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SPEAKERS

Kay Harper, Brian Nunes, Greg Gordon, Jimmy Carper, Jeff Mackey, Cindy Friedman

J Jeff Mackey 00:02
All right, Mr. Brooks.

K Kay Harper 00:04
Very nice. That's

J Jeff Mackey 00:05
terrific. I like that so I can get myself a copy of that one. I like that a lot. And this thing in the PFLAG newsletter, they have some quotes from Garth Brooks. Responding to people asking about the song. He says, the way I remember it traditional family values was encouraging children to be the best they can be if your parents are black and white. If your parents are of the same sex that's still traditional family values to me.

K Kay Harper 00:32
Whoa, yay, Mr. Brooks. Oh, maybe I won't scream so loud when I have to listen to country music when they're playing bread.

J Jeff Mackey 00:42
Listen to what they're saying sometimes. Yeah.

K Kay Harper 00:44
Oh that's great Well

Oh, that's great. Well,

J Jimmy Carper 00:48
the why we play him on this show.

K Kay Harper 00:51
Well, good. I'm glad that's why we play him on this show. In case you didn't hear Jimmy screaming over my shoulder, the Gay Men's Chorus, who we heard some of from during pumc. A, they're looking for new members. Some choral experience preferred but not required. You know, if you're interested, give them a call. If you're, if you'd like we can get the number for you. And be there having a concert. Saturday, December 12. At seven o'clock, Hammond Hall at Rice University where you can get tickets from lots of different places basic brothers Briarpatch crossroads, Inklings Lobo, all singers.

J Jeff Mackey 01:37
All singers anywhere pretty persuaded.

K Kay Harper 01:41
Maybe Mr. Brooks has tickets, and Heartsong is going to be involved with that. Wow. That's yeah, it's like a great double bill.

J Jeff Mackey 01:47
Great. I'm gonna have to see I haven't seen the Gay Men's Chorus yet. They just changed your name, didn't

K Kay Harper 01:52
they? Yes. They used to be the Montrose singers

J Jeff Mackey 01:54
have not seen them. I am. I am. I'm ashamed to say. And so I'll have to turn up for that.

K Kay Harper 02:00
Yeah, well, I definitely want to go I'll have to arrange to get off work early that night or something. This working? Being a night person is just very strange.

J Jeff Mackey 02:09

Yeah. Saturday, December 12. Okay, yeah. Well, we'll

K Kay Harper 02:13

scribble it down and pen for you somewhere. But coming up before that, the Colby house, the great minister. I guess they're their brothers. Because isn't it a month? It's yeah, it's done but by monks rather than, than priests. Yes. But the brothers are having an HIV AIDS retreat, called the hopes and fears of all the years. It's going to be in Dickinson. I can't imagine talking about HIV and AIDS in Dickinson and it going over a row well, but they're they're doing that. It's at the Christian renewal center in Dickinson, which is 35 miles south of Houston. On i 45, sounds like you'd almost run into the ocean. But anyway, um, if you're interested in that, you can talk to my brother David crank at the Colby project. There also have a gay issue support group that meets every Wednesday, which I didn't know about. And an HIV support group, which I didn't know about. Hmm, same man, you contact for both of them. I guess the gay issues can be taken care of in 30 minutes, and then we talk about HIV.

J Jeff Mackey 03:30

Yeah, just wrap it up. 30 minutes?

K Kay Harper 03:33

Well, you know, I guess most of my gay issues I could take care of in 30 minutes or less. So tell me about Madonna. I saw her name floating around. And I know there are certainly people who have a lot to say about her

J Jeff Mackey 03:52

Madonna. This is a release a press release from Alison publications, which is a major publisher of lesbian and gay literature.

K Kay Harper 04:04

Actually, aren't they like closing up shop? Are they? Yeah, I think the end of 92 there won't be no more Alison books, because Sasha Yes. is like going on to other things.

J Jeff Mackey 04:16

I believe I have heard that at some point. Yeah. That's a shame because there's probably so much Oh, yeah.

