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Sarah DePalma 00:02

Well, I have to say, I have very rarely met anybody who has been willing to sin in fight, and especially do it the way that you did. And it's, I really consider it an honor to get the chance to interview you. I know embarrassed, perhaps you're surprised by that? Maybe not. But it's a privilege in my mind, to meet somebody who will stand up for the rights or we talked on the show often, that rights mean nothing unless you will, demand they be enforced in in. So in that I really do feel like you're here with

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Speaker 2 00:39

Thank you, Sarah. I'm blushing here. I don't really feel that I deserve this great attention. But I do hope that I have been able to help someone and I do know that I have been able to help someone because I have been contacted by people around the country since then, that I have been able to encourage to take up the fight. And I've also noticed some cases where people lay down and let the steamroller come over them. And I just feel for those people.

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Sarah DePalma 01:09

Sissy Connolly, thank you very, very much.

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Speaker 2 01:13

Thank you, Sara.

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Sarah DePalma 01:15

We have three flirtations.



Jimmy Carper 01:24

I never get tired of that song. And I've been hearing it since 1988.



Sarah DePalma 01:30

There is something about that song, which is sort of this accused trumps everything possible.



Jimmy Carper 01:35

What were we? I know, I know.



Sarah DePalma 01:38

I felt like that was the appropriate song to play. Yeah. Francis, he kindly because it's the end of the interview. She said, I felt like my, I felt like I had to fight. And so many things. She says, at one point, you know, people just, she felt sorry for people who just lay down and let things run over them. I don't know what it is, in some people that they develop this attitude of saying, dammit, I have rights, and I'm going to I'm going to fight for them. But I give them credit. It takes guts, and especially if you're a crossdresser. Somebody like 50 can review that is it's very courageous. And last, last show, we talked about whether it was legal to dress in Houston, whether it was cross dressing depress dresses used in the course it is.



Jimmy Carper 02:28

And oh, yeah, we'll do that in a second. Okay.



Sarah DePalma 02:33

And somebody said, I had parently made a comment that it would be very wise of you if you're if you're seeing a therapist, to carry the train a therapist letter with you? Yes. And somebody has sent me an email and said, What are you talking about? What is the therapist letter? Ooh.



Jimmy Carper 02:53

And that's kind of a basic thing, isn't it?



Sarah DePalma 02:55

Yes, it is. So I'm going to cover it and I'm going to read the letter that my own therapist gives me Okay, so that people get some sense of what it says. To begin with, if I realize that not that many people who are processors in this all they're ever going to be your processors do not

many people who are processors in this, and they're ever going to be your processors do not carry letters to the therapist because they're not seeing a therapist reason. However, if you will contact TAC, which is the Texas Association for transsexual support, they have a letter that craft wrestlers can use that was drafted by Phyllis. It's not as good as letter that you get from a therapist. But it's something for you to give an officer if you were stopped. Because your driver's license is not going to picture in the driver's license will look like you do in the officer is going to think right away. What's this person trying to pull? So if you're not going to be comfortable enough to say to the officer look, officer, I'm a crossdresser. And that's all there is to it. The cross, most officers will understand that but most bosses I know are gonna have the guts to say so to have this letter from tax would be a help. Now, for those of us those of you who are transsexuals or think you might be transsexual, or you're seeing a therapist about gender dysphoria. There is a letter that you can get from the therapist. And there are several different versions of this this one actually in fact happens to be known as the Phyllis letter, the Phyllis letter because it was actually drafted by Phyllis in Dr. Cole. And here's what the letter says. Those letters to verify and you put in your your your male name, AKA your female name, is currently under our treatment ethic at the clinic for the neuro endocrinology and I'll never say that in row chronology condition, commonly referred to as gender dysphoria, or transsexualism. A period of cross limit living commonly referred to as the real life test, or change of living full time in the male gender identity as a man to living full time in the female gendered identities a woman is required as a prerequisite for both those who choose to undergo sex reassignment surgery, as well as those who may choose full time hormonal, non surgical options. As part of this real life treatment process, this person is required to live in work to mix with family, neighbors, friends and co workers in the female gender identity as a woman. So you can hear this paragraph there they are explaining then why you're you know.

