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Nobody went out.



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And you know, I could excel at my own pace and at my own rate, and when I got my Eagle at the age of 15, that was the one of the proudest moments of my life. And it's, it's a day I will never forget. And, and it's it's kind of interesting that all of this is coming up now and especially in light of your comments a minute ago about him being able to take back those patches. Just a couple of years ago for Christmas, my roommate actually worked very hard with my Scoutmaster back home, who knows that I am day to get my Eagle medallion re issued to me because it was destroyed when my parents house burned 10 years ago. And so on Christmas morning, I actually opened an Eagle Scout kit, which had my metal and my patch, and everything in it. Wow. And what was almost as important to me, which was kind of interesting. I do still have my original equals count certificate, which was signed by Gerald Ford. But I now have one by William. Well, well,



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the accidental the President



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may have a clue. I mean, they literally it's like a witch hunt. Yeah, the only thing you can really compare it to it's time that they wake up and stop because it's not right. And it's not good policy. And it's not good for the organization. While they're



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bringing sexuality into a nonsexual situation. It's goes back to segregation and discrimination. You know, you don't see sign at Kroger's, you know, this is the gay Kroger and this is the non gay Kroger, it doesn't matter. We all need food. And there it is.



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With illogical fear of homosexuals and children together. I've just said on general,



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however, don't say no,



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you don't have to do anything. You don't I mean, just the fact that someone knows you're homosexual, and that their children around you. They look at you differently. They really, really do.



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And then more serious teacher more seriously, it's equating it's is reinforcing that that wrong idea, right that homosexuality equals pedophile, right?



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And they know it, it's no question about it, they all know it, but it it does what they want it goes, it gets their agenda. There has



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not been in the history of scouting in this country. A gay leader who was kicked out for pedophile, they have all been straight man generally married with children, every last one of them. And yet they continue to push that stereotype.



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It's a matter of maintaining a very pure apparents like Caesar's wife. No controversy is preferred. Right?



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So we're gonna keep them in the middle of there. And if that, you know, if that's what they want, then they need to change their policies. Because Scott and Steven have done a remarkable job of keeping this controversy going. They've had the energy to do what very few

of us could do. And although I didn't really feel like I had the energy to lead a protest in Houston on Monday morning, it was important enough for me to be a part of that, that I'll be there from eight to 11 o'clock. And it's a it's a very informal protest. We're just asking people to show up, bring your voices, bring your friends, bring your signs, and bring the water gonna be hotter than hell.

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It's right bringing a uniform, that's what they need to see is how many of these uniforms has already gone through the scouts? And how many people Yes,

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people we can have turnout, you know, the better chance we'll have, you know, maybe convincing the local council to adopt a non discrimination clause. You know, personally, I'm not gonna hold my breath for that one, but it would be wonderful if we could get it to happen.

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I think so too.

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Well, we support you 100% Bruce, I appreciate it. Thanks

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for having me on. And that's 1911 bag ba 211 Monday morning

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okay. Thanks for calling. By

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slap that we take a little break although a couple of pieces of music I've got one especially. Of course we can. I've got one especially queued up right now. From One of my favorite groups, the Kinsey six, and it's kind of kind of working on this theme that we've been talking about and how it really doesn't matter, folks. Kinsey six with gay straight or bi and you're hearing it on after hours queer radio with attitude on KPFT Houston and ke O 's College Station





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oh yeah hoarse from her brand new album called both sides and it's hoarse with the Scottish Chamber Orchestra. It's a live album and let me tell you, I despise live albums. But this one is really good. Really, really good.



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She was down here last month and she was



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excellent. Yeah, yeah. She sang live here and all kinds of stuff. I've got David with me from I mean, just people are jumps to jump in at all. David from lesbian and gay voices. Hi, good evening. How you doing?



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I'm very fine. I find out I've had a very busy evening, I went out with some friends and me and my boyfriend here we went to go see saving grace and it's a very lovely, lovely, lovely, lovely movie. Movie. I plan to see it. Very good. Very, very funny. It's Stone.



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Stone. Yeah,



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it's the classic tell the ladies down on her luck. She's widowed. And so basically she grows pot. And it's very good. The woman and I can't think of her name but she was in little voice and she was in some other independent movies. She's a British actress. She's been nominated for a couple of Academy Awards back in the past and like can see your



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could see your face. No,



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okay. This is an older lady. Brenda Blethyn Blethyn.



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Oh, I know that name. You know, Archie sorry.