Kay Harper 04:24

Gay and Lesbian kid stuff, or or not, not gay and lesbian kids, although they were the people who did one in 10. Yeah, but stories for kids about gay and lesbian parents. And some great, great stories,

Jeff Mackey 04:39

folks who just weren't available anywhere else. Now, now we're seeing a lot more publishers get into lesbian and gay literature, you know, even major, major publishers but still

Kay Harper 04:51

is that Armistead Maupin And sure view

Jeff Mackey 04:57

I guess he's a case in point except he's been with me. Mainstream publisher for quite a while, and that's true. Anyway. This is titled *sexes* Okay, gay sex is not. The printer of Madonna's new book *sex* has been accused of hypocrisy and homophobia by two publishers whose gay themed books and had refused to handle. RR Donnelley, one of the country's largest book manufacturer has defended its involvement in the steamy Madonna book. We can't reject work just because people might find it controversial spokesman Jim Ratcliffe told a reporter as a metal jacket had book clanked off presses. Sasha Allison of Allison publications retorted, that's a smug self serving lie unquote. He also said the 94 Donnelley refused to print a novel we sent and finally told me they would not print any new books from us at the head gay subject matter.

Kay Harper 05:48

I've heard about Madonna's book. I haven't seen it.

Jeff Mackey 05:51

No, I bet he was either. Helen has Hashi. Yes.

Kay Harper 05:56

Somebody at work at it. Lots of of things that I would have considered more gay than not.

Jeff Mackey 06:04

[illegible]

Yes, yes. Well, what I've heard and little excerpts that they've sort of shown on one programmer magazine thing or another have been fairly Isabella Rossellini wrapped around Madonna and one thing or another, so I don't know. I don't know. Yeah. It's it's interesting.

K

Kay Harper 06:24

Yes.

J

Jeff Mackey 06:28

But evidently, Donnelly, the publisher, Donald leads the problem was not necessarily with it being sexual, but it being homosexual. So hypocrisy continues and all quarters, it seems. Yeah. Well, he refused to comment to the New York Times about this.

K

Kay Harper 06:55

Well, you know, once it becomes in the New York Times, it's for real. Right. Exactly. Well, they're knocking down 900. Love it.

J

Jeff Mackey 07:04

I know. I just heard that tonight.

K

Kay Harper 07:07

Where? Where is the Counseling Center gonna go?

J

Jeff Mackey 07:11

I don't know. I'm woefully ill. And ill informed here.

K

Kay Harper 07:14

Huh? Well, the Gay Lesbian Political Caucus, the lesbian and gay rights lobby the Houston gay lesbian pride committee. I guess it's an odd year. So it's boys first, right? Right. They're having a wrecking ball. gowns and construction gear are optional. It's what it says gallons could slash construction year I want to see drag queens with hard hats. I'm sure there will be dry Queen sweetheart. Nevermind. But this is going to be happening at 900. Love it on Friday, December 4, from six until 10. Pride Week is going to be showing the logo contest contest entries. And if you want to know the caucus is also there. God, I didn't even think about that. I mean, I always walk by and see people hanging out there and just to breathe and thought of that. So the caucus is going to be closing a page of their history. I wonder where they're moving to to. But for information and to register your blasting equipment, call five to one 1000.

J Jeff Mackey 08:24
So brush up the sequence and the big budget construction boots.

K Kay Harper 08:28
Actually, that sounds like people at Whole Foods, does it? Well, maybe not sequence but dresses and construction boots is a very common

J Jeff Mackey 08:38
attire. That's true. But moving gowns and construction.

K Kay Harper 08:41
No, no, the the number of gowns I've seen there has been pretty small. Yes, yes. But I guess that's that's to get an idea of of the feedback on the logo entries because they're going to be voted on at the December 15 meeting for the Pride Week. And that's going to be at seven o'clock at the multi service center. What days a week is December 15. I don't even summer

J Jeff Mackey 09:05
15 is a Tuesday. Yeah,

K Kay Harper 09:07
shouldn't be a Tuesday, but they will be having their meeting. Upcoming events. Oh, this is one we have to be very aware of October of 93. The International Association of Lesbian and Gay Pride Gord co coordinators will be having their 25th anniversary. Actually, it's it's a 93 conference to discuss the 94 Stonewall celebration, which is the 25th anniversary of Stonewall

J Jeff Mackey 09:37
did a little bit of that. So yeah, so are you scheduling addicts? Really don't know.

K Kay Harper 09:43
But yeah. So Jimmy said he found some very old, archaic, lesbian music. He's shaking his head very badly. And now cake. Lesbians are easy to find you just have to hang out in the right places. So our cake lesbian music Yes.



Jimmy Carper 10:11

Turned around that's right behind you. It's a Thomas CD that I picked up.



