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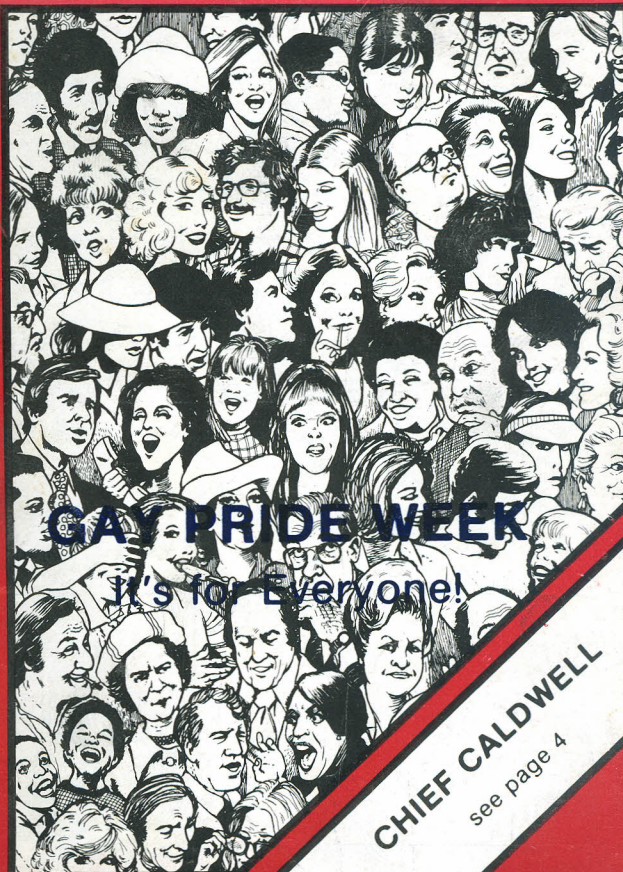
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GAY PRIDE WEEK
It's for Everyone!

CHIEF CALDWELL
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From the Editor

-Michael Kenna

Since the last time I wrote here about getting involved in the Gay Pride Week (Month?) celebration, several exciting things have been scheduled definitely for June. The Townmeeting "proposal" is now a full scale plan after being voted on and or given notice of approval by almost every Gay organization in Houston, including the Coordinating Council of Gay Organizations.

Another large-scale event which is being planned (for June 16th, the anniversary of the Great March last year) as a Gay Pride Week "kick-off" celebration will be the Greatest Show On Earth, an entertainment fair for Gay people which will provide an entire environment for those taking part in the celebration of Pride...top-name celebrities are being invited to participate (such as those who showed support at last year's rally!)

Little celebrations are important too, though; put together all of this makes the celebration. If your organization is planning something special for GPW for the membership, friends, and or general public, please let us know so that we can plan to cover your event as part of our June coverage of GPW activity in Houston! Also, anytime your group is planning something that is important to you we want to hear about it. The LXIX "hotline" number is, of course, 521-0100.

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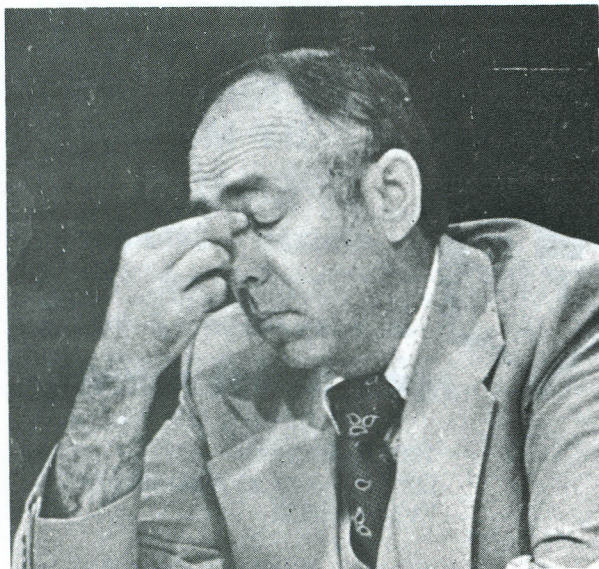
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Caldwell Speaks...Again

Houston Police Chief **Harry Caldwell** delivered a speech/lecture at the **University of St. Thomas** Wednesday (April 26). The thrust of his speech was the state of the Houston Police Department and what is being done to improve the department. Caldwell said that scandals "are not being discovered in the department...they are being thrown out." He said that he admitted that HPD was going through a "crisis period."

