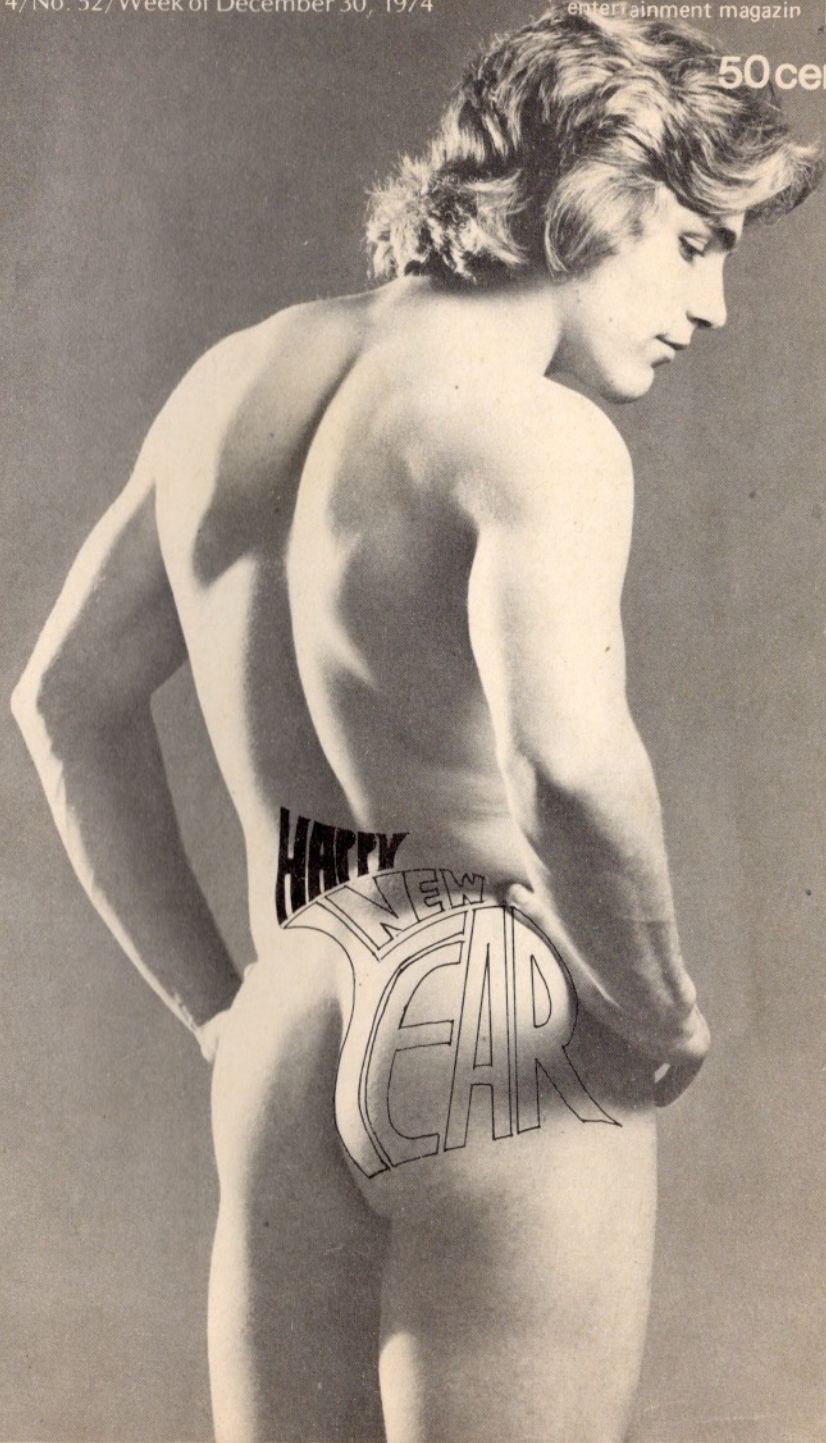


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how to get laid through astrology

by Sally Eaton

In my column I concentrate on pleasure and love in a special way for gay people. If you're a horny Aries or Gemini and you want very much to please a sedate but loveable Capricorn, or a shy Virgo Brownie Scout, a rudimentary knowledge of Astrology is invaluable.

