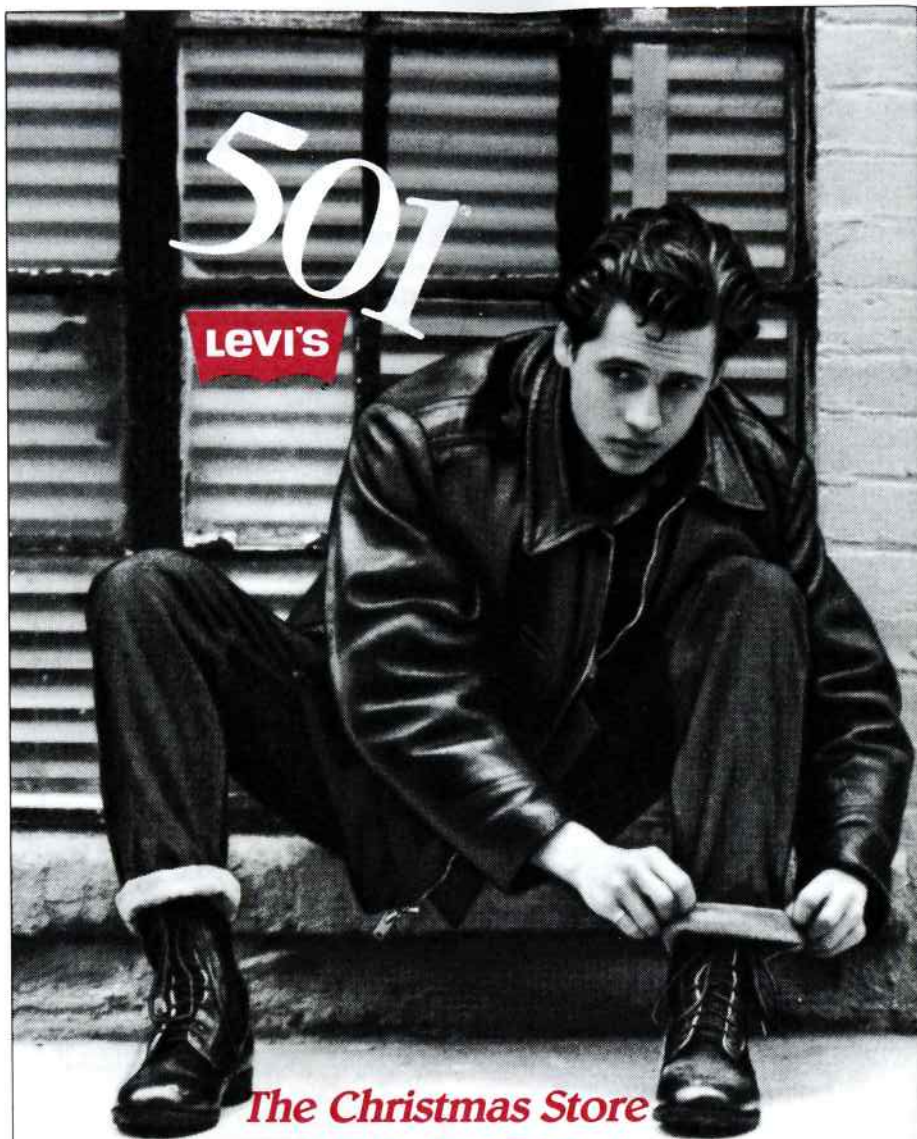
They've heard from us, now it's time they heard from you. Protest *TV Guide's* anti-gay bias and demand that they list the Gay Cable Network. Write to: Ms. Anthea Disney, Editor-in-Chief, *TV Guide*, 1211 Avenue of the Americas, 2nd Floor, New York, NY 10036.

Professional commentator Pat Buchanan has once again solidified his position as a professional homophobe. His latest assault on gays occurred on *The McLaughlin Group*, a roundtable discussion program that deals with controversial topics.

On the November 8 show, there was a discussion regarding Magic Johnson's HIV disclosure. Buchanan used the occasion to launch into another vicious anti-gay diatribe. The conversation was about the need for safer sex, but Buchanan wanted to turn it into one about how evil gay men have foisted AIDS on an innocent public. Since no paraphrasing could possibly do justice to the depth of his hatred, here is a sample of his venom:

"The problem is...perverted sex. What the origin of all of these AIDS cases [is], if you go back to it, is homosexuality and the defining act of anal intercourse. From the homosexuals...you get the blood supply tainted, you get their wives and girlfriends get it who give it to the babies, you get the hemophiliacs' blood supply and all the rest of it, and until people start talking that this is wrong and ought to stop—and the idea of safe sex to me is nonsense."

The man is so obviously loony that one is tempted to ignore his bizarre rants. But Buchanan is no joke. He is considered a serious political commentator (and is now considering a run for President!), despite his long history of this kind of hate-mongering. In the past, he has referred to gay people as "sodomites" and made



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many other ugly references. We doubt that he could get away with such insults directed toward other minority groups.

Although the recent program had liberal commentators on the panel, not one of them challenged Buchanan's attacks on gay men. Thus, viewers were once again given only his vicious interpretations.

The McLaughlin Group is sponsored by General Electric. Ask them if they really want to be responsible for providing a platform for Buchanan's anti-gay agenda. Demand that GE make a public statement repudiating Buchanan's slurs. Also, ask them to insist that *The McLaughlin Group* more fairly represent the lives of 25 million Americans. Write to: Mr. John F. Welch, Jr., Chairman and CEO, The General Electric Company, 3135 Easton Turnpike, Fairfield, CT 06431.

"GLAAD Tidings" is written by members of the Gay & Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation, Inc., a nationwide organization which monitors media coverage of lesbians and gay men. In Texas, report on such coverage to GLAAD/Dallas at (214)526-4523 or GLAAD/Houston at (713)523-6109.

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The **Austin Latina/o Lesbian and Gay Organization [ALLGO]** shows its thanks to its supporters tomorrow, December 14 with its *Tamalada*, starting at 2 p.m. at the home of Marvin Prevost. A Christmas party follows at 9 p.m. with food, music and a keg of beer. For more information, contact Diana Gorham at (512)472-2001.

Informe SIDA is offering free, anonymous, confidential HIV testing and counseling on Tuesday evenings from 6-9 p.m. at 1643 East Second, at Chalmers. (512)472-2001.

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"Positive Thinking: Emotional and Legal Issues" is the subject of a presentation by Dr. Bill Appleman and Judy Spalding at the **Nelson-Tebedo Clinic**, Tuesday, December 17 at 7 p.m. Free. (214)521-5124 or 528-4233.

The Episcopal Church of the Ascension will host panels of **The NAMES Project** through December 15. The NAMES Project organizes local displays and meets on second Tuesdays to promote the Project. To get involved, call (214)528-0834 or (817) 33NAMES.

The Adopt-an-Apartment program of Congregation **Beth El Binah** needs furniture, household cleaning supplies, kitchen and paper products to support **The PWA House**. Call Mark Stern at (214)528-5861.

The First Regional Meeting for the 1993 **March on Washington** is scheduled for Sunday, December 15 from 3-5 p.m. at the Community Center at the corner of Reagan and Brown. Decisions made at that time will influence the Interim Coordinating Committee meeting in January in Los Angeles. Call (412)954-0733.

The **Gospel Choir of Grace Fellowship** presents a Christmas program, "A Night with Friends, Part II" at 7 p.m. Sunday, December 15. This will be the third major concert for the choir, which has won awards for its entries in the Texas Freedom Parade. 5029 Lemmon Avenue. Admission is free. For more information, call (214)582-2811.

Lesbian Visionaries seek to create a safe, gentle place for themselves and others. One of their projects, **Sprouts**, is a group for women who are coming out or who are questioning their sexuality. Call the Lesbian Information Line (LIL) for a 24-hour, free

message for lesbians. (214)528-2426 or 406-9123.

Physician assistants are doing Pap smears Wednesday evenings at the **Nelson-Tebedo Community Clinic**. Call (214)528-2336 for an appointment.

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The South Central District of the **Universal Fellowship of Metropolitan Community Churches** presents its First Annual People of Color/White People Healing Racism conference, "Kaleidoscope Mission in Action. Multi-Cultural Leadership Empowerment: Creating How To...When To...What To," January 24-26, 1992, Harvest MCC, 5900 Stemmons. \$10. Write South Central District, P.O. Box 262822, Houston, 77207-2822 to register.

FORT WORTH

The **Community Outreach Center** served 1,769 persons in September of this year. They are hoping to expand on that number by offering new services and bringing on new volunteers. Volunteer training will be December 17 at 6:30 p.m. If you've ever wondered what it is that makes volunteers so special, become one and see! (817) 335-1994.

El SIDA y Su Vida (AIDS and Your Life) is a Spanish-language support group offered by the Community Outreach Center, 1125 West Peter Smith at Henderson. Tuesdays at 6 p.m. (817)335-1994.

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Learn creative new ways to play with your Christmas toys! Improve your sex life! Attend the next AIDS Foundation safer sex workshop this Tuesday, December 17 at 7 p.m. at the AFH office, 3202 Wesleyan. It's free and open to all. Call Bart Loeser at (713)623-6796 for more information.

In their continuing holiday series, **Sharon Stone and Associates** are offering **Christmas With HIV**, a workshop by Shawn McVey, Thursday, December 19, 7-8:30 p.m. \$10. Make reservations by calling (713) 623-6081.

Many of the kids who live at **Casa de Esperanza** are HIV-positive or born to parents

who are. In order to make their Christmas a bit merrier, **Heidi's Salons**, Galleria III presents "Christmas 1991 Cut-a-thon." All haircuts between 5-7 p.m. on December 15 will be discounted 10% to the customer, and all proceeds go to provide shelter as well as medical and psychological assistance and care to children whose families are in crisis due to AIDS. Call Alexander Riddell at (713)850-8804.

Lesbians in Business [LIB] is throwing its first annual Holiday Party Thursday, December 19. The celebration, which is the group's first social event since it was first organized, will be held from 8 p.m.-closing at the Ranch. Cover charge is \$5. Women who have never been to a LIB meeting are welcome to attend and become acquainted with the group in this social setting.

The **Colt 45's AIDS Trouble Fund** is hosting The Harlot's Ball '91 at Mary's (1022 Westheimer) tomorrow night (December 14) starting at 6 p.m. The Jezebel Award (\$500 cash) will be bestowed on the trollop who has the best costume and gives the best stage performance. Free, with donations gratefully accepted for the Trouble Fund. Call Pickles at Mary's (713)527-9669.

Juliet's Place is having its First Annual Benefit Show, dedicated to Marion Pantzer, for abused women and their children, tonight, Friday, December 13. Buffet at 8 p.m., show at 10 p.m. Auction during the evening. \$2. 903 Richmond. (713)528-9110.

The fourth annual Christmas Party of the PWA Coalition is being held this Monday, December 16 from 5-8 p.m. at the Metropolitan Multi-Service Center, 1475 West Gray. Food and beverages will be served, and everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend.

HUNTSVILLE

The **Sam Houston State University Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Alliance** consists of students, partners of students, faculty and staff who are sensitive to the concerns of gay, lesbian and bisexual people. They deal with issues like as coming out to family, being lesbian or gay in college and AIDS and discrimination. Every Thursday in the LSC, Room 350, from 5-6:30 p.m. GLBA, Box 2172, SHSU, Huntsville, Texas 77341.

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tion 21.06, and you may wish to remind her of this in your letters.

The tone of your letters should be polite. The Governor was very supportive of gay and lesbian issues during the regular session. Her address is Gov. Ann Richards, State Capitol Room 200, Austin, TX 78701. The commission that will be reviewing the Penal Code is the Punishment and Standards Commission.

The most important issue for the gay and lesbian community in the replacement of the penal code will be the repeal of Section 21.06.

In 1993, the current Texas Penal Code will be repealed and replaced by a new code that has yet to be written. The Governor has appointed a committee to rewrite the Penal Code and improve upon its various provisions. As gay and lesbian people this process is very important to us, because we could benefit our community by working to have provisions added to or removed from the code.

By Laurie Eiserloh
Legislative Director of
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crimes committed against people on the basis of sexual orientation. This information is very important to our community, particularly when we are lobbying police departments and the state Legislature for greater police protection. Although the statistics act is useful, a penalty enhancement provision in the Penal Code would act as a deterrent to potential hate-crimes perpetrators.