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Anyway, she she She's wonderful and very nice. The scenery in the movie is gorgeous.

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Really? I want to see it. Where does it take place?

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Scotland up Northern England

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to be hilarious. Oh, it is in a very warm way. Hilarious. That kind of where you wish you were part of it? Yeah,

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very much. So. Kind of funny like The Full Monty kind of like heartwarming and kind of decadent kind of stuff. Yeah. We go for that

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kind of like Mrs. Madrigal. You know, there's nobody like Mrs. Man. Yeah, in a way you know, she's she grew a lot of marijuana.

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Ladies got one up on it. See, really? That's her gift. Her gift to the world is growing hydroponic marijuana.

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Bless her. Well. She kind of saved it for more or less her tenants who lived in the building. Yeah, that's right. Yeah. Welcome. Didn't want to like feed the world or

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anything to come to your apartment joint stuff. Yeah,

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pretty much this was Mama needs a new pair of shoes and needs to save her house. We're getting out the cash crop. You got it? Yeah. So what's

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been happening on lesbian and gay voices here lately?

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Well, Joan went to a B Witched. Convention. Oh, my. So we were minus a co host. And when went to Kenny, that week, we were monistic

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Oh, she's like the biggest fan of that. bewitched?

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Me like the series? Yeah. Oh, excellent. She was talking about that little girl group that they you know, there's a little girl group called Disney. Disney Channel. That's it. Wait a minute.

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I missed that one.

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Actually, I don't know if she's a fan of the show or just a fan of Agnes Moorhead. Oh, yeah.

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You got to be more Yes. No, you're not gay. You're gay. You have to be a fan. Yeah, you bet.

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So if you're bi does that mean you have to be a fan of the first Darren are the second Darren.



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I like the better looking Darren, but for the ugly one with the big ears.



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Okay, so do you prefer the second? Oh,



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first band was thoroughly unattractive? I'm sorry. He just was



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well, that was just as a deliberate attempt to make her look better. That's it.



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Larry Tate My God, what an alcoholic. They all were. The first thing you would do is give me a double whatever it is.



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Gay people were attracted to that show. I think it was. Oh, yeah. Elizabeth Montgomery.



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Come on. And you know why is because they were in the closet about her being a witch. That's right.



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That's right. It was it was the same thing living two two lives. But you know,



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if you look at that whole show, it's it's pretty much both barons were gay, I believe. No one was. Sure. And I heard that the

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other one, at least the good looking one was

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I heard he the first Aaron had his moment. Oh,

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and then Paul Lynn. He was on cola.

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Yeah, well, yeah. Yeah. Her

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and Agnes Moorhead. Yeah.

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I guess Daigle dyke.

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Dr. Vaughn beige.

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Yeah, Elizabeth Montgomery must have been the fat cat. Yeah.

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tell you where I heard that. I heard that when I worked at Disney down in Florida when her and that got you chip, she shacked up with we're shooting some kind of film about a Swamp Fox or something with Lesley. And there was lots of rumors about where they were spending all their recreational time. And the rumors were they were spending him at all the gay bars in Miami and Orlando. So they were back then and I don't know about now. But back then those were the the bars in the country. Some of them were in Miami and Orlando, and that they were

spending a lot of their recreational time when they weren't filming this movie. When they first got together Robert Foxworth or something when they first got together, we're spinning. So she, she was known that she was a fag, who got lover



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like the way the first Darren would say, say, here's all the time screaming that at the top of his lungs.



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It's a very weird, let's talk about Nazis. Yeah.



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I think George Bush is not saying



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wait a minute. Wait a minute. We're talking LNG horses here. Yeah.



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Well, you asked me what was on LNG. Yeah, I said that. John went to



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Yeah, exactly. Convention. Where was it? It was like it's not the Salem thing. It was Reno Reno. Okay, that's



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they went to Reno



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can't possibly be listening or should be on the phone.



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Actually they didn't go to Reno it and Clara had some snell and cinema. Yeah and then call Dr

ready, they didn't go to Reno it and Clara had some spell and cinema. Yeah, and then can Dr. Bombay. Oh, yeah. Did it are sick because all their problems were either Aunt Clara had a spell that sent them to Bombay or indoor got mad and send them to Antarctica.



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was my favorite when they



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should have made a left to Pismo Beach.



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But weren't you weren't you preempted or something because we weren't insured because



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of both a convention? Yeah. Had a short thing. The other thing that we've got going on is JD Doyle.



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Yes. I'm talking about that. Soon. It's going to be doing. It's written right here.



