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## SPEAKERS

Chris Harrison, Bobby, Roy McCarthy

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 **Bobby** 00:00

Folks that Enron arguably have caused more damage to more people in what they did. Yeah. And that's and that's and

 **Chris Harrison** 00:09

they're not even getting a slap on the wrist. You know, they're

 **Bobby** 00:12

only just now charging these folks. The city

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pensions. I mean, our our city politicians have done worse by our city employees and their pension plans where they all go. Yeah,

 **Chris Harrison** 00:25

I mean, it's there's a lot of bats. I mean, a lot of people out there who have done really bad things to millions of people with me with Enron. Worldcom all these other people and let's pick on Martha.

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What you know, because she's a bag AG. Yeah.

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Chris Harrison 00:41

You talked to her neighbors. Yeah, she's a bitch. Big deal. Amen. So, let's talk about something besides Martha.

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I think part of the one pertinent thing that I did read in the newspaper this morning was one comment from man, sort of, um, this quote, so I'm not going to try to make a direct quote, but comparing it to the fact that like, she was a woman who learned how to play hardball with men. And they had to find a way to put her back in her place.

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Chris Harrison 01:11

She she grew Oh, ovum, and they couldn't handle it. Well,

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she had too much power and like no woman's supposed to rise to that level. Yeah.

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Roy McCarthy 01:19

Sitting on the board of trustees of the New York Stock Exchange.

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Chris Harrison 01:24

Yeah, I mean, she hit the glass ceiling bursts through and it's like, okay, but if you're gonna break through the ceiling, we're gonna pull out the

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Bobby 01:31

rug. That wasn't in her Wonka Vader at the time.

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Chris Harrison 01:34

But now it's a napkin

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rings didn't save her again.

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Roy McCarthy 01:42

She is so popular that I N. The public is just in really in such an uproar. Chris, what you're saying now? You're not the only one. I mean, most Americans are feeling the same amount of outrage and miscarriage of justice that has been perpetrated against Martha, that I honestly believe that when she's done during her time, if she does any at all, she'll be back better than ever with

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Chris Harrison 02:07

a vengeance. Because, I mean, literally, there's there's a bunch of I mean, unfortunately, he just she didn't have nice little letters that said GW GW be on the letterhead. And that's what that's what helps her I was what didn't help her is the fact you know, she didn't smooze the right people didn't Griese the right palms, and so she got spanked now

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Roy McCarthy 02:31

wasn't a part of Halliburton.

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Chris Harrison 02:35

No, I mean, now the one thing I'll say that's good about it. Okay. Is they kept showing the star witness against her. And he was good looking. Oh, my God. Isn't

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Bobby 02:45

he cute?

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Chris Harrison 02:46

He's family, I believe. Yes. Yeah, it got went once it was like, when first of all, it's like, is he family? Is he not? And then all of a sudden, it's gay stockbroker? Was it? David or Dennis? David? I think it is David feather. starts it starts with an F in my hand starts going there. So sorry. For the Tuneln or I know that I know that. There's like two C's in a row followed by an eye in the middle of it there. So leave that move out. Please. I can't I do that to my Italian Italian fag. And

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Bobby 03:25

we're going to do right get the wrist action down right okay.

C Chris Harrison 03:34

When it comes to wrist action on a You don't gotta get the last

R Roy McCarthy 03:41

circle. Okay, but going back with Enron, agitator, what's her name? was original whistleblower, the first guy to make a deal so to speak. Right was one of the treasurer guys. He was he's not any past style that he passed

C Chris Harrison 04:00

down. No, that's right. He's married with Leah Fastow.

R Roy McCarthy 04:02

This is a family guy. Yep. No,

C Chris Harrison 04:06

not the family guy. He

B Bobby 04:07

was he's he was the family. And

R Roy McCarthy 04:11

he was a he was a hottie. Oh, and he didn't have to do anytime.