J Jimmy Carper 05:34

Exactly why you're, why you're dressed. Why are you dressed this way? That's right.

S Sarah DePalma 05:38

It is viewed as therapeutic and appropriate to facilitate the transition for the pre surgical and for the non surgical person to be allowed the following new pronoun, in this case she and her Wow, a legal change of name, in this case, money. A legal correction of gender identity on identification, in this case to that of a female gender identity is a woman they can hear Phyllis is drafting on that part, because that's the legal part of it. In our medical opinion, a change of name without a corresponding change from an M to an F on her routinely used identification document is incomplete. If you're talking about driver's licenses here, include compromise your ability to successfully complete this treatment requirements, and possibly incur significant emotional distress and discrimination. Please feel free to contact us for any additional information. In this particular cases, I'm going to the Rosenberg clinic to hear information Rosenberg clinic. Now there are about three or four, I've seen probably three or four different versions of this depending on what therapists you go to. But I carry this in my purse all the time. And that's because I really need to work because I just it's like a security blanket. If if you don't have a letter of some sort of explanation, whether it's from a therapist or whether it's from tax, then you better be willing to explain to an officer what's going on if you get stopped. If you don't do one of those three, one of those things, you're really going to have trouble with an officer because they're gonna say what are you trying to pull your mind understandably so?

So to answer the question for the email that I received, no, it is not illegal to crossdress in the city of Houston. I think we've talked about that now several times. But on the other hand, it is wise to take precaution in Jimmy, I think you have a pledge.

J Jimmy Carper 07:32

Yes, yes. People have been calling by k 65738. And we have I have another thank you, for Marlon to sent in generous pledge. And we're getting up there.

S Sarah DePalma 07:50

We're really close to our goal is 526-573-8526 KPFT. Yeah, I really feel good about what we're getting there. And, you know, we haven't had to beat people over the head about the premiums and this has been nice.

J Jimmy Carper 08:05

Well, you know, if you call in the premiums will be explained to you by whoever answers the phone. There are the regular ones. And then there are the special ones for KPFT for after hours listeners that are like the the latest Katy Lang CD, the latest Romanovsky and Philips CD, or for after hours, listeners that NACA Maclaurin CD, which is dance versions of opera tunes, so you like dance music and our opera, you'll love it. It's really fun. We played it earlier.

S Sarah DePalma 08:45

Now in a few minutes, we're going to be talking about something called the Defense of Marriage Act. This is a bill that was just introduced in the Congress Tuesday of last Tuesday of this past week. Here we are in the show, we've got a copy of the bill, we're going to explain to you what the bill is. We're going to explain how it affects gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgendered people. We're going to will, you know, this is called being on top of the issue. And it really do prepare for a show. If you've got a three hour show do whether I'm the host or whoever the host, it takes time to prepare for it. Yes, it does. It really does. And I have to say it tell you it really makes me feel very good when you call in and when you do a pledge because it makes me feel like this preparation work has been worth something and and helps to keep the station on the Iraqis lens road. But still I want to say a personal thank you to the people who do pledge to the show, or to any of the shows on KPFA the station is very important to me it's important to us in the community. And although not everybody can come down here and volunteer to be on the air. Your pay your your check or your your charge pledge to this station is as good or better in many ways than her being coming down here. and talking for three hours. So thank you very much.

J Jimmy Carper 10:03

Thank you. Yes. And to make that pledge of support 526-573-8526 KPFT. Because, you know, I have a wonderful collection of queer music, because it's hard to find a lot of it. And so I have to go out and buy it myself. And I think I might do that anyway, because I really liked the music

go out and buy it myself. And I think I might do that anyway, because I really liked the music. And I really like having examples of all kinds of queer music. But it's not readily available here at the station. Every week, I kind of loved about 100 to 150 CDs, and he's got a milk carton full of compact.