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That's right. He's got a full hour



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is the last Monday of the month.



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It's coming up actually the fourth Monday. I



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don't want to start on Monday, fourth Monday,

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some months have more than four months, right? Like August. Yes.

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God, He's quick. I was thinking it's good January anyway.

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He does a segment an hour long segment called queer music heritage, right. Which kind of lets you lets y'all off off the hook there for that week, I guess. Anyway, he is doing a full hour of transgendered music music by trans gender 20. Or men? Yeah. That's the first website. Yeah. The first picture is Wendy Carlin.

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That's right. Should be

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so this Friday, or Monday rather? Yeah. It's gonna be all transgender.

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No, not this Monday. The next Monday, next month. I think

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this is the third Monday. Next month will be the next Monday will be the fourth. Let me go.

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I've got a calendar. Well.

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Saturday, all right, Saturday.





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There's five tombstones in this month. There's only four winds for Monday know what day it is? Thursday of the 2020 because he you know, he and I have been working with him. It's taping the thing. And so we'll be doing that this week for next week. The 28th and that will be his segment comes on at nine right lesbian and gay voices comes on at a every Monday night. Right and yeah, okay. Cool.



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Well, okay. Sure do, mate. Yeah,



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yeah. And for some reason, Troy's the quiet went and like I said,



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Actually, we're gonna have the road in a minute because he's got to get up and fly the friendly skies tomorrow. Okay.



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Speaking of windy Carlos was a name that was batted around here a few minutes ago. Yes. If anybody knows out there is she going to rerelease the Tron soundtrack or anything? She's kind of been re releasing stuff lately on disk. kinda hurt me like Sonic seasoning? Yeah, that's



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excellent. It's really a better album. I really think so.



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With like added stuff to it. I just wonder if they're going to release the Tron. The Tron soundtrack is really good.



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I've always loved well, they give us a call 526-573-8526 KPFT. If you know what Wendy Carlos is doing with her music these



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days. What weekend it



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stays. Thanks for stopping by. Thank



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you, Jimmy. You're a ball of fire. And you're also going to have



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Charlie Pacheco on in a couple of weeks. Okay, good. Good, good meeting



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you and everybody go out and see saving grace. It's funny. Maybe well worth. Well worth the money. Well worth the time. It's very lovely. Just lovely. Lovely. Lovely. He's



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right at home behind these old mics.



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To film anyways, we'll see y'all later. Okay. Thanks



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for stopping by. Bye, bye. Oh, okay. Now let's see. Let's see you, Julian and Jim and Whitney still here. And let's see. What's up with you guys.



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Well, let me give you a quick the movie review. Oh, okay. I saw Hollow Man. Go and you hate



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hated it. Hated.



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Okay. Okay. Well, there are a number of problems with the



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film. Thanks, Kevin Bacon is hung well, better than him?



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Well, yeah, anyone that I cannot dispute?



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Definitely is He's just jealous. God



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damn at all.



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When do you get to see you get this? It's a bad movie. You get to see okay. Kevin Bacon's waning.



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Kevin Bacon naked still does not save this movie. God Okay, now if you want to see Kevin Bacon naked



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don't don't tell blaze the stuff and know that.



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Well, okay, if you want to see Kevin Bacon naked in a good movie, see wild things? thing? Yes,



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I thought Excellent. Excellent. His last movie, which was the one Stir of

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Echoes there of echoes. Fabulous.

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Fabulous. And same time six cents came out. And everybody was writing it. Academy Award winning stuff and everybody This was so

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so much better.

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I thought cervicals was the better move by far. had more can you know, wrap them up. You can wrap this story up that didn't leave you hanging. There was it was I thought it was clean. You know? Boom, boom, boom. There was a suspense to it not just falling along spooky things waiting for spooky things happen. It didn't happen in his movie they did happen.

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Well, there's, well the big thing that really bothers me is this no one in the Hollow Man is no one is that tough? No one Earth is that tough. Just nobody. He would have died way back there. 45 minutes ago, he would have died

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at the art of cinema.

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Yeah. And then they sit there and they have like a billion dollars worth of scientific equipment strapped to this guy's body. And it tells them absolutely nothing. EKG just so like it. You know, you have this invisible guy with little, you know, electrodes stuck all over. And you know, and they all just go. You know, that's that was the whole effect. That was why you had a billion dollars worth of equipment hooked to him. So you can stand up and all the little things pop off. Because they don't tell you anything. Oh, it's just so frustrating. For me, I just want a little bit of science mixed in with my you know, suppose it's science.



