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like Juan Maybon, Kevin Tibideaux, the director of Colorado for family values. He's homosexuals as a powerful elite, really politically



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powerful, they have plenty of money. They're well educated, they don't need any kind of extra protection or extra boost in society. Our opposition right now without raising us fundraising was two to one. The power is not over here. The only people that have a big nationwide organization is them.



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Bobby McCallum is the spokesperson for equal protection campaign of Colorado, the statewide organization opposing amendment to she does not view Colorado for family values as the isolated grassroots group that Tibideaux describes.



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Their board members are connected to any number of national religious right organizations. They are heavily supported by Focus on the Family, a religious right organization, which has an enormous broadcasting arm,



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Kevin Tibideaux, and Elon may bond claim that they have little contact with each other and that each group devise their strategies on their own. However, both campaigns use similar slogans such as no special rights, which was developed by the Heritage Foundation. The Colorado and

Oregon groups also exploit the writings and public appearances of Paul Cameron, a psychologist who was thrown out of the American Psychological Association in the late 1960s. For falsifying research about homosexuality. Jerry Sloan is with Project toxin in Sacramento, a group which conducts research on the Christian right,



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or the Oregon Initiative and the Colorado initiative are all based on a thing that Dr. Paul Cameron proposed way back in 1983, what he called a model sexuality law that was promoted by the free Congress Research and Educational Foundation, which has close ties to the Heritage Foundation and all those heavy duty right wing causes.



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Well, Colorado for family values denies it has any ties to National Christian organizations, and is keeping a low profile throughout Colorado. The Oregon Citizens Alliance boasts of its affiliation with Pat Robertson's Christian coalition. Last spring, the OCA enlisted pat robertson support and this ad that aired on a Christian radio station in Portland.



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Hello, this is Pat Robertson for the no special rights committee. Homosexuals are on the march in Oregon to get special rights. But one group in Oregon is defending Christian values against this assault. The no special rights committee that oh special rights committee has filed an initiative to stop the homosexual agenda, but they need your help.



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Nine Nevan was invited to present a workshop at the Christian coalition second road to victory conference last month, which drew fundamentalist Christian activists from all across the country. Along with me both on this conference featured such speakers is George Bush, William Bennett and Oliver North,



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they had me share a workshop on this issue of gay rights and how to oppose it. There was about 1500 people there. And there were four workshops going on at the same time, and we had over 600 of the 1500 in our one workshop, and we passed out about 600 of our tabloids to the people in the room.



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Throughout the political campaign in Oregon, the lesbian and gay community and their allies have proclaimed, we are fighting for our lives. Linda Shirley is a lesbian activist and community

radio programmer in Portland to wake



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up every day and see who you are being debated whether or not you're human, whether or not your birth defect, whether or not you have a right to non negotiable civil human rights. It's an awful thing for us to live with.



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They hate us precisely because we as a people have passed in silence for centuries,



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or have a Shiva Director of the National Gay and Lesbian Task Force. Speaking in Portland, Oregon, we love



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the beauty and joy we feel for too long. We have been rendered invisible from history and stifled by oppression. Lee lesbians and gay men are standing up to say, We won't take it anymore



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in Portland, Oregon. This is Barbara Bernstein.



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Homosexuality is that normal and perverse? Do you really want your children infected with this curse? Or no fascist army is marching through your state. We need to stop it in its tracks before it gets too late.



Jewel Gray 04:27

Many people don't believe in the devil. Being a Christian I do. I believe that the Bible clearly states that there is a devil and that he tries to deceive us and trick us. And I believe because he sees the homosexual community in believing that their lifestyle is right. There's nothing wrong



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with almost sexuality. God made Adam all the work of Satan time



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and how's it all the trouble?



Jewel Gray 05:00

all gays and lesbians nationwide have received their wake up call. The Get Out the Vote campaign in the gay and lesbian sector has spiraled throughout the country. A coalition of gay and lesbian rights groups including the Human Rights Campaign fund, a gay political action committee, has launched a nationwide TV ad called come out voting



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gay, lesbian Americans. Our rights our lives are being challenged every day. As Americans, we can do something about it. If we don't vote, others will decide our future poor quality equals power, power equals change. Your vote will make a difference.



