

DIANNE As president of the board--

FEINSTEIN:

MAN: Where's Mayor Moscone?

DIANNE I'm here. As president of the Board of Supervisors, it's my duty to make this announcement. Both Mayor Moscone
FEINSTEIN: and Supervisor Harvey Milk have been shot and killed.

MAN: Oh! Jesus Christ!

[OUTCRY]

DOROTHY: Toto, I have a feeling we're not in Kansas anymore.

WOMAN: They've got to understand something! They've got to understand something. We are not talking about crotch politics. This is not a movement from the waist down. We are talking about our right to love and to choose and to live. And I don't care about straight parliament and I don't care about straight understanding. You better hear me in Washington. We are demanding-- we are demanding our civil rights.

[CHEERING]

[KNOCKING]

[PANTING]

JIMMY CARPER: The following program contains language or images of a frank or sensitive nature--

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--which may be considered objectionable by some. Listener discretion is advised.

[THEME MUSIC]

THEME SONG: After hours. After hours.

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, yes, you've tuned in to *After Hours*, queer radio with attitude, right here on KPFT Houston, 90.1 FM. The crew of *After Hours* is ready to bring you news, interviews, dialogue, and music geared for gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgendered people and their friends.

Here at *After Hours*, we may be diverse, but we have one thing in common. We are all out of the closet and urge everyone to come out of their closets. That means standing up for yourself, taking responsibility for your own life, and being proud of who you are.

Realistically, we know not everyone can do that because of age, job, or frame of mind. That's OK. We're here for you, too. So sit back, relax, and enjoy this week's edition of *After Hours*.

[MUSIC PLAYING]

Hello, Houston and College Station and Huntsville. And welcome to *After Hours*, queer radio with attitude. I'm Jimmy Carper. And a few things before we get going-- well, a lot of things, actually, before we get going-- the music, the music, the music. Because this is a big deal here.

We had two gay performers here at the beginning of the show. The first one was Daniel Link. And that's from his EP *Out of the Silence*. And it was called "Altar Boy." And that followed-- following that was Christy Claxton, who is from Austin. And that was her "Best Loved Girl" off of her CD, *Out of Nowhere*.

Now, there's a reason I played these two together, not only because it's good music but because in two weeks-- yes, two weeks, February the 17th-- they are both going to be playing in Houston and not where you would normally think. These two performers are going to be playing at The Sidecar Pub. Oh, yeah. Now, you want to know, where is The Sidecar Pub. Would you believe it is at 11202 Huffmeister? Hello. Hello, Jersey Village.

GIGI: It's way out there.

JIMMY CARPER: That's what we're-- we're talking way out there, yes.

COHOST: Redneck City.

JIMMY CARPER: Yes, well, it is, yeah. But this is a bar that wants to try a gay night, see how it goes. And they're just-- they're more interested in good music. But hey, if this draws in a gay crowd, we're everywhere. We're out at Huffmeister. I'm going to be there, and I'm from the Montrose.

So I'll be giving out tickets. And I'm going to be giving out CDs. I've got a bunch of Daniel Link CDs that I'm going to be giving out. And we'll be talking about this again next week.

Now, the other thing is that tonight is the last night of the winter membership drive for KPFT and *After Hours*. And we'd like you to donate your funds to us right here at 713-526-5738-- 713-526-KPFT. And Big Roy is waiting to hear your call.

And I'll tell you what. We're going to have this all night long-- but get in on it fast because there's a limited number-- I'm going to be giving away a Daniel Link CD to anyone who pledges \$50 on plastic. So you know that number-- 713-526-5738, 526-KPFT-- and tickets to the concert. And Rainbow's handing me a Diamond Shamrock card.

[LAUGHTER]

I don't know that we take that plastic, honey. [LAUGHS] Anyway, anyway, 713-526-5738, 713-526-KPFT, 713-JAM-KPFT. That's right. We need your money. We've got a \$500 goal. We want to make it. That shows management that-- ooh. Oh, I am so envious. Rainbow's here with pink high tops. And I have always wanted pink high tops. Wow, anyway.

GIGI: Size 15.