S Sarah DePalma 10:47

It's not a milk carton, but one of those years plastic one of those things was a bag full of them. Yeah, because I really enjoy it. And there is a lot of preparation time for the show, no matter who the host is. What Jimmy is doing. One of the shows on the weekend was where it's all music, or whether Scott is in here, whether it's by the by Nick folks or in your whether it's me, it does take time. I mean, I've spent several hours working on the internet preparing for this and, and I know Scott spends time though, yeah. And your pledges, your pledges do mean a lot to us. It shows us that people are listening and they care.

J Jimmy Carper 11:24

You know, in the old days, one or two people could do a queer show a gay lesbian show, because not that much happened from week to week. And it was easy to keep up with it. It's right. nowadays. You know, things are happening fast and furious. I can't even keep up with the queer music that's coming out. I get my information from from gay and lesbian magazines. In fact, I got four groups. The other day from I came into the lobby during the day. And one of the people on the phones when they found out when I introduced myself, Oh, here are four groups from Canada who are queer. Uh, wow. Cool. Um, you know, in the process of trying to find those groups.

S Sarah DePalma 12:16

So the Canadians do something more than Molson golden? Yeah.

J Jimmy Carper 12:20

So I mean, that's how I get the information about nuclear groups.

S Sarah DePalma 12:26

Yeah, the number is 5265738. It's 526 KPFT. Where is marathon obviously, and we're talking about your pledges and why they're important. And, you know, I try not to, to beat people over the head. But the fact is, we need the money, the money is keeping the station on air. Any station has to have money. The difference between this station and if one of the commercial stations is that you want your mat again, Gallery Furniture ad, right? In the price of advertising here, it doesn't get built into something, you know, if you buy whatever product it is you buy, whether it's candy bars, or milk or whatever you want. You buy Blue Bell Ice Cream, you're paying for those singing calls and television, you know, I hear we're just being honest and saying, Look, folks, you've helped keep us on the air, it'll man just send it to us directly.

J Jimmy Carper 13:15

So we can we can really use that money.

S Sarah DePalma 13:18

Yes, we can. So 526 KPFT is very Hilsa. For those who can spell better than they can remember numbers are 5265738. All right, let's talk about this defensive Marriage Act because this is pretty important. Okay. Now, first of all, let me explain that this bill has already been introduced. And I have been speaking with Nancy Bure Meyer, who is the Senior Political advocate of for the Human Rights Campaign. And she's of the opinion that this bill has a very good chance of passing. Partly because it was one of the co sponsors of this bill in the Senate is Bob Dole. When is it coming up? Pretty fast. It's on an expedited track she told me which is another reason that they think this bill is got a good chance to pass unlike most bills, this is going they they she's convinced this is going to fly through committee because the Republicans control the committees and they want Bob Dole get what he wants for an election campaign. You have to understand how politics works. First of all, this defense this this act is clearly anti gay lesbian bisexual is more importantly though, Bob Dole needs to shore up his support with the right wing with the religious right. Now you remember there was this big flap over the accepting money from the Log Cabin Republicans? Oh, yes. Well, there's been a lot of criticism from the right wing people new republican party saying Bob Dole was soften homosexuality. Okay. Well, what they're saying is, well, you accepted the money, right? So now Bob Dole has to show the right wing people to he really is anti gay by God. And it's a calculus decision on his part that gays and lesbians probably we're not going to vote for him any way for so he needs to shore up support with a right wing. And here's the perfect bill to do it. Now, let's talk about what this bill does is the first thing the bill says that marriage is legal union between one man and one woman, as husband and wife, and a spouse as a husband, or wife of the opposite sex. You know, low, pay attention, folks, if you're gay and lesbian, and you want to get your, you want to have a legal marriage, not if this bill passes. If you're transgender, it raises some very interesting questions. No kidding. If you're like me, for example, and you've had your name change done and your gender changed on my licenses, female, all my stuff all says female, I'm living with female decided, suppose I chose to marry this person. Could I do it legally, I don't know that if this bill passes, I probably couldn't look low. So transgenders, who are sitting up and saying, Oh, this is a gay lesbian Bill ain't sell. On the other hand, if you're really gay and lesbian, you think I'm safe?

J Jimmy Carper 16:15

What happens to people who are already married?