Jewel Gray 05:38

Come out voter the ad features and ethnic mix of mostly young gay men and lesbians. Traditionally, the 18 to 25 year old sector has the lowest voter turnout. pollster and political analyst David binder says that voter turnout amongst gays and lesbians will be higher than ever this year, primarily due to the Republican conventions, anti gay rhetoric. He says that this is the first time in history, gays and lesbians are being seriously considered as a voting bloc.



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The gay lesbian community in the United States isn't as large as the African American community. But as we coming into a closer election, you look more and more at these other subgroups that may not be that large but still can hold the swing vote in in a variety of states in which which elections very close and certainly the gay and lesbian voters is one of those subgroups that that can affect the election and in several states,



Jewel Gray 06:27

gays and lesbians are primarily rallying around Bill Clinton. If elected, he says he will increase AIDS funding sign the gay and lesbian civil rights bill and end the 50 year ban on gays and lesbians serving in the military. But his track record on gay and age related issues as governor of Arkansas has been mixed. Arkansas is one of the 25 states with an anti sodomy statute. It also has a couple of controversial HIV related laws on the books. But still, gays and lesbians have raised \$2 million to support him. Gay Republicans, meanwhile, face a real dilemma. They're alienated by their party's gay baiting. The National gay Republican organization the log cabin club has decided not to endorse the bush Quayle ticket. In addition to directly

condemning gays, Christian fundamentalists have been targeting the Democratic presidential ticket for its open support of gay rights. Christian Action Network has joined these attacks with its broadcast of a public service announcement entitled Bill Clinton's vision for America. The ad features background footage of leather clad gay men at a New York gay pride parade. The ad suggests that a vote for Clinton will result in a nation overrun by gays demanding and receiving special rights.



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Bill Clinton his vision for a better America includes job quarters for homosexuals, giving homosexuals Special Civil Rights allowing homosexuals in the Armed Forces



Jewel Gray 07:56

Clinton does not actually support job quotas for gays as is claimed in the EDD becoming although the ad has been aired throughout the country, many stations are refusing to run it. It is not clear how the gay and lesbian vote will impact the outcome of the election. But for the first time, they are playing a key role in the presidential campaign. This is Lisa cuddlebug in San Francisco.



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Stand up. Stand up for your rights. Gets up, stand up. Don't give up. You preach a man Don't tell me. Evan is on



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you. And you don't know what life is rarely we're not all that glitters is gold. And the story has never been told. Now we see the light, gone stand up for all rights.



Greg Gordon 08:58

And with the last word on the November 3 elections. Here's openly gay Congressman Barney Frank.



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To save these candidates, I realized there were real differences. I realized that one is going to do much more damage to me than the other. But in great moral purity, neither one comes up to my standards, so I won't hold on myself by voting. That seems to me to be frankly a kind of self indulgence. I suppose if you are yourself fairly well off economically. If you do not feel yourself to be a member of vulnerable minority group. If you feel that your own personal life will go forward because you've got the resources to protect yourself. That's a rational albeit selfish choice. That's not gonna help anybody.



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If we don't vote, others will decide our future for



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all the people all and now we see the live stand up for all right. Come on, get up. Stand up.



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Stand up, boy. You're right. Dharma. Stand up Stand up. Stand up for your rights. Come on. Stand up, stand up



Greg Gordon 10:23

thanks for choosing this way out the international gay and lesbian radio magazine. This week Cindy Friedman, Brian newness, Luke Fraser Verna Avery Brown, Barbara Bernstein and Lisa Dooley contributed program material. Thanks also to Dave dual Jairo. MYRIN and Brian bring garter



Lucy Chappelle 10:39

Linda and the family values band, Barbara Bernstein and Peter Tosh perform some of the music you heard and Kim Wilson composed and performed our theme music.