JIMMY CARPER: And let's see, that's right. \$50 pledge on plastic gets you a Daniel Link CD. And you can only get it here. And you can only get it this show. We'll be giving some away next week, but it's like to those lucky callers. So you can take a chance, but you may not get in on it.

But we're hoping that you want to take advantage of this. Daniel was really nice to send me a bunch of CDs. And we're all-- I'm thrilled as heck just to give them out and for that concert next Saturday night--

GIGI: Saturday.

JIMMY CARPER: No, no, no, two Saturdays, right? The 17th, 17th. That's two Saturdays from tonight, so we'll be talking about this next week, too. Sidecar Pub, 11202 Huffmeister at 8 o'clock. Ah!

[LAUGHTER]

Uh-huh, OK, let's see. I've just given away my first one-- actually, my second one. Ta-da.

COHOST: Do I get tickets, too?

JIMMY CARPER: Yes, you do. Big Roy has the tickets.

[LAUGHTER]

COHOST: Oh, OK. I need to go [INAUDIBLE].

JIMMY CARPER: Thank you. Thank you. Yes, yes. Here we go. Here we go. Here we go. That's great.

GIGI: Out for tickets.

JIMMY CARPER: Jackie Thorn has just-- just taken the CD off our hands.

COHOST: I think Huffmeister's past Jersey Village.

JIMMY CARPER: Yeah, it kind of is.

COHOST: Spring Cypress, if I remember.

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, OK, I know.

COHOST: I'm a [INAUDIBLE] girl.

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, I'll bet you've been out there, too. And Big Roy's come in here, and he's got a questioning look on his face. And he's saying, no, no, no, don't do it. Nuh-unh, oh, no. Oh, OK. So Gigi, Jay.

GIGI: Oh, yes, we're here. And we're ready for the bisexual show.

JIMMY CARPER: That is great. And hold on just a moment. Jay, whoops, whoops. Oh, you've got some book reviews for us?

JAY: Yep, sure do. I have *Great Moments in Sex*. I kind of figured that might be something kind of interesting.

JIMMY CARPER: I've had a couple of great moments in sex, I'll tell you.

JAY: And here's a whole book of them, too.

[LAUGHTER]

JIMMY CARPER: Speaking of great moments in sex-- no, no, no, go on. I don't want to stop you. But there is something else I want to talk about.

JAY: Oh, OK. Well, I was just going to say I was also going to mention the *Journal of Bisexuality*, which as come out from Harrington Park Press, which is Haworth Press's. That's the big company, and their small-- one of their side presses is Harrington Press. They do a lot of gay, lesbian, bisexual stuff.

So this is the *Journal of Bisexuality*. It's like the first education-- or not educational but scholarly journal on bisexuality, although for all that it's scholarly, it's not boring and dull. It's very interesting. So they have two volumes out now. So we're going to be talking about that and just kind of saying what's in it, who's doing it, and where you can get it. And that's basically it.

JIMMY CARPER: OK. I had an interesting afternoon.

JAY: Is this going back to *The Great Moments in Sex*?

JIMMY CARPER: Yes. Because--

COHOST: Can this be told on the air?

JIMMY CARPER: Yes.

[LAUGHTER]

Yes, it can.

GIGI: Oh, we do more than tell on the air.

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, we tell too much on the air, actually. But let me get that information. Anyway, I'll find it. I got an invitation in the mail from the Club Houston, which is pleased to invite me and a guest to the pre-opening construction party. And that was today, 2:00 to 5:00.

Nancy Ford was there. Courvalin was there. It seems as though right next to the Club Houston is a brand-new, huge, two-story building that is going to be the new Club Houston. And in actuality, it's called the Athletic Ventures, Inc.

I'm telling you, they have spent \$1.9 million on this building and the facilities.

COHOST: Jeez.

JIMMY CARPER: It is absolutely magnificent. I have never seen a better-equipped gym in my life.

GIGI: Oh, my.

JIMMY CARPER: It's huge.

GIGI: Build it, baby.