Another beneficial provision that I will be lobbying for in the revised Penal Code is a property protection provision, enhancing penalties against those who vandalize property such as AIDS clinics, counseling centers, gay and lesbian community centers and gay and lesbian churches. It is very probable that our community will

work in coalition with the Jewish community, whose synagogues and community centers have been vandalized by skinheads and neo-Nazis.

In my SPECIAL REPORT, of Vol. 17, No. 36, I mentioned that the Governor was planning a special session in the early spring dealing with health insurance issues. It now appears that this special session has been canceled. However, health insurance is still an important issue at the state Capitol and I am certain that legislators will be addressing it in the near future.

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By Jazz Paz

What do you want for Christmas? What are you giving for Christmas? Are you lesbian/gay at Christmas? Do you try to spend "in the community"? There are a variety of desirable and affirming gifts to be shared this season, for those who are definitely out, as well as for those who patronize lesbian and gay businesses as a comfortable, everyday habit, without ceremony.

Locally, buy **Peace**, the Turtle Creek Chorale's new tape (\$11) or CD (\$16) at the Crossroads Market in Dallas, 3930 Cedar Springs at Throckmorton. Terra Essence, a new lesbian-owned business, features all natural soaps, vitamins, candles, pot-pourri and women's cosmetics including a scentational new fragrance, **Gravel**. 7201 Military Parkway. And, if you love her a lot and want her, well, buy her a checkup (including tests) at **The Women's Health Project** at the Nelson-Tebedo Clinic. Dr. Karen King and three physician assistants provide services every Wednesday evening. \$20. (214)521-5131. Because to be lesbian/gay is heavenly, the **Story of the Star** is a delightful holiday tradition at The Science Place Planetarium, through January 5. This presentation speaks of the Christian story of Christmas, but also teaches the scientific reasons for bright, flashing stars in the sky. Weekdays at 3 p.m., weekends at 1 and 3 p.m. \$6 adults, \$3 children and seniors. Good "family" present! (214)428-5555.

Those who missed **HeartSong's** Third

Annual concert are still pouting about it, but the cassette is now available at Inklings, an alternative bookstore in Houston, 1846 Richmond. \$10.95. So is **Encodings, A Feminist Literary Journal** of exquisite art (visual, written, transcendent). \$4.40. All the books and calendars mentioned in this article are also available at Inklings. If your lover is beastly, though, there is only one solution: adopt one in his or her name through the Houston Zoo. **Silver and golden pheasants** are adoptable for only \$15.

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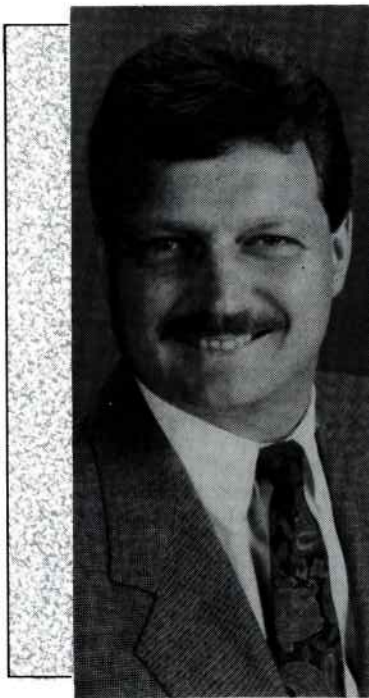
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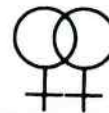
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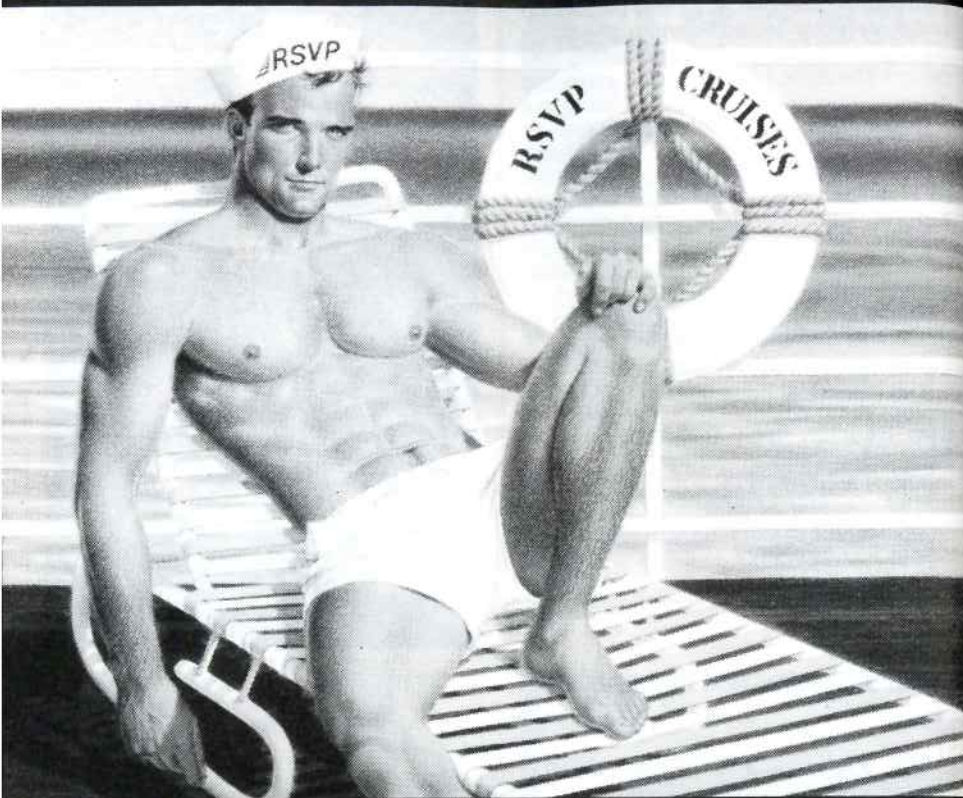


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The Women's Chorus of Dallas opens its third season with "A Winter's Remembrance" at Caruth Auditorium on the SMU campus, tonight, December 13 and tomorrow, at 8 p.m. Set in a Victorian milieu, this concert will reflect the traditions of the European Christmas and Hanukkah season of the late 19th century. Tickets are \$10-20 and available at Curious Times, Crossroads Market, MCC Dallas and Harvest MCC in Corinth. (214)272-5090.

Moonstruck Theatre Company's Christmas show is *Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?* by Edward Albee, and you can make a gift of it by purchasing gift certificates for this and upcoming performances. The Company is in its new home, 501 Second Avenue, Deep Ellum, which previously housed The Deep Ellum Theatre Garage. The new name is Hickory Street Annex Theatre. Friday and Saturday

evenings at 8 p.m., Sundays at 7 p.m. \$8 and \$5. Discounts for students, seniors and S.T.A.G.E. members. (214)526-2700.

It would even cheer up Scrooge! Returning from Hollywood, the three crazy guys from Dallas are coming home for the holidays. *The Night Before Les Miserable Christmas* has been playing to raves and acclaim across the country. Lucky for us they'll be at John L's Cabaret tonight (December 13) and tomorrow!

Rave reviews and kudos have been bestowed upon **Stonewall Productions** and their commitment to presenting plays that "educate, illuminate and challenge the actor and audience as well as provide quality entertainment." And all this in Lubbock! *Remember My Name* is a story about the NAMES Project AIDS Memorial quilt, and it is playing at Moco Studios, 2405 B 34th Street, tonight (December 13) and tomorrow, and December 14 at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$5 plus a canned food donation to Max and Marge's Pantry. Reserve your ticket by calling (409)793-1909.

Here's Love is based on everyone's favorite Christmas movie, *Miracle on 34th Street*. Tonight (Friday) and Friday evenings at 7:30 p.m. and Saturday matinees at 2 p.m. through December 21 at Casa Manana Theatre, 3101 West Lancaster in Fort Worth. \$5.75. (817)332-5711.

THE CHRISTMAS movie STAR is a new play by **Connie Whitt-Lambert**, with original music by **Adam B. Levowitz**, about how a former silent movie queen learns the true meaning of Christmas. Through January 4. \$10 and \$14. Circle Theatre, 1227 West Magnolia Avenue #520, Fort Worth. (817)921-3040.

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Tonight (December 13) is the night! The new show *American Legends* will make you remember **Glen Campbell, Freddie Fender, Tom Jones** and many more as **Alan Dryman** impersonates them at the Tower Theatre for the Colt 45's AIDS TroubleFund. Tonight only! Be there! \$10 through Ticketmaster and at the Tower Box Office, Houston.

The Santa Conspiracy begins tonight (December 13) at 8 p.m. at Curtains, 3722 Washington, Houston. It's a madcap comedy about the wild adventures of several zany Houston locals and the effect the (recent?) crime wave has on Christmas. Tonight is also Curtains' one-year anniversary, and there'll be champagne and a dinner buffet. \$25 tonight, otherwise \$7 Thursdays, \$8 Fridays and Saturdays through January 11. (713)862-4548.

There's *Smoke on the Mountain* at Stages in Houston. In 1938 Appalachia, Pastor Oglethorpe enlists the aid of the gospel-singing Sanders family to help save his Mount Pleasant Baptist Church. The audience is the star! Through December 29. Call (713)52-STAGE for schedule and prices.

The Lisbon Traviata is a love story between two men. AIDS, self-esteem, passion and humor are issues examined in this intelligent, real-life play. Nudity. Held over. Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 8 p.m. \$10. Weekends \$14. Horizons Showcase Theatre, 10431 South Post Oak Road, Houston. (713)728-8461.

Celebrate Christmas with the **Music and Drama Ministries of the Metropolitan Community Church of the Resurrection** in Houston. Their Second Annual Christmas Pageant is tomorrow (December 14) at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday at 3 and 7 p.m. 1919 Decatur. (713)861-9149.

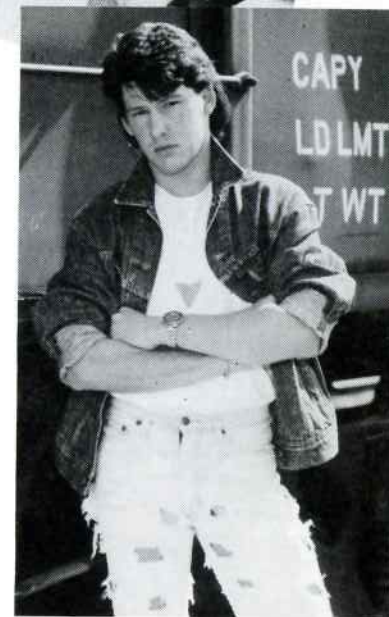
Jump-Start Performance Company is presenting **Kitty Williams** in a powerful one-woman show of storytelling, accompanied by music. Friday and Saturday, December 20 and 21. Then, Sunday, December 22, *Rap-O-Rama*, an evening of rap and hip-hop dance by the area's "funk-fresh" artists. 8 p.m. 1035 S. Alamo. \$7, \$5 for students and seniors. (512)227-JUMP.

Also in San Antonio, at the Milagros Gallery, 7959 Broadway #300, see **Bettie Ward's Fragile Spirit**, a display of glass art and metal shelf. Illusions. Imagination. See it. (512)821-5861.

On Our Cover

MICHAEL SHANE OF BEAUMONT

This week's cover boy is 21-year-old Michael Shane of Beaumont. Originally from Louisiana, Michael lived in Hawaii before moving to Texas about a year ago. In Honolulu, his charming good looks captured a photographer's eye. A continuing career in modeling is balanced by bartending at Obie's Restaurant, one of Beaumont's newest and nicest eateries.



This energetic young Scorpio enjoys movies and sports, especially tennis and bowling. His favorite stars are Lucille Ball and Marilyn Monroe. Michael's obvious physical attributes, as well as his vibrant personality, have won him the titles of Mr. Copa and Mr. Golden Triangle.

Spending time with his friends may be one of the most important things in Michael Shane's life, but he is definitely looking for someone to fulfill his fantasies. Exactly what are his fantasies? You'll have to ask Michael...