Kay Harper 10:16

They didn't have CDs back then did that? Well,



Jimmy Carper 10:19

that's on a CD. now I picked it up at one of the record houses in that like used to been. I was just kind of looking through and I said, Oh, my God, k.d. lang from 1984. And so I bought it. Did you? Yes.



Jeff Mackey 10:38

Kay's eyeballs are spinning. Really?



Kay Harper 10:41

My ears are like deaf. And



Jimmy Carper 10:44

so like before she got famous. She's even wearing a skirt.



Kay Harper 10:49

Yeah. And she's got like long hair. Yeah, no long curly and she's wearing glasses and she's worn glasses for a while. Well, she's bizarre looking. Yeah, it's he looks like a woman. It's very Whole Foods lucky. Hanky Panky. You're not playing Hanky Panky for us.




Jimmy Carper 11:09


I'm playing the first one. It's I think it's really the best one. It's quite lively. And it's like if you people didn't know she was a lesbian when she did this song fan. You know





Kay Harper 11:20


where? Where were you? Yes. Okay. Let's see.


 Jimmy Carper 11:25
Yeah, it's number one


 Kay Harper 11:34
my lovely equipment that you can't find a stop button on.


 Jeff Mackey 11:47
Well, there's so many things in life like that.


 11:50
Well, yes.

 Jeff Mackey 11:51
There's many times I've really desperately wanted a stop button.

 11:55
Stop, stop. Yeah, well,

 Jeff Mackey 11:57
that's that's cool. I didn't know there was another k.d. lang recording floating about

 Kay Harper 12:01
Yeah. Well, it's one o'clock so we have to do a business kinds of stuff.

 12:11
open gates up. Did you miss me? Jimmy? I see that you found a new friend. Warden. Come down here. Here's me. Hello, guys. I'm back home in Huntsville. Again.

 12:38

KPFT is prison program is devoted to cops courts, jails, prison 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.



12:53

God tailor made shirts with them. at all it's gonna cost is 10 years of my life.



13:09

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 won't promote revolving door policies to members of cure invite you to get interested, become an active member of cure by attending meetings. So 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 944 Manville Texas 77578.



Kay Harper 14:12

And coming up at 115 We'll be playing this way out. And they've got some real interesting stuff they're going to do the second part of elections 92, the year the queer Yeah. Talking about things like Tampa, Florida, and Colorado, and Portland, Maine, you know, all those lovely places. You heard that Martina is threatening to, like, completely move out of the state of Colorado. Yes. And for her won't go back until they change the laws.



Jeff Mackey 14:48

I heard about Barbara trying to in calling for people to join in a boycott if that's called for Barbra Streisand.



14:58

Oh really?



Jeff Mackey 14:59

You To be intimately acquainted with this Well, not everything.



Kay Harper 15:04

I was going to say I'm not allowed to be intimately acquainted with anyone except Helen was to know

J Jeff Mackey 15:08

Barbara firsthand. Well, me no name basis. Babs, I thought you might think I was talking about the the outgoing First Lady.

K Kay Harper 15:19

Yes. Well, I was actually thinking

J Jimmy Carper 15:22

about the eternal first lady. I was thinking Barbara Boxer

K Kay Harper 15:25

from California who's the new senator. Sorry. Yes. Well, yes, yeah, that's what living in a political household will do for you.

J Jeff Mackey 15:35

Yes. Well, you're you're amongst Queens at the moment so I obviously I should know that that Barbra Streisand has been saying that you know, if a if a boycott is called, she was calling on other entertainers and things to boycott the state as well. Could be an important step. That would be incredible. No more motley crew for these people.

K Kay Harper 15:59

I was gonna say they'll be getting a lot of Axl Rose one thing. But oh, my and important people in Norway are coming out. All the little did important little tidbits to keep in touch or keeping tuned.

J Jeff Mackey 16:21

All that coming up on this way out?

K Kay Harper 16:23

Yeah. out of LA. So you get News's I saw something about a generation gap over there. A generation gap and generation gap. I think it's a piece of paper you're trying to, like avoid now.

J Jeff Mackey 16:38
Generation Gap generation gap.

K Kay Harper 16:42
Down at the bottom?