JIMMY CARPER: They've got these machines everywhere, packed in there, all kinds, up to the date-- all computer operated and stuff. They've got, upstairs, there are, like, 60 changing rooms or meditation rooms or whatever you want to call them. Downstairs, there's lockers. There's a huge, huge hot tub. I mean, it's almost as large as their swimming pool.

JAY: Wow.

JIMMY CARPER: Yes. And huge shower area and a steam room with three separate rooms in it. And it just goes off into the-- and a huge sauna. It's the most beautiful-- it's just gorgeous. And Stanley and I went. It was his first time into a club facility.

GIGI: Ooh, look out.

JIMMY CARPER: And after looking it over, he wants to buy a membership.

GIGI: Oh, wow.

COHOST: All right.

Does it come with hot and cold running blondes?

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, well, there were some there, I'll tell you. I mean, this is really fancy stuff. We've got-- we're talking granite marble countertops.

GIGI: Ooh. Oh, wow.

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, yeah. Woo!

JAY: Works for me.

JIMMY CARPER: Beautiful tile work everywhere. This is magnificent-- 2205 Fannin, right behind the bus station. But for those of you who remember where the Club Houston has been since the 1970s, it's right next door.

GIGI: For those decorator queens.

JIMMY CARPER: Yeah, it's where that-- you remember that house, with the gingerbread house, with the big witch's cap on the turret?

GIGI: [INAUDIBLE]

COHOST: Yeah, the one they tore down.

JIMMY CARPER: (LAUGHING) OK. Yeah, well, let me tell you about it. The Club Houston folks owned that for, like, three or four years. And they were trying to get any historical association to haul it off. They waited three years to build this building until finally, the house fell apart. They just couldn't-- they couldn't find a group. But they were willing to do it.

JAY: That's neat.

JIMMY CARPER: And I think that is really a feather in their cap for doing that.

JAY: That is, that is.

COHOST: Didn't it ultimately burn down?

JIMMY CARPER: I think it had a fire, eventually. And that's what really did it in. The second story had been condemned for years. But it was just a beautiful piece of architecture.

JAY: It was.

COHOST: Very unique.

JIMMY CARPER: Yes. And I mean, there's some great plans there. And I mean, you can just do it as a regular, have your card and go in there every so often. Or use it as your gym. I mean, there's no place in Houston that's going to have facilities this good, I'm telling you.

GIGI: Well, I don't know.

[LAUGHTER]

Oh, I'm so bad.

JIMMY CARPER: I have a note here that says the Laff Stop folks will be here between 2:00 and 2:30. They were here last week, and we just had a fun time. They helped bring in some money for us. And we promoted them.

And so before we start running out of time, I know you have an interview. And Jay's got some book reviews.

GIGI: And we're going to be interviewing Jamie Joy from New Orleans, Louisiana.

JAY: She's a really interesting person. She's quite a trip.

GIGI: Oh, yes. Oh, yeah. She does bi erotica in a way that is so steamy, you won't even notice the steam in that new club.

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, my. Oh, my. That sounds really good. And Jay, you've got your book review. Are you--

GIGI: We're going to do the interview first. So we need to call her.

JIMMY CARPER: So that means we go to a piece of music, and we call it and come back. And then we're on the air, and then it's terrific.

GIGI: Uh-huh.

JIMMY CARPER: OK. And I've got new music from Gary Floyd, who is, actually, a local guy from Austin, I believe. He was in a group there, straight group. And then he was in Sister Double Happiness. And he's gone off on his own and came out of the closet. And he's just got a wonderful, bluesy kind of voice. This is from his album, *Back Door Preacher Man*.

GIGI: Ooh.

JIMMY CARPER: That says it all, doesn't it? Uh-huh, honey.

GIGI: Hey, that's my kind of preacher.

[LAUGHTER]

I'll get religious.

JIMMY CARPER: Before we do that, let's go really quickly-- let's see if I can-- is this the lobby out there? Hello? Hello? No. We'll do that-- we'll do that later. OK. Gary Floyd, back to our preacher man, this is "A Better Man." You're listening to on the *After Hours*, queer radio with attitude, on KPFT Houston and KEOS College Station.

Oh, the great Gary Lloyd--

GIGI: OK, the song just ended.