Bureaucracies are built to deal with stability rather than instability," Caldwell said, "We're not having more tarnish on the badge, we're taking the tarnish off."



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TAURUS: APRIL 20-MAY 20

The unexpected return of an old acquaintance into your life brings confusion, chaos, and long-sought deep gratification in more ways than one. This is the kind of May you've snickered at in the past but always wondered about deep inside.

GEMINI: MAY 21-JUNE 20

The old rule of establishing priorities becomes a chore as summer approaches. If you keep your love life and business life separate your twins can probably handle both. Forget those two people who are obviously avoiding you now...they're really not that important, are they?

CANCER: JUNE 21-JULY 22

This is definitely the month for taking everything as easily as possible. Don't strain your thoughts trying to figure out what anyone else is thinking; it's a waste of time and energy. Financial problems will iron out eventually. Someone cares for you immensely; enjoy what you can of it, take the rest for what it is, and you'll realize they don't expect anything else in return.



LEO: JULY 23-AUG. 22

Don't get yourself into anything you know better than to take on at this point. Remember what happened the last time. Be cautious with investments and your famous generosity. May 11th, 14th, and 18th look particularly favorable for you in terms of settling differences and making deals.

VIRGO: AUG. 23 - SEPT. 22

The first half of the month will seem to be unusually lucky for you, so enjoy, but don't get carried away. Be prepared for a change in some important matter around the 20th. Don't let one failure disillusion you however; the stars show a favorable lookout all month long so get involved in anything that interests you.

LIBRA: SEPT. 23-OCT. 22

Summer has started already, as far as you are concerned. Get out and get a little sun in your hair, at the beach, downtown, whatever. Otherwise, the heat will make you edgy. Every little thing seems to bother you disproportionately this month. Settle down, you can't control what happens anyway.

SCORPIO: OCT. 23-NOV. 21

Meeting new people brings a new dimension to your life this month. It is also highly likely that you will be hearing from an old friend quite regularly. This might bother you, but be gentle in getting them off the hook. Your favorable days for enterprise are the 5th and the 16th; for romance the 12th and 20th.

SAGGITARIUS: NOV. 22-DEC. 21

Depression seems to set in early in the month. Toss it out of the way and you may find new roads opening up ahead for you. Finances are in exceptionally good shape and you are probably rekindling more old flames now than that one quenched fire is even worth debating. This month, your worst enemy is yourself and your groundless self-pity.

CAPRICORN: DEC. 22-JAN. 19

Many things will happen the first week of this month that will seem confusing and bothersome to you. Remember that sometimes these complications to your settled style can be rewarding after awhile. Don't ignore attention from anyone, especially if it's sincere.

AQUARIUS: JAN. 21-FEB. 19

This is a good month for presumably "high-stake, high-risk" ventures, so don't be hesitant with the smaller risks. Something you start this month can be the turning point of a large part of your life. Be reative and don't be modest about your talent.

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Ask Auntie

Dear Auntie,

I'm new to Houston and into outdoor cruising. What's the word on Memorial Park?

-Jogger

Dear Jogger,

Red Javelins, yellow Pacers and 61 Reisner St.

Dear Auntie,

I saw you with a very young man. At your age I think it is disgusting!

-Horried

Dear Horror,

At my age it's fantastic!

Dear Auntie,

My lover is into piercing. I love him but I can't get off to the idea of hurting him. Do you have any suggestions as to how to discourage him?

-Tender Hearted

Dear Tender,

A No. 9 knitting needle.



THE GAY READER

REVIEW

Johnathan Loved David, "Homosexuality in Biblical Times," by Tom Horner, 1978. The Westminster Press, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Soft Cover, \$5.95 (Available at Wilde 'N' Stein Books, 819 Richmond, 713/512-7014.)

With the recent revoking of the four-year-old Gay Rights ordinance in St. Paul, Minnesota, freshly on our minds, it would behoove all Gays and their friends to freshen up their refutations in this area by looking harder at what the Good Book really says...not what it seems to say.