J Jeff Mackey 16:45
Generation? Yep. You're You're quite right. This is from the Gay Men's network, which is an organization that meets monthly it's a social and discussion group. Devoted, it says to the gay male lifestyle, as many of us are. Some of us many I didn't include everyone. discussion meetings on Wednesday of each month, seven to nine that fairing Memorial, United Methodist Church. Although it is a non religious group, yeah, that's very non religious. Not to be confused with the men's network. Yeah. It's all so to speak straight

K Kay Harper 17:27
in their little rose.

J Jeff Mackey 17:31
But they have several events coming up in the month of December, including the annual Christmas party and the New Year's Eve party and the New Year's Eve party on Guess what? New Year's Eve, but on the 16th they will be discussing the gay generation gap. Now,

K Kay Harper 17:54
does that mean I had a man come tell me at work today that that he felt very old because his daughter was listening to the same music he used to listen to? Just covers of the old songs. It's like, is that what the gay generation gap is?

J Jeff Mackey 18:10
I had no idea. I have no idea. But I know how it's more

J Jimmy Carper 18:15
about like gold Queens like me wondering why anyone gets turned on by Doc Martens.

K Kay Harper 18:22
Doc Martens are sexy.

J Jeff Mackey 18:24
What are Doc Martens,

K Kay Harper 18:25
those big clunky boots? Okay, I'm getting a very definite minority of

J Jimmy Carper 18:34
one here. boots that, you know, come up way past the ankle and lace up that all of the gay activists seem to own.


J Jeff Mackey 18:43
Yes, yes. Okay, now I know what you're talking. Yeah. You know that I'm not a slave to fashion. And I'm not really into the, the hip things


J Jimmy Carper 18:53
like that. It's I think it's like that. And it's just things like that, that are more that I mean, there's a generation gap between older and younger people. And and in the gay and lesbian community, it's, you know, kind of stuff like that. And I imagine music and


K Kay Harper 19:14
music morals. Yeah, like, the younger generation


J Jimmy Carper 19:17
has


J Jeff Mackey 19:20
lowered. I got in so much trouble last time for asking why so many activists had funny haircuts, and I'm not gonna wait,


 Kay Harper 19:27
Martin, to talk about the boots.


 Jeff Mackey 19:31
But anyway, if you are interested, getting back for a second to the Gay Men's network, you can get some information on that. And we had the number here.


 Kay Harper 19:44
Yes, we do. Monday night, in case you don't have anything else to do skating? Yeah. And we don't know when any other skating will be because they haven't said us a new thing. Oh, dear. Yes, we know they skated on the 16th then They will be skating on the 30th but we don't know if they'll be skating beyond that. Surely they'll have like Christmas skating. That tinsel to get caught and your your, your things Jimmy's coming in here.


 Jimmy Carper 20:12
Can I interrupt? Because we have a listener who has an answer about the Doc Martin thing. Oh, good. Let's see

 Kay Harper 20:21
here. Okay, phone.


 Jimmy Carper 20:25
Turn it on. Okay. We want to say hello. Hello.


 20:30
Hi there.

 Kay Harper 20:31
Tell me about Doc Martens.

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Okay. Originally, the only people who wore Doc Martens were skinheads. Aha. And they were commonly known for fibreglassing. Yes. And I originally started wearing them too. Can you say pissed off on the


 Kay Harper 20:50
radio? Yeah, yeah. Did anyway.


 20:54
We wore them to take skinheads off because they are a quote unquote skinhead attire. So that's where you get the term boot party when they go to beat somebody up. Oh, okay. It's kind of a defiant thing.


 Kay Harper 21:09
And we must be defiant. Good. Gotcha. Hey,

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like the whole crew. Anything that you add? It's like the ACT UP thing. It's acting out against these people. Okay, great. I mean, they look really, but yes, they do. That's why I like them. Me too.


 21:28
Okay, cool. Great. Well, thank

 Jimmy Carper 21:30
you so much. That's it. Maybe I need to get a pair.

 Kay Harper 21:33
It's not gonna work.

 21:36
You'd want to spray sequins




 Jeff Mackey 21:41

Great. Thanks, Stacey. Thank you very much. Well, we asked for it and when we get the information,

 Jimmy Carper 21:50

Stacy longtime listener to after hours. Oh, thank

 Kay Harper 21:52

you very much, Stacy. We need this kind of help sometime. Being old fogies, I guess. I've been feeling very old of late I got accused of that.

 Jeff Mackey 22:04

Yes, well, I've been feeling I fit fitting a generation gap with my own generation so let's get you're dating an older man. No, that has nothing to do with it. I I had a generation gap when I was in high school with other high school students.