S Sarah DePalma 16:19

Well, that's the other part of this bill. And this is the dangerous part of the bill. Takes a little explanation here for a second, there is a part of the Constitution that's called the Full Faith and Credit Clause. What it is, what it means very simply, is a law that was a marriage that took place in one state is recognized by all states, or divorce that took place in one state is

recognized, but all states, etc, etc. Okay, yes. Okay. This particular bill would say that works against the Full Faith and Credit Clause, it provides that no state shall be required to give effect to any public act of any other state respecting a relationship between persons of the same sex that is treated as a marriage under the laws of such other state. So if you think you're going to go to Hawaii and get married, and that your marriage is going to be recognized here in Texas, forget it, because if this law passes, Texas can say, oh, no, there's a law in the book says we don't have to recognize that marriage, and we won't.

J Jimmy Carper 17:25

When they're trying to hurry that bill through the through the-

S Sarah DePalma 17:29

Senate, this is not this is on there is a corresponding bill on in the House of Representatives. It is being supported by Newt Gingrich and Tom DeLay what used to arise, it is on expedited passage, it is expected to sail through committee HRC is very worried about this bill. I've talked to folks at the end the National Gay Lesbian Task Force. They are very worried about this bill.

J Jimmy Carper 17:54

Now, and I'll bet they want to get through it to see what the President does.

S Sarah DePalma 18:01

Well, that's part of it. Yes, in that you're right. That's a very politically astute observation. First of all, it puts Bob Dole on record saying no, I am anti gay. So because the whole Shimon gay vote anyway, right. So so so Christian coalition folks, vote for me see, I'm not as bad as cats. I'm not as liberal as it says I am. Okay, which is very strange. But that's the thinking here. And you're right, what? Bill Clinton in a position of vetoing the bill, right, which would make white pro gay. I don't know. That's what they would push it. Now you have to understand right now, there are 24 states that have introduced bills to deny recognition of same sex marriages. Yes. In two states, Utah and South Dakota have already approved such a law. Haven't some states rejected 17 states are still looking at it. Now, here's what's going on. In Hawaii, you got a situation where the Supreme Court is likely going to say a gay marriages ought to be illegal. The Hawaiian legislature doesn't want to recognize the bill. Oh, okay. So you got a judicial bill coming down with this with a Hawaiian legislature saying, We don't want it? It feels because this bill passes, it could essentially invalidate anything that happens in Hawaii in Hawaii, right? I mean, it's a very strange right out of existence. Now. Here's something else to consider. Another reason that they want this bill to pass concerns federal benefits. The federal government extends benefits, rights and privileges to people who are married in generally accepts a state's definition of marriage. This bill will help the government defend its own traditional his words, traditional and common sense definition of marriage and spouse. So no domestic partnership law right in the federal government, because this law would prohibit it Interesting. No, I get that. Yeah.

J Jimmy Carper 20:02

Audience read this bill is, is posing here, this is just this is incredible all the strides we've made in the past 10 years are going right down the toe.

S Sarah DePalma 20:10

I would shoot it right down the toilet. And finally, what it would do is there's something called the Family and Medical Leave Act. Now what this was was a bill passed in 1993. That said, if you're about to have a baby, in, for example, and you want your husband to stay home with you, for this fit, they had to allow you to take the time off, right? You didn't have you wouldn't get it with pay, right? Well, now, for example, you also have to hold your job, right? So there are lesbian couples who are hurt doing this the artificial insemination right now. It would deny them this family we owe. So you understand how discriminatory now this law would be if this passed. This is called the Defense of Marriage Act. That ought to tell you something. Now, the lead person on this bill is Senator Nichols, who I believe is from Oklahoma. We tried to speak to Senator Nichols when we were doing lobbying, and he told us flatly, there were no transgendered people in Oklahoma.

J Jimmy Carper 21:11

Well, that may be true that get the hell out-.

