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SPEAKERS

Lujack Tyler, Jimmy Carper, Gigi



Lujack Tyler 00:04

Fabulous. Flawless miss everything missing you is on her new album wildest dreams.



Jimmy Carper 00:11

I like that version. I do like that.



Lujack Tyler 00:14

Who sings the original version?



Jimmy Carper 00:16

John Wayne.



Lujack Tyler 00:17

God because I heard it and I thought to myself, yeah, but you know, on her new album, she does duets with Barry White Steen and the Pet Shop Boys. Wow. She is miss everything.



Jimmy Carper 00:28

No kidding.



Lulack Tvler 00:29

And then interesting. How because I tried to orchestrate it so that listeners would be able to hear how she has always sounded the same but her style. Yeah, grows. It does. You know, you take a fall in love where she's yelling, and she's sending a message from from her soul like she does and all of her songs when she talks to us in that. Tina Turner, I am speaking to you style and goes to missing you. And in reality, I saw a beach one night. How she's character talking to Ike. What that song? Yeah, yeah. And she kind of sort of said that tonight on a program. She was on our beach one. She talked about it a little bit on this show. Right. But I just recommend that folks get wildest dreams because, you know, I mean, Cena was here for a gay pride. I'm telling you about that.

J Jimmy Carper 00:32

I forget the year it was but it was. It was before the before her big comeback. It was it was only about a year before that, as a matter of fact, a year or two before that. And it was after the Ike thing for that. As a matter of fact, when I saw her in concert, she opened for Lionel Richie. Wow. Yes. Gotta show that-.

L LuJack Tyler 01:49

I know. Now, you know, who's Lionel Richie? Yeah, he just wrote a book who? Who was I? Okay.

J Jimmy Carper 02:00

But she you know, and I was like, in the sixth throw. And looking up at those legs, and you know, it was just 56 you know, and she was, you know, like in her late 40s then.

L LuJack Tyler 02:13

And she has had very I mean, you can look at her and tell she's had very little if any plastic surgery.


J Jimmy Carper 02:18


Oh, I know it. I know. It's all there. And it's all energy. Yeah. Wow, the woman sweats for you.


L LuJack Tyler 02:24

I'm and she enjoys it. It's not the money. No, I mean, he's loving that. She loves it. Yeah, I mean, when when she was shaking those hips. You know what I do? I'm Proud Mary. You know, she would have loved to have done it without him at BT on but-.


J Jimmy Carper 02:40


 Jimmy Carper 02:38
I mean, she would have to-.


 LuJack Tyler 02:42
I mean, just an amazing amazing-.


 Jimmy Carper 02:44
And their concert at Carnegie Hall. I have the album and three record whose content I can Tina Turner. Wow. Three record set.


 LuJack Tyler 02:56
Is it on CD?


 Jimmy Carper 02:57
I probably is because it's really good because it's as fresh today as it was when when they did it.

 LuJack Tyler 03:03
To get that? Yes. It's really a lot of folks is performing Carnegie Hall.

 Jimmy Carper 03:07
Really good. Really good. They're proud Mary's I mean, that's that's-.

 LuJack Tyler 03:11
Maybe I should do a mini concert next time around of celebrities who have set in Carnegie Hall. You know, Judy Garland? Belly. I contain a gay, Liberace-.

 Jimmy Carper 03:23
Gay icons from Carnegie Hall. There you go.

 LuJack Tyler 03:25
Speaking of Judy. Yeah, Stonewall the movie.

J Jimmy Carper 03:29
Oh, man. I saw it. It's so good. Have you seen it?

L LuJack Tyler 03:32
I loved it. Oh, man, another flawless piece of work.

J Jimmy Carper 03:35
It really is it really really I talked about it earlier in the show. It's, it's it's a piece of history. I know it isn't there. Yeah, it really does capture the era. That's that's the important part because people forget about the freedoms that we have. And and I had forgotten a lot of things about the no dancing together and stuff like that. It was it was incredible. It's incredible. It brought it all back home.

G Gigi 04:04
I think it is important to remember some of the things some of our victories. Yes, you know, because we forget those so easily.