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Even though Christmas was still almost two weeks away, Lone Star gays were already getting into a festive mood as they tried to turn the 30-odd days between Thanksgiving and Christmas into one long holiday gayla. And if mistletoe and long lines at the gift-wrap counter weren't enough to get you in the spirit, the powers-that-be offered an entertaining solution with the announcement that **Hot Chocolate** would be joining the show cast at Numbers in Houston, an act that would, in one fell swoop, change the Thundering Three talents of **Donna Day**, **Naomi Sims** and **Tasha Kohl** into the world-renowned Fabulous Four just in time for their annual Christmas show.



Donna Day prepares for the Fab Four Show.

CLASSIC TWT
By BOB DINEEN

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Speaking of shows (I just love a good segue, don't you?), **MOVIES** are always a favorite diversion to escape, if just for a moment, the arduous task of finding just the right tie for Uncle Bertram, and the magazine, ever-mindful of its duty, provided Texassexuals with details of all the holiday releases. While **Harry Deutsch** and **Donalevan Maines** offered insight into *Touch and Go* and *Crimes of the Heart*, respectively, it was **O. Flores Alvarez** who, once again, made journalistic history with her provocative review of the Grenada invasion-inspired film *Heartbreak Ridge*, starring the inimitable (even by **Frank Gorshin**) **Clint Eastwood**. Alvarez hated the movie, a fact which I find deplorable since there was, after all, an entire platoon of oh-so-gorgeous men with very big guns who all appeared in various stages of undress throughout the movie.



Slave Girl (Yvonne De Carlo).

That at least rates a flamenco snap.... On the subject of snap, **Jack Varsi** had plenty of it when he chose to devote almost an entire page to discussing the reemergence of one of the powerhouses of acting, **Yvonne De Carlo**. Now I know what you're thinking. "What, besides *The Munsters*, did Yvonne De Carlo ever do?"

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Well, that's the whole point of Mr. Varsi's column: to explain to you, our dear readers, everything that you need to know to be a successful homosexual. And if you don't know at least two of Miz De Carlo's films, then you certainly aren't one.

(Just for the record, *Frontier Gal* and *Slave Girl* were probably her most memorable.)

Billie Duncan, never a slave to convention (oops, there's that old segue gremlin again), racked up frequent flier miles this week five years ago as she literally covered the state in her attempts to provide up-to-the-minute reports on all things theatre in the Lone Star state. And while her **BACK-STAGE** pass may not have been honored, she never failed to offer interesting and insightful comments on the tony and trendy happenings in the world of greasepaint. From *Doubles* at The Majestic in San Antonio to *The Butterfingers Angel* at Live Oak in Austin and *Philemon* at the Callier in Dallas, you could be sure that Ms. Duncan was there, *Playbill* in hand.

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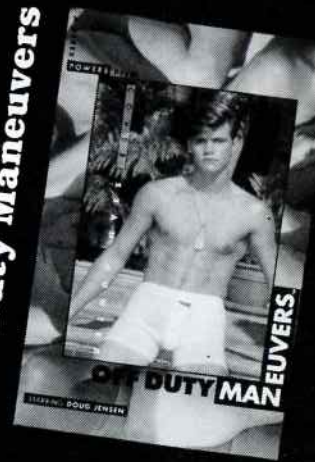


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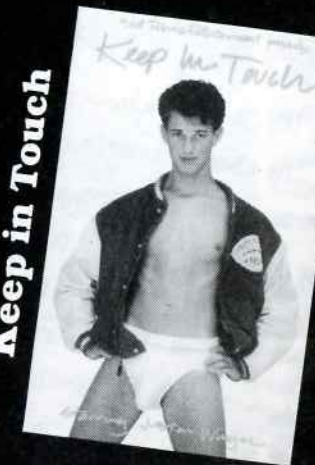
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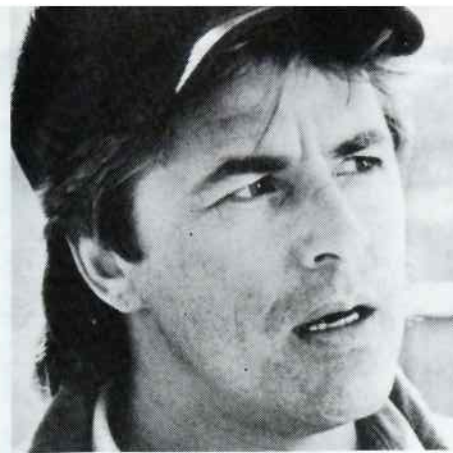


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STARSCOPE

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Week of December 13-19, 1991

This week we welcome to our pages astrologer Leonard Byram, who assumes the reins of our STARSCOPE column.—Editor

Venus, the planet of love, is also the planet of the things we want and hope for. Venus is in Scorpio until New Year's Eve. This is good news romantically for the water signs: Cancer, Pisces and Scorpio.

The other important planetary happenings this month—Sun, Mercury and Mars—are currently in Sagittarius. Another important planetary event this month is that Mercury is retrograde ("retrograde" means that the planet has the appearance of going backward in the sky), causing people to misjudge and to miscommunicate feelings. A lot of resentment can build up between lovers and friends during this period. So if you have disagreements with anyone, wait until after the 18th to bring them into the open. This also applies to major purchases. Things that look good in the store won't look so great when you get them home.

For an out-of-doors light show, check out the sky after the midnight moonset tonight for the Geminid meteor shower, with up to 50 shooting stars per hour.

Now for this week's STARSCOPE: The Moon's second quarter begins at 3:33 a.m., Saturday, the 14th, in the sign of Pisces.

SAGITTARIUS: (Nov 22 - Dec 21) Since it is your birth month, to use an old cliché, you're not getting older, you're getting better. Work on self-improvement because, like Scorpio, you're in the spotlight presently, with Sun, Mercury and Mars in your sign. Passion sizzles. Best days: Sunday, Monday, Wednesday.

CAPRICORN: (Dec 22 - Jan 19) You have seemed quiet and introspective to others. This is coming to an end soon. But you have needed the rest. Put your energy into understanding more about yourself. Pay more attention to a partner who may feel neglected. Love can be intense and sometimes overwhelming. A difficult aspect occurs on Wednesday, so avoid conflicts. Best days: Tuesday and Thursday.

AQUARIUS: (Jan 20 - Feb 18) Popularity runs

high for you. Learn a new skill or hobby. Love grows out of a work situation and is necessary for your well-being. So do not allow yourself to become deprived of intimacy. Give yourself extra sleep time. Unusual experiences sexually. Best days: Monday, Tuesday.

PISCES: (Feb 18 - Mar 20) Attraction to a person totally different from your normal type is likely. You may lose interest in a lover, but this is short-lived. Don't jump the gun by telling someone that you have lost interest in them as your interest will wane for a short period only. At work you excel at everything you do. Travel brings you much pleasure and love. Be wary of get-rich-quick schemes. Best day: Thursday.

ARIES: (Mar 21 - Apr 19) The weekend gets off to a good start as the Moon moves into your Sun sign Saturday evening. Go out and

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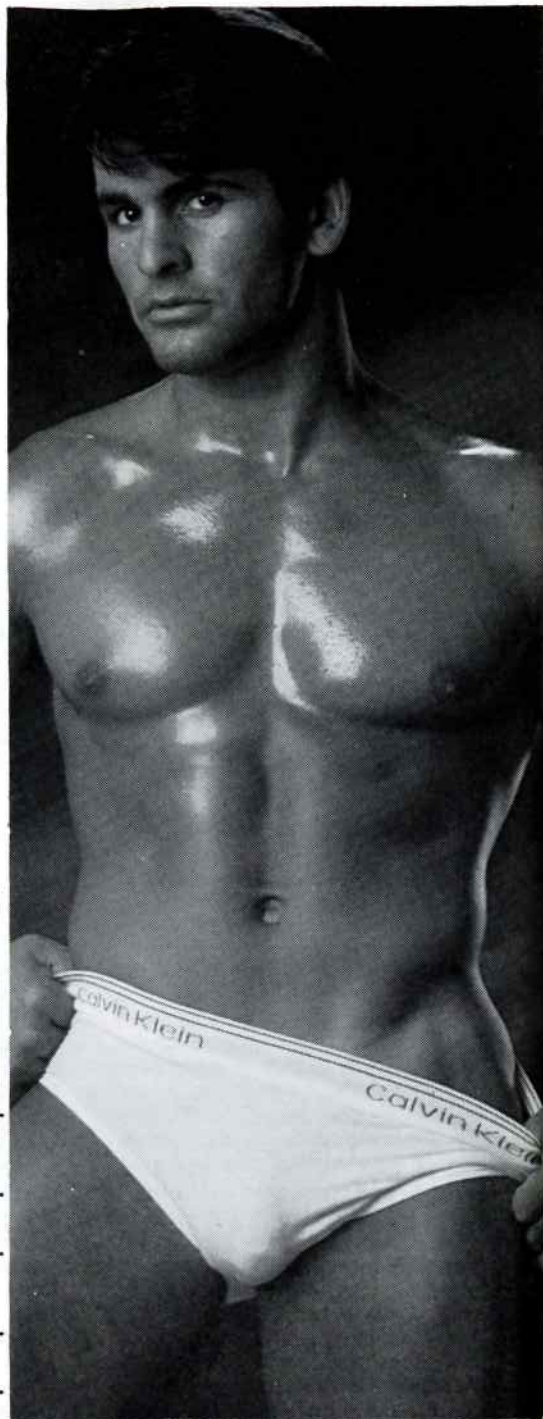
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TAURUS: (Apr 20 - May 20) Things may have been slow in romantic encounters as Venus is opposing your Sun, but things pick up midweek. This weekend looks promising for dealing with finances. You have the ability now to break a bad habit. So don't wait until the New Year to start your resolutions. Best days: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.


GEMINI: (May 21 - Jun 21) With Mercury your ruler retrograde, you feel a little misunderstood. This will lift Wednesday morning and you will feel right back in the swing of things. Love occurs in an unusual way, possibly with a co-worker. Best day: Thursday.

CANCER: (June 22 - July 22) Work and love are both equally on your mind. In romance, be a little more aggressive. At work, be a little more assertive. If you're traveling for the holidays, plans made now will be more successful. Lovers are more attentive than usual. Best day: Friday.

LEO: (July 23 - Aug 22) You meet interesting people, so accept as many social invitations as possible. Interactions between partners are exciting. Try not to put people down or make snap judgments. Best day: Saturday.

VIRGO: (Aug 23 - Sep 22) A lot of optimism goes a long way toward any objective. This week, stick around home base. Enjoy intimate little get-togethers. Invite someone you are attracted to to your place. Make your dwelling more cozy as the Sun is in your home sector. You'll find it easier to express yourself. Best day: Tuesday.

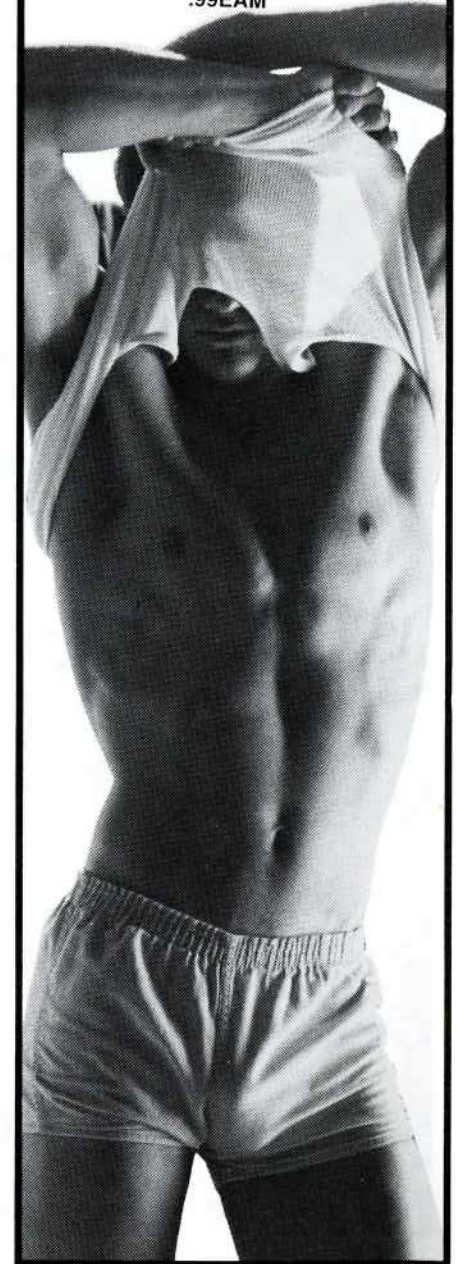
LIBRA: (Sep 23 - Oct 23) With the Sun illuminating your third house, you may find yourself attracted to a neighbor, as the third house deals with neighbors and relatives. However, use caution in finances. Avoid overspending on lovers. Be realistic on money matters. Best days: Wednesday and Thursday.

