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hold most dear, including our love for each other. Tune in to break through every Friday morning from eight to 11 and hear what you've been missing. Through my inner light.

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Girl you said you're going to help me slap Jack.

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Yeah, Toby to the slapping these promo for wild.

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Get that tape man. I

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know Wildenstein, you can hear every Monday night, right here on KPFT. From 9am till 10 o'clock pm and

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then I come on at 10 with a new show that I'm doing called Tranquillity Base. And in November, we're going to be running a science fiction series on my new show called Ruby. Oh, it's really good. It's a science fiction radio thriller. No kidding. Yeah, it's done by CBS and back east somewhere. Just really good stuff.

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Well, that sounds really fun.

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Anyway, what are we doing? Wait a minute, I was gonna do something. Oh, I was gonna talk about

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Wow, all these carts all over the place

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next week. Or next week? I

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won't be here. You will not be here. No, you are doing Renaissance Festival and I'll be here with HGL PC

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and Kevin will be engineering. And then in two weeks, I

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hope he knows it. And two weeks, I may not be here, but you'll be here to gra will be here

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either long distance or Oh my in the flesh. Oh. No. We'll be doing a five hour show.

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Yeah, because of the time change

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because in what was it? March? April sometime? We did a three hours. Yeah. Yeah. So somewhere in there when daylight savings time flip flops, we lose, lose. And so in



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the fall, we get the extra hours.



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So that'll be a long, exciting show. I'm really excited about the rodeo. I took off that that three days. So you could go to Yes, I wouldn't miss it for the world. I love rodeos. And I just can't. I've never been to a gay rodeo.



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Oh, I haven't either. And so that's kind of been to a real rodeo one. Oh, real rodeos



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are fun, but this should and this is a real row. Yeah, but I didn't mean that this is a real rodeo, but it'll be a real gay rodeo. Yeah. And Texas, gay rodeo. folks had been around for years. And this is



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raising lots of money. This is their seventh. Yes. This rodeo racer.



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Yeah, actually it is the mike goes to a lot of groups, AIDS groups and other groups that helps out lots of folks in in our areas. And it's very worthwhile. But these folks work really really hard because putting on a rodeo is very physically demanding. It's very it's very physical. It's It's physical. Let's get physical. Now it is baby rodeo is a big thing. I grown up in Arkansas. We had rodeos every every year rodeos here in Texas. But it's not like going to a hometown rodeo. You know so different. Well, you go to the Astrodome when there's 50 J and people and you sit on those concrete benches. That's where I saw Mark they don't really country rodeo where there's like cows just really a few feet down the road. And although that won't happen when the T gra people come? Well, I mean country. We're out in the country and everybody drives for miles for this rodeo at home. It's a lot of fun. Oh, back in Arkansas, and it's family. And that's why I think this rodeo is going to be more because it's just a roadway because it will be Yeah, family and it's gonna be a hoot. And I wouldn't miss it for the world. Anyway,



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there's a lot of good fundraisers going on. I was at one tonight. Oh, yeah. Over it was that at EJ

days? There was a show and Casino Night. I have some friends with Texas renegades and they were putting this on for the Colt 45 Trouble fund. And a real trooper was heading this thing up this Las Vegas show. lady victoria lost. Oh, and I had heard that. lady victoria just got to the hospital with phlebitis on Wednesday, really? And here it is Saturday night, which again, she's out there. In fact, she had a cane somebody had to help her to the stage but she was still doing that show once again.



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reiterate and re emphasize with true facts are meant to Republican plan. The Republican platform will let the GOP see handle that next



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week. Yeah, that was information from last week that Frank had, but he's not here tonight. Well, that I also got



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that from the Texas Human Rights Foundation. Oh, I've got maybe I'll look maybe I have that man. I don't know if I have that. But I want to play. This is from the album purpleheart and we're gonna play this then I want to talk something a little bit about the flirtations because we get some sad news to report about the flirtation. Yeah, but this is Michael Callen. And it's from his first album we call the Purple Heart. Well, his only album we hope they're more and this is a song that I've listened to quite a bit I Jimmy I love this CD



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isn't a great I'm so glad to find they finally put that album on CD I love. I know you have to have the album's I have one. And they're both so scratchy, because we played I love