J Jimmy Carper 04:11
I hear so much about, you know, oh, we haven't done anything. And we haven't progressed very far. That and it's it's amazing how even in my lifetime, I have forgotten how bad it actually was back then. Some of the really bad things you just tend to remember the good stuff. But then no dancing together. And wow. And then I know it was just incredible, amazing stuff. All of that Fire Island stuff. When you think of you think of Fire Island as sexual freedom for gays, but it really wasn't. Yeah, it really wasn't. It was it was worse.

L LuJack Tyler 04:50
I encourage people who don't think that we have anything to lose, to go and check that movie out. Because Stonewall happened in 1969 Yeah, that's not a very long time ago a long time ago would be-.

J Jimmy Carper 05:05
The characters were based on. Timo yo people llamando was was based on on directly and called Silvia Silvia Rodriguez, I believe, or Ramirez, and by weren't you blown away by Bostonia? Yeah. I mean, that was a character.

L Lujack Tyler 05:25

Who was and who was the hero for you? Who was the hero for you? Oh, I Bostonia. See, I thought that the hero for me was Bostonians mafi mafia husband. Ah, because he is who we are. Bostonia I think it's who we want to be. Yeah. And the mafia husband is who we really are, we have such a difficult time. I mean, no matter how much you come out, you still have to keep coming out. That's true. And so it really is true. And so I mean, he did exactly what he wanted to do, which was take Bostonia out and treat her like a like, like, like his lover, his wife, or, or whatever, whatever you that you would consider that relationship and the fanciest restaurant in town. But realistically, he knew that, you know, his life would be hell after that point. And so he wanted to die happy. Unfortunately, Bostonia you know, had to find a way to accept that. But it was I thought he was the hero. He did. Yeah.

J Jimmy Carper 06:30

The Bostonia was such a strong characters. Yeah. And for me, yeah. Wow. Just great movie. Yes. Yes. Yeah. Hopefully. And I don't want to take away from from Mattie Dean and, and La Miranda, because that was a that was a very, very sweet story story. Yeah. Yeah. Except that, you know, I, I don't know about it was where his activism was, was a little premature. well ahead of its time. Yeah.

L Lujack Tyler 06:56

Well, let's talk briefly about bathhouses and the new AIDS thing. Okay. Well, what is that actually new people have just started listening. Well, I read in the voice and I read, I think I read in the New York Times, also how people are just trying to reinforce that bathhouses equals AIDS. And in reality, and in reality, that's not true at all. It's, it's, it's an individual responsibility, responsibility do if you come to my house and we have sex? Does that mean that my house equals AIDS? No, it doesn't, it means that I, at this point in time, I chose to be responsible in this massive day of education and an outreach. And, and that's what perhaps my equal, you know, yeah. Me contracting HIV. Yes.


J Jimmy Carper 07:49

It's the practice. It's, it's it's whether you are practicing sex safely or not. That's the whole issue. And my contention is and always will be that bathhouses are some of the safest place I think so. I mean, there's nothing wrong with anonymous sex if you do it safely.


G Gigi 08:11


And gay that I think it comes up with the bisexual community, because, yeah, how many times bisexual spread AIDS.


J Jimmy Carper 08:18

 Jimmy Carper 08:18
Or yeah, that we're broadness?


 Gigi 08:20
And it's like-.


 Jimmy Carper 08:21
No, it's not that at all. Yeah. I mean, we celebrate our sexuality. And there's nothing wrong with sex.

 Gigi 08:28
And one thing I've, you know, I think that's one of the biggest myth that AIDS is spread by this group or that group or this activity. It's, it's spread by one thing and that sharing fluids.


 Jimmy Carper 08:43
That's right, speaking now. And the thing of it is in the bathhouses, I mean, it's an environment where unlike like bookstores or the woods or wherever you're going to do anonymous sex things. And people let's, let's face it, let's let's go with number one here. People are going to do anonymous sex things. Yeah, I'm not just talking about gay man. I'm talking about bisexuals and straight people. Everybody are going to do this. If you can get a piece you're going to do-.