C Chris Harrison 04:15

Oh, please. The watch guy to go with the eye all the time as I sit here and talk talking about the amount of time he spent in the judge's chambers. banging the gavel, banging the gavel. I may have talked down about same sex marriage here for time for a while here lately about data. I'll give you one good reason why I like it. Have you seen the mayor in New York? Who the 26 year old Mayor straight he's got gay friends who's started marrying people he's been charged with 19 counts of solid maizing A marriage without a license. Yeah. Hey, it, I mean, it's just cute. It's 26. He's Green Party.

R Roy McCarthy 05:08

Well, the guy who dances, that's where he that's where he messed up. He's Green Party,

**B** Bobby 05:14

the San Francisco Mayor who, who, who created a healthy part of this, you know, thing at the beginning, that guy straight and I happen to think he's cute now, I mean, but again, this was a straight guy, and you go, Oh my god, there are straight people out there who see us as human beings

**C** Chris Harrison 05:35

and the good. And the gay mayor of Syracuse, New York, went down with his partner to try and get a marriage license. They turned him around, and he got it in writing. And he's still trying to figure out what he's going to do to do this, because he feels empowered enough of what's happening, of what are you seeing around there? We've got cities all over the country now who are issuing these marriage licenses? And, you know, we're going to see how it's going to all play when, you know, the Supreme Court gets involved in here, because, you know, we may think of we may think that, you know, we had the sodomy case, we won that. Five, four. But, you know, it's hard to say how things are gonna line up, because I mean, we just got released from Justice Blackburn's minutes. And Roe v. Wade, was a lot closer than we thought he flip flopped at the end to, to approve it. So we You can't judge what you think is going to be happening? Well, I guess the Supreme Court, and this is going to end up in a Supreme Court issue. Well, I know

**R** Roy McCarthy 06:41

this, the far as a constitutional amendment is concerned this week, the the United States Senate constitutional amendment committee, was formed with Texas Senator John Cornyn, as the committee chair now. And it's going to be a real battle. In the New York Times, they quoted our Richard Land, who's president of the Southern Baptist Convention thingamajiggy. Right. He says he has not seen any issue that has mobilized his group not even abortion, like civil, like gay marriage. And he said that they're in this, you know, for the long haul, and that we had better understand that this is not for the dilettantes, or for the weekend warriors. Jesse Jackson, Jesse Jackson has abandoned us. He's by saying that gays were never called three fifths human. You know? Yeah. Coming out against this. What

**C** Chris Harrison 07:43

what it is, is there's a lot of talk that come on, there's a lot of polarization we get with the African American community. Because, you know, we talk about the fact that this is the civil rights movement of this, of this generation. That's, it's like the, the African American struggle. And yes, it was written in the constitution to the three fifths rule. Okay, we can hear you in there, people. I'm turning down your mics now. I mean, it was written in the Constitution that an African American is only three fifths of a human being. And, yes, people were imported on over to this country to work. And that, but you know, and unfortunately, it took 200 years to get that solved, if to get it. Not solved, but to get it, at least working on it, of being solved to

inequality. But you know, what we go through? It's, unfortunately, it's nowadays, you know, you could you the worst thing you call someone was an N word back then. And now, it is the climate change, people were able to, there's not as much trouble with being African American. Yes, you still get the James Byrd instances, you get stuff along those lines. But, you know, we still get things around when we talk about, we've got kids taking guns to school because they're called faggot all the time. We get people hit upside the head, walking down the street, here because they think they're gay. So there is a civil rights struggle on there. And you know, we're talking about putting hatred into the Constitution. Former candidate Howard Dean, during the beginning of his campaign said if we're not careful, the conservative side is going to turn this into the 3g issue. God guns and gays. And they're doing that is where it's heading. And you know, we're in easy enough target.

 Roy McCarthy 09:53

I think we were convenient Target and I think that whenever they want to raise money for anything They always are using us. I mean, I think the Republican Party is now going to take a page right off of the televangelists how to televangelists raise money, talking about the Gay Agenda and talking about bags and all this sort of stuff. And the Republicans are going to do the same exact thing.