As you know, there are twelve Signs of the Zodiac. Each "rules" or influences a certain area of everyone's life. A horoscope has twelve "houses", or segments; each contains one or more Signs. Think of the Zodiac as a pie, then cut it in your head, starting anyplace. Most people don't cut pies evenly; some wind up being bigger than others. In the same way, some "houses" or areas of life are bigger (stronger emphasis) than others. And in each person's chart it's different.

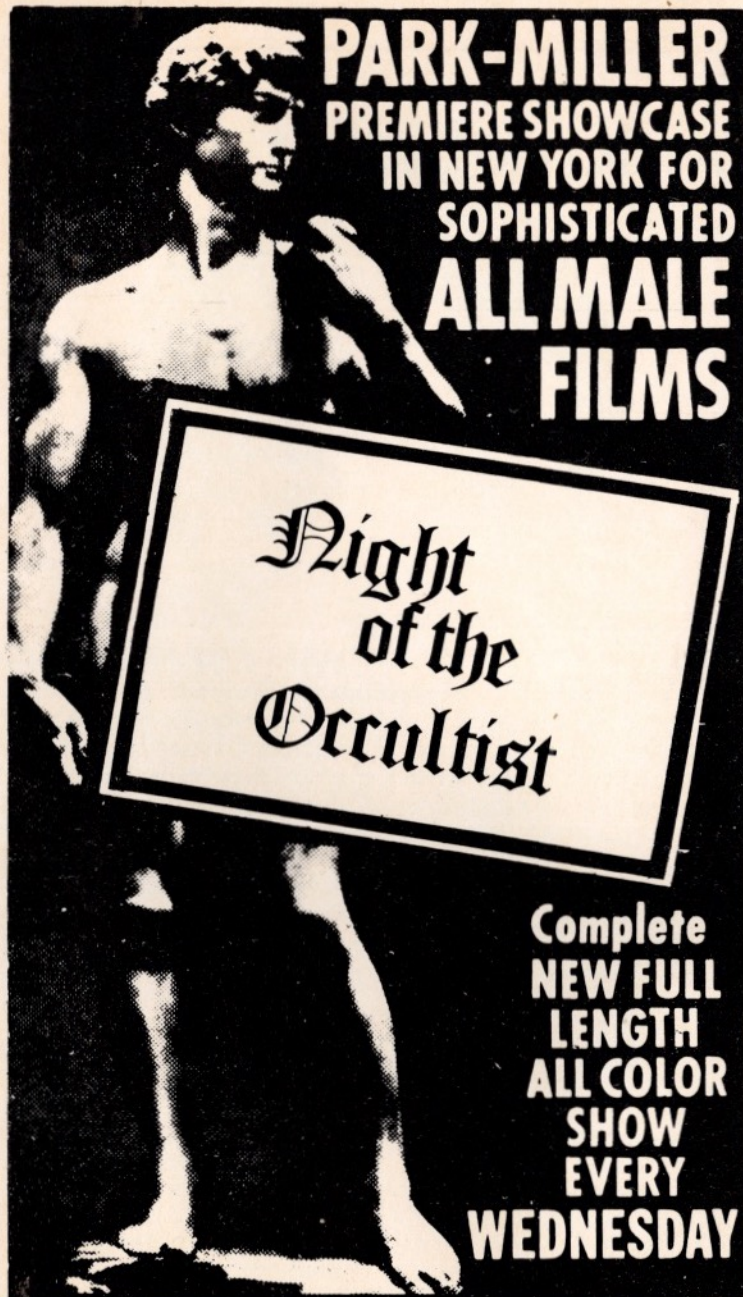
When I look into the chart to find out what a person likes sexually, I look first at the *fifth* and *eighth* houses. The

fifth has to do with sex as *pleasure*: what does so-and-so like to do to express himself in bed? Lovemaking is creative, it's an art; how does the person show his love? What action does he perform to get the feelings out?

