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SPEAKERS

Harvey Milk, Buddy Johnston, Jimmy Carper, Roger



00:01

After considerable thought and research, I have concluded that even a legitimate interest in school discipline does not outweigh a student's right to peacefully express his views and an appropriate time, place and manner. The rule otherwise would completely subvert free speech in the schools by granting other students a hecklers veto, allowing them to decide through prohibited and violent methods. What speech will be heard? The First Amendment does not tolerate mob rule by annually schoolchildren. In conclusion, I find that the plaintiff has established a probability of success on the merits. And accordingly, his request for a preliminary injunction has been granted.



Jimmy Carper 00:45

Does that mean what I think it means? It means that we've just won your case. We won. We won. You're listening to reflections of a Rock Lobster exclusively on after hours. KPFT Houston. 90.1 FM.



Buddy Johnston 01:06

Yeah, you certainly we want baby. We won. We won. We won. They won. He won. Now it's time for that. It's time for us to win. That's right. How far are we away from that winning number?



Roger 01:18

We're still \$155 So go



Jimmy Carper 01:23

buddies call during the last segment. 526-573-8526 KPFT we only got 47 minutes to raise your

buddy \$55 begging and pleading line plus \$69 which is my favorite number.

R

Roger 01:37

If we got five \$50 pledges, we would surpass everything sounds good.

J

Jimmy Carper 01:48

557385 to six KPFT why Colin pledged after hours well bless you tone. Why? Because you're not going to hear anything like reflections of a Rock Lobster on the morning show. At any of those other programs, any of those radio stations. You're not going to hear reflections of a Rock Lobster on any college station not around here anyway. No. You're certainly not going to hear it on those gospel stations. Praise God. 526-573-8526

R

Roger 02:22

KPFT Oh, love thy neighbor but don't kiss him that's it

J

Jimmy Carper 02:26

Mary It's I'm just marrying tonight. I don't know what's the matter it's your fault. It's your birthday my fault Jimmy's fault because the last one week I've been stuck in girlfriend. Girl. Hey, how's it work all day and I was gone girl Come here girl girl all week long. I've been grilling everybody. Do I do that? Please. And I think the Queen's at work are starting to catch on. Because tonight I was across the room. I just went girl and half the guys. What are you doing down there? 526-573-8526 KPFT where those pledges coming in.

R

Roger 03:03

I've got four people on the telephone right now. Okay, got two more lines got Sam one who's not free. Let's rob is sitting here. We can rush charges by that by the hour

J

Jimmy Carper 03:15

to answer phones 52657385 to six KPFT. That's the number to call. Waiting on your pledge of support after hours and our spring marathon. Hallelujah.

R

Roger 03:29

Drive into the 90s where KPFT is celebrating its 20th year in Houston and Pacifica celebrating the 40th anniversary of free speech radio.

J Jimmy Carper 03:41

You believe that girl? We there's really something special in that last segment. We had a call from a straight man saying, you know I'm not I'm not gay. But I'm, I was really surprised to hear your show on the radio. And I'm really glad to hear it because I think everybody should have the forum to express their views. He said, You know, I never hear anything like this on any other station? Of course

B Buddy Johnston 04:08

not. But we do appreciate his call. Sure. And we are still waiting to hear from my friend from Arkansas. I don't think she's called in her pledge yet has she still waiting to hear from my little friend from Arkansas. 526-573-8526 KPFT it's very, very, very, very important that you call now to make your pledge of support after hours. This not only keeps the station on the air but it tells the management up in the ivory tower. That radio is important to you especially gay radio, and that at 317 on a Sunday morning you're doing something other than just sort of like listening to some monotonous DJ play 1000s of commercials every

J Jimmy Carper 04:49

I think I know how it is you're driving along in your car and you're listening to a station and commercial comes on so you hit that button and switch to another station. Boom, that one has a commercial on. I mean, you keep going, how many times? Have you been in your car and you flip through all the preset stations you have and they're all doing commercial and you get it to us. We're saying we're here and work where and you just drive that car off into a ditch. Wow, Mary, what's going on here are what was that? Oh 526552657385 to six KPFT

R Roger 05:24

and I've got some Thank you. So I like to thank my wife for subscribing to KPFT and new subscriber and Glenda callback and raised her pledge. And also, I'd like to thank John and new subscriber KPFT

J Jimmy Carper 05:43

Hey, John. Yeah.