Greg Gordon 10:48

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Lucy Chappelle 11:02

You know, we'd love to hear from you with any comments, suggestions or questions you might have. Or just to let us know you're listening right to this way out post office box 38327 Los Angeles, California 90038. And please be sure to include the call letters of this station.



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This way out is produced by Lucia Chappelle.



Lucy Chappelle 11:23

And Greg Gordon and we thank you for listening on kgN you Boulder, k d you are Durango and que bol Portland among others and for supporting this local community radio station.



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Stay tuned



Jewel Gray 11:38

oh that cottages are a little short this evening and we are sitting here chatting about what we're going to be doing here this evening. I got something really special. I think it's special. It's one of my favorite pieces of music in the world. And Jimmy and Jim have taken some time and put something together for it for this occasion Halloween. And I want to share this with you. But first I want to remind you that the streets are wet out there. I know you're about to leave those parties and you're getting in your car or you're thinking about meeting somebody for breakfast somewhere Be careful out there we that that pumpkin in the middle of a road it's probably your future x so don't be don't be running over any stray pumpkins or goblins and ghosts out there. Be very careful. There'll be a lot of people out going home tonight. Now we're going to take you to what to watch we call this a mash a mix. Let's take you to monster movie Mix?



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Hello everyone and Santa Carla and never good summer. Oh damn vampires.



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Pretty cool place



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your martial Empire



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kill you brother you feel better well I'm sorry but there's a caddy dB above



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the competition



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are gonna come back I



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am i right the white man white the man gone crazy



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No I haven't looked you know me blood



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your goal calling you Barbara GoPass call me I'm not a good man started walking up the road slowly and Danny kept teasing me and you can get Barbara



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ologists in Stockton California have released a report stating that the body of the recently dead



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are returning to life driven by an unknown force that enables the brain to continue to function they're all messed up



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nothing's in this



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world give me the time from up there. Yeah,



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it's done. Well what am I gonna put up with the details monsters rave body



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I knew I'd get it this way out. We were listening to some people call and ask if we were playing the Wizard of Oz. And we weren't we were playing individual little cuts out of Wizard of Oz. And to me, I was listening to that. And I realized that the model for all witches to since that, since Margaret Hamilton played that role in The Wizard of Oz. She's been that model of all the witches since then. And I've I've always felt a special thanks for Margaret Hamilton's portrayal. It kept me up many a night when I was young. How many times you reckon you saw the Wizard of Oz? Is that the premiere? That is the premiere which Okay, and we wanted to give you a little that tonight. And that's why you were listening to it earlier. off a compact disc. I believe Jimmy had the Wizard of Oz and just little clips out of it. Oh, here it is the Wizard of Oz original cast album. Hey, did you get this one it sold? No, no, no, it's a CD. He couldn't have done this. I



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bought it at the opening.



Jewel Gray 23:48

During the opening. I want to take a minute. There's some there's some things that were in the voice this weekend. This week that I wanted to talk about one of them was especially important to me. And that was on the third page in the voice they did an article about the changes that have been happening at KPFT. Unfortunately, because of administrative decisions that I personally don't understand and have difficulty, have difficulty can reconciling with the game has been programming is going to be shortened considerably at KPFT. As a matter of fact, from what I can understand from this article, and from what little bit that I get, being a lowly volunteer who dragged my tail up here at midnight to do this show it of course in the article, it said this was more convenient to me than it was to the listeners. I find that funny. But there's going to be some changes we're going to we're going to pare down a little bit here and a couple of the shows are are We're finally going to close the, close the doors. And we've lost one of the greatest, I think of lesbian programming, or women oriented programming. Pokey in this article seems may have resigned, perhaps someone can talk her out of that. But I imagine this would be upsetting to someone who has been as driving force around here as she has for such a long time. And Poki. I support, you know, what you need to do for, for yourself, I want to say that we will be here. So, we feel like that this just means that we're going to have a little more responsibility to keep you more informed about what's going on in the community. Because seems like that this is going to be where you can pick up any of that information. I'm not sure exactly what's going to happen from the six to nine and the four to six slot that they talked about in the article in the voice. And if you want more information on this, you can read that article. So I can't speak about that time. But it says in the article that they're going to put some sort of programming in in those time slots in some manner. I'm not sure how. But I wanted to remind people out there something that was drawn to my attention tonight, and I don't think we do often enough. I don't think we do often enough, is talk about the KPFT values and mission here. Did we turn something on that we didn't want on Okay, nevermind. Nevermind, you didn't hear that the Kpf values and the mission of KPFT. And I wanted to read those to you so that you can have an idea of what we're doing down here and what the station wants us to be doing. And you see how you feel about losing a lot of gay and lesbian programming. And this is totally on my own. And I'm catching Jimmy out of the corner of my eye so that I don't have to look at him. So he can't say don't do this. It is my opinion that this is a great loss. And we should in some way contest it. And this is kind of how I want to contest it is by letting you know that I can't guarantee you but perhaps if we get enough phone calls down here we can find