SCORPIO: (Oct 24 - Nov 21) Financial affairs are highlighted. This is an excellent time for prosperity and love. People are attracted to you and are watching you more closely. So go out of your way to look your best; you always go the extra mile anyway. The benefits of a new wardrobe will outweigh the expense. Best day: Friday. 

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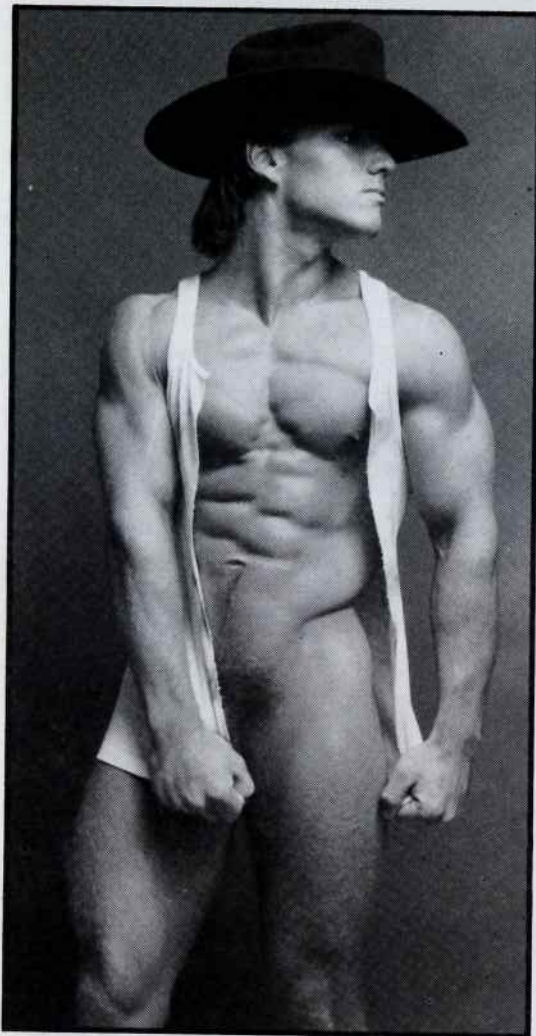
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The Lambda Bicycle Club will have an evening bike ride on Thursday, December 19 to see some of the most outstanding Christmas lights around town.

The group will meet at 7 p.m. at Bacchus II parking lot. They will then cruise River Oaks, the Galleria and Post Oak Blvd. before returning to Montrose. A stop for hot drinks and snacks is scheduled.

A \$1 contribution is requested. Pick up free ride calendars and Lambda newsletters at EJ's, Bacchus II and Lobo.

On Sunday, December 22 the Houston Outdoor Group [HOG] and the Lambda Roller-skating Club will hold their first ice skating get-together at the Galleria Ice Skating Rink from noon to 5 p.m. The admission is \$5 and skates are \$2.

SPORTS

By BOBBY MILLER

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Dallas — The Oak Lawn Bowling Association reported the following standings after 13 weeks of competition:

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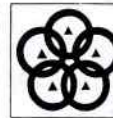
High game and series for the men was bowled by Donnie Horton, and Tammie Lebo took both for the women.

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AUSTINteaCIIOUS — Here's what's going on **THIS WEEK IN AUSTIN** from Chris' Capital City **HOT TEA**....

Oilcan Harry's and Siros threw one helluva party when they sponsored the Black Out Party with the New Age Pop artist last Friday night. Siros is pictured in the **CRUISE CAMERA** photo above [c] with Marty Kosarik [l] and Chris Robanza [r], both members of AIDS Services of Austin's Condom Corps. Over \$1,500 was raised for ASA and will go to their clients who are affected by HIV. Drop by and say hello to Oilcan Harry's new general manager Keith Morris and ask him about the club's special upcoming events....

ASA is holding its "Dare to Dream II" raffle and selling tickets for a chance to win a trip to either San Francisco or New York. Contact one of the many ASA volunteers to purchase your ticket. If you'd like to help by selling tickets, please contact the ASA office at (512)451-2273. You may even win a night on the town for selling the winning ticket....

Marilyn's has opened its doors to the public and is building a new reputation and look for the corner of 7th and Red River. The club celebrates the life of Marilyn Monroe and is also celebrating its opening and bringing in lots of new clientele. Drop by and check it out, and say hello to new co-owner and bartender Terry Upchurch [below]....



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San Fran Cisco's is helping Skeeter, Dalene and Robert celebrate their birthdays tomorrow night starting at 7 p.m. The yearly bash not only celebrates birthdays, but also raises funds for the ASA Food Bank. Come join the partying, and don't forget to bring your food or cash donation....

Chain Drive hosts "A Tavern Christmas" starting tonight, Friday, December 13, and lasting all weekend. A food drive for the ASA Food Bank will be running in conjunction with the special Christmas festivities. Stop by on Sunday and visit Santa's Twisted Playhouse, sponsored by The Capital City Riders. A great and festive time is promised to all who enter the Chain Drive's playhouse....



Diana Dior and friend [above] were just two of the many entertainers at 'Bout Times' Salute to Broadway Shows held on November 23. Everyone in the audience had a great time remembering some of the old show tunes. The club's next show is scheduled for December 14 and promises to be a wonderful seasonal extravaganza. Drop by on Wednesday afternoons for a free buffet with your hostess Pammie, the laughing bartender. Once you get her laughing she just won't stop....

'Bout Time and Buckles Saloon have pulled the old switch on the community of Austin. 'Bout Time manager Rick Johnson and Buckles manager Gerald Penny have traded places and are making lots of changes for the two bars. Join Buckles this

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Sunday for a TGRA benefit, and then return on Monday when Margaret Wright plays the piano for your entertainment. Be sure to drop by on Thursday nights and enjoy 25¢ drinks with no cover charge from 9-11 p.m. You could meet people like handsome Danny Lopez and daytime bartender Andy Vincent [below]....



Charlie's brought in the Christmas season last weekend with a customer appreciation party. On hand were the Lone Star Male Revue. Charlie's manager Cory Duckett is pictured below with three of the dancers on hand for the festivities. They are [l-r] Brandon, Ryan and Kendall. Join them



tonight when they start celebrating the 12 days of Christmas by giving away a turkey during happy hour and also one during the night every day until Christmas Day....

The Crossing holds their Sagittarian Party tomorrow night from 8-10 p.m. to help all those born under the sign of Sagittarius celebrate their birthdays. Join them for food, fun and festivities. The club will also be having a special liquor bust on Friday,

December 13 from 4-9 p.m. That afternoon, you can catch John Goukler [below], just one of the bartenders who'll be serving up your favorite beverages....



HOT TEA would like to clear up any misunderstanding that might have been created by statements made about Tracy Rogers in **HOT TEA** in Vol. 17, No. 38. The information printed in that issue was not accurate and **HOT TEA** wishes to apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused.

DALLAS TEA — Here's what's happening **THIS WEEK IN DALLAS** from Big D **HOT TEA**.... TMC's 14th anniversary party marked the finish of another great year at the popular men's club. On hand for the celebration



were bartenders [above, l-r] Leonard Sewell, David Ellis, Ricky Bostian and D. J. Michaels, just four of TMC's friendly staff who keep the men in the Mine satisfied year after year. They're making your holidays more "bear-able" with the Bear of the Month contest this Thursday, December 19....

Round-Up hosts the annual jocks and stockings holiday show and contest presented by Autumn Leaves and Pegasus Softball Association. Come in your decorated jocks and stockings and be sure to sign up at 9 p.m. for the contest. Round-Up will be closed on Christmas Day so the staff can enjoy the day with their families. They'll need their rest for the New Year rush coming up at the club....

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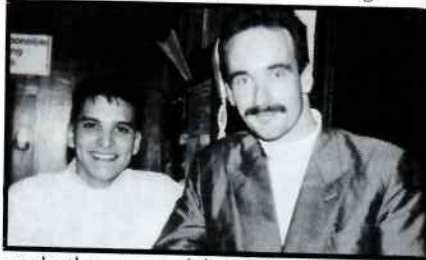
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Wave doormen Steven Narvaez [below, l] and Josef Bergamasco will be on hand to greet the holiday party crowds. Tonight



marks the return of the Friday the 13th Party—be there if you dare! This Sunday, slip into the club for hot-oil wrestling and right after that, catch the entire staff as they present their Turnabout Show benefiting Legacy Counseling Center. Catch Monday's Calling All Stars with Sweet Savage and Tuesday's Texas Strip Off with Valerie Lohr....

Lobo is the perfect shopping place whether you've been naughty or nice. Owner Kevin Gray offers cards, shirts, lube, condoms, videos, gift calendars and more, just in time for holiday gift-giving. Lobo is open Monday through Saturday till 10 p.m. and Sundays till 9 p.m....



John L's presented hilarious Tony Rose [above] in their early December kickoff for a happy holiday season. Tonight and Saturday, you can catch the riotous comedy of Les Miserable, who have just returned from L.A.'s Rose Tattoo where they received rave revues. They head for Palm Springs next month. Make your plans now to attend next weekend's performances by Just Friends. Amazing Grace performs on Christmas Eve Tuesday. Make your reservations for New Year's Eve with Linda Petty and the Main Event along with Mark Allen Smith and Richard Jones....

Tonight, Bamboleo's presents their Miss Mexican-American pageant with emcee Vanessa Duvall and guest Amazing Grace. On Wednesdays they've added free Latin dance lessons and the latest Latin hits along with your top dance favorites. This Wednesday, December 18, catch the heat of Coco's Dance Factory in the premiere of her holiday one-man show, featuring illusions of your favorite dance superstars and Coco's troupe of costumed, high-energy dancers. The emcee for the evening is Lady Shawn and it all heats up at 11 p.m. You won't want to miss this exciting holiday event. Benjamin celebrates another birthday this Thursday. Be there and watch Raye figure up Benjamin's retirement plan pay schedule....

Victoria's Secret, Sue Ellen's pajama party, is set for tomorrow night. Don't miss this opportunity to catch a glimpse of birthday girl K.J. in pjs. Happy Birthday wishes to Kathy Jack from HOT TEA....

Oak Lawn Records owners Roy Cooper and David Hilzendager offer the latest vinyl and CD releases along with their vintage stock of LPs now on sale for the holidays. It's part of their 10th anniversary celebration and their way of saying thank you to their loyal customers. Spin by and see their expanded store, and while you're there, stock up for the new year....

Village Station hosted "Home For The Holidays," a benefit for PWA holiday travel, presented by Patti Le Plae Safe and John Gordon. Emcees for the evening were those svelte twin sisters, Lady Shawn and Donna Day [below, l-r]. Thanks go to the scores of entertainers who helped raise over \$1,800....



The first annual Christmas Bowl benefit for the Food Pantry and HOT Tournament '92 is coming up at the Heart Bowl on Sunday, December 22, from 8 p.m.-2 a.m. The entire bowling alley has been reserved for this event, which will feature scores of the nation's top talent along with emcees Brice

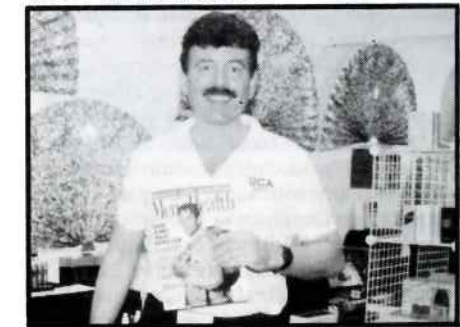
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Cove doorman Milo [above, l] and deejay Tim keep the crowds moving all night long at the popular club. Stop in this weekend for their Sunday show and don't miss this Tuesday's Customer Appreciation Party from 9-10 p.m. Bill, Betty, Curtis and the gang have the happiest holidays planned for your enjoyment. "Black Betty" Smith's birthday party is coming up this month and you'll definitely want to be there for that....