R Roger 05:49

We are. Yeah. Up to \$950.

J Jimmy Carper 05:53

Boy, that's nice. Oh, that's nice. Nice. \$50 away from that magic. \$1,000. Mark, and we're \$69

away from that magic after hours. Not \$119 \$119

R

Roger 06:03

Yeah, we're \$50 a day mark. Is 119

J

Jimmy Carper 06:11

Oh, girl. I can't add it this morning. When can you add which? Oh, well, and you do that very well. Oh, okay. We're here and we're queer. And we're about to go into a frenzy. I'm going to put on my Jim Baker hat in a minute. Does this mean I have to do Fanny.

R

Roger 06:33

Tammy? Faye make it out the makeup kit darlin.

J

Jimmy Carper 06:39

I'm 265738526 KPFT. That's the number to call. Let's finish up Rock Lobster. We'll be back in just a minute. Okay, okay. Do this girl.

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06:54

Excuse me, I'm a reporter for The Herald American. I'm asking students what they think about this whole thing. What whole thing? You know the senior prom tonight. Oh, hey, make me sick. Homosexuals don't even belong on this earth. Much less than our prom. Really? Then you're against what's happening against it. I'm ashamed to be a Cumberland student anymore. If homosexuals were water bugs, I'd stomp on them. You're not Aaron Frick by any chance. How did you ever get that was all right

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07:33

Peter, I was getting worried frame was late. Aaron You look fantastic. Well, I should after all, it's a night of my prom. Come on upstairs. I've got a tuxedo did you get the lavender ones? Did you really think I was tacky enough to wear a lavender tuxedo? Well I am

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07:57

I got blue. This lovely dark navy wants yours. And equally lovely Powder Blue Mine. Cumberland high school colors. Blue and White. I thought it would be patriotic of us. Peter, you really look good. I'm glad you're here.



Jimmy Carper 08:14

I'm glad I'm here too. And I think we're going to make a stunning couple



08:22

What's that? Those are TV lights. can look at all those people. Are you nervous? Yeah a little. So am I but we made it this far. It ought to be easy for me here



08:41

are you how are you feel about each of those statements?



09:01

Dear Peter, after the prom and everything I thought you'd like to hear our graduation went you know how they always wait until the end to call the names of the graduating seniors. When they finally call my name. People started booing from the bleachers. My stomach tightened up. I knew it would be bad, but I didn't think it would be that bad. But then I heard a fainter sound. The sound of applause. It was coming from the senior class. They were cheering me love Aaron



10:55

Erin Frick fricks reflections of a Rock Lobster starring Benjamin Kaiser as Aaron. Andrew soleras Peter, Richard McElveen as Mr. Lynch and Kenneth Dembski is John featuring norrison Glarus Billy's mother and the English teacher. William cabinets is judged between Virginia Mazur is an Joseph trends bapco Michelle gaybo is B Duvall. Bob owczarek Is Mr. Frey Aaron's father, David Erskine is the gym teacher and the driver. David Strassburger is Jeff. Peter hey do as John Ward and Alan Zaremba as the defense attorney. Also appearing with Jim Cook, Jamie avec John Hedrick, Virginia Beach, Alex Barker, Tom ligula Charles Forsyth Tom Tenny Julie Simon Elizabeth Stearns, Sarah Steele.



12:00

Written by Richard Sigatoka based on the book in original material by Aaron frame, directed by Nicholas Deutsch produced by Wesley Horner. Melanie Berzon, recording engineer David Lavallee, production assistant and paper editor John Bosi, location coordinator, Francis Schranz Kellan Gordon. Specialty thanks to the ideal diner of Boston, the staff and students of the Cambridge School in Weston, especially William Sheldon and Robin wood. And to Gary Bostick attorney. The program was recorded entirely on location in New England makes the downtown recorders Boston Tom car engineer reflections of a Rock Lobster by Aaron Frey was used by permission of the publisher Allison publications Incorporated.