Then the *eighth* house, sex as *need*. In return for pleasure given, what does he expect? What type of role must the other person play to satisfy him?

This series mostly deals with the *eight* house, because I assume the reader is looking for ways to get below the belt and really grab somebody else sexually. If you're willing to find out what somebody wants and do it, then it's important to know his weakness, sexually speaking. We are unfortunately dealing with Sun-signs only, though. Try these ideas as generalities, but always make an attempt to find out your target's real astrological *eighth* house.

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Capricorn. If you're moody or oversensitive, Aries will teach you something about yourself, but prepare to learn the hard way.

TAURUS

Ferdinand. A symbol of power who loves peace and gentleness. His conservatism is based on a love for anything simple and natural. Lives for what he has, and has the gift to enjoy it. For insight, watch a De Carlo Lots commercial on acid. Nobody better in the oral sex department, except maybe Cancer. Slow, steady, warm. Cuddly, brown, Li'l Abner, needs people who rely on him like the flowers need rain. The paradox is that although he wants you to get very comfortable in his house, you have to know when to leave, or he feels imposed upon. Love to him means more than sex. If he tells you he loves you, be prepared to move in with him. Taurus listens, rather than talking, but his comments are worth your attention as his insight is

sound. He is world-famous for his stubbornness, and if you want to change his mind, you must demonstrate that what you say is true, without involving his ego. He responds to opera, Segovia, candlelight, and Food!! Anything with him must occupy time to be worthwhile, so you have to plan on at least three hours in bed. What most people call foreplay is the whole thing for him. Shallowness, impracticality, unfairness turn him very off. His respect is the key to his heart, and he does not dig quickie sex, quickie relationships, or quickie anything. Consider him an investment. He will regard you in the same way. Money can buy love, but he will expect every penny's worth. He, like the trees, has always been right where he is. He is the kind you marry and cherish.

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city. Gay liberation has become prominent as Saturn, ruler of Rewards and Karma has moved through Gemini in the last three years. Gemini people are intellectual, purveyors of Great Classical Ideals and Fabulous Flashes. Mind, here, is definitely over Matter. Geminis like sex *pour le sport* and are among the hardest people to move emotionally. They are Hollywood in the Thirties and a casual dinner party 'for fifty or sixty of my most intimate friends.' The Twins image is bisexuality personified. That's the clue: Bi. Everything. Expect your Gemini to be: A good rap. Logical. Students of people. Mobile. A Good Hustler. Psychologically oriented. Unemotional. Gregarious isn't the word..... Now everybody likes someone who's an up practically all of the time, who is self-reliant enough to be left alone at any gathering, and who can figure things and people out faster than anyone else. However, they are superficial. Although they retain their youthful good looks longer than anyone, they also retain the immaturity that goes with being a seventeen-year-old wonder. Sexually, they like to take the initiative, although they are not into sex for its own sake. Sensual, they are not, although often very inventive. You must play hard to get so you can sneak up on them emotionally. Although they do not acknowledge the existence of emotion, they are secretly vulnerable to feelings expressed slowly and steadily. If you're there to come home to, your Gemini might come home. BUT, never, never take him or her for granted, unless you're not in love in the first place. And if you're Pisces, Virgo, Capricorn or sensitive, I'd advise not taking a Gemini at all, especially if he's under thirty.

CANCER

Practically everybody likes the Moon, who is always referred to astrologically as a She. Cancer is the

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only Sign She rules. As you know, the Moon goes through these 28-day cycles, every month, making her the most changeable planet in the sky. "Oh, swear not by the Moon, th' inconstant Moon" cries Juliet, and it's true, guys, but not for Cancer. He or she is the only one who can predict him/herself. Everyone else will be looney (from Luna, Lat., naturally) trying to keep up unless they just happen to know what phase the Moon is in. It goes like this: when the moon is bright in the sky (from New to Full) you can expect the Manic phase, when it will be all you can do to keep up with your Cancer; when it is waning (Full back to New again) you'll find him sitting at home possibly crouched in the corner, desiring alternately solitude or sympathy. Moody???? The worst. They kvetch (don't take it seriously) they cry, and they brood, a lot. How much of this is a put-on Cancer is the last to know for sure. The Rule: Treat everything as terribly serious, bur never take it seriously. Which brings us to sex.