 Gigi 09:20
You know one thing.

 Jimmy Carper 09:21
So if you're going to do within, you know, a bookstore, okay, that that's, there's not much going on there. But in a bath house, you know, there's like, everywhere you look, there's posters about safer sex. Condoms available everywhere. I mean, they're putting the message across.

 Gigi 09:40
And one thing I noticed when I went to San Francisco last time, I went to club eras and talk about an hour to like two in the afternoon, stayed till the bar quit running, which was, I think 11 or 12 Right before slack catcher Bart back to Berkeley. Gosh, I got it every which way I could even imagine. And then by more than I could count, last count. But but every corner, every place and Kobe Rose had not only condoms, but ninoxanal, and lubricants. And anybody caught not using this stuff that was plentiful everywhere. I mean, they had bought big, huge bowls of

condoms, 1000s of them. And wait, you put a dent in some of those balls. But, you know, they were there. They were, you know, in part of the rules to get in was that you had to use them? Sure. If someone you know, even had monitors come around, and if someone was caught not practicing safe sex they were out of there.

 Lujack Tyler 10:59

Well, yeah, well, you know, it's, it's, it's a it's a situation in which folks just can continue to try to-.

 Jimmy Carper 11:11

Tear apart our sexuality.

 Lujack Tyler 11:12

Abuse. Abuse the public and, and, and, and get us all riled up and, and knocked off off off of our rocker about, but you know, I read yesterday in the paper, though, on a on a much lighter note, because thank God that celebrities get AIDS.

 Jimmy Carper 11:33

Well, actually, yeah. Before we get into that, because we started in on this bathhouse thing that we did we cover that because I know there's a bathhouse opening in San Antonio. And there's been some controversy about that. And one thing is you get the whole issue of AIDS and bathhouses coming up again.

 Gigi 11:51

One thing I find kind of almost horrifying is that a club your eyes cannot open legally here in Texas. Too much of a sexually oriented business?

 Lujack Tyler 12:06

Well, you know, that is a very conservative state. Yeah. And so and it always has been so-.

 Jimmy Carper 12:12

I read, I think, five and have never closed whereas in New York and San Francisco and LA they fake they were closed for a while. Yeah, now they're just making a comeback. So.



G Gigi 12:24

But I think the point I'm trying to bring up as the you know, even though we have the bathhouses here, club era is because even that one step further to help protect the players involved. And yet to have a club that you go to to have sex. And that's all it is for. It's not legal here. And so we don't have that added built in protection in the structure. It's just not legal.

J Jimmy Carper 12:58

Okay. Yeah. Where were you going after this? This newspaper article?

L LuJack Tyler 13:02

Oh, two quick. Celebrity plugs kind of sorted that I think folks ought to be aware of. Tommy Morrison. I don't know if you saw the last rocky Jim and Gigi, but the last rocky rocky five featured Tommy Morrison, who was this really cute boxer. And he about here and in reality, he really was he really is a boxer. And he said he has contracted Yes. See the one from Canada who's openly gay? No, I'm sorry. No, he is from Kansas. Oh, can't I'm sorry, no, Oklahoma, okay. And he has contracted HIV. And so he of course, you know, he had to stop boxing. But one thing that he wants to do is he wants to fight one more, one more fight, to raise money for kids with AIDS. And, and, and it's a very novel idea. But but then the homophobia and the AIDS deal comes in at, you know, one of the greatest boxers around, back back in the 60s and the the early 70s, Larry Holmes, and I quote, no, I won't fight him for medical reasons. If he didn't have HIV, I would come out of retirement and kick his behind in a second. You know, and so he's faced what, what, what, you know, wanting to do a good thing to contribute to the AIDS epidemic as far as funding, you know, what, this federal government that saying that we need to raise our own money for everything, and he can't do and we can't, and he can't find anybody to fight and so, you know, it's just, it's, you know, he just, it's a it's a, it's a weird thing, you know, it forces us to become active, but at the same time, it forces us to, I guess, you know, stay in the closet. I don't know it's it's a it's a very delicate situation ain't right. I know. And my last celebs Celebrity plug and you know how much I love it.