Tom Horner pays his dues in this with his recently published **Johnathan Loved David**. He hits hard in certain areas and proceeds with great caution in others, such as Christ's bachelorhood and close love ties with his disciples, Lazarus and a night spent with a naked youth as reported in "The Secret Gospel."

Horner makes no bones about the fact that not only did Saul's princely son, Johnathan, and the young David have an affair of the spirit AND one of the flesh, but that David boasted openly and poetically beautifully about upon Johnathan and Saul's deaths of this love which was "greater than that for a woman."

More cautious when it came to the moving story of Ruth and her mother-in-law, Naomi, nevertheless he arrives at the tentative conclusion that "possibly and most probably" their love was consummated physically.

In specific Biblical areas where the sanctions against homosexuality seem more explicit, Horner hits these scriptural references head-on...and he hits every one of them - hard! What most of the Bible-weilding anti-Gays take out of context, Horner puts INTO context...and he explains what that context means.

In the story on Sodom, Horner does disagree with others who in recent years have written that the real sin of Sodom and Gomorrah was inhospitality. Not so, Horner says...the sin was the threatened homosexual rape of the angelical visitors in the house of Lot. Rape is Rape, he states, and is wrong...whether it be in the homosexual sense or in the heterosexual sense. However, because some DO rape homosexually and some DO rape heterosexually, this does not make either heterosexuality OR homosexuality wrong *per se*.

Horner, an Episcopalian priest and religion instructor at The College of Mount St. Vincent in Riverdale, New York, writes in clear, no-nonsense terms in this, the first book to deal with all the references to homosexuality in the Bible.

St. Paul has always been the thorn in the side of Gay Christians because he seemingly struck out hardest against homosexuality, but it appears that St. Paul had his own, self-confessed "thorn in the flesh," something "sent by the Devil" to harrass him. Horner suggests several things: epilepsy, arthritis, eye problems...and perhaps, just perhaps, latent homosexuality. Of course, Paulines know that Paul was against sexuality in general. Horner indicates this was because Paul believed the Second Coming was imminent and there were more important things to do and think about than sex. And Paul, a Roman citizen and former persecutor of Christians (does that sound familiar, Gay brothers and sisters?), without a doubt knew, and had practiced, most of the things which he acknowledged as evil after his conversion...but ONLY because they took away from spiritual development. He, like many other writers in the Bible, also addressed himself to the times in which he lived...and this is not particularly appropriate for our times or as a general truth.

The things Father Horner has to say about the Zoroastrian, Gnostic and Essene in those days also gives food for thought and fuel for debate.

A scholarly and comprehensive work, **Johnathan Loved David** is a fine book. If nothing else, it points up what Christ himself said about homosexuality: nothing, absolutely nothing.

The Lord be with you, brothers and sisters.

-Hank Bonney

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Bar Manager Shot

The manager of a Houston Gay bar was shot in the face Tuesday by a customer who apparently had gone berserk, perhaps under the influence of drugs. According to the owner of the bar, robbery was apparently not the motive. The man took some of the money from the register but did not empty it, the owner said.

Jim Etridge, manager of the **Hilite Ranch** is listed in good condition at Ben Taub hospital, and is being transferred to Hermann hospital. The assailant as yet has not been apprehended.

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WRITING TO CONGRESS

(The following is a reprint of a pamphlet being distributed by the **Universal Fellowship of Metropolitan Community Churches** in Washington, D.C. Copies are available to Gay organizations or mailing lists, \$3.50 per hundred, by writing UFMCC Washington Office, 110 Maryland Ave. NE, Suite 210, Washington, D.C. 20002.)

One of the problems we face in getting Gay civil rights legislation passed in the United States Congress is that many members of Congress have never heard from a Gay person. Thus, most Congresspeople have heard very little about Gay rights from their constituents. They are not going to take the necessary initiative unless they feel there is a constituency back home which wants them to do so. For example, For example, we know a Congressperson who changed his mind about a bill after receiving only a dozen letters. He just did not know anybody wanted him to support the bill before!