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If it's a science fiction movie, it better be science fiction, you know? Disguised as scientific,



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I don't care if it's even sloppy science. I want a little science thrown in there. You know, and it didn't it had nothing and watch



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the Invisible Man on Syfy channel. Yeah, and it's all right I think it's actually he's getting a little better I think they're warming you know warming in but I'm not real thrilled the pilot was good yeah, the pilot actually I enjoyed the pilot too. What else what else have you seen last thing I saw on paid 299 on cable for he was Dr. Dr. Death Have You Ever Have you seen that documentary? Yes, Mr. Death Mr. Death it's either Mr. Death or Dr. Death I can't remember what it is but the little nerd who designed the electric chairs and gas chambers around the country and as we were talking earlier, is also a history revisionist who says the Holocaust didn't happen well, you know I just had it was because of



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a guy that worked with Westinghouse about the electric chair Yeah, all that Yeah. About finally they said Westinghouse finally said, Well, if you're gonna make this thing, make it right. And then they went ahead and designed a thing to to actually work



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well, he's made probably two thirds of electric chairs that exist in in the country today. and he's worked on probably at least two thirds of the gas chambers and even including designing the machine for lethal injection. And that's what fascinated me about this man was who grows up to go to school to do that. I mean, he described how he got into it. And you know, it was one thing after another kind of fell into it really literally just kind of fell into it. And then the, the Nazis up and scuze me. In Canada, were looking for somebody evangelizing OSS, which which he did went over and vandalize OS which and Birkin our taking pieces of it and bringing it back to a lab to examine. And he's an engineer, some kind of structural engineer. And they got him to testify in court that they don't cost never happens. First time it's ever been anybody on record, in a legal situation said that the Holocaust didn't happen. Now. Plenty of them say this. This was in a court of law in Canada. And they listened to this fool. Yeah, because he had been considered an expert. Of course, he's not an expert, he fell into all these jobs. And exactly what does it take to design a chair that puts electricity through somebody enough that you die? Really, really it's not like rocket scientist, and he said that, but it watched it, it follows the progression of this man who is is part of the documentary he made with the document that

people made a document and he was a willing participant in this and is proud of his work. He's proud of his work, including going to ask which unbroken hour and trying to prove that the Holocaust?

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Well, first of all, no manufacturing company is going to want to claim that it's a male. Nobody wants that publicity. Second of all, how many can you sell

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it? Well, he really doesn't. He's contracted by the state come in, examine what they have. And then he tells them what they really need. And then he builds it for them in his basement. They had sent the Minnesota electric chair to his house in a box on the back of a pickup, the Minnesota State election chair and they unloaded this thing was so surreal, they unloaded this thing and sat it out in front yard and all well neighborhood kids came down sat in this huge old wooden chair that had probably put together I mean put to death hundreds of people in his front yard. It was so surreal. But that was the last thing.

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There's not any electric chair you know, I mean, how many I mean, the new model keeps going

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for more humane to kill. Get the guillotine back. Bone done.

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I wanted to watch the Bicentennial Man but hadn't been able to. Oh,

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the X Men we saw even Jimmy to see the X man who's good and

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it was great. I

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never gone off to college was heroes. That tactic for was as far as I got as far as man,



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you know, they're supposed to have made a movie of that I saw. I saw her reading the trailer for it on the videotape, but I never actually saw the video.



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But that's about as far as I got into comic book heroes. I never really got into Superman or spider man or Batman in the comic books. It was always well recent television programs that grabbed me with those characters I never got into and they never had a television show about the Wolverine do they know Green Lantern?



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Wolverine, right? No, not to Wolverine. Well, they had the animated X Men animated series not too long ago.



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But I never got into X Men. Really?



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Oh, well, that movie is great. Comics so



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they say John Stamos his wife is excellent. Rebecca Stamos something something Stamos.



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Keep up with the people's days.



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Which part did she do? She was the one who could fly thank the woman who can fly around here the funny here or must have been stored. Yeah, she was she supposed to be some top model but she married that stable sky from the



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show and we almost had the guy who played to Darth Maul. He almost didn't have makeup on. Sunday, I will see this man with a head because he was the Headless Horseman when he didn't have a head. And he was going up on the net. And he was Darth Maul. And then he was told he still had makeup on. So some day I'll actually get to see the guy with his head on and no makeup on. It's just like normal. Look it



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up in the database movie. database. You can look up actors and look him up now give us almost public.