Union Jack can help all of you Santas get those Christmas gifts in the bag with their one-stop holiday shopping. Richard Longstaff and Maurice Cantu have stocked up on items for everyone on your list. Shopping for Christmas at Union Jack will get all those stockings stuffed quick and easy....

The Mr. Prime Choice contest is being held tomorrow, Saturday, December 14 at the Ripcord. The hottest men in Texas over 40 will compete for the first prize of cash and a leather sash. The runner-up will receive a cash prize, too. Mr. Prime Choice is a benefit for the Food Pantry and your emcee is Fred White....



Barry M. Skiba [above] has just opened the Oak Lawn Myotherapy Clinic, which will offer massage classes for your personal use. The facility also includes Kopy Kat

Korner, a gift shop that stocks lots of items to make life more enjoyable. Stop in and see what's new for you and those on your gift list....



HOT TEA would like to introduce Tony Baumann [below], the new owner of Flowers By Tony, which is now open in Lemmon Avenue. Stop in this weekend and make your holidays brighter. Or call them and send a bright bouquet at (214) 526-8338....

"Turnabout is Fair Play," Buddies' turnabout show last week, was a real treat thanks to the talents of staff members like



Mr. Reba [above], who performed a tune by Garth Brooks. If you missed that one, there's lots more in store like their holiday show this Saturday at 11 p.m.; "Don We Now," which benefits the Food Pantry on December 17; the club's seventh annual Christmas Party with Santa sitting for snapshots on December 19; and Buddies' seventh annual Christmas show with guest Modeen next Saturday, December 21....

Raps presents their all-cast Christmas show this Sunday, December 15. Beat the holiday rush and get into the holiday spirit as the entire cast wishes you happy holidays. Lots of changes are coming for the new year. Check **HOT TEA** for details....

Hideaway owners Bill Munoz and Jerry Nicholson invite everyone to come enjoy the holidays in both bars and on the patio, weather permitting. Check out their holiday entertainment schedule with Vodka Bill and Vera. Holidays wouldn't be the same without a trip to the Hideaway....

Jugs' Christmas show is set for Wednesday, December 25 at 9:30 p.m. They open at 5 p.m. Christmas day, and emcee Connie McLain and the whole gang will be there that evening to bring you their holiday show....

Turtle Creek Chorale presents their Christmas concerts at the Stemmons Auditorium at Loew's Anatole Hotel December 18, 19 and 20. The Chorale, along with a string quartet, will perform works from "Peace," their holiday release now available on compact disc and cassette. To order tickets for the concerts, call (214)528-SING. To order your CD or cassette of *Peace* and *From The Heart*, the perfect holiday gifts, call (214)526-3214.

TARRANT TEA — Here's what's happening **THIS WEEK IN FORT WORTH** from Cowtown **HOT TEA**....

Popular singer J. Christopher performs at Partners in Fort Worth tonight, Friday, December 13, in two shows at 8 and 10 p.m. You won't want to miss these concerts or any of the other holiday events and shows Barbara and the gang have planned....

The new sewing center for the D/FW Friends of the Quilt has now officially opened with the ribbon-cutting ceremony held last Saturday afternoon at 657 South Jennings. Stop in and lend a hand. Volunteers, donations and supplies are always welcome....

The 651 Club will hold their traditional Christmas dinner at 1 p.m. on Christmas Day, December 25. Come and enjoy all the great food and good friends this Christmas at the 651....

Casa on the Square in downtown Fort Worth continues to offer the hilarious and irreverent *Nonsense* through January 5. Make your plans to attend these hilarious holiday performances in this intimate theatre....

Stop by Ashburn's and check with George and Ronnie about all of their New Year's Eve celebration plans....

Britches presents their Christmas show Sunday, December 22, with hostess Ashley Rhone and your favorite cast of regulars.

Make your plans to attend the Miss Mid-Cities pageant January 16....

Oasis opens at 7 p.m. Christmas Day for Christmas dinner. They'll be open New Year's Eve, Tuesday, December 31, to celebrate the new year.

HOUSTON HOTTea — Here's what's going on **THIS WEEK IN THE SPACE CITY** from Houston **HOT TEA**....



Mary's kicked off the holiday season by presenting a fabulous display of Christmas decorations [above]. The annual "Community Christmas Tree" lighting was highlighted by an appearance by State Rep. Debra Danburg, who dedicated the ceremony to the late Jim "Fanny" Farmer....

In keeping with the holiday spirit, Heidi's Salon in the Galleria III presents a Christmas Cut-a-thon benefiting the Casa de Esperanza Crisis Center for Children. Come by this Sunday, December 15 between 5-7 p.m. and save 10% off haircuts while providing much-needed assistance to children in crisis....



Last Sunday, Lady Victoria Lust [above] presented her PWA Christmas finale show at the BRB. The annual charity project raised over \$5,300 this year which will be distributed directly to PWAs. Victoria was honored twice during the evening. Not only did the Colt 45's give her honorary membership in their organization, she received a proclamation from the mayor for outstanding community service. This

Sunday, December 15 the club hosts the Gay & Lesbian Switchboard's Auction from 2-5 p.m., which will be followed by a TGRA Christmas show from 6-8 p.m....

Speaking of mayoral proclamations, Pacific Street owner Jay Allen was surprised by a certificate from Kathy Whitmire declaring December 8 Jay Allen Day in recognition of 20 years of service as a business owner, philanthropist and politician. The club has added Tuesdays and Wednesdays to their weekly schedule, making the holidays even hotter. Recent visits by Houston's Wolf Pack [below] prove the club's popularity with the hunkiest men in town....



Basic Brothers continues to "Share the Warmth" during the season of giving. Whenever you purchase two \$29 sweaters, a third sweater will be donated to the Bering Care Center, which will distribute them to PWAs....



Judy Tenuta, pictured above [c] with Rich's manager Jerry Resequé [l] and assistant manager Stina Troxler [r], kept a packed house in stitches and left them begging for even more. Tonight the club gives a special Christmas gift to their devoted customers and friends. They'll be serving up holiday cheer and a whole lot of high-energy fun as the "other" Weather Girl Izora Armstead takes to the stage. On Friday, December 20, Rich's presents

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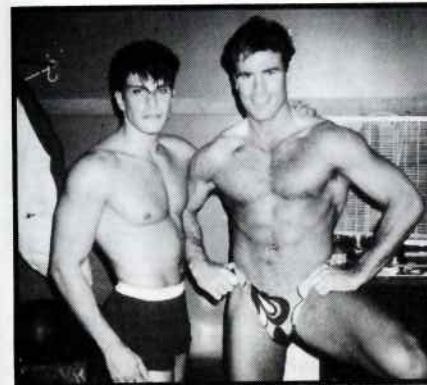
"Keeping It Safe, On the Street and In the Sheets" is the motto of CLASS [Clever Lads Advocating Safer Sex], a collaborative outreach effort by AIDS Foundation Houston and the Houston Health Department. Members of the group [below] distribute



safer sex kits and posters to local bar patrons and promote Safer Sex House Parties like the one next Tuesday, December 17 at AFH. Keep it up, boys...

Fitness Exchange has a completely new look and is getting rave reviews. The club has undergone a major remodeling and expansion which enlarged their free weight area and added an indoor running track. Wouldn't a membership make a wonderful Christmas present? Join today and beat the New Year price increase....

Last weekend JR's solidified its reputation as the home of some of the sexiest male dancers in Houston. *Playgirl* centerfold



Thom Collins [above, l] made a two-day appearance at the club last Friday and Saturday before performing at Heaven on Sunday with the River Oaks Boys Club dancers. He is pictured with another of Texas' favorite entertainers, Hunter [r]. In

addition to the handsome men who perform at JR's, go by and see the amazing decorations that have transformed 800 Pacific into a Christmas winter wonderland....



Across the street at the Montrose Mining Company, bartender Greg Cooper [above] is preparing for tomorrow night's Torn Levi Party. The Bear Club for Men on Wednesdays, and Muscles in Action dancers on Tuesdays and Fridays continue to draw the best-looking levi/leather crowd in town. Then next Saturday, December 21, it's Full Moon Margarita Madness at the number one cruise bar for the men of Houston....

The biggest holiday extravaganza in Houston is at Heaven. On Thursday, December 19, the Fabulous Four reunite for their annual Christmas show. Direct from Las Vegas, Hot Chocolate jets in to join Donna Day, Naomi Sims and Tasha Kohl for an evening that has become a seasonal tradition....

The first annual Mr. Gentry contest was held last Sunday, and the winner was



handsome cowboy Mark Dickmeyer, who is pictured above [c] with [l-r] second runner-up Ramon Harlow, Miss Gentry Jacquelyn Sterling and first runner-up Michael Bolin. Tonight the club unveils their traditional Christmas decorations complete with lights and greenery during Houston Lesbian/Gay Pride Week's display of their logo contest entries. Then on Sunday, the Cracked Ice Queens put some twist into this year's

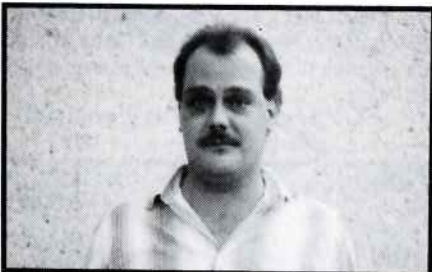
annual Christmas show at 8 p.m. There's no cover, but donations for Stone Soup are welcome.

TEA BY THE SEA — Here's what's going on **THIS WEEK IN GALVESTON** from Island City **HOT TEA**....

The Island was ablaze with Christmas spirit as Galveston presented Dickens On the Strand. At the Kon Tiki, superstars like Naomi Sims, Poison and Muscles in Action heated up the stage before an SRO audience. Tomorrow night, December 14, the club, in conjunction with Garza Productions, presents the reigning Miss Gay USA Sable Chanel along with the newly crowned Miss Tri-States USA Tandi Andrews. Coming next Saturday, December 21, the fabulous talents of LaWanda Jackson and Kourtney Van Wales return to Galveston direct from Las Vegas. Don't miss it.

SAN ANTONIO TEA — Here's what's going on **THIS WEEK IN SAN ANTONIO** from Alamo City **HOT TEA**....

Tonight, the 106 Off Broadway presents an all-male revue with Alex as emcee. Showtime is 9:30 p.m. with all proceeds going to SAAF. 106 bartender Michael Lindsay [below] will be on hand to serve up \$1.75 well drinks and beer from 2-11 p.m....



Nexus hosts a fabulous Christmas Light Show tonight at 9 p.m. hosted by Allison Goodgame following her happy hour performance, which begins at 7:30 p.m.... This Sunday, December 15, Ms. Ricki emcees a benefit show for children with AIDS titled "For the Children." Showtime is 7 p.m. and gifts may include disposable diapers, baby wipes, food, clothes or toys. Please join us at Nexus to help make a child's Christmas dream come true....

This evening, Paper Moon stages the Miss Gay Southwest U.S.A. pageant at 11 p.m. The Super Sunday Show welcomes Miss Gay Austin Jamie Perry, and Houston

Newcomer of the Year Poison Alexander at 11 p.m.... The PMT Christmas Show is this Thursday at 11:30 p.m. with special yuletide guest Lena Lavell.... The **CRUISE CAMERA** went backstage at Paper Moon recently and captured the alluring Obsession while she

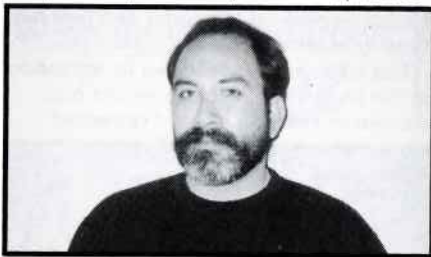


was performing in San Antonio. The reigning Miss Gay Dallas wowed San Antonio with her feverish dance style and beauty....

The infamous Lonnie (not Lannie) is now bartending the day shift every Tuesday at the El Jardin....

The 2015 now has Ballet Folklorico every Sunday at 10 p.m.... be sure and check out the beefcake every Thursday when male strippers hit the stage at 11:30 p.m. with emcee Donna Daniels....