We *can* make a difference. Without our input, opponents of Gay rights can point to the lack of letters, telegrams, and calls to bolster their arguments.

Letters to Congress *are* effective. President John F. Kennedy told a group of editors in 1963:

"I think letters have an effect on members of Congress. Everybody's vote counts in America, but those who sit down and write letters make their votes count more times...Nothing is more effective than a letter that reflects both an understanding of the question involved and a sincere expression of a personal viewpoint based on that understanding."

Remember that on many issues, even important ones, Members of Congress receive very little mail. This has been especially true of Gay civil rights. Thus, those who express their opinion magnify their influence with Members of Congress.

Who to write: What if you do not know who your Congressperson is? Everyone has three representatives to write to. First, the two senators from your state represent the entire state, and you can write to both of them. In addition, each person resides in a Congressional district which is represented by a member of the House of Representatives. If you do not know who your representative are, try calling your local Post Office, City Hall, or or the local office or club of the Democratic or Republican Parties. Political organizations can also help.

All members of the House of Representatives can be addressed as:

The Honorable -----
House of Representatives Office Building
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The correct salutation is "Dear Congressman (or Congresswoman)", "Dear Representative", or "Dear Ms., Mr., Mrs., or Miss----".

All members of the U.S. Senate can be addressed as:

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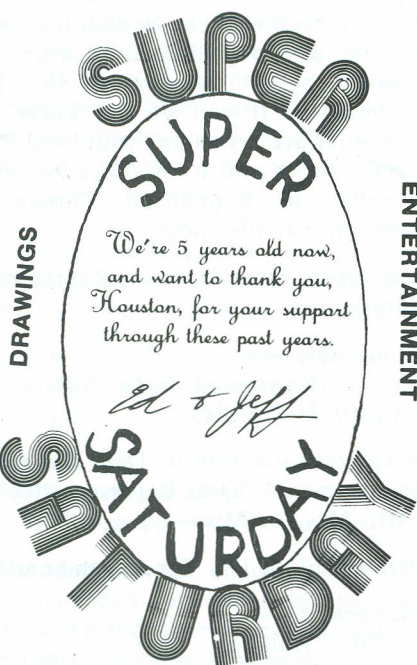
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The correct salutations are: "Dear Senator-----," or "Dear Ms., Mr., Mrs., or Miss-----."

If you have the correct room number and building where the Congressperson's office is located, use it in the address under the Member's name.

Except for personal visits, letters are the best way to communicate. But please, no form letters, or printed, xeroxed, or mimeographed letters! Some Representatives throw out all mail except personal, individually hand-written or typed, signed letters. In any case, mimeographed or xeroxed letters get less consideration than personal communications.

Letter Writing Tips

1. Be certain you are writing to *your* Congressperson.

Members of Congress naturally pay more attention to their own constituents than somebody else's. In fact, there is a custom to send letters from people outside the Member's Congressional District to the writer's correct representative with the label, "Respectfully Referred, Not Acknowledged."

2. Sign your name and include your address.

It is a fact that unsigned letters are worthless in a Member's office. The Congressperson will not be able to respond and will not know if the letter is really from a constituent. If you cannot use your own address, explain why you cannot do so and ask your Representative to respond to you in care of a Gay organization, your church group, etc. We want to emphasize that members of Congress are not in the business of keeping lists of people who are Gay and turning them over to the press or authorities. If you are truly afraid of "coming out" to your Congressperson, you do not have to reveal in your letter that you are Gay.

3. Do not always ask the Congressperson to support a specific bill. This gives the Member an easy way out. Here is a response from an Ohio Congressperson: "House Bill 2998 is presently pending in the House Judiciary Committee with no action scheduled at this time. You may be assured that I will keep your correspondence close at hand should I be called upon to cast my vote on this legislation. This response says nothing. Instead of soliciting support for a single bill, ask a question that is difficult to duck, such as "What is your stand on civil rights for Gay people?" If the Representative writes back to you that he or she supports civil rights, *then* write asking about a specific bill, urging him or her to co-sponsor a bill you favor.

4. Do not deal with more than one issue in each letter.

For example, if you ask about Gay rights and military spending, the Member may write at length about the military and pass over your Gay rights question with a short, meaningless sentence.