14:17

For a cassette copy of this program says



Jimmy Carper 14:21

did you hear those credits? Those credits? Yeah, nobody named Virginia Beach, Virginia. Boston, drag queen or something?



14:32

Yeah. Your letters.



Jimmy Carper 14:35

Oh girl. We have cassette copies available for a pledge of \$40.



14:40

Now this possible, and you also in the Satellite Program Development Fund, National Public Radio.



Jimmy Carper 14:46

You also get a cassette copy of the show, when your \$40 pledge and a T shirt and the program guide and we're going out to the lobby now. See what's going on with those queens. Uh Hey Raj. Yes, what's going on out the lobby honey?



Roger 15:09

We are up to \$950 We're still stuck at \$950 stuck at \$9 for \$50 away from our goal. Oh,



Jimmy Carper 15:19

okay, we're gonna have to open a begging and pleading lines. We can do we can




Roger 15:24


do that we can do the ultimate and 20 minutes 25 minutes,





Jimmy Carper 15:28

 Jimmy Carper 15:41
we can do the ultimate. We can have Deborah Bell come in and wine for you


 Roger 15:42
it is so festive out here. Even at


 Jimmy Carper 15:45
430 and 330 in the morning. That's right. That by give us a pledge pick up a lavender balloon 52657385 to six KPFT visa American Express, MasterCard and optimaal Aha 526-573-8526 KPFT. This is the only station that offers you gay and lesbian les do on a regular basis in our herd the cute zoo Friday morning making jokes about us which really offended me but really mentioned that we tell you the truth baby gay and lesbian people are wonderful. Our lifestyle is flawless, and there's not a damn thing wrong with it. And we're going to keep on until everybody comes out of the closet and lives happily ever after. Bear with me. So just hang in there. And there's gay radio on this station morning, noon and night as a matter of fact. 526-573-8526 KPFT that's the number to call. We need to hear from you right now. Roger. Was that a phone making a pledge? Or is it just a phone ringing?

 Roger 16:49
I've got a pledge on the line right now. All right, had someone call and raise their blood? Oh, great. Good, good. Glenda Colin raise 2.5265738526

 Jimmy Carper 16:57
KB F T. Five to 6573852 6 K P F T. One other note. If you come to the office before May 31 and pay your pledge in person. You will be eligible for an extra free premium. That's right. What you got Raj? Roger, yes. Have you got something for us? Yes,

 Roger 17:47
I have a pledge and it's from clay.

 Jimmy Carper 17:53
Great clay darling. Thank you, Darlene

 Roger 17:57
and clays pledge. Brings us over our goal. Yeah. \$1,010

J Jimmy Carper 18:08
So how far are we \$59 away from my \$69 magic number.

R Roger 18:13
Yeah. \$59 from the magic number.

J Jimmy Carper 18:16
This is gay and lesbian radio. We need to be \$69 over \$69 over our goal. You know what that uniform reminds me of? What uniform that Kathleen Center's wearing. Yes. It's a camouflage. Yeah, it reminds me of my days in basic training. You were in the surface. It's a long story. Mary was down there. You ever heard this song? Many times? Please, and I said that when I was in basic training, this song was very, very popular. And it was on the jukebox across the street from where our barracks was. Yeah, there's like a little hamburger stand there and 12,000 times a day we heard Can you imagine having somebody singing You got me on my knees when you're on a baseball of men. Make me real nervous or you want to know something else that I thought about? I went down to the bass last night. Yes, I was promoting the show, of course. And the whole time I was there. I thought how wonderful. I can actually get arrested for this. And when I get arrested, they're gonna lock me up in a prison full of men. Ministry honey punish me. Well Oh, girl, how bad could it be? You get three meals a day. You get to write and make clay pots or whatever they do. They're I don't know. i We Ray Hill was gonna be here tonight. I could ask him. Yes. In fact, I was gonna bring this up to Ray but can you imagine being sent to prison for sodomy? You would have to be the most popular prisoner on the block. Yes, but I'm here and I'm Claire. I don't know that you have much of a say so as to what as into what you do and when you do it. What do you mean? I mean in prison Yeah, I don't think Oh, honey, you know they're they're all doing it. I didn't say it was a better roses. You think being out here on the you think going to go into work every day is a better roses. Now. I'll admit you don't go to work every day. For years. I mean, get up to men. Well, that's because I don't go to bed till four or five. I'm talking about now, girl. I know what you're talking about. And I worked at tenneco for 19 years. Okay. 5265738 I just think it's great. You could actually be arrested for that and sent to prison and what better place to put me than a locked area full of men that ain't gotten but I'm gonna get in that ain't got no chance to get in. I'm telling you, Mary you'd be the most popular man in the cellblock. Okay Roger what's going on out there Well, I hate to pull this out girl but that's why please please somebody call in and pledge money. You should see what is about to put on. Oh