 Chris Harrison 10:20

Why don't we do this? Let's hopeless. Hold on. Remember, I turned down your microphone, because you guys were in their convention. You may speak well,

 Bobby 10:28

I, you know, I'm maybe I'm just being a hopeless optimist. But I am really hoping that we that some part of us, as a society has come far enough that it won't take 200 years for change. Oh, yeah, another, you know, another 200 years for some kind of? Well,

 Chris Harrison 10:50

I mean, we've come a long way, baby. Since Stonewall, we still got a ways to go.

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I just can't help feeling like this whole gay marriage thing is such a smokescreen for what's really going on is it. I mean, it's like pull out, pull the fact card out whenever it's appropriate to play so that we don't look at what's really going on between Venezuela and Haiti and Iraq. And like the bloodbath the man is really causing, I mean, you know, like the 1000s

 Chris Harrison 11:17

of people who have been killed under his authority, the fact the economy is in the toilet, our jobs are being outsourced to the dispatch, we just, we're in control of the third largest oil reserves in the world. And, you know, I paid a buck 55 A gallon for gas today. And Hawaii, you're paying \$2.25 A gallon out the way and I'm gonna have in Hawaii. As the fortunate thing, you don't have far to drive. But you know, how far you are driving in Hawaii, you buy a fifth of buy a fifth of vodka and you pour it in the gas tank. But you're good to go. It's ethanol. But you know, we're sitting here we're talking about how much how much the homosexuals are going to ruin marriage. And you know, someone's putting a fact on here that, you know, George Bush is so. So pro marriage, how come he's going to spend time fundraising here in Houston, rather than in Crawford at his brother's marriage at his wedding ceremony? Well, the brother who is getting married is Neil Bush, who was recently divorced from his wife, who cited such things as the fact that he would go to trips overseas and had prostitutes come to his his Rotel room and fold around. But he really didn't think there were prostitutes, because he didn't pay the bill. Somebody else paid it for him. Oh, he's



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like a real person. Yeah.



C Chris Harrison 12:51

So it's like, okay, he just got divorced. He's getting remarried. Now, gay marriage isn't around when this all happened? How did we affect his marriage? How did we affect Newt Gingrich telling his his wife on her cancer recovery bed, that I'm sorry, I'm treating you in for a younger model. Rudy Giuliani doing that to his wife



R Roy McCarthy 13:17

and move, but you didn't move. Gay guys.



B Bobby 13:21

Elevated Giuliani to near sainthood have been having come from New York. I sort of look at that and go, you've got to be 911 elevated that man to near sainthood among New Yorkers. And then and now we're all sort of looking at him and going Oh, guess what? He's human. And he is not a saint and he's you know



C Chris Harrison 13:49

Alright, let's do this. Let's put a little bit of music in your ear. Let's regroup and we'll be back in just a moment. So let's hit this and let me put here this is a dedication out this is one of the songs that smiley has requested when we lay eggs and this is a song that I kind of enjoy playing or whenever I don't steal Pet Shop Boys when Jimmy's not around this is one I usually start the show off with a movie it is and it's erasure and it's a song that I think most of us can agree with. Give me a man after midnight Oh yes, we are back. The first part of that song in

German we dedicate to the President. Yes, I had to make a political statement on the wave. This is after our school radio with attitude on KPFA He coming up the top of the hour is oh god Rasta man vibrations.

 **Bobby 15:08**

I swear I keep wanting to say God had a show on this.

 **Chris Harrison 15:11**

No, this is this is a station used to carry the atheist network I don't know what it is but for some reason your mind goes blank. I mean with all the years I've been here for some reason. I think it's because I what I started doing more and more of the shows that I was on air and towards the end of it here. My mind kind of like how Jimmy still says College Station at the beginning of the show. My mind automatically starts clicking in the show after me exotica, Pasquale, as I started to say that I'm going to know what's not Zydeco possible as I just takes a second for my mind to click into that. On that, but this is the roundtable segments we've talked about Martha, we've talked about bush. We've talked about all the evils of the world, I guess, Martha Stewart, George Bush, strangely enough, Martha's the one going to jail How the hell they figured that one out?