5. Do not be hostile or threatening to Congresspeople. They have enough of that, and it only makes them hostile towards you and your issue. Be supportive and polite.

6. Try to draft your letter so that it asks for a definite response. Make your letter stand out in some way. Try to write something that will encourage more than a form response.

7. Try to personalize your letter somewhat. Tell about your own experiences with oppression, especially if you have lost a job or housing because you are Gay. The more personal your letter is, the better your chance is of getting a more personal response.

8. Do not make the letter too long. Short and polite, but hard-hitting letters make the best impression.

9. Follow up on you Congressperson's response to you. Do not write only one letter. If you have not heard from your Representative a month or two after you write, write again, saying your first letter probably got lost and you really want to know the Member's answer to your question. Once you have gotten a response, write again and thank the member for writing you back. If they are supportive, thank them. If the answer they gave is vague, ask for clarification. If they did not answer your question, say so and restate it. If they say they will not support Gay rights, ask why, and if they tell you why, respond to their objections, argue the case: present information for them to think about. Start a dialogue and keep it going!

10. Always keep a copy of your letters to Congresspeople. That way you can keep track of when you wrote and what you said.

Writing is essential for all our efforts to get Gay civil rights legislation passed in the U.S. Congress. Please write your Congresspeople!

Texaco has asked entertainer **Bob Hope** to stop making jokes about **Anita Bryant** because of a campaign by some of her followers, who tore up their Texaco credit cards and sent them back to the company. (Well, how about it? We can use our X-ons for a while---and let them know how many people still think Bob--and Anita--are funny, with a note that doesn't necessarily have to reveal we're Gay. - Ed.)

"The Secret"

"And there we were," Crazy Nell was saying, leaning so far forward across the bar that she looked like a doodlebeetle curled around a stick, "Me and Maggie and Hank, zonked on our classics and we all decided it was so late we'd better not even try to get any sleep. So we wound up at Hank's after the bar closed, and stayed up all night watching old movies on TV, and all got dressed, and that Maggie! I know she knew it was my day off, and she didn't even tell me!"

Alex winced, and tried to concentrate on polishing the blender. His half-glance over the wooden perimeter (that somehow didn't seem wide enough today) caught Nell's left leg slung awkwardly over the next seat. It didn't matter. Monday evenings were always slow...or rather, dead. Jake never showed up because he knew nothing would get out of control...the only customers in the main dining area were the muttish regulars---usually street people bored to death with Monday streets---and in the bar, it was usually nothing but but employees on their day off. That's why Alex was polishing the base of the blender...even though it was already as flawlessly brilliant as the silver plaques on the wall behind the bar...which he had already polished. He had to do something to get his mind off the night before; it was bad enough already, feeling sick and guilty and ashamed at the same time whimsically, warmly fulfilled. The latter was the worst, most confusing feeling of all.

"...And there was this new show...well, an old show...actually it was a new old show on channel 26," Nell was saying. "Of course by then I was just half alive...Alex!"

"Hah? Yeah...I'm listening!" Alex slung a smile, realizing it couldn't have been convincing.

"Something's bothering you," Nell said, "I can tell."

"Yeah...I have some personal problems."

"Do you want to talk about them?"

"If I did, they wouldn't be personal, would they?" Immediately afterwards, Alex felt bad about snapping at her. "I'm sorry," he said weakly, "I'm just confused. That's all. I mean...I--I love Jake, I really do..."

"Of course you love him! Alex, don't tell me you're still worried about going out with us the other night?"

"Oh, no...Jake knows about that...but remember...he didn't get back in town 'till today, right?"

"Right. And you didn't go out with us last night, because you had to take Ricky home." Her face brightened suddenly. "Oh. Oh! You went out with little Ricky!"

"Well...no...we didn't go out...as a matter of fact, I did take him home..."

"So what's the....Oh. Oooooohhh!!!" Nell's hands flew to her face, and her eyes widened into large dark discs. With the false eyelashes bordering, they looked like fat tarantulas. "Oh! I see!"

"Don't tell *anybody*," Alex commanded, with a note of panic.

"Not a *soul*!" said Nell.