 Kay Harper 22:19

This is true. Well, I bought a new CD the other day and I haven't heard it yet. And I want to play it here because after hours is actually where I first heard about trip fury. And this is her latest album called time towards the moon. And there's a song called the girls all dance. And since I know somebody who wants to be out dancing tonight and isn't I thought I'd play this for her I can find the play button

 22:56

Whoa,

 Kay Harper 22:58

I can do feedback.

 23:01

Well, we've got your

 Kay Harper 23:06

female person who wants to talk about Dee Martini, her show? Yeah, her name is Danielle. And

female person who wants to talk about Doc Martens, ner okay? Yean, ner name is Priscilla. And she says she's a high school student so here is Priscilla oops, push the wrong Hi there.



23:24

What I was thinking is I just think it's really just all the gay activists who were in Doc Martin it seems like it's just everybody who's wearing them now become like really trendy apparel



Kay Harper 23:35

kiss of death



23:38

it could be just really more like all the spiritual outcasts or Doc Martin here but now all their little prep and yet these are all wearing them because there's the cool



Jeff Mackey 23:49

they're probably on their way out for the social outcast. So yeah,



Kay Harper 23:53

I wonder if we could like get high school kids wearing condom hats like Brian Bradley.



Jeff Mackey 23:59

I picture all these people now turning tight penny loafers and they already



Kay Harper 24:04

did that. Actually bell bottoms are coming back. I



Jeff Mackey 24:08

hear too frightening. Yes,



24:10

I can't wait.



Kay Harper 24:13

Well, thanks a lot Priscilla. Hit the wrong buttons. But anyway. Okay, we are a couple of minutes late. So if you turned in at 115 Shame on you. You should have been listening since midnight. But we are going to be playing now. Tape one.



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Mr. meyen home will be reinstated this morning to his former job. The Navy is in compliance with the court order.



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Homosexuals are not really being discriminated against Their demand is purely politically motivated to try to justify and protect their lifestyle. extreme left



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and New Age people, environmentalists, peaceniks, and all those people want to push their values down my throat and I have to live under their rules and regulations. I'm not going to do that. And of course, we're doing the same thing. We're pushing our moral values on them and they don't like it either. You don't think there's any way that we could all come together and try to find some kind of compromise? The compromise is gonna be you coming outside because we're not coming on there.



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Welcome to this way out the international lesbian and gay radio magazine, I'm Lucy Chappelle,



Greg Gordon 25:47

and on Greg Gordon, Norwegian politician makes televised closet exit judge broadsides, gay sailors, discharge and ballot measures bring bumpy road for us activists, all that



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and more because you've discovered this way out. I'm Brian,



Cindy Friedman 26:12

and I'm Cindy Freedman with

B

Brian Nunes 26:13

news route, a summary of some of the news in or affecting the lesbian and gay community for the week ending November 14 1992. The leader of the youth organization of Norway's political party promoting family values has come out as a gay man on national television and as Goslin had intended to stay in the closet until the end of his term of office with the youth caucus of the crystal legal folk party at K RF the Christian Democratic Party. But rumors spurred him to out himself in mid October, I grew up in a Christian environment, Goslin said, when I was 12 years old, I realized that I was gay. At first, the K RF gave me the strength to deny my homosexuality, but inside I felt rotten. He also called the party's distinction between homosexual orientation and homosexual behavior, artificial a form of sexual fixation. If you take away a person's possibility to love someone, there isn't much left Gasland hoped his coming out would be helpful to others still in the closet. He is the first national level politician to come out in Norway since 1979. That was lesbian Conservative Member of Parliament wench lows out who was not renominated in 1985.

C

Cindy Friedman 27:27

Voters in Victoria, Australia last month largely declined their first opportunity to vote for an openly gay candidate. Activist Shane Tonks filed for the state parliament in his drag persona of Barbara quicksand, although he ran on a lesbian and gay rights and aids care platform talks through most of his votes from heterosexuals. His 5% return was well behind the Labour Party winner and the Liberal Party challenger, but tonx was by far the leader among independent candidates in both votes and media coverage.