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music so much. You know how much I love music. And I love my CD player because of the quality and I have played this thing more I think, than any CD that I have in the short time because you only got this for me a couple of weeks ago, it just came out. But we've had the album since almost the beginning of the show. Yeah, and we've worn out two or three copies of that. But I haven't really listened to the whole album. It sounds kind of crazy. I played it. I haven't really listened to it. Like I listened to music. Because you hear the scratches and pops on the songs that you like and you just don't want to hear them. But since the CD I I've been listening to this a lot and this is a song I discovered that I really didn't like the first time I heard it, but I'm beginning to like it now and it's called how to have sex. Oh, yeah, girl, one of my favorites. But this is Michael Callen from the album Purple Heart and how to have sex in the 80s



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You're shaking your head and now it's in the 90s I said 80s



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And he just goes That's like chemicals. Little dogs in the back of your car that his hands on a spring. It's a breakthrough. There he goes. Oh, nevermind. Okay. Hey, can we give away a copy of Jimmy? Jimmy Somerville? You betcha. Yes. We'll figure out what what are we doing? What are we? What should we do?



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We've got Jimmy Somerville tapes. cassette tapes, and we still have some jazz album and we'll



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give away both of those here in just a minute.



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Girl goodness I thought I heard I Parker in there.



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I was getting worked up there. Wow, that was fun. Yeah, isn't that a great song? It is it is it kind of



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something about that? Reminded me of that very first piece you played tonight? What was that? The you open the show with it?



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Oh, the hat the good homosexual. Yeah. What is that? It's something that we had on the was on this way out last week. It's a short essay written by someone and I'll play that later on with the the guy's name woman. Yeah, net great



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that really really is.



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Speaking of great this is that was from the album purpleheart Michael Callen and his dedication says these things I have these days I have two main goals in life to live long enough to become eligible for membership in sage which is senior action against environment and to help make the world safer queers. I thought maybe music was a good place to begin. One final thought our diversity is also our strength. But not I'm sorry, I screwed that up. Jimmy. Oh, I need my glasses. Girl. Let me see your glasses. Have to go ahead, tell them all and to help make the world as safe as the world safe requieres it's getting sad. I'm getting I'll be 37 next next year, that old, I'm just falling apart. A lot of other things don't work. Michael Callen is dedication says, and to help make the world safe for queers. I thought maybe music was a good place to start. One final thought our diversity is our strength. Let it also be Let it not also be our witness. I give up on reading this. The reason I'm having some problems is because we get some bad news. Yeah, some sad news. And we don't like to talk about it. But we're going to we're going to talk about it anyway, because Michael Callen has a new group that we've been playing in fact, we were playing it probably before any other radio, gay, lesbian radio program. We're playing it



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well because right. I was very excited about this new group and I talked to fresh fruit records and just badgered them and they said I'd be first on the list when this new music came out



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and we got a copy of an album by the flirtations which is made up of Where's that album? Here it is the flirtations.



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I liked that opening piece.



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Are you made to read that? Yeah. It this is on the back of the CD cover. It says one of us. One of us has had the same lover for eight years. One of us is from a family in which the gays outnumber the straights. One of us was in the closet until he was 37. One of us took his boyfriend to the high school prom. One of us coached a high school wrestling team. One of us wants to carry a child to term. One of us wants to help start Hispanic Unidos, gay and lesbian. One of us has never seen a porno film. One of us was an MP in the army. One of us was entrapped, arrested, handcuffed and beaten by the police. One of us has smuggled AIDS drugs into the country. One of us has been arrested for civil disobedience. One of us was bagged, bashed with a two by four. And two of us have AIDS.



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We're talking about a group with five



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young men. And I guess that now, as awful as it seems, they could say on the bottom that we are saddened to announce that on August 28 1991 of us died. And you know what scares me I just open this thing up. And they have their names underneath their pictures.



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So you know which one is TJ?



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So I have a press release here that says, We just sent out our new album. And it's wonderful



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that of course we know that.



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Of course we do because we've been playing it forever. But it goes on to say that we are saddened to announce that on August 28, one of our original members, TJ Myers died from complications due to AIDS in San Francisco. And in true TJ like fashion we are determined to carry on. But TJ is balanced talent and energy will be greatly missed. And it goes on to list their fall schedule. Unfortunately, they're not coming to Houston, yet



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yet. Not this year. That's scheduled through the end of this year. This is a group of five young man and we've played called the flirtations, and we've played several of the songs off the CD. Including the my, one of my personal favorites. The what what is that? The gay Beach Boys number.