 **Bobby 16:09**

And Bush continues to be President. Well, why can't Martha just take bush with her? Big Oh, not that

 **Chris Harrison 16:22**

good one. But now the insulate. So let's see we've we touched a little one gay marriage talking about who's the hot mayor. That's what we need. We need a sexy mayor here for Houston.

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No reality show. Pick the hot man. What do you think about the new HPD chief that's coming in?

 **Chris Harrison 16:43**

I haven't really looked at it. I was actually called and asked my opinion on it because I'm with being Chair of cube patrol. But I didn't get the message till after went to press. So I didn't get to put in my two cents worth. You know, I get a little I get a little difficulty with doing city politics stuff because I don't live in the city of Houston. Once we get once Houston gets a Republican

mayor, I'll probably be in the city limits to Houston. Because once we get someone who's conservative, they're going to look out there and go, Huh, middle class, well to do conservative guess we need them in the city. So I'm still

R Roy McCarthy 17:27

we're gonna redraw the city. Line.

C Chris Harrison 17:29

Oh, yeah. So they're having the city of Houston is their board, we will assimilate you. And you know, I mean, I'm sitting in to the south me as city of Houston, the north of me, their city of Houston. East is Jersey village. So I'm waiting for the pincher pincer move to come in and take over my park, because there's been a lot of development in the area. And I see that coming soon. But, you know, I don't really follow as much with city politics than that of who's mayor and police chief and all that. Although, I mean, I do a lot of stuff on Saturdays that involve myself with the police department and what goes on there. You know, the simple fact is whoever comes in to be police chief. You know, they've got to, they've got a scandal that they'd have to put arrest with the crime lab, and how many people who have innocent maybe sitting in prison, how many cases how many people who are guilty who are walking free, because they screwed up, which no one talks about that portion close, get his officers in line who are screwing up, get the officers in line and get in and basically have to get stuff together. And you know, a lot of things have changed over the years here. And you know, Houston is getting bigger, it's getting some more spread out. We need more police officers. We need more firemen out there. But we just don't need bodies. We need people who know what they're doing and know the community and what who they're dealing with in the specific areas. Yeah, here in the Montrose the mantra substation, we have some pretty good officers who are the ones who regularly get assigned here. But we also get the fact that because this is the Montrose and that station is 24/7. We get a lot of officers in who are basically trying to just get in some overtime. And it's a good way to come in here and Pat up time. So they may not know the neighborhood they may not know the people and the vibe or you drive around the Montrose enough and you start to know things and you start to pick up on certain things. And you know, you bring in somebody new like that, and who's just gonna come in this week and maybe they'll be in here a couple months later. You don't get a feel for that. You don't have a taste for it. Basically, you end up driving around finding every car you can that's illegally parked and start ticketing and then the vulture swarm in, which is the kind word of saying tow truck drivers. You know, we have to give them some time. You know, you can't sit there and say, you know, I mean, he's, he's only he's not even officially the police chief yet he hasn't even been confirmed by the city council just the mayor said, this is the guy who I want. So, gotta give him a chance. I mean, it's that's that plain and simple. It's you can't say he's gonna be good, bad or indifferent. Just because what he did out in Arizona. I mean, people had issues with Lee Brown. I mean, he was police commissioner in Atlanta, when they had the Atlanta murders, child murder, 43 kids were killed. He was police commissioner in New York City, then he came here to Houston and then it became drugs are and then came back to the mayor. So it's hard to say what all is going to happen until you guys get something on there. And you know, it's going to take him being tested on something. When the new police chief comes in and has to do that his first big test is going to be the all star game, you know, so I'm feeling security for that. But

B Bobby 21:02

I, I, you know, everybody knows that I walk everywhere in this neighborhood. You know, I don't own a car. So I see. So I have the time to see what's going on in the neighborhood around me. And I can't help but really think, and I've been here, you know, most of the last 14 years. And I can't help but think that recently, I'm just seeing more things in the neighborhood that shouldn't be. Shouldn't that scare me. And it takes a lot to scare me. Like what I'm seeing when when I first started hanging out, and walking and all that I made friends with a lot of the kids who were, you know, homeless kids, street rats, all of that. Yeah. Today, I'm seeing people who I wouldn't come within, you know, 30 feet of, for fear of getting, you know, stabbed or shot. Yeah, you know, and that was that scares me. I mean, that this when I first got here, it was this was a quiet neighborhood. It had its street kids it had its, it had its bed spots, or whatever. But I was never afraid. I'll never felt like I had a reason to be afraid. Or like, Oh, now, there are times when I'm walking in certain spots where there's just that apprehension, it's not out not fear, but it's apprehension. And it's apprehension that wasn't there before.