The Silver Dollar Saloon plays trash disco every Sunday from 4-9 p.m. with dynamite



dee jay Eddie Nomad [above]. Check it out—San Antonio's premiere video country and western bar....

Ab's Westernaire has a sing-a-long every Saturday from 4-8 p.m. Bring your own music or choose from the bar's selection and join in on the fun....

Hard Hat holds a bartender's strip-off tomorrow night, December 14.... On Sunday, Mike Patten and the boys will have a tree-trimming party and collect food and toys for Krissie's Kids. The festivities get started at 9 p.m. Wrapping things up are male strippers later in the evening....

Memories begins bingo on Mondays at 8 p.m. with emcee Dena Malloy. "Monday Madness" offers a beer bust all night

long.... Sassy St. James brings on early bird strippers each Sunday at 7 p.m.... Much



sought-after bartender Laura Pike [above] serves up \$2 any-drink-in-the-house every Friday from 7 a.m.-2 a.m....

The Alamo Gay Community Choice Awards raised \$800 for the PWAs of San Antonio. Organizer and current Mr. TGRA Terry Neal announced the following category winners: female impersonator, Brenda K. Starr; male impersonator, Casey; male live vocalist, Terry Neal; female live vocalist, Jeanne Marie; Group, the Pointless Sisters; overall entertainer, Pauletta Leigh; male bartender, Eric Carrier; deejay, Lonnie Walton; C/W bar, Silver Dollar; neighborhood bar, Nite Owl; organization, SAAF; individual, Julee French and Sharen Rupp (tie); event, Gay Fiesta; publication, Out in San Antonio; community service, Myrna Von Nimitz; Hap Veltman Memorial Award, Gene Elder; dance bar, Bonham Exchange, and the Lifetime Humanitarian Achievement Award, Fran Mendez. Congratulations to all the winners from Alamo City **HOT TEA!**...



The San Antonio AIDS Foundation's newest volunteer is Tony Lawson [above], who operates the switchboard daily. For any information concerning SAAF House and its many services, contact Tony at (512) 225-4715....

Gorgeous Tandi Andrews was the outstanding favorite and winner of Garza Productions recent Miss Tri-States USA 1992 pageant at the Bonham Exchange. The contest showcased fabulous entertainment



featuring [above, l-r] Miss Gay USA Sable Chanel, second runner-up Denise Fairchild, Miss Gay Texas USA Jennifer St. John, this year's winner, Miss Tri-States USA 1991 Sweet Savage and first runner-up Oprah DeMarro....

In their continuing tradition of presenting the best in female impersonation, the Wild Club has a complete schedule of holiday headliners. Miss Gay Texas Amazing Grace makes her San Antonio premier appearance at the club's Wild and Wicked Sunday show this weekend. On Friday, December 20 national talk show entertainer Jimmy James presents his Christmas show. Then on December 22 Tandi Andrews celebrates her birthday with a Las Vegas La Cage-style show featuring Syreeta Monroe as Tina Turner, Amber Nix as Bette Midler, Amanda Hall as Gloria Estefan, Tandi as Cher and Kourtney Van Wales as Madonna. As if that wasn't enough, National Entertainer of the Year Tasha Kohl makes a special appearance on December 29.

TEXAS TELETYPE — The Capri Club in Odessa has changed hands and is now called Sadie's, with a new look, new owners and new management. Stop in and see owners Steve Gentry and Greg Stephen from 7 p.m. till 2 a.m. nightly. The B.Y.O.B. club is making plans now for their New Year's Eve blowout. Get ready for the party....

Raven presents the Miss Waco Mining Company pageant tonight and the Mr. Waco contest tomorrow night. Stop in at the Mine this weekend for both of these fine presentations....

The Gig's Christmas show is next Sunday, December 22. The Texarkana AIDS Project Food Pantry will benefit from the non-perishable food and personal supplies collection drive going on this weekend at the club. You can also benefit TAP by purchasing a \$5 "Light for Life" to light up your Christmas tree in remembrance of a friend.

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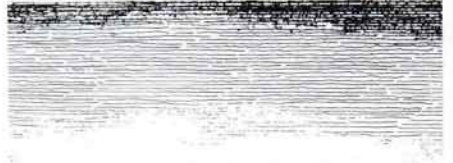
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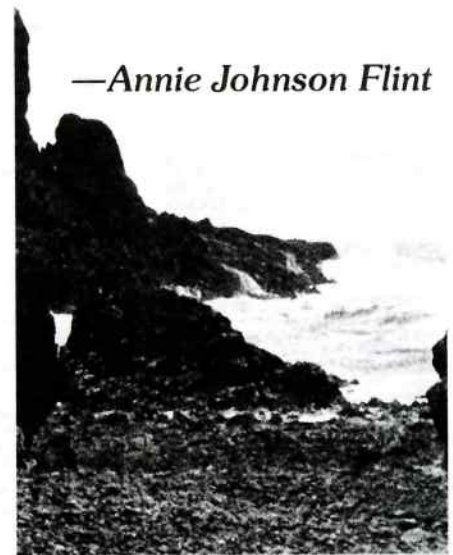
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Dallas Tavern Guild 3900 Lemmon 521-0638
Dallas Urban League 747-4734
Deaf Action Center 521-4070
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ELLA (Latina Lesbians) 814 S. Edgefield 621-6444

