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There was a heavy police presence outside the United Nations or some 50. activists from ACT UP or as coalition to unleash power, voiced their demands that the UN establish a public health task force convened a global AIDS summit and ensure that the human rights of people living with HIV around the world are protected. The target of today's demonstration was the World Health Organization activist charged that the World Health Organization is not doing nearly enough to deal with the AIDS pandemic, Eric Sawyer is a member of act up, he gives the World Health Organization a failing grade when it comes to AIDS,



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they have not raise their voice, they have not they've dropped the ball. They're not fulfilling their charter. They're spending less than \$130 million a year on AIDS prevention and aids care programs. And there are no effective AIDS education or prevention efforts going around the world as an example in Latin America and Africa, less than six cents is spent for every case of HIV infection on prevention. So I mean, you can tell that won't even buy one condom for every person that has HIV.



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Like many of today's demonstration, George Carter felt it was his duty to speak out in a way that many around the world cannot.



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I'm here as a New Yorker, as an American, someone that lives in the backyard of the UN, someone who can speak up for the many, many hundreds of 1000s and millions of people who if they do speak up, face discrimination, death, incarceration, of the most horrible kinds. And it

is incumbent upon us to speak up now, in order to address the problem of AIDS in a global fashion because it is a global problem.



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Carter, a member of act up New York says it is not only an inaction, which facilitates the global spread of AIDS, but also the interests of the pharmaceutical industry, their whole intent



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is profit over life.



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They are more interested, just for pure business reasons in developing drugs that they'll make money on. And if a drug doesn't look like it's going to make money, they don't bother developing it. And even when they do develop drugs that they can make money on again, because so many people are in third world countries, they don't have any access to what treatments do exist. Those taking part in the protests, the AIDS is spreading faster in the third world where the least money is being spent on prevention. But many protesters are concerned that even in wealthy countries, not enough money is going to aid education and prevention. Stephanie crea Toro is a member of a woman's health action and mobilization or wham. She says the conditions faced by many us women seeking treatment for AIDS are similar to those in the third world. In this city. There's only one prenatal care center and there's only one drug treatment center for women that are pregnant. It has 12 beds in the whole center in a city of 7 million people. I mean, that's kind of unfortunate clinics and won't perform abortions are women that are HIV positive that workers are scared of getting infected. Most outside United Nations say it will take drastic action both in the third world and in the US to avert the disaster spread of AIDS throughout the globe. This is Christian Parenti.



Lucy Chappelle 03:23

will give the last word on World AIDS Day to syndicated columnist Molly Ivan's all the



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fear and ignorance and bigotry about homosexuality got tied up with age so that instead of looking at this epidemic as a medical problem, which it manifests the is we somehow got ourselves snarled up in this moralistic political dialogue. He is a public health menace. I have this horrible premonition that when historians study this epidemic, they are going to find some numbers some percentage which they could say x number of lives could have been saved if action had been like it sooner if people had been aware of people had not been afraid of the gay issue. And then of course, you come close to murder, don't you?

G Greg Gordon 04:20

Thanks for tuning into this way out the international lesbian and gay radio magazine. This week, Cindy Friedman, Brian newness, Kevin Lerner, Scott Schlegel, Matt binder and Christian parentally contributed program material. Thanks also to Pacifica network news and Mike outlay and aids infocus

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sweet honey and the rock perform some of the music you heard and Kim Wilson composed and performed our theme music

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comments, suggestions or questions you might have. We always like to know you're out there listening right to this way out post office box 38327 Los Angeles, California 90038 And please be sure to include the call letters of this station. This way out is produced by Greg Gordon and Lucia Chappelle. A special welcome to listeners on superstation K. Gay beaming via satellite out of Denver on Galaxy five transponder six and space net three transponder 22.

L Lucy Chappelle 05:24

We also thank you for listening on K UMD, Duluth, 70, H E Hobart and W GLT. Normal among many others and for supporting this local community radio station. Stay tuned.