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Brian Nunes 28:05

Oregon's measure nine the failed ballot initiative that would have overturned and prevented civil rights protections for lesbians and gays was not the state's first anti gay and lesbian ballot measure that was measured eight was surprised the gay and lesbian community with its passage in 1988, overturning an executive order by then Governor Neal Goldsmith to prevent discrimination based on sexual orientation in state employment. This year 10 days after the defeat of measure nine, the Oregon Court of Appeals struck down measure eight claiming it violates employees rights to freedom of expression. The sponsor of both measure eight and measure nine was the Oregon Citizens Alliance. Their political director Philip Ramsdale, believes that if the ruling had come before the election, it might have helped measure nine to succeed.

C

Cindy Friedman 28:53

Lithuania's leading gay activists have been Harris to such an extreme that five have sought asylum in Denmark, one refugee is Roma's Petroski is a co founder of the Lithuanian lesbian and gay Association. Petroski has told Danish authorities the police had detained him five times threatening him with sodomy charges if he did not turn over the association's membership list. Sodomy is punishable by three years imprisonment in Lithuania. Another Association co founder, Arun has dynastic is remains in Lithuania, but has been experiencing harrassment

over the last eight months. In August. Police questioned him in connection with the murder of a gay man. And in mid September, a car that had apparently been waiting for him to leave his home tried to run him down. Die now SGAs had also been threatened with sex crime charges by the Lithuanian General Prosecutor's Office.

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Brian Nunes 29:51

Nicaraguan President Violetta Chamorros state visits to Stockholm and Oslo last month were greeted by gays and lesbians shouting gay rights are huge Ben writes shame on tomorrow and go home. Earlier this year, her signature gave Latin America its most repressive sodomy law, one that extends well beyond sexual behavior to punish promotion and propagandizing of same gender sex with up to three years in prison. Norwegian Prime Minister gro Brundtland is said to have asked Chamorro about the treatment of gays and lesbians in Nicaragua. Her Foreign Minister Ernesto Lael Sanchez met with Sweden's gay and lesbian National Federation for sexual equality following protests during a speech he gave. He claimed the law was not aimed at homosexuals, but was designed quote to protect women and children and quote, the highest

C

Cindy Friedman 30:42

courts of the US Presbyterian Church has overruled two regional bodies to deny open lesbian Reverend Jane Spahr, a pastor ship. The downtown United Presbyterian Church in Rochester, New York selected spar a year ago, but some neighboring congregations objected. Early this month the denominations national judicial commission ruled the appointment improper because spar is quote, a self affirmed practicing homosexual and quote, spar was actually ordained before the US Presbyterian Church established its policy against gay and lesbian clergy. Although she came out afterwards, spar was surprised and saddened by the ruling.

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It's a different gun to be led me today absolutely is to me, I absolutely know it in my heart. And the general assembly permit judicial commission, which is the highest court in the Presbyterian Church says that either you must be celibate, repent, or essentially lie for you to be in leadership in the Presbyterian Church. This decision encourages people to stay in the closet and to be in secret and that is not anything of what I believe the Christian church should stand for. I repent if nothing and to be celibate. That is not something I'm called to. I have a wonderful partner. So I mean, I don't know what will happen after this. But I do know that lesbian gay people will no longer tolerate this kind of action.

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Cindy Friedman 32:05

Some Presbyterians are protesting the national denominations interference with the congregation's autonomy. Spar says that she'll continue her current special ministry to gays and lesbians in San Anselmo, California.

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Brian Nunes 32:20



Brian Nunes 32:29

When the Canadian Immigration Department denied immigrant status to Irish lesbian Bridgette Cole. They also refused to let her Canadian lover Christine Morrissey sponsor her. Morrissey filed a lawsuit in federal court. And early last month, the Immigration Department made an unprecedented turnaround. The department would not explain its action, but Morrissey's lawyer believes the department was hoping to sidestep the lawsuit.



Cindy Friedman 32:43

And finally, New Zealand Police Minister John Banks has been forced not to eat his words but to wear them. The New Zealand police currently banned gays and lesbians from service despite public opinion that favors lifting the ban. The New Zealand Police Association the police commissioner and banks have strongly opposed anti discrimination legislation. Banks issued a press release saying that the last thing New Zealand needed was quote, policemen wearing lipstick and pantyhose and quote to the delight of gay and lesbian activist newspapers in both New Zealand and Australia had somehow obtained a photo of banks himself dressed in a fairy costume.



Brian Nunes 33:32

That's news wrap for the week ending November 14 1992. compiled and written by Cindy Friedman,



Cindy Friedman 33:38

followed the news in your area and informed community is a strong community. For this way out. I'm Cindy Friedman,



Brian Nunes 33:45

and I'm Brian newness.