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- Razzle-Dazzle Dallas, Inc. P.O. 224562/75222-4562
 SMU Gt. Student Organization SMU Box 172/75275
 967-4097
 Stonewall (Narcotics Anonymous) P.O. 567522/75366
 Stonewall Drive & Travel Club P.O. 35492/75235
 Suicide & Crisis Center 828-1000
 Team Dallas P.O. 190712 946-6367/521-1653
 Texas Fathers for Equal Rights P.O. 50052
 One Main Pl. Stat. 934-3885
 T.G.R.A. / Dallas 569-3511
 T.R.U.S.T. (Adolescent children of gays and lesbians) 529-9191
 Trinity River Aquatic Club 821-1653/521-6435
 Turtle Creek Chorale 526-3214
 Uncol Dallas P.O. 215163/75221
 United Court of the Lone Star Empire P.O. 190665
 528-5719
 United Methodist Men's Chorus 817-0641
 Volleyball/Racquetball Players 739-5019
 W.A.R. (Women's Action & Remembrance) 339-0965
 W.A.N.T. (Widowed in the Arts Networking Together) 288-2999
 Women's Health Project 4012 Cedar Springs 521-5131
 Wornin for Wornin (Les. Res. Cntr.) 1315 Skilley
 821-3999
 Women's Spirituality Group 5008 Homer St. 826-9213
 Young Adult Positive Support (HIV / ARC) 701-3455
- BDENTON CHURCH** (Area Code: 817)
 Harvest MCC 5900 South Stemmons 497-4020
- BDENTON CHURCH ORGANIZATION** (Area Code: 817)
 The Colony Breakfast Club (1st Sunday) 214-370-2707
- BDENTON ORGANIZATIONS** (Area Code: 817)
 Courage Les. / Gay Student Assoc. Stud. Cntr. P.O. 5067
 382-3813
- EL PASO CLICS** (Area Code: 915)
 Old Plantation 219 S. Ochoa 533-6055
 San Antonio Mining Company 800 E. San Antonio
 534-9090
- EL PASO ORGANIZATIONS** (Area Code: 915)
 AIDS Info. English 543-3574
 Spanish 543-3575
 GRO (Gay Resource Organization) P.O. 13373 589-9564
 HIV & STD Testing 222 S. Campbell 543-3660
 Lambda Line (24 hours) 562-6294
 Lambda Services P.O. 31321/79931-0321
 MCC El Paso 916 E. Yandell 542-1227
 Parents FLAG 833-4256
 Southwest AIDS Comm. 1505 Mesalero 772-3366
- FORT WORTH ATTORNEYS** (Area Code: 817)
 Wright, David L. 834-1234
- FORT WORTH BUSINESSES** (Area Code: 817)
 Casa Manana Theatre P.O. 9054 / 76107
 D.J.'s Restaurant 1308 St. Louis 927-7321
 Hayes Discout Pharmacy 3101 W. Lancaster
 426 S. Henderson / 76104 336-7281
- FORT WORTH CHURCHES** (Area Code: 817)
 Affirmation (Methodist) / Tarrant Co. 656-8056
 Agape MCC 4615 S.E. Loop 620 535-5002
 Dignity / Ft. Worth 4503 Bridge St. 263-8688
 Fellowship of Love Outreach 711 W. Gambrell St. 921-1206
 Honesty (Baptist) P.O. 60026 923-8487
 Lutherans Concerned 2800 W. Boyce 921-3996
 Special Invitation Ministries 1520 Hemphill
- FORT WORTH CLUBS** (Area Code: 817)
 Across the Street 700 S. Jennings 332-0192
 Ashburn's 3012 E. Rosedale 534-8630
 D.J.'s 1308 St. Louis 927-7321
 Oasis 1283 Magnolia 927-8661
 Partners 3424 South Fry (I-35) 927-9555
 The 651 Club 651 S. Jennings 332-0745
- FORT WORTH ORGANIZATIONS / HELPLINES**
 (Area Code: 817)
 AIDS Awareness Clinic 2825 E. Rosedale 534-CARE
 AIDS Helpline 870-7346
 AIDS Interfaith Network P.O. 11084 / 2600 Merdis St. 927-2437
 Comm. Outreach Cntr. 1125 W. Peter Smith 335-1994
 Crisis / Suicide Intervention (24-hour help) 927-5544
 Crosswaters (TV's) Helpline 261-3253
 F/F / GPW Assoc. P.O. 2165 / 76113
 Friends and Relatives of Gays 469-7055
 HIV Anonymous Group 292-9494
 Imperial / Family Council P.O. 365 / 76101
 Legal Defense Fund 336-8242
- Lambda AA 921-2871
 Lambda Bowling 267-1963
 Lone Star Bowling League Darrell Moore 338-0706
 Longhorn Bowling Assoc. Joan 624-2151
 Parents & Friends of Lesbians & Gays P.O. 6152
 338-4551
 Respect—G/L Assoc. of TJCUC NE TJCUC Stud. Act. 828 Hanwood Rd / Hurst, TX 76054
 Tarrant Co. G.P.W. Assoc. P.O. 8705 / 78124
 Tarrant Co. Lesbian/Gay Alliance P.O. 11044 336-9242
 Tarrant Co. Parents Group P.O. 48382 / Watagua, Tex. 656-8056
 T.C.M.E.R.F. Alternative 209 W. Magnolia 821-2262
 T.C.M.E.R.F. Drug Treatment Cntr. 900 Southland Ave. 336-6454
 Texas AIDS Network Thomas B. 335-1994
 Texas Doubles Bowling League Todd 895-4948
 Texas Gay Rodeo Association P.O. 786 520-6570
 Texas Gay Veterans 546-3611
 V.D. Clinic 1800 University 870-7223
- GALVESTON CLUBS** (Area Code: 409)
 Evolution 224c Mechanic 763-4212
 Kon-Tiki 315 23d (Tremont) 763-6264
 Mary's II 2502 Q St. 763-9435
 Robert's LaFite 25th & Q St. 765-9082
- GALVESTON ORGANIZATIONS** (Area Code: 409)
 AIDS Coalition of Coastal Texas Inc. 1419 Tremont
 763-AIDS
 Galveston Tennis Network Jerry 765-5071
 Gaud Productions 684-1012
 Lambda AA 593-6319
 Lesbian / Gay Parents Support P.O. 241 762-7272
 Skiff Stocking Ball 1502 Rosenberg Ave. 77550 765-8457
- HARLINGEN ORGANIZATIONS** (Area Code: 512)
 AIDS Information Line 425-5124
 MCC Valley Outreach P.O. 727 Combes, TX 77835
 MCC AIDS Council 2220 Haine Dr. #45 428-8322
- HOUSTON ACCOMMODATIONS** (Area Code: 713)
 The Lovett Inn (Guest House) 501 Lovett 522-5224
- HOUSTON ADULT BOOKSTORES** (Area Code: 713)
 Big City News & Video 10105 Gul Freeway
 Fondren News & Video opening soon
- Gas Light News 3519 Bellaire
 Richmond News & Video 4330 Richmond 24 Hrs.
 Stadium 4629 W. 34th
- HOUSTON ADULT THEATRE** (Area Code: 713)
 French Quarter 3201 Louisiana 527-0782
- HOUSTON APARTMENT COMMUNITY** (Area Code: 713)
 Chateaux Dijon 531 Beverly Hill Lane 626-3660
- HOUSTON ATTORNEYS** (Area Code: 713)
 Archer, Diana 440 Louisiana 236-0003
 Frye, Phyllis 5707 Firenza (24 hours) 723-8368
 Green, Bill (24 hours) 266-1004
 Hecker, Peter 1812 Lubbock 880-1125
 Hurder, Richard 871-0731
 Katine, Mitchell 961-9595
 O'Kane, Patricia Anne 3212 Smith #102 (24 hrs.) 526-7911
 Madden, Frances 247-0707 901 W. Alabama
 Walker, Jim 522-1117
- HOUSTON BUSINESSES / SERVICES** (Area Code: 713)
 Advance Travel 10700 N.W. Freeway 682-2002
 A Moveable Feast 2202 W. Alabama 526-3585
 Basic Brothers 1232 Westheimer 522-1626
 Bar Graphics (Gay Mail Order) P.O. 5135 / 77325
 Beat, The 2129 W. Alabama 523-8346
 Costume World 5707 Richmond 266-5357
 Cristo Rey Funeral Home 237-1777
 Dance Music Records 1520 Westheimer 524-3004
 Earthing/Funnel Directors Stan Ford 650-4000
 Ely & Assoc. Insurance (toll-free) 100-442-3421
 Houston Gay Yellow Pages P.O. 22853 / 77227 621-0929
 Inklings (Gay Mail Order) 1846 Richmond 521-3369
 L.W. Marks Jewelers 3841 Bellaire 666-5000
 Infinite Records 528 Westhime 521-0187
 Lab Store, Inc. P.O. 301170 748-5022
 Leather By Boots 711 Fairview 526-2668
 Leather By Boots 715 Fairview (the Ripcord) 526-0444
 Muscles in Action: C.J. Harrington 965-9917
 Planktics 4005 Montrose 526-2288
 Printex Plus 1617 W. Alabama 524-4365
 Record Rack 3109 So. Shepherd 524-3602
 Rice Pharmacy 527-8339
 The American Liposincs 622-8479
 RTW Graphics (Art, Design, Typesetting) 622-6111
 Union Jack 1521 Westheimer 526-9600
 USA Pageantry 523-5293
 We Deliver Videos 1109 Hyde Park 522-4485
- HOUSTON CHURCHES & RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATIONS**
- Aletheia Praise & Worship Center 501 E. 18th 863-8846
 Bering Memorial UMC 1440 Harold 526-1017
 Church of Religious Science 1505 Nevada 526-5688
 Church of Universal Divinity (Byzantine Rite) 524-9184
 Dawn Of Faith MCC 10586 Telephone / Fuqua 961-6766
 Dignity (Gay Catholics) P.O. 66821 528-0111
 First Unitarian Church 5200 Fannin St. 528-5200
 Gay & Lesbian Mormons P.O. 7167 862-1607
 Good Shepherd Church-U.C.A. 3207 Montrose 520-8929
 Grace Lutheran Church 2515 Waugh 526-7708
 Holy Trinity Catholic Church 1218 Welch 523-8412