D Diane Williams 05:40

And guess what? We're back boys and girls, ladies and gentlemen and all those in between and around those categories. I just love that. And that was for you, Ray. We love ya. Thanks for calling in. Those were the jingle bell puppy dogs and we love them in all all the dog owners out there. Give us a call and tell us what you think. That was my favorite, Babs off of one of the favorite Babs albums entitled, a BS Christmas. What do you think about that one? It is. It is it's BS Christmas. It's what it says on there. And it's too funny and speaking of BS and Barbra Streisand. I just I just want to thank Babs for for stepping out for doing the right thing. If you

haven't read this week's edition of the new voice I want to mention Babs and her stance on on the Colorado. Oh, you stop back there. Scott. I want to talk about her stance on the boycott of Colorado. Just briefly I know we just heard about on this way out. But this says the national boycott of the state of Colorado due to the passage of Amendment two, which is an anti gay rights amendment to the state's constitution appears to be gaining momentum if covered by mainstream press is any indication. Last Monday night's edition of Entertainment Tonight began with a report on the boycott, including interviews with celebrities on both sides of the issue. Amendment to which was passed by a narrow margin in the election invalidate civil rights ordinance is already in place in several Colorado municipalities. Shortly after the election moved to protest the passage of the amendment by gays and their advocates began to take shape across the nation. Supporters of the boycott urged the public not to travel to Colorado were byproducts manufacturing in the state. They believe economic pressure will encourage Colorado residents to repeal the amendment and discourage the passage of similar laws in other areas, including the tourism industry. I'm not going to read the whole article but it talks about the timings for the Colorado ski resorts and things like that. Many groups have canceled conventions and meetings in the state, including the American Association of law libraries, the National Organization for Women, the National Council for Social Studies, and the American Foundation for AIDS. Several celebrities have been outspoken about their support for the boycott. Barbra Streisand and Richard Dreyfus are among the actors to declare their opposition to the new law and announced their intentions to avoid the state. Streisand announced her stance on the boycott at an American Civil Liberties Union banquet on December 11. Quote, let me stay clearly, I will personally honor it and find some other state to vacation in Streisand received a 1992 Bill of Rights Award at the banquet. LAUREL Entertainment Inc, a New York based production company recently announced that it is decided to produce a new ABC Minister mini series in Utah, Colorado had originally been considered for production but was removed from consideration because of the possibility that the actors in the mini series might refuse to work there. The potential benefit to Colorado had been estimated at about 6 million. There are some other items in there about different resorts and how some gay businesses in the area are calling for support of those particular businesses and the gay community is not completely unified on that issue. Because if we do boycott the entire state, gay owned and operated businesses and communities that passed that amendment or actually didn't pass, put down that amendment in their community would not be supported and would lose support because of that, but basically, it's up to you do what you feel you need to do and look into the issue heavily when deciding where to vacation and deciding which beer to drink if you know what I mean. CORS CORS CORS Okay, we are doing some really fun stuff later. And I'm told to talk is my producers making all kinds of verbal visual things at me, but it's okay because when he tells me to talk, believe me I can do it. I have some tape here that to Jimmy producer man comes down behind me and tell me whether or not I can play this. I can play this I can play this later. I have some really cool tape for you. later, it's a tape from, I think it must have been about 1989. It's a tape directly taken from after hours of the past. And it's going to be really, really interesting. I'll read what the tape says it says, After Hours introduction coming out of hiding and an act of perversion by Pat. What? I can't remember last time Parker, Parker, Parker, all I can think of is Paulson I don't know.



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And that's, that's not the name of it. Actually.



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D Diane Williams 10:35
No, it's a, it's a piece that's just magnificent

J Jimmy Carper 10:39
when they come is the name of the piece, right? And it's in her own words. It's great. It's great. And I'm very, very thrilled to have a good copy of it.

D Diane Williams 10:49
Thank you, Susan. This is a report taken from the buddy and Jimmy show after hours. And this way out. And it's an amazing tape, please, please stick around here. And it's worth it said, I didn't tell you to set your tape recorders. I'm not I wouldn't dare tell you to set your tape recorders, but say your tape recorder.


J Jimmy Carper 11:08
And then we're going to do a piece by Nell Carter later on that she did some time ago called back in the highlife fantastic piece. And right now I'm going to stick a couple of things in your ears.