some other way to handle this side losing major portion of our game lesbian programming. So I want to read this to you and I want you to see if you find what we do here and what the other girl has been programming in the other culturally focused programming on the station offers I want you to see if this is what we offer. And if you think it is, and you want this, maybe you can make a phone call one time next week and let them know that you want to see more galas been programming you don't want to lose what you already have, that it's important to you. Okay. It says here the values and assumptions point one the strength of America lies in its diversity of culture, lifestyles and ideas point to each culture an individual within the diversity is valued equally. Point three a culture is expressed through its music, its art, theater, poetry and ideas. Point four individuals with a culture are most in touch with the culture's expression. Point five American people in government play a dominant role in our world of diverse cultures. Point six in a world of diverse, diverse cultures, and tolerance and misunderstanding cause conflict and wars therefore, and this is what is important that I want you to hear KPFT 90.1 FM mission the mission of KPFT Pacifica radio is to foster peace in the world by promoting tolerance and understanding among diverse cultures, beliefs and lifestyles. KPFT will accomplish this by involving individuals of diverse backgrounds and the art and craft radio to appeal to an impact the greater Houston area. And I think that thing that we want to do and remember is that the part about fostering peace in the world by promoting tolerance and understanding among diverse cultures, beliefs and lifestyles. And if we lose this many hours of programming, I think that as a major population, as the Gay Lesbian population is in the city, that we would be losing some of that culture and lifestyle being shared with those all around the city. So if you think that KPFT those are the things that KPFT should do, and you think that by limiting our programming, or anybody else's program, really, that doesn't fit into those, those wonderful words that I agree with, give him a call let him know and and take a risk if they ask you. You tell him you heard it from me. i They can't fire me. But I want to move on quickly. And I just wanted to talk a little bit about that. It's it would be really remiss if we if we ignored this because it's such an obvious part in the paper this week. But there's some interesting stuff going on locally. Did I miss something? No. Okay. Okay, I've got my paperwork, somebody, somebody moved my paperwork. Okay, we got some stuff going on locally. Tonight is a time Okay, it's time for a break Jimmy signaling this break. So we're going to take that break



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and hear the sounds of the waves brushed up against the sand where he has written both of your names with a heart around you we're looking at the sky burning red with a sunset. Quickly a car drives up alongside of you stopped 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 glass at your feet in your face in your eyes, a fist across your face again and again I quit.



Greg Gordon 30:59

Homophobia can kill. Education is the only lasting weapon against bigotry. Which is why as a 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. Hi, I'm



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stupid and he'll prove it and you're listening to this



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tragedy overseas hundreds of people reported dead but first are your first psychic.



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Can't find that on radio. You'll turn to that station.



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Before you give up on radio tune in on Monday mornings at 1am as we try to make radio fun again. I'm in Wanda Resendez KPFT CIO and traffic guru doing myself and Madeline for now I can be heard as we remind you on how it used to be yes those carefree days before the recession, the war even Reaganomics while okay, just join us as we play a mix of trash disco, one hit wonders and whatever else we find in our old record, Ben will even have ticket giveaways as melon brainstorms for those trivia questions that will boggle your brain. That's now it can be heard Monday mornings at 1am on KPFT 90.1, the physical radio, the fun radio station.