R Roger 21:52
is it Jimmy?

J Jimmy Carper 21:52
No, no, no, no, no. Jimmy it's kind of fun. Wow. 526-573-8526 KPFT that's the number to call.



22:55

You if you don't want to watch Star Citizen wants to go. Watch. Watch. Back then. No exceptions to watch. Watch. You hear sound bites and checks the best he can watch it. Watch. We'll be right around. Stone told. Shine. Texas has a warehouse in it



23:55

like the radio you got numbskulls on broadcasting



Jimmy Carper 24:02

after hours radios celebrating live from the heart of the Montrose and we're trying to raise \$59 I think does that right? Or more? Yeah. All right. 526-573-8526 KPFT don't let me down now baby to be so close and not be late. Get it? going on right here. Celebrate. The laugh. Okay, Roger, and we got it or what? And you're working on it.



Roger 24:49

We got something what you want.



Jimmy Carper 24:52

I want that money to go up to \$1,069 Still \$59 At least at least



Roger 25:00

It's \$59 you pick up on one of these beautiful lavender T shirts.



Jimmy Carper 25:06

I'm just gonna have to get that Pride Week stuff out. Oh no, here's that Pride Week Theme Song Hi, everybody, this is Frankie. Wisteria. They're all together. Oh, good now I didn't mean that that's not the Pride Week theme song. Oh, whose is it? Used to be but that was in the old that was in the old days. People are doing a great job they are they really are. In fact, I wish they'd come on the show but never know what's gonna have they're really being all inclusive. Now if you've been reading anything or talking to any the the folks that are working on that committee, we only need \$59 to have 69 1069 Something like that.



26:07

Oh girls

Oh, girl.

J Jimmy Carper 26:10

Boy, he's pulling out the moldy oldies just don't know what to do now girl. have done everything we can think of. What's that?

R Roger 26:21

It's a plastic bag. We're packing up. Oh

J Jimmy Carper 26:25

526573852 6k P F T that's the number to call what is happening here, I just happen to be queer. Welcome to the streets of Montrose looking for love and never get to be when you're looking for romance to put on the floor. Oh, Mary gonna have a five to 657385 to six KPFT that I'm gonna call if you're here and you're queer. Where are you? Child? We only need \$69 Roger Who Have we got any money out there girl or what's going on? Come on kids. Enough is enough. Let's get that money in here. I'm gonna have to get tough. I know what are you girls got \$69 I spend that much in hoppers in the old days. What? Of course 526-573-8526 KPFT that's the number to call

 28:21

Right.

H Harvey Milk 29:31

Few words for KB come on out. Join us. What do you think about the term? Deborah? Deborah.

J Jimmy Carper 29:41


After hours radio celebrating life from the heart of Montrose five to 65738526 KPFT talk to me Roger. I'm talking Okay, baby what's going on anything serious?


R Roger 29:58

Yes, I would like to thank Jim Oh brings us up to \$1,069 Yeah


J Jimmy Carper 30:15


we can raise it up to 2000 Don't get me started we've got 11 minutes.