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And you were surfing USA.



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You're wrong, Mary. Oh, I was that young. Oh, the one with the cute hairy chest. Yeah. With the beautiful smile. They have their photographs here. On the inside and TJ Meyers is very nice looking man with a big beautiful smile. And he may be gone physically. But think those that be I don't want to say thank God because it's great Christian out and somewhere land is praying for me because he knows I'm gonna go to hell and burn. Well, that's just fine. Keep praying for me, baby. That TJ Myers isn't with us anymore. No, but

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the group will continue. And we

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were just I don't know. We're just carrying on. That's what we have to do. So, Miss Myers, I know you're out there listening somewhere. You bet.

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Your spot has been replaced? Not you.

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Yeah. And this is just for you. These are the flirtations with the late TJ Myers. And something inside, so strong. You're listening to after hours on KPFT Houston. 90.1 FM, we're here and work where and we'll be back in just a minute. Hi, Bill. Your barrier was the tall iBeacon.

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Just can't you just see Aretha Franklin?

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Oh, yeah, girl, actually, I think she probably do it better. Aretha

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really this song? This is an interesting album because I think you're right. Miss Michael wants to come out of the closet. I do

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believe. I mean, I've listened to the whole thing and that's what I get. Out of so many



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storage Michael wasn't it? Yeah, listen without prejudice. kantanmt And this song is called freedom. 90.



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It's just that it's so nebulous it covers it's I think he's trying to cover all freedoms.



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Yeah, well, and Oh, yeah. Wait a minute, Mike just said that. There's a new CD out with the soundtrack. The soundtracks to some of the old Warner Brothers cartoon. Oh, no kidding, girl, I gotta get my hands on. I



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know. That's right. Wouldn't



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that be a hoot? Anyway, we're here and work where I couldn't think of anything else to say. I'm just in a real weird mood, because I was really looking forward to doing the show two weeks ago, I still am. Girl, if you're not going to be here, how am I going to do it by myself?



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Like I said, you know, Stanley strips.



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I know. And then next week, I'm not going to be here.



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I know. I can handle that. Yeah, listen to the you can handle that.



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I want to be I'm going to go to the Renaissance Festival with Rodney.

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I think you should. It's just not having you. And it's just

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we'll see this, this show on the 28th has got so much happening. Because if you're not going to be here, that just adds to it. Because October the 28th would have been my father's birthday. Oh, I didn't realize that. And my father died last April. talked about that a great deal. So October 28 would have been my father's birthday. Plus, we're doing a five hour show instead of a four hour. There's an extra hour I have to sit here and talk to myself. If you're not

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No that's not true. You can play some really SOCO music. Okay, we'll be back down. Just this evening when John Borgo and Troy were here. They were talking about their favorite group and they, you know, they kind of sided up to me and said, you know, oh, come on, you got to play some eraser. And especially for Troy. I'd like to play something that we've never played. Really? Yeah, erasers version of river deep mountain high.

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Wasn't he a cute little man? Hey, so cute.

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Pretty big man.

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Well, I mean, I was someone who's younger, who's younger, much younger. And some of these young men don't understand that. Yes, I just had that smile. I just wanted to like jump on right here in the country. I was surprised. I was surprised that I

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didn't jump in. Actually, yes. No, I was surprised I talking to him a little bit. Tonight's the first time I met him but talking to him a little bit. I didn't think he was as out or as vocal about it as



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he really is. He just looked like that kind of young gay man that you want to grab and go. Welcome to the family. You bet. Well, Troy, this is just for you.



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And that's for John. Well,



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I'm Yeah, I'm just kidding. I love John and he knows that.



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Oh, we all do don't you love a cassette? What she when I forget? What's that? There's something. You want something? Yeah, we'll send it to you know, you want a cassette of Jimmy Somerville new album, read my lips and Jackie Read My Lips that we play all the time.



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Jackie. Shut up a minute girl. Okay, Jackie. Jackie there's a little gold label on the cassette that says gay and lesbian radio after hours Saturdays at midnight KPFT 90.1 FM if you don't want that label on there call us back so we won't stick it on because we put the label on before we send them



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yeah, we'll have to take them off



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so well they're not all on there they're not all of my they know not. I have some and Mike Michael if you'd call and let me know if you want the label on your cassette also it's on the I didn't know who was going to get your mail you know what I mean? Oh, I don't want to mail it out. Okay till we find out if it's okay to put your sticker there. Gotcha. So Mike if you're listening call me and let me know if you want that cassette with or without the Would you like that with or without



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which would you like this cassette out of the closet or in the closet? Yeah, exactly.