C Chris Harrison 22:42

Because what you have now is a lot of people especially coming down with some of the some of the street kids, you know, a lot of them are runaways, throw aways, who are out here, because of that, a lot of them, it's just you know, they can make money, and they can get drugs. There's a lot of that as well. And unfortunately, it gets into society of you know, we're not talking about medicinal marijuana, we're talking about the harder stuff crack cocaine. And you get these guys out here who will do anything for that fix. And, you know, they'll, they'll sooner stab you as they will look at you. And that's that's an unfortunate thing we've seen in this community is that what's happened over the years is there's that dynamic has changed. And, you know, that's one thing but I don't think we can sit we can blame the straight yuppies who have moved into the Montrose I will blame them for the gentrification and putting up all the corrugated tin townhomes. But you know, the dynamic of what is out on the street and all that. That's, that's culture in general culture all around? It's

B Bobby 23:50

I don't know, to me, it seems like a lot of that changed at the same time, though. You know, as if, when, when all those when the gentrification came, so did that, that opposite end? Well,

C Chris Harrison 24:04

it could be the people were more were families, you're coming in here, and going over to the ward for a quick fix. But you know, I mean, we weren't in the situation where the, the Society of what the people are out there doing is, you know, some of these guys are out working on a street corner selling themselves so they go over and buy a rock. And, you know, let's face it, if you're 18 you're 19 years old, you know, you know, you're not gonna get a woman. I mean, you're gonna be straight as a board. But you know, you know, no woman is going to pay you 40 bucks to fool around with her. She and no way as a woman are going to pay 20 bucks for her to go down on you. Because you can come here to the Montrose and you'll find some guy to do that. And, you know, you close your eyes and you don't care. It's because you know, you're,

you're getting they're getting their wrongs. You're getting a rock you're getting, you're getting what you want, your fix of what you need. And I mean, I have you talking about former roommates and I had one that was wanted to be a dancer, over the clubs. And he wanted to he kept talking. Now not that not that Mikey, the other Mikey, he, he wanted to he, he was straight and he dances DJs. And he said he one time he'd finally get in torque at La bear. It's like, you know, the women Ella bear. Don't want a 19 year old boy. They want some guy to come off that stage, sweep them off their feet, take them home, make them dinner, bring home a nice paycheck. If a woman wanted to screw a 19 year old boy should order a pizza.

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Roy McCarthy 25:40

Well, not only that, but the kind of men adalah bear are not the kind of men physically, the type of men that bear are not a 19 year old cannot attain because

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Chris Harrison 25:54

yeah, these are the muscle bound guys, and they've been laid out for years. And a lot of them are gay. That's how they can not. That's how come they can avoid getting hard on when they're dancing for you know, the guys that dance in the street in the gay clubs. You know, a lot of them are straight guys out there trying to get some money. And they know that, you know, there's one place for men to dance for women here. There's a lot of places where men can dance for other men. And it's amazing. You can have you how much money they can get. You just just pretend. And I went out one time with Maya. She's now my sister in law. And I made a comment that one of the dancers I said that guy's straight. She goes, How can you tell? I said, watch what happens when some guy comes up to tip him. And he put his hand on right below his belly button holding the his bikini reef there so that you can pull off to the side and talk a buck. But you couldn't see where you were talking. That guy straight he doesn't want to show. So no, no, no,

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Roy McCarthy 27:01

it'd be nice.