S Sarah DePalma 21:13

That welfare smartwood. Yeah, you're probably right. Now, the the actual wording of the of the bill says no state territory or position of the United States or even Indian tribe, shall be required to give effect to any public act record or judicial proceeding of any other state, etc, etc, between persons of the same sex that is treated as marriage under the law. Bingo, there it is. That's it. So folks need to get on the phone with your legislator, whoever your legislator is in the house or in the Senate, you hopefully know who they are. You need to get on the phone with them and say, I do vote. You have got to work against this Defense of Marriage Act. Now, one thing that you really need to understand about this bill is if it passes, folks, you're the any idea of same sex marriages are over. That's right, get over this. I wanted to bring this to your attention. Nancy, your Meyer asked me if I would talk about it on the air tonight. And I said I would. If you remember a year ago, at this time, the transgender folks and the Human Rights Campaign fund were beating each other over the head. Now we are working together in Congress on this and many other bills. This is a bill that we absolutely have to work together and stop. Because it does affect transgenders. It affects gays and lesbians. There is no part of the community listening to us tonight. But it wouldn't it wouldn't affect us. Right. That's everybody. Oh, I'm sorry.

R Roy McCarthy 22:48

Yeah, I'd like to just add one little point to what you were saying there. Yeah. Roi is very important that we do contact contact our people in Congress and our senators. Hand

handwritten letter to a senator.

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Sarah DePalma 23:05

They consider that 5000 votes. That's exactly right. Because I worked as an aide to Senator Lowell Weicker for two years in the US Senate and exactly right.

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Roy McCarthy 23:14

And the form letters that they get the senator never sees that an agency that and it gets scored by an aide pro or con and gets put in a file box until it gets gay high and then they present it to their their boss or senator-.

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Sarah DePalma 23:30

And it simply numbers often without much explanation. So it doesn't mean like even when the senator gets it-.

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Roy McCarthy 23:34

Right but your handwritten letter to our to your Senator, then your congressman means a heck of a lot so like so says we got to contact our people up there in Congress your you don't have to know the exact office number. Just write to our senator to the US Senator at the sob I mean, the Senate office that was a slip-.

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Jimmy Carper 23:58

Yeah, right. It was Yeah, I sure I know it was.

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Roy McCarthy 24:02

I just wanted to back up but what Sarah was saying because that is so incredibly important. I had no idea.

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Sarah DePalma 24:10

Is the one of the things that that people I don't think they understand is the next interview we do do with the interviewer Meyer we're going to talk about that. Oh yeah, we need to efficiently This is 90.1 KPFT in Houston in 89.1k els College Station Jimmy is doing this breaking thing with his hands like station right station right.



J Jimmy Carper 24:34

FCC regulations say that we have to do the station break in the in the window five minutes of or five minutes after?

R Roy McCarthy 24:42

Yeah, and I just got lost the more we're talking-.

J Jimmy Carper 24:45

About another stations they do it like every three minutes until you want to puke the most.

S Sarah DePalma 24:51

Annoying station but far it's sunny 99.1 If I never hear that thing is too soon. 99.10 Shut up. Oh, wow. I'm sorry. I'm just one of those moods tonight. But what Roy was saying about reading your congress people is right now here's the thing that really concerns me. Because this is an election year in because this bill is on a fast track. This means we've got to mobilize yesterday. Yeah, no kidding. So you really need to get on the phones immediately. Nancy here Meyer would not be that worked up about this. If she wasn't convinced of it. I have talked to several people of the at the end gITF, they are every bit is worried. It takes them a little longer to gear up, because they're more of a grassroots group. But you're going to be hearing a lot more about this. So I really encourage you, and you need to let people know if they vote for this bill. You're gonna vote against him, folks. You know, that the Christian right he has a whole list of stuff. If you vote for abortion, I'm gonna vote against you. Well, you better write your people and say to them, Listen, this bill is important to me. And I will vote against you and basis. That'll set us back 10 years. Yeah, we can afford him that kind of thing to one.

J Jimmy Carper 26:13

So whether you're for or against same sex marriage, really has nothing to do with it. Because a lot, a lot of who we are. And what we are is based on this. And this will just set us back.