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That's that's a good way to put out. So we can either take the sleeve the sticker on which really makes it look pretty right? It's I mean it really looks looks it looks sharp. But let us know if you want that with or without speaking of what do you want? I want a little Oh I love this, this CD because it's nice. some



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pink it is not the brightest pink I've ever seen girl I



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wished this the cassette was that pink but it's not you can't make a pink pink tape. What time is it? 257 it's it is three minutes until



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okay Jackie just call back and she wants her cassette out of the closet.



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Okay, great. Oh my god, we're waiting to hear from you. If we don't, I'll get a hold of you later.



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Oh my.



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Let's see girl. What do we need to do? We need to do this. Yeah, we need to do this. Excuse me, and we need to do this. And a couple of the we



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need to tell everybody this is KPFT Houston.



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90.1 FM. Yeah. Oh, is that Michael? Let me see here. Hello. Hi. How are you? Okay, so do you want this cassette? With or without? With? Okay, okay. Okay. I loved your poetry. Did you hear

that earlier?



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Yeah. I was shaking. I was impressed.



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I was impressed that that really has a lot of feeling and



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you shouldn't be that was beautiful. We will read that later.



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Yeah, I was listening to while this time that night that they were doing on it outside. Oh really? I set up all night long. Typing really? That's



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great. You may have to come down some time and record that for us.



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Yeah, we say can I can't talk on the radio



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What do you mean girl you're doing it now.



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And doing just fine. Yeah, that



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was beautiful stuff.



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I like Mary over there



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she's I was shaken over and that big red chair I'll tell you



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going in the booth anyway we got run around and not anyway yeah. Hey, we got your check. Did I tell you I gave it to Mary Helen station manager the



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other day Yeah. In the next few hours



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but thank you very much baby that means a lot and we're we'll get that tape out to you sure that Louise gets your



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I will be sending the tape out my



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will make sure Louise gets it to you.



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You want to hear any nobody knows my real name on this show. It's Mary or Luis or



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Israel name is Marina Marie.



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Marie. Elizabeth. Elizabeth, Montana. Play something Mary. Is there anything special you want

to hear before we hang up?



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Really just anything? pops into your head?



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Wow.



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get us into trouble.



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Oh, well. We don't want to have the UCC.



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That's right, right. Thanks for calling baby. Have a good night. And it is three o'clock in the morning and Wilson both those cassettes out with



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Yeah, both of the classic cassettes



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tonight. Okay, girl, let's do this. We'll take a break and we'll be back in a minute. Okay, okay. And we'll give away some more cassettes and some more records. Oh, great. I love to. Okay,



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I remember an incident four years ago when I was walking through an amusement park holding hands with my lover and was called queer by a child six years old. And from that day forward, I've been all too aware of who the child molesters in this society are. These are gay and lesbian



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people hangin out here. What's your



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reaction to that? I have a little boy and I would hate for my little boy to be like that. Those are animals I think it's terrible how to rock and throw them out



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all the queers want equal rights why and the way God made us do it your mother father led any person who was gay.



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In the sounds of the waves brush up against the sand where he has written both of your names with a heart around it you were looking at the sky burning red with a sunset. Quickly a car drives up alongside of you you stop for red light. Suddenly the car is surrounded they circle your blanket coming in closer bottles are thrown out of car windows the sound of glass breaking baseball bats against metal hand grabs your hair less at your feet in your face in your eyes, a fist across your face again and again. I queer tell them tell them.



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Homophobia can kill. Education is the only lasting weapon against bigotry. Which is why the lesbian and gay public awareness project wanted you to hear and think about this message. For more information write us at Post Office Box 65603 Los Angeles, California 90065.



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There was foul Well and oral and that tacky swaggered ploy it came the fabulous biker boy told us that homos are bound up in Santa Jimmy made whoopee and Tammy drank gin Park. The Montrose angels sing glory to the new Christian media. Kay, it's Minister Mike and lovely lady. And boy, we got scary news for you. But just when your blood can't ball any higher you realize it's only a little sad tire.



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The minister Mike Show Friday night October 26 at 930 on the civil service, broadcasting Empire KPFT 90.1 FM



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you heard the gossip now listen to the gospel.