 **R** Roger 30:21
But he's been known to do it


 **J** Jimmy Carper 30:23
five to 65738526 KPFT why stop there kids? So what's going on? What do you mean? What's the pledge on the line? Somebody? I don't know. What's that about?


 **R** Roger 30:39
I don't know. Ask Richard. It's his private line tonight. Wow. 265738526 KPFT All right.

 **J** Jimmy Carper 30:49
Well, anyway, we'll be back in just a minute hang on to your hat kids because it's it's only gonna get better and better and better and better and better.

 **H** Harvey Milk 31:02
Alright, you have a few words for KPFA come on out. Join us bring your friends. What do you think about the turnouts? Well, never No, never No. Never enough. We must destroy the myth Swenson flaw shatter them we must continue to speak out and most importantly, most importantly, every gay person must come out

 31:56
going

 32:07
on this Case.

 **H** Harvey Milk 33:08
Have a few words for KPFA come on out. Join us bring your friends. What do you think about the turnouts well never, never.

 33:27

Going

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Harvey Milk 33:37

on somewhere in Des Moines or San Antonio, with a young gay person, all of a sudden realizes that she or he is gay, knows that if the parents find out to be tossed out of the house, the classmates would taunt the child. And the need of Ryan's and John Briggs are doing their bit on TV and that child had several options. Stay in in a closet, suicide. And then one day, that child might open a paper and says homosexual elected in San Francisco. And there are two new options. One option is to go to California today in San Antonio in Night, two days after I was elected, I got a phone call. The voice was quite young was from Altoona, Pennsylvania. And the person said, thanks. And you've got to let gay people so that that young child and the 1000s upon 1000s, like that child, know that there's hope for a better world, his hope for a better tomorrow without hope, the only gays but those blacks and the Asian disabled seniors, the essence, essence without hope, the essence give up. I know that you cannot live on hope alone. Without it, life is not worth living. And you and you, you gotta give them hope. Thank you.

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37:03

That was Harvey Milk speaking in Dallas just a few weeks before he went back to California and was shot to death by Dan White, will be telling you about that in the coming weeks in LA about a whole lot more. But what I want to tell you about right now is that the dream that Harvey had for each of us is there. Because tonight while I was sitting at HPD, watching the world spin, I was listening to Jimmy Somerville saying, Enough is enough. And I was watching the computer screens change and the faces change and expressions change and listening to the police on their calls and thinking that here I am openly gay. President of the Houston Police support personnel union all out here virtually all by myself. Because if it weren't for Roger and Jimmy, I don't know how I could do it. Maybe there hasn't been a whole lot of support from the gay leadership of the city. Don't ask me why. One of these days, I'll do that show on my last program and tell you the whole truth, truth and nothing but the truth. So help me God. The only man who's really supported me all along was supposed to have been here tonight. My name is Ray Hill. And unfortunately, Ray doesn't get a lot of support either. From the gay and lesbian leadership of the city. But we're in pretty good company. Harvey never had any support either. But I do thank you for the dollars, and the nickels and the pinnings. And the pledges that you made this morning. And if you didn't call because you can't and you want to. We understand that too. So it's all for you baby doll. We need to say one more time Roger who called. So if you'll read down the list of people that pledged will pack up and get out of here. So Katherine can come in and make lots of money. Can you tell me who did pledge

R

Roger 39:09

let me get set. Matt. Holly, Rick and Alan. Sarah. James. Thomas, Chris James, Eric Douglas, Aaron. Anonymous, Robert. Linda. Glenda, Pedro Moy, John Clay, and Jim.

J

Jimmy Carper 39:41

And the final total is

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Roger 39:45

\$1,069.

J

Jimmy Carper 39:47

Oh, yay. Love that now. Can we go home girl, we can go home. Listen, baby. We'll see you next week. Happy Birthday news. So thank you very much happy birthday continue to support KPFT and Pacific because It's very, very special. Stay tuned for blues for you and keep those phones ringing please. This is a brand new show and they need to hear from you. Okay, and they've got some good stuff coming up for you. Anything you want to know about the gay and lesbian community call the switchboard. 5293211 you know the other numbers. I'll see you next week. Bye, baby. Bye. I love you