JIMMY CARPER: --with "A Better Man."

GIGI: We're back on the air.

JIMMY CARPER: Oh. [LAUGHS] Oh, well. And I want to say hello to Barry in Australia. He is listening to us over the internet. I think that is so cool. Yeah, we are international, folks.

GIGI: Oh, yes.

JIMMY CARPER: And tell everybody. We're in real time, Saturdays at midnight to 3:00 AM right here on www.kpft.org-- O-R-G.

GIGI: Well, bad news.

JIMMY CARPER: OK, bad news.

GIGI: Yes. Jamie Joy is not feeling well. She's got a--

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, I'm so sorry.

GIGI: --migraine headache. And so she won't be able to join us tonight, unfortunately. So we'll be moving on to Jay's book review.

JIMMY CARPER: Yes, we are. Before we do that, Jay, let me see if I can pick up Elkie in the lobby, OK? Hello?

ELKIE Oh, I am on the air.

MICHAELS:

JIMMY CARPER: You certainly are-- Elkie, Elkie Michaels from the Rusted Cage.

ELKIE Monday night/Tuesday morning, 1:00 to 4:00 AM. I am here helping out *After Hours*, queer radio with attitude. It

MICHAELS: is our membership fund drive, winter fund drive for 2001.

JIMMY CARPER: And Elkie Summers-- Elkie Michaels is--

[LAUGHTER]

Where do I get the Summers thing?

ELKIE I don't know, but keep flattering me. I'm enjoying it.

MICHAELS:

GIGI: The '70s. You remember.

JIMMY CARPER: Yeah, I remember very well, as a matter of fact. No, Elkie is like the pep squad for KPFT. Because she is here. And, I mean, day and night, whenever she is needed, she is here. And I don't know anybody who really does more with pitching on KPFT than Elkie. And we're happy to have you. Thank you.

ELKIE Thank you. You're welcome. It's my pleasure to come down and help out on *After Hours*. We have a \$500 goal,
MICHAELS: folks. We can make it. We have lots of time. All of this wraps up, I believe, Tuesday? Jim, I'm not--

JIMMY CARPER: Yes.

ELKIE OK. We have a \$500 goal. And never in the 31 years' history of this radio station have we ever played a
MICHAELS: commercial, thanks to you and your support.

JIMMY CARPER: That's right.

ELKIE And we're looking for your pledge of support tonight. We have five open phone lines-- 713-526-5738, 713-526-
MICHAELS: KPFT. And you can also-- payment methods include cash, check, money order, and those credit cards.

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, yeah.

ELKIE We love plastic. And that includes Mastercard, Visa, American Express, and Discover card. 713-526-5738, 713-
MICHAELS: 526-KPFT. Jump on board. Step up to the plate. And let's show the management here that this show, *After Hours*, truly rocks because it does. You don't get programming like this anywhere on the radio.

JIMMY CARPER: That's right.

ELKIE We are between jazz and Jesus.
MICHAELS:

GIGI: We are, honey.

ELKIE 713-526-KPFT, 713-526-5738.
MICHAELS:

JIMMY CARPER: Thank you, Elkie. And now-- and now, I'm Jimmy Carper. This is *After Hours*. This show tonight, we've got BiNet on the first half. And we've got the 20-something on the second half. And in the middle, we've got news and views with Big Roy and Chris. And we've got a group from Laff Stop that's going to be here, just having a whole bunch of fun. And before we go to Jay, I do want to announce that we have set the date for BiCamp.

GIGI: Oh, good.

JIMMY CARPER: And let me tell you, Saturday night in the showers, it gets really steamy.

GIGI: I have heard that from a guy who lives next door to me that he had probably the most fun of anybody at the BiCamp.

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, no.

GIGI: And it involved a lot of water and a lot of strange noises.

JIMMY CARPER: He was gurgling under the showers.

GIGI: I know those strange noises.

JIMMY CARPER: Trying to get breaths.

[LAUGHTER]

GIGI: That's right, yes. [LAUGHS] Don't go there. Don't go there.

COHOST: Does that water come equipped with [INAUDIBLE] valve?