S Sarah DePalma 26:29

If this is this is it this goes through the folks that end pointed out something that I hadn't occurred to me there were saying, yes, it's true all around the country that right now we're beginning to see a lot of gay and lesbian adoptions. We're beginning to see a lot of gay and lesbian artificial insemination. Yes. The question that's being asked by the end is if this bill passed, what happens then? For example, would that prevent people gay lesbians from being able to adopt children? It might? It might. What happens to a child, it's conceived from artificial insemination were being taken away from you. Yeah. What about medical benefits? I mean, they're, you know, it goes on and it goes on and on and on. This could be very, very serious in the end in both of these organizations taking very seriously, and we should do so enough of

that. But it's called the defensive Marriage Act. You have heard it, you're probably first I would think so. I just downloaded it off the internet today. In so I really encourage you get on the phone with your congress, people. Raise Hill. Give me get some stuff there.

J Jimmy Carper 27:38

I've got Yeah, a few things I want to talk about in the queer community. First of all, I want to talk about lambda roller skating club. They use, let's say they meet. Oh, gosh, I don't have the right one. It's there. They made it. Starlight at here it is. Starlight skating rink, 8075 Cook road every Wednesday night. It used to be confusing because it was like first and third or something like that something you could never remember. But now it's every Wednesday night. And it's eight to 10pm Starlight skating rink at 75 Cook road prices went up. We can't mention prices. But every week, part of the admission price is goes for a benefit to some worthy group. And on May 29, which is a Wednesday couple of Wednesdays from now. They were the group that will be benefiting will be the gay and lesbian switchboard. So you know, I'll be there. Let's say 10% review is playing this is a four person gay play with lots of music. That's, that's the Joe watts. Play of the year. So let's say word to music by Tom Wilson Weinberg who's done a lot of gay and lesbian music over the over the years. Opening April 28. Okay, so it's already open. It opened and it's through June 16. That ovations 2536 b times Boulevard at 7pm tickets reasonably priced reservations at 5222204.

S Sarah DePalma 29:38

Jimmy is just got a ton of stuff.

J Jimmy Carper 29:40

Oh, I do. I've got the hard newsletter. Don't want he's got an outdoor group. These these are these are queers who like to camp or do other things out you know, they just don't it's not just camping they you know, bicycle riding or you know, all kinds of all kinds of things. is let's see what else Midtown journal-.

S Sarah DePalma 30:06

Just a stack of papers over there.

J Jimmy Carper 30:09

We got a nice write up in the Midtown journal. Oh what did we lose the spa? Oh yeah town spa.

S Sarah DePalma 30:16

They talked about After Hours in their monthly journal but that's not gonna take all the publicity we can get.



Jimmy Carper 30:23

Yeah and it's because we're very pro spots here because it's a nice safe place for a man to go and beat each other and have sex-.



Sarah DePalma 30:35

Never been in one never had any desire to simply story.



Jimmy Carper 30:43

Yes, Sydney. seaward a que en ws anchor in a way to one Yes. Has been waging the war on the other epidemic breast cancer. She's fighting for the right to choose her treatment of choice on May 22, Wednesday that that there's going to be a fundraiser there at Jr's Pacific Street from six to nine. AMC is this Vicki Shaw? And hors d'oeuvres provided by the rainbow Lodge? Ooh, Taskbar silent auction. Tickets. Well, it's a fundraiser so tickets are 20 bucks.



Sarah DePalma 31:28

That's right, but it's going but it's gonna get.



Jimmy Carper 31:30

Yeah, it's a good fundraiser. If you want more information, call 523 9611 That's, you know, it's really opened my eyes. I used to think as a gay man. I'm not, you know, aware of breast cancer things I'm and I actually until Pat Parker, the black poet, lesbian poet died of breast cancer. I thought it was breast cancer was like a thing of the past.



Sarah DePalma 31:58

But it's very one of the strange things about about transition. Is that sometimes we get to things relate, I just had my very first mammogram ever. Oh, it was very strange experience because I had no idea what to expect, I guess. I would guess that women you know, who have had a chance to grow up and talk to their moms and things or I've heard it was old. It was very cold. It was a little bit uncomfortable. It was not painful. But it was my first experience with it. And it's it's I recommend it. I mean, it was kind of interesting to get this stuff back. I didn't expect to find them to be and of course there wasn't but still it's one of those there is what is there.