J Jimmy Carper 15:02

I love know how you love to plug celebrities.

L LuJack Tyler 15:05

Joy magazine joy. And, and one thing that I would like gay and lesbian readers to know is that in the last three issues, he has spotlighted lesbian and politics. Latin the last month issue. It was 20 Fascinating women in politics and he and George I'm sorry, John F. Kennedy Jr. was on The Oprah Winfrey Show. And and the one of the 20 Fascinating women that he spotlighted was this lesbian who represent who's who's a Democrat who represents a republican district and Congress in in a California district. And it was just very interesting. And and this month, um, he talks about couples. And the couple that he spotlighted in this 20 couples deal was Elizabeth Burch and her other half Oh, and so I mean, it's a it's a very, very liberal, conservative type of magazine. But it's once again, you know, I mean, this is John F. Kennedy, Jr, the son of

Jackie Onassis and right, and John Fitzgerald Kennedy. And, and people read this. And by reading this, it just, it's really being an impact on us as a community and people. At some point, I think, not to paraphrase George Bush, but to paraphrase him, yes, for us as gay and lesbian people. It's, it's, it's helpful to me that we will enter a an era of kinder and gentler world for us as gay people.

G Gigi 16:58
Did you have to do that?

L LuJack Tyler 16:59
Sure. Sure. I think it's empowering to so throw into the faces, things that that they say, during their speeches for our own benefit. You know, Newt Gingrich said that family is the most important thing to him. And look how he's doing, Candace, I know it, you know, and so.

J Jimmy Carper 17:23
I mean, that makes him out to be a liar. Yeah, well, no.

L LuJack Tyler 17:27
I mean, he's a pig. Please, I've already been that route. By the way, where was he at during the convention? Probably somewhere while wallowing in mud, you know, him and Phil and, and, you know, Al, and oh, God, why do you invite me to do this show?

J Jimmy Carper 17:48
Because I want to hear what you have to say. And I want I want all this stuff to come out of your mouth.

L LuJack Tyler 17:56
Also, John F. Kennedy, Jr. is doing an interview with Louis Farrakhan. He loves He loves to interview these people. I mean, I mean, last month, he interviewed Pat Schroeder and Elizabeth Dole. He's interviewed George Wallace. You know, the governor of Alabama, in who in 1962 stood on the steps of the law, right Central High School and said, No, I'm not letting collets into this school. Still a lie. Yeah. Yeah. Yeah. And, you know, I don't know. I mean, there are now a lot of magazines that I read. I read the advocate. And I read George,

J Jimmy Carper 18:33
I read all the gay stuff. Yeah. I mean, my newest favorite is icon. It's the gay and lesbian

magazine of Canada. Like, yeah, I'm gonna check that out. It's like the advocate of Canada, and it gives a different slant to things.

L LuJack Tyler 18:49

Oh, yeah. Well, I guess that must mean we're coming to town departing. Oh.

J Jimmy Carper 18:58

Yah. This is something from Stonewall. Original music from the 60s the ad libs were live from New York City. You've been listening to after hours queer radio with attitude on KPFT Houston, and KEOS College Station. I'm Jimmy Carper. And with me tonight has been LuJack Tyler, you got it. Gigi from binet.

G Gigi 19:22

And don't forget biner it is having a state bonet campout next weekend.

J Jimmy Carper 19:28

That's right. And where's the number for them to get in touch with you? That's 4677031 Isn't that the number? They pull it out? Anyway, coming up at three o'clock is-.

G Gigi 19:46

You haven't? Yeah. 467438 Okay.

J Jimmy Carper 19:52

4380 sorry. Coming up at three o'clock will be the BBC News, followed by the return of the sounds, musical chairs with Billy Gilbert and Elmo and Randy. Anything else before we leave folks?

L LuJack Tyler 20:11

You know, my usual peace, gay love and so-.

G Gigi 20:20

It's the bi world, a gay world. It's a queer world. See you next week.