[LAUGHTER]

GIGI: Let me tell--

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, that's funny.

GIGI: We have BiCamp at the Rainbow Ranch Campground.

JIMMY CARPER: Where's that?

GIGI: It's just outside of Dallas. It's a little bit south, near Griesbeck, Texas-- or Groesbeck?

JAY: Groesbeck, I think.

GIGI: Groesbeck.

COHOST: Groesbeck.

GIGI: And I tell you, these showers are something else. They are air-- they have air conditioning, hot and cold running water. They're immaculate until after the bis get in there.

JIMMY CARPER: I can imagine.

JAY: And they're painted in rainbow colors.

COHOST: Hot and cold running blondes, too.

[LAUGHTER]

JIMMY CARPER: Jackie, have you ever been there?

COHOST: No. I'm looking forward to it, though.

JAY: And it's on a lake, too.

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, how nice. Nice.

GIGI: You know how many bisexuals you can fit in a shower?

JIMMY CARPER: I'll bet you can tell me.

GIGI: Well, if you come to BiCamp--

JAY: Well, who would have stopped to count?

GIGI: --we'll show you.

[LAUGHTER]

JAY: So when is it?

GIGI: It's May 17 to the 20th. We're running it Thursday through Sunday.

JAY: All right.

GIGI: So it's really going to be steamy on every night we're there.

JIMMY CARPER: That's right, honey. Put in for your vacation now so you don't miss one minute of it.

GIGI: But we'll be doing everything from drum circles around the campfire to you name it.

JAY: Last year, we had a bunch of people who were just camping on their own. And they came over to our drum circle, and they were having a good time.

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, really? Did they come to your showers?

JAY: I don't-- I don't know about that one. I doubt that.

GIGI: Well, they did watch me dance naked around the campfire.

COHOST: How much are the tickets?

GIGI: Oh, goodness. I didn't bring all that with me.

JIMMY CARPER: There's a fee?

GIGI: Yes, there's a registration fee. If you register early, I believe it's \$15. And then an on-site registration is \$30, \$35--
- somewhere around there.

JIMMY CARPER: Hey, you know, \$15, that's \$5 a day.

COHOST: That's a hell of a bargain.

GIGI: And then-- well, that's for registration. Now--

JIMMY CARPER: You can't go to the adult movies for that.

GIGI: That doesn't include the camping fees. The camping fees are \$10 a day per person. But that includes use of the boats. That includes all the recreational activities that the campground supplies.

COHOST: I see.

GIGI: And then the other kind of recreational activities that we supply--

COHOST: Oh, my.

GIGI: Talk about steamy.

JIMMY CARPER: OK, tell me about food and stuff like that. You know, you have to stop every once in a while and--

GIGI: Eat? Yeah.

JIMMY CARPER: And build up your strength.

GIGI: Oh, yes.

JAY: Stoke the fires.

GIGI: This year, we're doing potluck. So everybody brings--

JIMMY CARPER: Pot.

GIGI: --enough to--

[LAUGHTER]

[LAUGHS] No, no, no, no. Everybody brings enough to feed six for each meal.

JIMMY CARPER: Wow.

GIGI: And we just throw in everything together.

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, you mean it's like one thing, not bring a meal for six.

GIGI: Right, just one item.

JIMMY CARPER: Yeah, we're not doing the [INAUDIBLE] thing.

GIGI: And then we do a kind of potluck meals. But there'll be lots of workshops. And they're all hands-on.

COHOST: Ooh.

JAY: Oh, we had some great ones last year. Speaking of Jamie Joy, she did a wonderful one on sensual meditation or something like that.

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, yeah?

JAY: Oh, it was a blast.

GIGI: Erotic meditation.

JAY: A lot of blindfolds and all sorts of very interesting toys.

JIMMY CARPER: And feathers and all the right moves.

COHOST: Cuffs and chains and whips, too?

GIGI: Oh, yeah.

JAY: Yep. Oh, yeah.

GIGI: Yes, yes, yes.

JAY: So it was wonderful.

GIGI: She had quite the toy bag. And she is planning to do a workshop this year.