Jewel Gray 32:26

And we're on the air. Oh, this is fun here tonight. Earlier we told you that we had some tickets to give away. I think Jimmy's decided and I agree that we'll give them away around 230. There are three pair of tickets. And they're for Morrissey, he was performing at the summit Friday, November 6 at 8pm. Excuse me, I know the last time that Morrissey was here, I drove past the place where he was stopping to sign albums. And there was a line of teenagers two or three blocks back. So these are going to be real popular tickets come Friday, the sixth at eight o'clock. So if you are ready at about 230 We'll tell you what we're going to do. And and you can call us and see if you can win a pair of these tickets. We'd love to give more to somebody talk to somebody. One of the things I want to do real quick is run down and and I'm not going to do this completely. But rundown some of the things that Scott and I talked about last weekend about the politics and the stuff that we were going through the game lesbian Political Caucus endorsement list. And I would like to for those of you who don't have your hands on one and and are interested in some of these races, some of them are really important. And I'm going to highlight a couple of these races. Of course, the president, the gay lesbian, Political Caucus has endorsed Bill Clinton. They've endorsed Lena Guerrero. they've enjoyed endorsed Mike Driscoll. They've endorsed Sharon Smith. terrier work, Poppy Northcutt Fran toddy Jon Ackerman, these are names of people, when you see him down there, you'll know that these are the people that we're talking about. Some of these people are running for district judges, and in some places, I don't believe you'll be able to vote for them. So these judges are going to be you'll have to look at your ballots rather closely to pick up on these judges. But if you can't, I would suggest finding someplace where you can pick up one of these gRPC endorsement cards. You can pick them up here. Sure you can pick them up at the gRPC over at 901. Love it five to 1000 and they can tell you where to pick them up. And I've seen them laying scattered about at various

businesses in the area in the Montrose area. Who Lobos got them so Sam, pick one of these up look at it. I know you're not supposed to take these in. But frankly, folks, I take money every year and read it right off. And there are times when I really got a dilemma because I see a little good and somebody who's not necessarily off a straight ticket. And I have a dilemma, but most of the time i i appreciate the game lesbian Political Caucus in their efforts, they take interviews, written and are in the people are interviewed before a committee of people who ask various questions. So these people are investigated pretty closely and they're investigated to in specifics about issues that are important to the gay community. So I would suggest that if you're not sure about something, that perhaps you could just take some good advice if you finally come to a point where you're not sure, take some good advice, and you can pick up one of these gay lesbian Political Caucus endorsement cards all over town. So give it a look for one pick one up and, you know, I can't believe these people want you to memorize Are you going to talk to me? Are you just sitting there pretty? You're just didn't they're pretty? Okay. I can't believe that they



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know, I'll talk to you. Okay.



Jewel Gray 36:18

You sit there with you're sitting there net nice chair smile at me. I thought, Oh, he's gonna click on here. Yeah, um, I forgot what I'm saying it's gone.



Jimmy Carper 36:26

So because we're talking about HG LPC, they these are volunteers and their their people politically motivated, looking after the interests of the gay community. Now, if you're like me, and you're not that politically motivated, and you don't want to spend all this time checking things out like that, and if you agree that they are looking after the interest, the general interest and welfare of the gay and lesbian community, follow their advice. But hey, if you want to go out and read and study these different people, we're all for it. So you can make your own decision.



Jewel Gray 37:08

And there are a lot of people out there making endorsements. So find someplace that you find your yourself more in there, in company of friends, or political,



Jimmy Carper 37:20

what community what community is more diverse than the gay and lesbian community because we're from all classes, all economic strata. So maybe one candidate isn't the best for all gay and lesbian people.



Jewel Gray 37:36

That's all right. So like I said, if you don't if you don't have the time, like some of us, some of us have spent more time than others. Yeah.