Jimmy Carper 32:41

Is there any record really stats on percentage of transgender people?

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Sarah DePalma 32:47

No, I don't think there's enough knowledge about it actually to do to get a straight answer on that. But it's what after being on hormones a couple of years, you know, no, yeah. And so I thought it was kind of interesting. It was my my first one it was nothing but was no big deal. I mean, the whole thing. The whole thing probably doesn't take more than 10 minutes. But it's yeah, this is we're talking about breast cancer. I really recommend it.

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Jimmy Carper 33:09

Ah talk on access Houston comedic community TV has a new program hosted with Matt Lachlan talking about AIDS and the new treatments. And there's a whole schedule of when, when it's going to be shown starting Monday May 13, through the 21st at like 6pm 7pm You know, it's not late at night anymore. So, you know, check your table for for that.

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Sarah DePalma 33:44

Give me one was out of some music. We'll go to the second interview, and then we can come back and do some more.

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Jimmy Carper 33:48

You get one more there. Yeah, there's there's one more that I wanted to talk about because it's tomorrow. The whorehouse girls present tropical, great name. It's a benefit show at the ranch. That's at 9200 Buffalo speedway. Now this is a fundraiser for three different organizations Miss camp America, the gay and lesbian switchboard and stone soup that's happening tomorrow Sunday, May 12.

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Sarah DePalma 34:20

At eight o'clock sharp they say I believe that when I see it. I have very Solon ever gone to a drag show that ever started on time.

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Jimmy Carper 34:31

I know. And actually at the same time, I will be at the DRB because KCRA is putting on a benefit show and they are awarding the gay and lesbian switchboard over \$3,000 God knows they need it. That that'll run us for quite a few months. So I'm really as treasurer I'm really proud to-

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Sarah DePalma 34:56

Say somebody that wouldn't be nice. It is still On marathon, our number is still five to six KPFT.

Yes, it is or five to six, five sensory skills. And and we still need your money. Okay, that's enough of that. Let's go to a piece of music. This is Rohan offski. In Philips. In after what we were just talking about, I thought it'd be interesting to go to a piece of musical a family of lovers. Yes. And when we come back, we'll talk about the next interview, which will be with Dallas Guinea. Romanovski and Phillips, of letters. And Jimmy is looking at our pledges. No, we're doing very well.

 Jimmy Carper 35:39

I don't have anybody to thank recently, but we're doing very well for tonight. We're good to him.

 Sarah DePalma 35:48

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 Jimmy Carper 35:49

Before we go on, let me get this in real quick because I almost forgot the mother of Montrose contest is going on today because it's Mother's Day at Mary's naturally at four o'clock at and it's a benefit for the Pride Parade the climatized seating project, the what climatized seat seating project, you know, because it's so hot. A lot of people were complaining that they they are friends of theirs, especially people with AIDS couldn't attend the parade because it was so hot. And so they arranged to have a an area set aside kind of climatized now they're not saying air conditioned probably fans or something they do. They keep the air moving. Oh, that's a good idea. But so this is a fundraiser for that. And it's the mother of Montrose contest. Rainbow declined when it last year will be presiding over and cramming the new mother of Montrose.

 Sarah DePalma 36:54

Now I'm glad you mentioned that because I meant to talk about that. Transgender organizations are marching in the parade this year for the first time ever good. We've never marched in the parade brought the Pride Parade. But we are going to this year. It's Time Texas paved the way and we're going to march calling ourselves the transgender caucus. And I've already got people coming in from Dallas, as opposed to coming from Corpus Christi. Now it looks like we have a pretty good contingent marching in the parade and be the first time transgenders have had their mark as a separate entity in the grid. That's another one of the first coming up I guess. Good deal. It's about time. Yes, it is. Okay, let's go to this interview. The person that we're going to be listening to her name is Dallas Danny and she runs an organization called Aegis, the American educational gender information service. And when we come back, we'll talk about that a little bit. But first of all, I will tell you that her name is Dallas Denny, this is KPFT in Houston, it is still marathon. We still do need your money. And please even though the interviews on sin money, please thank you very much.

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