D Diane Williams 11:23
We like that. Can I can I help.


J Jimmy Carper 11:28
But we like to do that. While we are doing that. I want to remind all those men and women who are behind bars tonight, that to keep the faith baby and brighter days will be coming. And if you want to write us here at after hours and let us know what's going on in your life. We'd be happy. Very happy to hear from you. That's after hours care of KPFT 419 Lovett Boulevard. Houston 7706. But you know that because you listen to Ray and the PRISM program. And I've been talking to Jerry and she says you guys have been asking what we all look like and stuff like that. So


D Diane Williams 12:14
So why so? So so what I want to know, so let's say let's give him a verbal,


J Jimmy Carper 12:22
write us. Write us a little note


 **Diane Williams** 12:25
and send your picture.


 **Jimmy Carper** 12:27
No, that's not necessary. Okay. That's important. We just we know that we've got listeners that are incarcerated. That's right. We know we've had him for years and years and years.

 **Diane Williams** 12:38
We're all incarcerated in one way or another you

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go so here we go.

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Citizens United for rehabilitation of errands or cure believes that building more prisons is not a solution to crime. Cure is a group of concerned citizens who meet once a month to discuss positive strategies for dealing with crime and rehabilitating errands or ex offenders. Cure is not a group of polarized individuals but an assembly of people from different political sectors, each interested in improving their community finding solutions that will promote revolving door policies. The members of cure invite you to get interested, become an active member of cure by attending meetings the third Sunday of each month 5:30pm at Charlie's coffee shop 1102 Westheimer in the Montrose for more information right cure Post Office Box nine four for me anvil Texas 77578.

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Open Gates did you miss me? Jimmy I SEE that you found a new friend. Warden come down here. Here's me Hello. Goes I'm back home and Hans live again.

 **Ray Hill** 14:14
KPFT is prison program is devoted to cops courts, jails, prisons, probation and parole and the other minutiae of the criminal justice system. Tune in every Sunday afternoon from three to five kickback listen up and hear what you've been missing.

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Jimmy Carper 14:43

Okay, that was a couple little things we wanted to stick in your ear. And we're gonna kind of keep it light here for the next hour. We're going to play some old favorites, Christmas carols and maybe some new favorites.



Diane Williams 14:58

I don't know if light is exactly the right word. Got a lot of like good fun happy stuff. Yeah, so have some really important tape that's really moving through, and it's really going to be great and wonderful to hear. It's going to be really empowering.



Jimmy Carper 15:10

Okay. So this first thing we want to do it's it's a traditional Christmas song you couldn't do a Christmas show without doing. Nat King Cole singing the Christmas song and we want to dedicate this to Kay Harper.



Diane Williams 15:29

And we're back and we're glad to be here. That was a little bit of traditional music for you. For Susan, that was the Doris Day Christmas album and every every woman and every man that ever had a crush on doors day, no matter what your age was, that was Doris Day Christmas album, doing Silver Bells. Then we told you about the Nat King Cole for K we love that. And then after the Doris Day song, we heard the Seattle Men's Chorus. And we really really liked that I liked that one a lot. Oh, Seattle Men's Chorus. I like that good. Good group. Good group.



Jimmy Carper 16:03

And I can't wait till the Gay Men's Chorus of Houston puts out their CD.



Diane Williams 16:08

Can't wait. The hell out of it. I want to know one thing though. This is very important question. Get your pins out. I want you to call us at five to six KPFT if you can answer this question, one more time five to six KPFT what in the heck is pity piggy pudding?



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figgy pudding piggy No, it's Figgy Figgy FIFA game why?

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Diane Williams 16:27

It's like eat like like Newton preserves. Out don't care call me anyway. If you've ever had this stuff. If you've ever made a call me because I've never. I've never dealt with it in any context. Other than that song with it, though. And just eat it. You gotta have. Oh, cool. Well, Jim, what's next on the agenda? Anything good? Yeah, yeah, I'd like to, I'd like to play this blast from our past. We have many fervent after hours listeners here we had a couple of people call in earlier wanting to find out about some other shows that were on KPFT that are going to Wildenstein and things and then we're going to try to find out an exact time that you can catch gay lesbian programming during the week, during the day, even during the week. But a blast from our past and part of our history is with us because we have listeners that cared enough about gay radio to tape it and to make it a part of their lives all the time. This is something from after hours years ago. And it's Pat Parker, right doing it's actually it's called an act of perversion, but it's so where where will you be?