Alex fell into daydreams for most of that evening, fighting them sincerely but unsuccessfully the whole time. He couldn't help remembering how Ricky had led him down a painted pathway since he walked into *Jake's Downtown Deli* little more than a week ago. Alex knew then that there would be some problems if he hired him, but he was qualified and...well, he just *couldn't* ignore the application. So the manager/bartender hired the beautiful pixie...who had had the nerve to list on his application some of the bars where he had waited tables...the same Gay bars where Alex had his start and several wild young years before he met Jake three years ago. And the kid used this...used it to trap him...but Alex knew too well that he hadn't run too hard...or hidden too well.

With a whoosh, a slink and a swirl Maggie the Hag, who had just punched out, was on the stool where Nell had been sitting earlier. Alex fixed her her usual gin and tonic and set it down in front of her. "What's this I hear about you going to bed with the new waiter?" Maggie said. She giggled at Alex's stunned expression. "Never trust a bisexual transsexual," she said.

"Please don't spread it around," Alex pleaded. "If Jake were to find out..."

"I won't tell a *soul*," Maggie said.

Hank Kitteridge had an indignant, crushing grin on his face when he passed swept past the bar-service window. Alex felt ill. "What's so funny," he demanded, grabbing Hank through the window.

"Nothing, Alex," Hank replied, still smirking. "It's just that...well, I didn't think you could--eh--switch roles so easy!"

"You know too!" Alex sighed brushing the hair off his forehead nervously. "Well...I can *see* how it might

bother you...considering I'm the only person in this restaurant who hasn't---well, never mind."

It worked, at least. Hank quickly disappeared.

Riding home, Alex was very quiet. He couldn't think properly and he felt very shaky. "What the hell is the matter with you?" Jake asked finally.

"I---I---" Alex felt himself go pale. He had tried so hard not to let his nervousness show.

"Is it your thing with Ricky? Is that it?"

Alex froze. He stared at Jake dumbfoundedly. "Oh I knew about that," his lover was saying, "Ricky told me so himself, this afternoon, when I came to check the register."

"And you're...not mad?"

Jake pulled the car over to the side off the road and turned off the engine. "Of course I'm mad," he said, putting his arm around Alex, "but if our relationship isn't strong enough to weather something this trivial, we wouldn't have ever gotten this far. I mean, even I've...that is...I mean...well, forget that part."

"I will. You better believe I will," Alex mumbled.

"And you won't have to worry about that brat bothering you any more. I've taken care of that."

"Oh, no! You didn't fire him because of me, did you?"

"No. Remember that antique mirror that was hanging in the back section?"

Alex looked puzzled. "Ricky stole that?"

"No...I gave it to him. He quit."

PISCES: FEB. 19-MAR. 20

Don't give up yet. You've really messed up this time, true, but you're resourceful enough to pull yourself out of it and wind up on top. Be patient about those promises; remember who you know you can trust. Lucky days for you this month are the 8th, 9th, and 10th...Be extra careful on the 12th.

ARIES: MAR. 21-APR. 19

You may be under a lot of pressure right now but relax. Keep pressing steadily forward and you'll find that everything is running smoothly, according to plan. When you get through with your technical difficulties, spend some time with the one who cares about you most, and reassure yourself that nothing more can go wrong.

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St. Paul Gays Lose

The vote on the Gay ordinance in St. Paul, Minnesota, Tuesday, was overwhelmingly in favor of repeal of the ordinance. Fundamentalist groups in St. Paul campaigned last year to repeal the ordinance by initiative. The City Council of St. Paul had amended their human rights ordinance to include the term "sexual or affectional preference" four years ago.

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In all of his statements Caldwell followed his belief in what he calls the "accountability concept"—that is, the investigation of HPD should be handled within the department. He referred to the concept of a civilian review board to investigate the department as unconstitutional.

"Organizations, like people, face crises...you ought to clean your own house," Caldwell said. He stated that the problem of the police department in Houston was that it was "made up of human beings...who have the same emotions all of us do: anger, hate, fear, lust, joy, everything. We don't have superwoman on our staff, or Baretta, or Starsky and Hutch. Our department is made up of normal people, kids from our churches and synagogues, the best we can find."