JIMMY CARPER: I see. Send her some migraine pain medication.

GIGI: Really.

JIMMY CARPER: That's right. We don't want that woman to have a migraine. So what about queer guys like me? Can we come?

GIGI: Oh, yes. Everybody's welcome. If you're bi friendly or bisexual or--

JIMMY CARPER: Just an OK boy.

GIGI: --just curious or want to check us out.

JIMMY CARPER: Or a straight guy just wanting to--

JAY: Hang out with a bunch of bis.

JIMMY CARPER: Yeah.

GIGI: There you go. Just maybe--

COHOST: I have always contended that more people are bisexual than will ever admit it.

GIGI: Oh, I think so, too.

JAY: Oh, yeah.

GIGI: Oh, I think there's at least twice as many bisexuals as there are gays and lesbians.

JAY: Could be. Probably.

GIGI: At least.

COHOST: Yeah, at least.

GIGI: It's so confusing, though.

JIMMY CARPER: No, you're not confused at all, honey.

GIGI: Oh, I didn't say I was.

[LAUGHTER]

JAY: Miss Gigi knows what she is.

GIGI: Yes.

JIMMY CARPER: So let's hear about some of the-- you have some new books, Jay, don't you?

JAY: Mm-hmm, lots of stuff.

JIMMY CARPER: And what you were showing me was very exciting. Because it's brand new--

GIGI: Oh, before we go there--

JIMMY CARPER: --for bi stuff. What?

GIGI: --if anybody wants to check out BiCamp, they need to go to the BiNet Houston web page--

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, boy.

GIGI: --which is, let's see--

JIMMY CARPER: If you can [INAUDIBLE] that. Jackie is writing it down.

GIGI: www.flash.net--

JIMMY CARPER: Wait a minute. www.flash.net.

GIGI: /~bihouse. And tilde's the little funny squiggle.

JAY: The little worm thing.

JIMMY CARPER: That S laying down on its side.

GIGI: Yeah.

JIMMY CARPER: It's that squiggly thing that's lots of fun, yeah.

[LAUGHTER]

Half of an infinity sign.

GIGI: Uh-huh.

JAY: It sure is.

GIGI: I've got the other half.

JIMMY CARPER: I've seen your other half--

[LAUGHTER]

--in action.

JAY: Everybody's seen your other half.

GIGI: Who hasn't?

JIMMY CARPER: For the first time just recently, as a matter of fact.

JAY: That's right. That's right.

GIGI: Oh, at my party, yes.

[LAUGHTER]

Hoo!

[LAUGHTER]

JIMMY CARPER: OK, we do other things--

GIGI: And on that note.

JIMMY CARPER: --except lots of sexual innuendo. We actually do some serious stuff here, don't we?

JAY: So am I up now?

JIMMY CARPER: Yeah. We said serious stuff.

[INTERPOSING VOICES]

JIMMY CARPER: Yeah, when it's sex and fun stuff, it's Gigi. When it's god stuff, it's your sister. And when it's serious stuff, it's you.

JAY: Well, considering my book is about sex, I kind of was--

GIGI: Oh, I see. OK.

JAY: And also, actually, before we get started on that, I brought a couple of book clubs. You know, I get these ads for book clubs all the time. Gee, I wonder why?

JIMMY CARPER: This woman reads, like, two books a day.

JAY: I'm an absolute bookaholic. I just cannot not read. But it's like the history--

GIGI: And we are accepting donations for our new library.

JAY: Actually, we mostly need space.

[LAUGHTER]

GIGI: Out of bookshelves again, huh?

JAY: Oh, yeah, Oh, yeah, perennial problem. So I get all these ads in the mail for the history book club or the military history book club or all these really whatever. So I get this one, and it's got all these names-- Edmund White, Sarah Waters, Jeanette Winterson, Kate Clinton. So instead of throwing it away, I said, ooh, I gotta look at this.

Insight Out Books is what it's called-- I-N-S-I-G-H-T O-U-T B-O-O-K-S-- Insight Out. And it's, interestingly enough, it's an offshoot of the Quality Paperback Book Club.

JIMMY CARPER: Really?