Jimmy Carper 37:44

And I don't have the time. And I like this group. I think they really do. They work their butts off, and they do a good job. And I pretty follow what



Jewel Gray 37:54

you think this is that basically what this endorsement is, is advised by people who have taken the time to study absolutely,



Jimmy Carper 38:00

I know it because I've been to the meetings and I've seen how they run it. I've done that much. So that I'm real secure that isn't, you know, just a little elite group saying, okay, you know, let's pick these people



Jewel Gray 38:15

not like the good reverends on the other side of town. New New and it with Johnny Cleveland Hagen. Who else, somebody else about their endorsement. But do pick one up look at it. Take it in if you have to yet sneak it in, don't tell anybody I told you and and use one of these cards, if if, if you're not sure about who you want to vote for I know who I'm voting for. I do too. I know all way down the line who I'm voting for. I've been ready for a couple of days. And I've really fought the temptation to go in early vote because I want to be part of that. Excitement yesterday on



Jimmy Carper 38:54

voter day. Yes, voters, my lover voted early. And as always, he and I do not agree on every candidate. So we both have to vote just you know, just because we are conscious. Yes, that's right.



Jewel Gray 39:08

The way the way it's important to you. We've got a lot of



Jimmy Carper 39:12

 Jimmy Carper 39:12

music coming up. Good. We've got some music that you wouldn't think that we would play on after hours. But we've got some very good reasons to do it. It's a special day. It's a special day. Well, it's not only just Halloween is a gay play day. Yes. This is the National Gay holiday. Right? Let's I mean, you know, yes. Hey, undoubtedly. And you do you know why? I bet a lot of people don't know why tell us this is the National Gay holiday. Do tell us why, up until about well, 10 to 15 years ago, it was illegal for a man to wear women's clothing and public and a woman to wear men's clothing. I believe you have to have at least three pieces of art have clothing on, have the sex and which let you belong you were born into or whatever. So that there was only one day a year that you could dress in outfits of the opposite gender with and that was Halloween. And I demonstrate and drive down the street and walk around and just flaunt yourself. Yes. I remember those days very well. And I remember also the days when people would have drag balls on other days of the year and they got raided and yeah, you could you know, even though these, these these events might take place out in somebody's cabin in the woods somewhere you go by the next day and see feather boas on the fences. Yeah, that's right. And that was the that, that and for some reason, New Year's Eve. I don't know why New Year's Eve, I guess because the police were too busy with everything with everything else that we could get away with doing drag or, you know, whatever we wanted to do on New Year's Eve also, but Halloween has always been very traditional.

 Jewel Gray 41:17

So you got some unique stuff. Ah, you know, I was standing out in the lobby when you started when you played the leaping lesbians a while ago and I thought to myself, this you know, what would be great for a night like tonight? Leaping? Yes, yes. About that time it came up with? Yes, we're thinking the same thing. One of my favorite songs leaping lesbians.

 Jimmy Carper 41:35

Now, this is something that you brought in that were this

 Jewel Gray 41:39

record. Yeah. Well, I had made and spent great amount of time, making about a 90 minute tape off of some albums that I had checked out of the Houston library. I'd taken some albums out that were side effects, sound effects albums, but unfortunately, when I carried it to work Friday, because we had a big Halloween party there, and I carried it to work and we played it. And that's where it's sitting now at work locked up in the tape recorder when I do have the album. So we're going to play some of the stuff off this album. And just just for your listening pleasure just because it's Halloween just because it's Halloween. If if you want to, you can rattle a couple of changes at home, buying a pot, make a howl, scream a screech and join in with some of the sounds that you're going to hear shortly. Are you going to do that? Or yeah,

 Jimmy Carper 42:34

we'll do that right now. And don't forget we're going to have that tick. Those tickets giveaways at about 232 30 We



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should be we should do karaoke in here.



Jewel Gray 42:45

Oh, yeah. Okay, let's get with it. Let's do it.



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You are



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both