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Chris Harrison 27:02

Yeah, let's do some news. Do we have anything happy in here? Any happy news, Rosie O'Donnell and her longtime lover get married? Yeah, Rosie O'Donnell got married. She knows. That was like two weeks ago, wouldn't it? No, it was it was this past week that she, we've had a lot of stuff that happened this past week that she started off there. And she basically she just said, you know, Bush pissed me off with the State of the Union. I'm getting married. She does that a lot. It's like, you know, how dare Florida say I can adopt children. I'm gonna go adopt children. And I'm gonna move to Florida and adopt children. Not just one, three, yeah, whole herd of kids. So now Rosie O'Donnell is married, there was a rumor going around that Elton John was going to get married. And he turned around and squashed that little rumor.

B Bobby 27:52

Today, they that, you know, you've got Congress, people calling it like a tidal wave of this or, and it's like, you know, there was a time when they used to refer to this, that kind of thing as civil disobedience. Yeah, you know, and no matter what it is that you're doing, that says okay, I do not accept things as they are. So I am going to do this in direct violation of, or because I see it in a certain way.

C Chris Harrison 28:21

It also comes down to the fact you know, there's there's a fine line between freedom fighter and terrorist. Yeah. And is depending on who's writing the story. And is the same thing we get with this side of the issue. Are you anti anti Christian anti constitution if you agree to same sex marriage? Or are you following the letter of the law which says, you know, the state constitution of California says, You can't discriminate for sexual orientation. But you can turn around discriminate because someone can't get a marriage license. So has anybody heard

B Bobby 28:57

good news this week? I mean, just something that wants to make you smile about the world.

C Chris Harrison 29:06

Okay, I'm gonna do a shameless plug I got a big picture and outsmart

R Roy McCarthy 29:11

you Yes, it is a big Chris You are nowhere near as big as

C Chris Harrison 29:16

see you miss meeting Dominic. He was here once for that with the Houston big men's club there you know we were told it was gonna be a small picture and but they blew it up they add you page picture

R Roy McCarthy 29:37

give it give it another shameless plug. You got a big conference. You're gonna be airing when? In two

C Chris Harrison 29:46

weeks from now on the show after hours news views magazine is going to be on the third Saturday which is when you heard on what your soldiers while you heard what he named?

Saturday which is why you hear on a what your soldiers while you heard what's her name? That's why jewel was on earlier here. We're gonna be doing a kind of a town hall meeting from the eastern Renaissance. Hotel we're bringing in 150 to 200 Big guys and admirers here to Houston and looking forward to a really good time and seeing some a lot of new people out there making some amazing new friends and just having some some fun times. And we're gonna get into some serious topics discussion on boy you do the show here so tune in for that and a couple of weeks you got some background music in there where we we've got it's great. You had to give me the pole lock name.

R Roy McCarthy 30:32

Thomas Can we buy while

C Chris Harrison 30:36

I'm allowed to make Pollachi jokes. I am one. Thomas Ranas just was this fee. Come on. Help me checkmate. Prednisone ski.

R Roy McCarthy 30:50

Okay, now see Chris. No, Chris, don't you mock my Spanish even though I'm half Cuban. You can pronounce the Polak name.

B Bobby 30:58

I've never heard you speak a word of Spanish

C Chris Harrison 31:00

Alinsky has trouble with my last name. Yeah, well, we'll just say this guy is drop dead gorgeous and the song is toward the dome toward the dawn. You've been listening to after hours queer radio with attitude and if you can't figure it out, we've got attitude that we do love to hear from you. You can send us a mail snail mail at Ford at after hours. KPFT for 19 Love it. And that's Houston. L O V E T T I should have turned his mic off. Houston, Texas 77006 is not just a zip code it's a lifestyle. Or you haven't heard that in a long time. Yeah, you can also send us an email. We like to hear your news events story ideas love mail hate mail and you can email that after after hours at KPFT dot O R G coming up here as soon as I it's I know it's number one He always plays number one. This whole if you people I just summon vibrations will be here. I just got the CD and I still gotta figure to program it in. You are listening to Pacifica radio for the Gulf Coast. KPFT 90.1 FM Houston 89.5 in Galveston and check out the worldwide web at KPFT dot O R G here we go.