GIGI: And I've always kind of wondered about them. Because they have a lot of gay books. And they started the Triangle Classics series, Pink Triangle Classics or something like that, which is gay and lesbian classics.

JIMMY CARPER: Yes, I have several of those.

COHOST 3: So this is what I thought-- hmm, somebody in there's got to be family. Well, sure enough, I think two of the editors or something like that. And they have started this queer book of the month club, basically.

JIMMY CARPER: Hey.

JAY: Yeah. And so it's got-- I mean, speaking of sex, some sex books in there. I think Lea DeLaria's book or something like that, Alice Walker's latest collection of short stories. And the interesting thing is you can either have them send the magazine to you or you can do it all online.

GIGI: Oh, no kidding?

JAY: Yeah, insightoutbooks.com. And they don't send you a book, an automatic selection of the month. So it's only the books you choose. So that's, for those of us who have a tendency to forget to send the thing in-- no, I don't want that book. And it's just all gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgendered stuff.

JIMMY CARPER: Wow.

JAY: And I can't remember--

JIMMY CARPER: Wait a minute. I gotta write that down.

[LAUGHTER]

Gotta write that down again.

JAY: I was going to give this to you if you wanted it. I have another one at home.

JIMMY CARPER: Wait. I-N-S-I.

COHOST: G-H-T.

GIGI: G-H-T.

JIMMY CARPER: G-H-T.

JAY: O-U-T.

JIMMY CARPER: O-U-T.

JAY: B-O-O-K-S.com.

JIMMY CARPER: .com. That's W cubed, right?

JAY: Yep, that's it.

COHOST: I wonder if they have *Well of Loneliness* in their classics series.

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, I'm sure.

JAY: They do.

JIMMY CARPER: Yeah, sure.

JAY: They have *Well*. Because I was looking for-- I mean, this is right around the time when I came out. And so I was going, oh, *Well of Loneliness*, keep hearing about this, couldn't find it anywhere. And then, lo and behold, they started doing this whole Triangle Classics thing.

They have *Well of Loneliness*, *Rubyfruit Jungle*, that James Baldwin book I can--*Giovanni's Room*-- and then some of them like *Death in Venice*. And I said, oh, that's supposed to be a gay classic?*Picture of Dorian Gray* and stuff.

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, yeah, *Picture of Dorian Gray*.

JAY: I think they also have--

GIGI: You know us gay guys. We always have that painting in the attic.

JAY: Oh, yeah.

COHOST: Gender Outlaw and all for all of the--

JAY: Well, that's not in the Triangle Classics series, but they do have-- I think they offered that. They offered-- get this-- they offered the complete collection of *Hothead Paisan*.

JIMMY CARPER: No kidding?

JAY: The Homicidal Lesbian Terrorist is in QPB-- Quality Paperback Books, baby. I couldn't believe that.

JIMMY CARPER: That's good. That's good. Because that is good stuff.

JAY: Yeah. And Dykes to Watch Out For. So they have it in a very-- in a special edition just for them, for Quality Paperback Books. Yeah, so it's like I'm going, OK, yeah, you know somebody there's family. Well, they have branched out on their own. So there you go--

JIMMY CARPER: Good deal.

JAY: --a gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender book of the month club.

JIMMY CARPER: I gotta check that out.

GIGI: And that's the kind of book club I would join. Because I don't want to join one where they're going to send me something automatically.

JAY: Yeah, it's such a pain.

GIGI: I just don't like that.

JAY: So they don't do it on this one. And they don't do it on this other one that I got. It's called-- and again, this is also online and everything like that-- it's www.venus.com.

JIMMY CARPER: Wait a minute. *W* cubed, venus?

JAY: Venus, as in the goddess of love.

JIMMY CARPER: Dot com.

JAY: Mm-hmm.

JIMMY CARPER: That's it?

JAY: That's it-- venus.com, very easy to remember. And this is an erotic book of the month club.

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, my.