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You be when they come



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right. 90.1 FM KPFT Houston after hours radios celebrating life from the heart of Montrose. We're here and work where God this is just for you. It's



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orders began with a routine police raid on a homosexual bar the Stonewall on Christopher Street in the heart of the West Village.



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Want you to savor this next task of the official count the LSVT. We must destroy the Miss ones and drawers shatter them. We must continue to speak out. And most importantly, most importantly, every gay person must come out



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You're going boots are being polished, trumpeters clean their horns, chains and locks forged the crusade has begun. Once again flags of Christ are unfurled and the dawn and cries of soul saviors sings apocalyptic on airwaves, citizens good citizens all parade into voting booths and in self righteous saying to the ex away our right to life. I do not believe at some that the vote is an end. I fear even more. It is just a beginning. So I must make assessment look to you and ask Where will you be when they come? They will not come a mob rolling through the streets that quickly and quietly move into our homes to remove the evil the queerness the faggotry from

their myths, they will not come close and brown and swastikas are bearing chest heavy with gleaming crosses the time and need for such Rousses are over. They will come in business suits to buy your homes and bring bodies to fill your jobs. They will come in robes to rehabilitate and white coats to subjugate and where will you be when they come? Where will we all be when they come and they will come? They will come because we are defined as opposite perverse, and we are perverse. Every time we watched a queer hassled in the streets and said nothing. It was an act of perversion. Every time we lied about the boyfriend or girlfriend at Coffee Break. It was an act of perversion. Every time we heard I don't mind gays. But why must they be blatant and said nothing. It was an act of perversion. Every time we let a lesbian mother lose her child and did not feel the courtrooms. It was an act of perversion. Every time we left stripes make out in our bars by we couldn't touch because of the laws. It was an act of perversion. Every time we put on the proper clothes to go to the family weddings and left our lovers at home. It was an act of perversion. Every time we heard who I go to bed with is my personal choice. It's personal, not political and said nothing. It was an act of perversion. Every time we let straight relatives bury our dead and push our lovers away. It was an act of perversion, and they will come for the perverts. And it won't matter if you're a homosexual, not a faggot. Lesbians, not a dime, gays not queer. It won't matter if you own your own business having a job or an SSI. It won't matter if you're a black Chicano, Native American, Asian or white. It won't matter if you're from New York or Los Angeles, Galveston or Sioux Falls. It won't matter if you're rich or not into roles monogamous non monogamous. It won't matter if you're Catholic, Baptist atheists Jewish or MCC, they will come they will come to the cities and to the land to your front rooms and in your closets. They will come for the perverts and where will you be when they come?

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Ray Hill 25:16

As president as President of the Board of Supervisors, it's my duty to make this announcement. Both Mayor Moscone



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and supervisor Harvey Milk have been shot not in Kansas anymore. We must destroy the myth Swinson for shattered, we must continue to speak out. And most importantly, most importantly, every gay person must come out



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okay, God, that was great. That was amazing to say the least. I love that Binay. Have you ever heard that before? I've never heard that before. And I still have chill bumps on the back of my neck and all that so yeah, that's that's part of our history. That's part of the continuing tradition of after hours on KPFK 90.1. And though the voices and the faces and the the music may differ and change and come and go, the continuing tradition of what it means to be a gay lesbian person in this city, coming over this airway in this little room in this little location off this old tower will remain there's a place for you there's hope for you there was love for you. And we're out there for you the number here at KPFT is five to 6k P F T we've got some really fun stuff happening. Oh actually we don't have the fun stuff happening just yet. We have the cool stuff

happening. The cool stuff is next fun stuff is later. Cool stuff is now Carter. Now Carter is back in the highlife from oh gosh. What the heck is this called? What the heck is this from a tape from a tape. This is Mel Carter doing back in the highlife.



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I love you, brother. You don't believe me?