 Houston Interfaith Alliance 683-0757
 Houston LDS Family Sacramento Meeting 862-1807
 Houston Mission Church 1505 Nevada 529-2252
 Impact Church of Christ 401 Studewood #200 864-5867
 Integrity (Episcopalian) P.O. 68008 432-0414
 Jewish Family Service 4131 S. Braeswood 867-9336
 Kolbe House 303A W. Main 522-8182
 Kingdom Community Church 524 E. 19th 862-7533
 Lutherans Concerned 623-8633 686-4831
 MCCR 1919 Decatur 861-9149
 Pentecostal Family of Montrose 501 E. 18th 863-8846
 Presbytery of New Covenant 41 Oakdale 526-5825
 Rothko Chapel 1409 Sul Ross 524-9839
 Seventh-day Adventist Kinship P.O. 301047 / 77230
 St. Stephen's Episcopal Church 1805 W. Alabama
 Unitarian Men's Group 526-5200
- HOUSTON CLUBS** (Area Code: 713)
 Brazos River Bottom 2400 Brazos 529-9192
 Briar Patch 229A Greenbriar / Holcombe 866-3678
 Cousins 528-8204
 Gentry 2303 Richmond 520-1861
 Heaven Pacific at Grant 521-9123
 Inergy 6121 Hillcroft 771-9611
 J.R.'s 808 Pacific 521-2519
 Juliet's Place 903 Richmond 528-9110
 Lazy J 312 Tuam 528-9343
 Mary's 1022 Westheimer 527-9669
 Missouri St. Station 1117 Missouri at Youakum 524-1333
 Montrose Mining Co. #80 Pacific 529-7488
 Mother's 4020 Lovett 520-7305
 Ms. B's 9200 Buffalo Spwy 666-3356
 Outpost 2818 Richmond 520-8446
 Pacific Street 1710 Pacific 523-0213
 Past Time 817 Fairview 529-4669
 Ranch 9200 Buffalo Spwy 666-3464
 Red Room 1419 Richmond 529-3367
 Rich's 2401 San Jacinto 759-9656
 Ripcord 715 Fairview 521-2792
 611 Hyde Park Pub Hyde Park at Stanford 526-7070
 Venture-N 2923 Main 522-0000
 XTC 9200 Buffalo Spwy 666-3464 / 666-3356
- HOUSTON COUNSELING** (Area Code: 713)
 Campbell, Harvey, M.D. 4126 SW Fry, Suite 1020
 Duacklin, Margaret CSW-ACP 1517 Marshall
 Edd, Nicholas, Dr., Psy D. 902 Frostwood 465-2377
 2128 Welch 465-2377
 Gates, Denise, M.Ed / LPC 902 Frostwood 465-2377
 IntraCare Caroline 24 hrs. 790-0949
 The Lambda Program / Stanford Meadows Hospital 240-2626
 Manuel, Diane, MSW 4545 Post Oak Place, Suite 210
 438-0329
 Montrose Counseling Ctr. 900 Lovett #203 529-0307
 Partners in Recovery (IntraCare) 790-0949
 Rabum, Tony, M.A. 1517 Marshall 522-7014
 Sharon Stone & Associates 623-8081
- HOUSTON FITNESS CENTERS** (Area Code: 713)
 Club Houston 2205 Fannin 659-4996
 Midtown Spa 3100 Fannin 522-2379
- HOUSTON HEALTH CARE** (Area Code: 713)
 Fitness Exchange 3930 Kirby Corp. Sq. #300 524-9832
- HOUSTON MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS:**
HOUSTON CHIROPRACTORS (Area Code: 713)
 Fletcher, Dr. Richard 1245 Yale & 13th 862-3897
 Martin, Dr. Jerry 5252 Westchester #180 660-7722
- HOUSTON DENTIST** (Area Code: 713)
 Smith, Bruce W., D.D.S. 1006 Missouri 529-4364
- HOUSTON DOCTORS** (Area Code: 713)
 Franklin, David, M.D./Psy. 623-8090
 Hinkle, David, M.D. 4200 Montrose Suite 480 / 77006 526-5200
 Thum, Steven, M.D. 4222 Westheimer 522-9816
 Martinez, Steve, M.D. 3400 Montrose Suite 200 521-9444
 Thomas Audette Memorial Clinic 1200 Richmond 522-5635
- Wonnacott, J. Brian, M.D. 3515 Oak Forest Dr. #3
 681-0987
- HOUSTON OPTOMETRIST** (Area Code: 713)
 Johnson, Dr. Thomas 3701 W. Alabama #310 961-9705
 Perfect Vision / Dr. Sheryl Pickering Steve 529-3261
- HOUSTON ORGANIZATIONS / HELPLINES**
 (Area Code: 713)
 ACLU 1236 W. Gray 524-5825
 ACT UP Houston P.O. 66275 / 77266-6275 433-2924
 AIDS Assistance Fund 2476 Bolsower #455 526-4788
 AIDS Dental Referrals 529-5634
 AIDS Foundation 5202 Wesleyan 623-6796
 AIDS Hotline (9 a.m.-9 p.m.) 524-AIDS
 AIDS Interfaith Council of Houston 682-5996
 AIDS Legal Hotline 701 N. Post Oak Rd. #330 528-7702
 AIDS Mastery Workshop P.O. 572751 / 77257-2751 464-6971
 AIDS Project 900 Lovett #203 529-0307
 AIDS Resource for Greater Houston 800 N. Stadium Dr. 749-9181
 American Gay Atheists P.O. 66711
 (Dial-A-Gay-Atheist) 880-4242
 AMIGA P.O. 980134 520-5667
 Astro Rainbow Soc. of the Deaf 777-2572 (TDD-H), 528-3678 (TDD-W) Relay #1-800-736-2988
 AVES (Amigos Volunteering in AIDS Education & Services) 2510 Broad St. #200 540-2837
 Bering Care Center (Adult AIDS Day Care Center) 1440 Harold 520-7070
 Bering Dental Clinic (Indigent Care) 1440 Harold 524-7933
 Houston Chain Gang Bicycling Club 961-7257
 Body Positive/Ho 1475 W. Gray 524-2374
 #178 P.O. 981102 / 77096
 Classic Chassis Car Club P.O. 981102 / 77096
 Cocaine Anonymous Meetings 666-8622
 CoDependents Anon. 529-3211
 Colt 45's 528-9192
 Colt 45's AIDS Trouble Fund P.O. 66804 526-8077
 Community Alliance of Ho. P.O. 272086 222-6518
 Couples / Houston (Couples Nat'l) 661-4200
 P.O. 70884 / 77270-0884 863-9048
 Crisis Hotline 228-1505
 Cure AIDS Now 2606 Montrose / P.O. 66563 529-2891
 Delta Lambda Phi (U. of H.) 529-3266
 Diana Foundation P.O. 66523 / 77266
 DIFFA/Houston 20 Greenway Plaza #210 / 77046 621-7989
 Drug Abuse Hotline 1-800-962-HELPS
 Family Connection (youth shelter) 523-6825
 Forty Plus Jim 527-8674
 FrontRunners (runners, joggers) 522-8842/522-0899
 G.A.L.A. (Gay Les. Assoc.) of Ft. Bend Co. P.O. 291 Fulshear, TX / 67641
 Garden Party P.O. 66937/7266-6693
 Gay Fathers/Fathers 1st of Houston P.O. 981053
 666-8566 523-7466
 Gay & Les. Hispanics Unidos P.O. 70153
 880-GLHU (4548)
 Gay & Lesbian Parents Coalition P.O. 981053 666-1616
 Gay & Lesbian People in Medicine 529-3211
 Gay & Lesbian Political Caucus P.O. 66664 529-1000
 Gay & Lesbian Switchboard P.O. 66591 521-3211
 Gays / Lesbians of Rice (GALOR) P.O. 1892 522-8101
 Gay / Lesbian Student Assoc. U. of H. P.O. 314 4800 Calhoun 749-1253
 Gay Men's Network 529-5231
 Gay Mensa 529-7006
 Gay Parents Support 666-1616
 Good Sports (college football / basketball fans) 523-9000
 Greater Ho. Pocket Billiards League PJ Ford 863-9482
 Greater Mont. Bus. Guild P.O. 66051 528-1111
 Grey Party 1004 Tulane / 77008
 Gulf Coast Transgender Community P.O. 441754 522-0042
 Baba Yega 2607 Grant St. 522-0042
 Charlie's Restaurant 1102 Westheimer 522-3332
 Chapultepec 813 Richmond 522-2365
 House of Pies 3112 Kirby 528-3616
- HUNTSVILLE ORGANIZATION** (Area: 409)
 Sam Houston St. Univ. Gay, Lesbian/Bisexual Alliance P.O. 2172 / Huntsville
 Planned Parenthood (HIV counseling/testing-free) (Pam) 2405-C Ave. 1, 295-6396
- LAKE CHARLES CLUB**
 (Louisiana Area Code: 318)
- Houston Metropolitan Billiards League Tony 880-0888
 Houston Outdoor Group 526-7688
 Houston Professionals P.O. 3840 Humble 821-7126
 Houston Tennis Club 665-1579
 Houston Thursday Nite Mixed Bowling League Steve 529-3261
 Houston Women's Softball League 19327 Bristle Star, Katy / 77449
 Houston Wrestling Club P.O. 311314 522-5994
 Imperial Court of the Single Star P.O. 980044 / 77099-0444
 Jerbe (PWA Issues & Support) P.O. 680044 / 77099-0444 266-0948
 Jewish Family Services 4131 S. Braeswood 867-9336
 Krews of Hydra 1406 Richmond #138 523-2963
 Krews of Olympus-Texas P.O. 920794/77292
 KPFT Radio 419 Lovett 526-4000
 Lambda Center for Alcoholics 1214 Joanne 521-9772
 Lesbian / Gay Democrats of Texas 520-5126 / 527-9143
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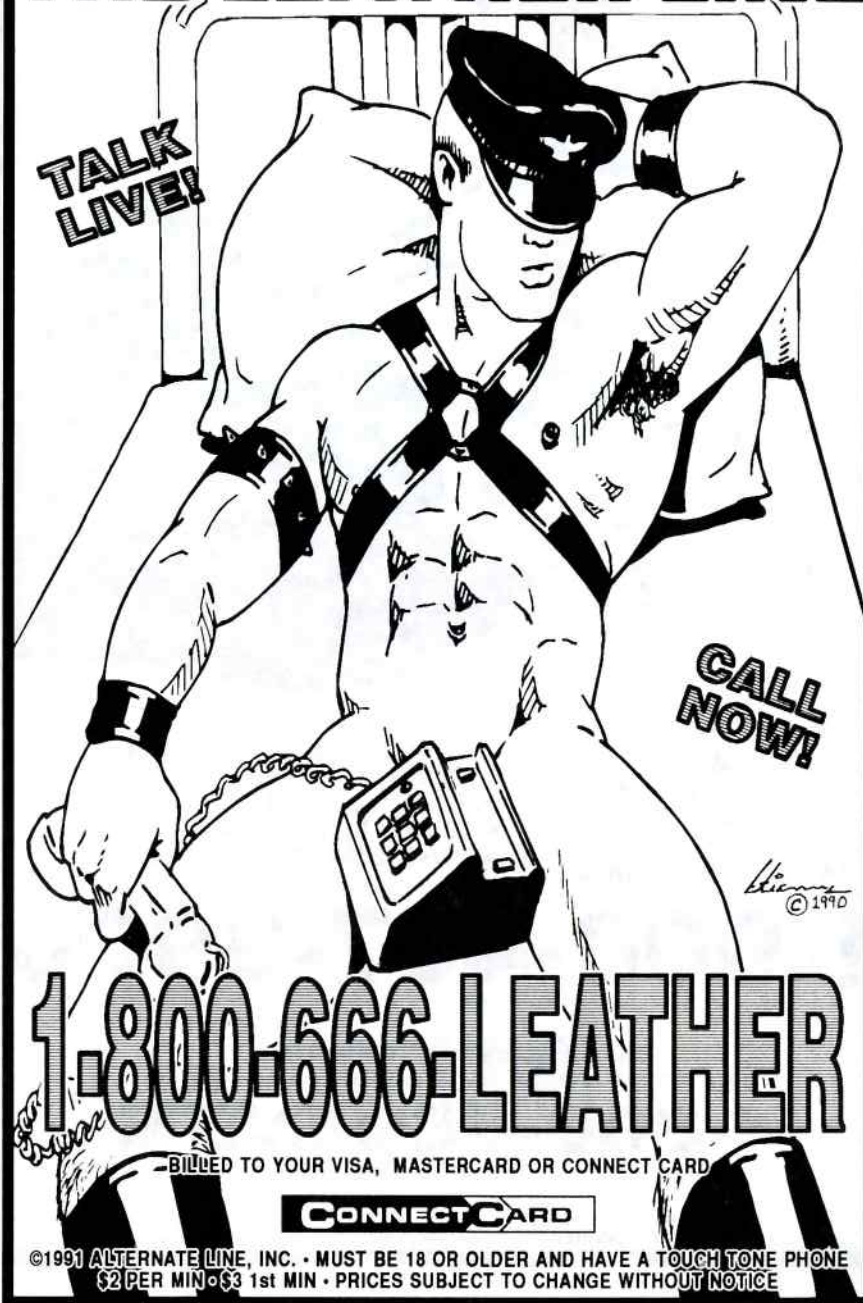
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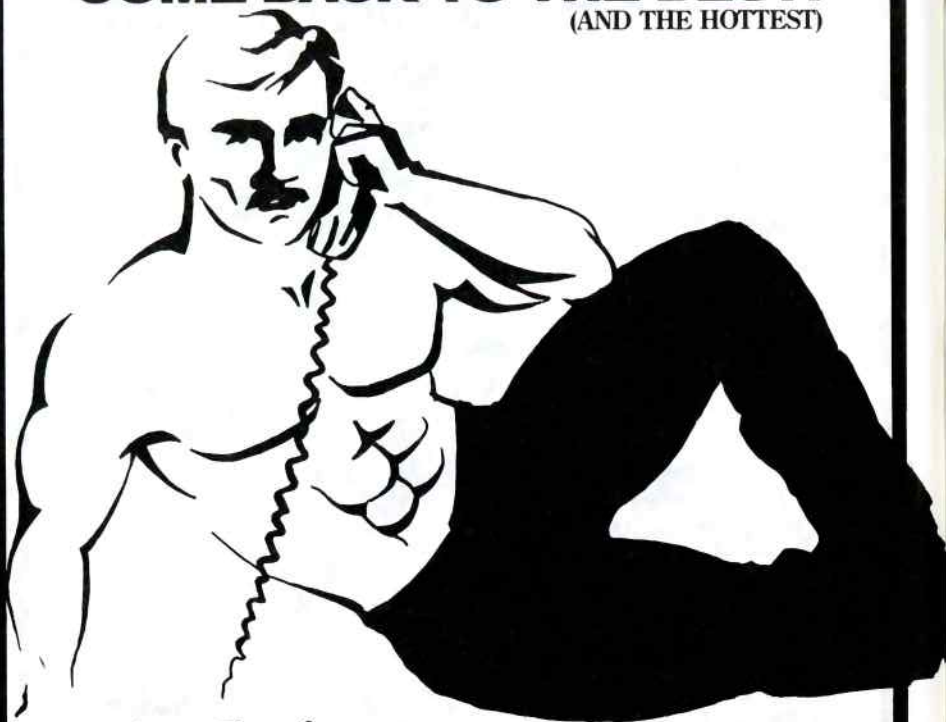
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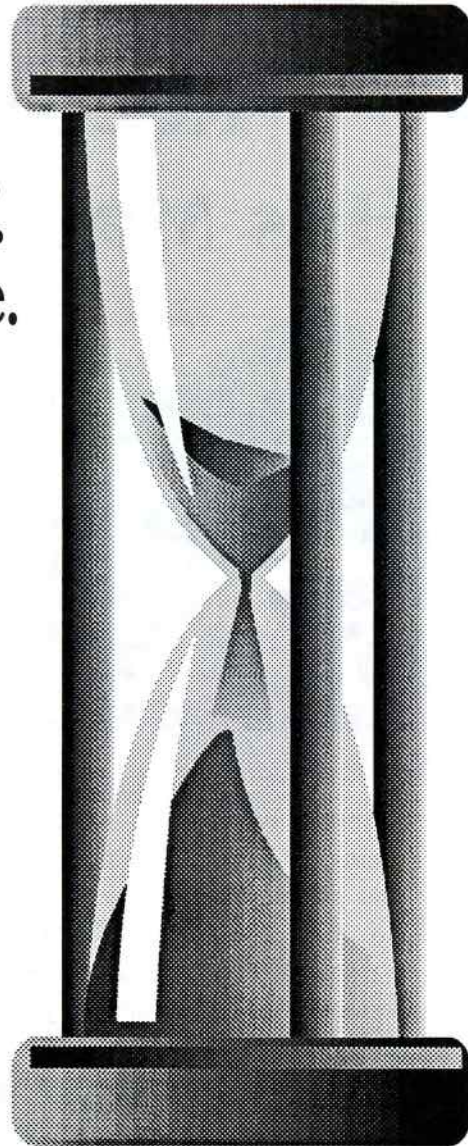
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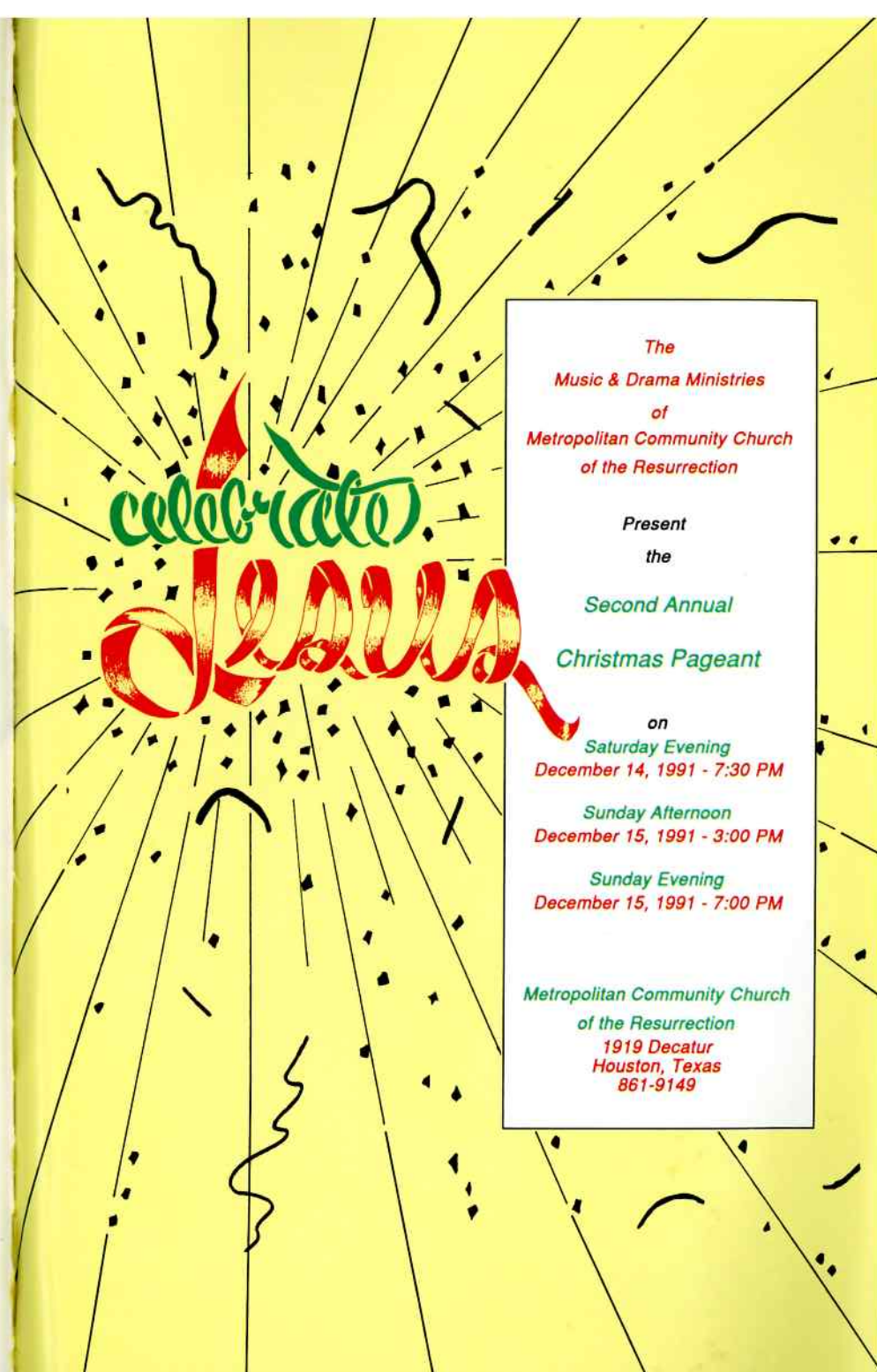
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