JAY: Yes, so speaking of sex, you know, who does that? And I mean, some of it is-- a lot of it tends to be kind of heterosexual, I guess, in scope-- 52 ways to drive your man wild in bed and all that stuff. But they also have *Best Bisexual Erotica* in there. hey,

COHOST: 52 ways to drive your man wild, I mean, it'd work for gays, as well.

GIGI: It works for me.

JIMMY CARPER: Yeah, there you go.

JAY: So it's interesting. They have a wide range. They have, as I say, stuff like how to spice up your love life. And they have Nabokov's *Lolita* and then the book that someone wrote telling it from Lo's point of view *Lo's Diary*. And then they also have Anne Rice's *Sleeping Beauty* series and the massive sex slave dom/sub. They have a lot of dom/sub stuff.

JIMMY CARPER: Isn't that the series she wrote under another name?

JAY: Yeah, AN Roquelaure or something like that-- something French looking. But they always call it Anne Rice writing as. So it's like, well, what's the point in having a pseudonym if you're just going to use your real name, anyway? I don't know.

Oh, and they had a very interesting book, too, that massively intrigued me. It's called, I think *Aqua Erotica*. And it's books about people having sex in pools and bathtubs and stuff like that. But the thing is it's printed on waterproof paper, so you can take it in the shower with you.

[LAUGHTER]

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, that is too funny.

JAY: So you can either take it in the shower with you or easy clean-up. I don't know-- something.

GIGI: Well, you know, it's just--

JIMMY CARPER: That one-handed reading.

GIGI: Doing it in the pool, especially now that you have to use water-based lubricants, it just--

JAY: Yeah, what's the point in that?

JIMMY CARPER: Yeah. It doesn't work. Doesn't work for me.

JAY: That just cracked me up, you know, the idea.

GIGI: Or you can take it in the steam bath.

JIMMY CARPER: In fact, you can [INAUDIBLE]. But that's-- that's an-- I would buy that just to own it, because it's such a novelty item.

JAY: Actually, I saw it in, like, Barnes and Noble. And it's like, oh, my god, it's *Aqua Erotica*. It was really bizarre.

[LAUGHTER]

COHOST: Well, it depends on how messy you get during sex. I mean, you can always hose it down after you get done.

[LAUGHTER]

GIGI: But like I said, one-hand reading.

JIMMY CARPER: There you go. There you go.

JAY: It was just a trip.

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, that's great.

JAY: You know, I mean, all these book of the month clubs are getting so specific here. So you got the erotic book of the month club.

JIMMY CARPER: So queer, yes.

JAY: Yeah. And then they even have Queer Book of the Month Club. So I just thought that was kind of interesting.

JIMMY CARPER: Yeah, it is.

JAY: And as I say, both of them, you can do it all online. They don't send you anything. You just go and pick whatever books you want and have a good time.

JIMMY CARPER: Great.

JAY: So that's that. And I would like to go on to-- I guess here's the serious stuff now. Speaking of new things coming out, the *Journal of Bisexuality* has its second volume out.

JIMMY CARPER: I didn't even know about the first one.

GIGI: Oh, yeah.

JAY: The first one was supposed to come out at the beginning of 2000 or something, but it didn't come out till the end of 2000, so it was kind of a pain in the butt. But anyway, we finally got it. And it's the first journal of its kind.

It's from Harrington Park Press, which is Haworth Press's gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender press. And it's not like anything that moves in that-- I mean this is a heft-- this looks like a book in and of itself. This is some serious work here. It's kind of more of a scholarly journal. But it's not boring. It's really interesting.

Wayne Bryant is-- well, Fritz Klein is the head editor of it, I guess. I think all of his stuff has been published through Harrington Park. Wayne Bryant, he did a book on bisexual characters in film. He's the film reviewer, film review editor. Carol Queen, whom we all know and love, she's on the editing board.

JIMMY CARPER: Oh, I do love Carol Queen.

GIGI: Oh, yes.

JIMMY CARPER: Yes.

JAY: They also have a lot of people. They have someone from Australia. His name's Wayne Roberts.

JIMMY CARPER: Barry, do you know him?

[LAUGHTER]

JAY: And someone from, I think the Netherlands, I believe it is. So there's a nice international flavor to it. And they have it-- I mean, it's--