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Yeah, that would work. You know No, I



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don't want yeah, I spent years chasing kids around trying to see somebody without makeup. I just did it everybody Well, that's exactly what I thought.



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Okay, no, no, no, before we, before we end this segment, I wanted to get reactions from both of you, or anyone else on the demise of this week in Texas. But last



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year to see it go, you know, years and years ago, it was a valuable resource in this community, it really was, it was stand up, you know, articles in there, I mean, things that really mattered to, you know, it wasn't like, it wasn't like, you know, major newspaper media kind of thing, but it had articles about what was going on our community. It was, it was powerful. You can look out and see who was you know, doing what in, in community, not necessarily who was doing who, but literally what was in, and then it kind of just kind of just went downhill for years and years, until, you know, I didn't even bother reading it anymore. It used to be a ritual to get out Fridays and pick up a twit. You know, I went around with my twitch sticker on my car for years, I still have mine. And, you know, the only reason I do it was because I don't have that. But, you know, I really had a lot of respect for the twit, many years ago, when I first got here, it was a, it was a valuable resource for this



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community.



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The community was a different community. Yes, it was. But



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you know, and also, you know, it was a place where these people who were starting their businesses, bars included, could put their faces in a magazine, you know, their ads in a magazine letting you know, this was a gay establishment. And and then it became just a bar rag, where all it told you was where you could get 50 cent drink, what night you could get 50 cent drinks where, you know, and



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it did that. But it also, it also in those listings, were all the bar ads, were always the ads of who was putting on what benefit that week. And when it was also throughout the 80s and half of the 90s. It was a tradition for gay men to pick up the twit. And first, look in the back for the obits for the open. And



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they were they were the ones that first did that. Yes. And that was and they were free. It was a tradition to bring it up. Yeah, make sure that not necessarily the see. But to make sure somebody you knew



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that's right, hadn't passed away. And you have I have to give it to him. Because all of those years, those obits were free. Well, I want to unless you unless you wanted to do what, you know, I do.



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I do think that they were a wonderful magazine early on, you know, and I think about the mid 80s to the early 90s. It just kind of started disintegrating just a little at a time. And



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what do you think? I think the the internet probably had something to do with the demise of the I don't think so it just



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in the internet, the information,



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you know, you can get out there now, as you know, being that this is the computer generation and



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well, first of all, it's a it's a Texas was a Texas wide publication, which meant they had offices in Dallas and Houston and they had satellite offices and in San Antonio and Austin and, and then I don't know if they were volunteers or part time workers in many, many smaller towns where it was distributed. And also, they suffered problems in the last few years because the the 900 number ads were much less and the viatical ads were much, much less. But I have something to read and it's from Russ Byrd, who was involved with with Steven in Montrose TV. And I think his memories of twit are very, very much a lot of people's. He starts out with I have fond memories, memories of twit this week in Texas, not necessarily about the magazine itself, but because it was always there in the background during some of the best times of my life. In 1991. I went from living with my conservative family to living with them on my own and going out for the first time with current life partner Steve Baker, one of my fondest memories of him is looking up. fondest memories is him looking up his horoscope in the twit every Friday and discussing it with me. I was never really that interested in the horoscope but I loved glazing and gazing into his blue eyes while he talked about it. Also we had a Christmas party in 1993. On a Friday night at the house. We had stacks of twit On the tables and even stack of dimension mags magazines for lesbian friends, it did play an early, an early role in helping my coming out process. But he says, Actually, what I miss more are places like Inklings. I remember when Steve first brought me there to buy a book about coming out to my family, I was fascinated with the place that I became a regular mainly because there was something calming about the atmosphere, and great music always in the background, many discussions with Pokey, and years later, my friend Sally, they always welcomed me there and always had time to talk with me, I will never forget that. And I think that that all of these kinds of things that Russ talks about, what you've been talking about, is it's really talking about a changing community. And perhaps the this week in Texas Magazine did not change enough with it. Perhaps that's it? Or perhaps it as someone else suggested, it was there when we needed it. And now it is a part of a very, very big part of our history. I don't know. I know that queer life in Houston now is very different than it was.



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It was a whole different world. Yes. invaluable resource, and I don't mean to sound, you know, hateful about the twit. But looking at it. Every last couple of years. I've wondered how long it was gonna last like this. Yes. But



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we found each other in many ways. I mean, because the new



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bars there's no way to know, and there's no way to know. And you know, at the switchboard it was our Bible. I mean, it really was, it was the thing we picked up most often when people called wanting information about, you know, events and localities and things like that it was had, it was a must, must have.