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Early last year, African American Sergeant Perry Watkins became the first openly gay soldier to be reinstated and when full retirement from the US Army, and just this week, keep mine Holt, who was discharged from the US Navy after coming out on national television became the first open gate to be reinstated to active duty in the military since the ban took effect 50 years ago, Los Angeles federal judge Terry Hatter had issued a temporary restraining order requiring the reinstatement until mine holds lawsuit against the Pentagon is decided. Wendy Monroe reports from Northern California's Moffett Naval Air Station as mine holds reports for his first day back on the job



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carrying his military uniform in a brown paper bag. 30 year old keep mine hauled entered Moffett fields main gate shortly after the 8am deadline a judge given Navy to reinstate him. Mine hold who had gotten high marks throughout his 12 year Navy career said he couldn't wait to get back to work. I went on television what I did because I had come to terms with my own sexuality. I no longer hated myself for who I was very proud of who I am now. And as a member of the military rights were to support and defend the Constitution of the United States. Part of that is equal protection and the First Amendment and I couldn't see the US military, persecuting gay and lesbian servicemembers who had honorably served their country in times of war and peace. That was against everything I stood for. And military's ban on homosexuals leads to the dismissal of about 1500 Soldiers each year. The Navy has fought mind hold at every turn. In spite of the court order. The sailor was turned away Monday when he tried to return to work in a statement saying that the US is not a military dictatorship. Judge had a reaffirmed his ruling on Tuesday. The Pentagon maintains that homosexuality undermines discipline and morale. John Shackleton the Navy's public affairs officer made a minimal enter statement Mr. Mine hole will be reinstated this morning to his former job at his former Squadron and doing his former duties. The Navy is in compliance with the court order. The government will return to court for a hearing of its appeal of the reinstatement order that mine holds attorney and gay advocate say Judge Hatter's tough position shows that he expects the military's ban on homosexuals to collapse. Mine hold told reporters he supports other gays and lesbians in the military who want to come out. I don't recommend it until the policy is changed. But I always recommend people being open about their sexuality. I think it's a very healthy thing to do not only for gays and lesbians, but everybody in general, honestly, is a very important thing. I'm Wendy Monroe at Moffett Field



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This is Michael Nava, the author of the Henry Rios mysteries, but it's no mystery to what we're listening to. It's this way out either national lesbian and gay radio magazine, my books which a lot of people in the gay and lesbian community but this way out reaches a lot more and deserves all our support. With this curse, and she's done a remarkable job of it in its tracks before it gets too late. The one who was saving time



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for keeping him happy I said



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last week, we began our review of the lesbians in the Marshall Plan, including the election of residency, the successful candidates and the historic congressional gains made by women and people of color. This week we live on gay and lesbian rights measures in two states in two cities which brought mixed results however, and even the slogans in all four panel are your MO achingly similar. Routers eliminated the reference to sexual orientation in the rights ordinance. Tampa ordinance protects minorities against discrimination in employment, housing and public accommodations. Susan Gage has the story



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when the city council of Tampa added sexual orientation to its human rights ordinance in May of 1991. David Katyn, the leader of the American Family Association of Florida began waging a campaign to remove the reference from the books. Katyn, called his coalition take back Tampa, despite opposition from the city's mayor and other politicians. Caitlin's cause resulted in the repeal of the language from the Tampa ordinance. The vote was 59% in favor of the repeal to 41% against the referendum David Katyn helped to put on the ballot.



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The voters saw through the fact that homosexuals are not really being discriminated against and that their demand is, is purely politically motivated to try to justify and protect their lifestyle.



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Keaton's organization fought the ordinance amendment through an ad campaign which said the inclusion of gays and lesbians was just the first step in a so called homosexual agenda. Katyn says that agenda includes everything from adoption rights to teaching children at an early age that homosexuality is okay.



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Well, it has now become a convenient target in our country.



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Susan Glickman of People for the American Way was one of the leaders against the repeal. She headed the group say no to hate.



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This kind of mischaracterization is threatening to close the door on a group of citizens that are part of our community. They're taxpaying, they're productive, and to suggest that they are not to be included in our society and accorded the same rights as everyone else, I think is frankly unAmerican for people like David Katyn in the American Family Association, to be able to apply their particular political and religious litmus test to decide who is included and excluded from society, I think is a dangerous precedent to set Luqman