Caldwell only allowed five minutes for questioning and typical of his "responses" were his answer to the student who asked about "careless blatant criminals" within the department ("That's what it's all about, Kiddo,") and to someone who asked about his change of direction from ideas "inherited" from previous administrations in which he played key positions to his present spirit of reform ("That's a lot of crap.")

Caldwell's closing statement was that "there is no more challenging job on the face of God's green earth than that of a police officer in Houston circa 1978."

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Cuddles	4714 S. Main St.	528-5054
The Cove	2912 S. Shepherd	524-0170
Dirty Sally's	220 Avondale	(To Open)
The Exile	1011 Bell	659-0453
The Galleon	2303 Richmond Ave.	522-7616
Hi-Lite Ranch	6800 S. Main St	528-8730
Inside/Outside	1318 Westheimer	527-9071
Just Marion & Lynn's	817 Fairview	528-9110
The Lamppost	2417 Times Blvd.	528-8921
The Locker	1732 Westheimer	528-8844
Mary's	1022 Westheimer	528-8851
Midnite Sq'n	534 Westheimer	526-7519
Ms. Take II	2047 Marshall	528-3533
The Old Plantation	2020 Kipling	522-2363
The Old Surf	2909 Main St.	528-9164
Our Place	1419 Richmond Ave.	528-8903
The Pink Elephant	1218 Leeland	659-0040
Silver Bullet Saloon	1005 California	528-9653
Uncle Charlie's	805 Pacific	529-7488
Venture - N	2923 S. Main St.	522-9018

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BATHS:

Club Houston	2205 Fannin	659-4998
Midtowne Spa	3100 Fannin	522-2379

BOOKSHOPS:

The Bookstore	1728 B...	527-8522
Wilde 'N' Stein	819 Richmond	529-7014

CHURCHES:

Christ's Communion	908 B Winston	868-4590
MCCR	1414 Joe Annie	526-8233

CLOTHES AND JEWELRY:

All That Glitters	4315 Montrose	522-6976
Artisan Fashions	1731 Westheimer	523-0809
ETC.	4714 Westheimer	
Hodge-Podge	1338A Westheimer	522-6485
Manhole	1983 W. Gray	522-1089
Union Jack	4025 Westheimer	622-3100

COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS:

Crisis Hotline		228-1505
Dignity	P.O. Box 66821/77006	528-7644
Episcopal Integrity		526-0555
Gay Resource Services	Box 441 U. C., U of H/77004	4749-3489
Integrity/Houston	P.O. Box 3942/77001	529-7014
Lambda	5210 Fannin	433-8380
Lutherans Concerned	729 Manor	453-1143
Montrose Activities Center	815 Hawthorne	526-2668
Wilde & Stein Collective	KPFT, Wed 11-12 P.M.	526-4000

GYM:

The 2306	2306 Genessee	528-6235
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PET SHOPS:

Butler's Pets	1638 Westheimer	522-8832
Pet Shop, Bird Clinic	3118 Smith	529-7266

PLANTS AND FLOWERS:

Guenther Flowers	2030 W. Alabama	523-2828
House of Plants	1634 Westheimer	528-1901
Pampered Plant	1225 Campbell	932-7505

PRIVATE CLUB:

Soixante Quinze	6015 Westheimer	783-7002
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RESTAURANTS:

Don's Le Patois	428 Westheimer	523-5595
The Mug	515 W. Alabama	528-8744
Petite Europe	2049 Richmond	526-6020
Somewhere	1525 Westheimer	528-7173
Two Greek Brothers	3215 Main St.	
Chapultepec Mexican Restaurant	813 Richmond	522-2365

SERVICES:

A. Burton Phone Services	4506 Montrose	526-6711
Aztec Remodeling Co.		529-7556
Brazos Paint and Body Shop	2599 Brazos	522-0722
Garner's Cleaners	521 W. Alabama	523-4259
Reed Keys	1612 Westheimer	523-2927
Bookkeeping & Tax Service		864-1308
Single Services	1621 Westheimer	524-9560
Specs of Houston	4709 Richmond	626-1161
Standard Key Co.	1615 Shepherd	862-2715
C. & C. Furniture	1613 Richmond	529-8469
Lights by Marsha		665-7400
Black Dragon Tattoo	1207 Westheimer	529-9059