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And that's how we found each other right from that damn bumper sticker, because we could put it on our cars and nobody else knew it was a secret code.



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Because it looks like a menorah. In a way it's a weird look at it, but it doesn't have enough sticks out there. Yeah.



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So by the way, talking about Nazis



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Well, I wouldn't



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I'm glad you brought it up. Because yeah, you know, I saw it on the internet. And I thought myself then, you know, you know, there goes a part of our history right there. Yeah. You know, and then I started thinking, Well, is it a bad thing when you lose something because some things just have a natural life and death?



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Yes. I wish though, that there was a made mentioned that 13 employees were suddenly without a job.



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And it wasn't Bruce used to do the the photography was it Bruce?



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There's a lot of Bruce



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something with a B used to do in photography used to run around here and his sandals. What's his name? Glasses. You know him Delton? I don't know Bruce, it wasn't tall. Kind of. I don't want to kind of odd looking fella Can you be a bit more? He was involved the pride committee to we were involved in proximity. I don't know. I don't know. Okay, but I used to remember seeing him every time I'd see him. I think about the twit. Yeah, wherever I'd see him. He was to me the emissary of the twit.



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Okay, well. It is time to go folks. Oh, yes. Yes, it is. And they the news people here big growing Chris with after hours news and views and after them. We've got a new segment with Charlie Pacheco. Charlie Chan. He's got a special interview tonight. You don't want to miss it. I'm serious, folks. Thank you. Thank you all for being here. We'll see you next month. Yes, I will. I will. We will kick you to say bye.



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Oh, yeah, yeah, it's time for news and views. Use with big Roy and read. Yes, yes.



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Hello, Roy still trying to plug in. There you go.



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Well, I'd like to welcome everyone to this week's edition of after hours news and views and want to say hello to all of our fabulous listeners all over the place to our listeners here in the Houston area in the Montrose way down there in Beaumont, and up there and the far flung reaches of Texas and who else who knows where else they're listening in and who is listening in?



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People taking notes up in Huntsville, starting off with after hours north.

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Yes, that'd be coming up real real quickly. We're all kind of excited and they're even going to have a news and views segment. I hope it's more saner than can't possibly be as well you know what I think

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that that goes by, that's by definition.

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To get the same quality of reporting and information you get from the two of us, they have the penitentiary is up there to bring in their tryouts that Oh.

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And we do we really do wish them all the well, all the best. And we're kind of excited because on everything well, we're gonna start off this week. news segment with where else, the Democratic National Convention, which is always been very gay friendly. I don't know if any of you have watched it, but I know I did. And one thing that really impressed me about the convention was how Vice President Al Gore said that he was going to pat, we were going to have an end. If he gets elected, and many other things. Of course, they make a lot of promises. But you know, I think it's kind of really great that politicians are finally even the Republican Party are actually taking us seriously. And like we reported last week on how they did have a openly gay congressman, Senator, Congressman, Congressman Steve Foley of Arizona, speaking at the Republican Convention on International Trade on and even though he was not allowed the fact that he was not allowed to speak about gay issues, the fact that as an openly gay congressman, specifically because he was an openly gay congressman, they he was allowed to make a presentation plus, not in primetime. But earlier in the day, they had Log Cabin Republicans addressing the convention. And when you consider the the history that Log Cabin Republicans had here in Texas, yeah, they could even get

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into the building. That's I think, mainly the Log Cabin Republicans of Texas is the ones is the organization that has the trouble with the National Republican Party and the Texas Republican Party, because I do remember, Governor Bush there was did speak to some members of Log Cabin Republicans, just none of them were Texas, shortly after in between the convention, the state convention and the national convention for the Republican Party

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and moving over to the Democratic Party. I got this fresh hot off the AP new news word tonight. Then, it says here that before Al Gore delivered his acceptance speech, delegates at the

Democratic National Convention heard speakers including Barney Frank, Congressman Frank from Massachusetts, and he received a very enthusiastic welcome. And but Frank kind of shocked the crowd because he said that he was here to talk about a morality. And he cited racism, homophobia, and restrictions on abortion as immoral and said that the way to combat immorality most effectively between now and November is to vote for Al Gore for the President. And Frank said that unlike the Republican ticket, Al Gore and Joe Lieberman will support gay and lesbian rights and legal abortion. And, again, people who watch the convention heard Al Gore, say those things.



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It was interesting, I didn't watch much of the convention coverage.