The only way to get to first base with Cancer is to have something to offer. What you might like to try offering is paradoxically not a shoulder to cry on but a problem of your own to be solved by him. His misery if the type which loves not just company but an excuse to feel less miserable by contrast. Love to him is service. He'll take you home, give you a nice warm meal and tuck you in bed, IF you really need him, and are sufficiently grateful. Gratitude is his form of Legal Tender. If you ever despair of having someone to whom you could show your need of tenderness, look no farther. If he gets crusty later it's only temporary, as long as you really need him. What he needs from you will vary widely, and this you must play by ear. His sex life is more vivid in fantasy, but what you must have is self-respect when it comes to technique. In other words, be

as sure of yourself in bed as you appear to be unsure outside of bed. Fake if you must, with care, as he's very psychic, but take a subtle lead always, if you want to keep him.

Two more points. #1: Home. From the Crab image, his home (on his back) is his castle, and more important than anything to him. Never dish his mother!!! Be very careful what you do when at home with him, because he cherishes his decor, waterbed, and records far more than YOU, unless you live there. Buy him a Cookbook, French copperware, or best, a sterling silver anything. #2: Tits. Unless he's very unusual, he will have a strong reaction to anything you do to his nipples. Some Cancers HATE their tits (fear of vulnerability), others LOVE whatever you can invent. Score many points for imagination...

LEO

I hate to say it, but flattery will get you anywhere. Some Leos are bright enough to tell when you're laying it on thick, most aren't. Or if aware, don't care. The Cat is, strictly speaking, a showpiece. Take him Anyplace Expensive and he's yours, or rather you're His. Personally, although every book on Astrology tells me that as an Aries I'm supposed to adore Leos, and I do, (as friends.) I am of the opinion that they're just a trifle shallow. Of course, they're generous. And very warm, frank, and outspoken. If you like blondes of the bronzed, sunny,

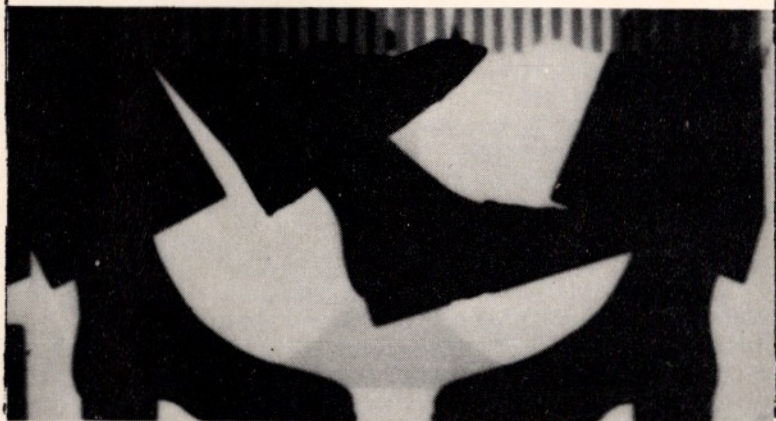
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rich-looking variety, you have got it made with a Leo. What does he like to do in Bed??? Believe it or not, anything as long as he's on top, or thinks he is. What I want to say is this: Although sex is supposed to be his bag, and he normally has a great deal of endurance and enthusiasm, there is usually just one little thing he lacks: Imagination. But *never* let him know it, or you'll ve exiled from his Kingdom immediately. You've got to Respond, Respond, Respond, even if you must Fake, Fake, Fake! I know that sounds just awful, especially to you Leos, but this is where it's at: Sex is really not a Great Big Mystery, it's just fun. Fun is more fun if you just Have it, then forget about it. Leos have the capacity to enjoy this very simple pleasure in a very simple way; if you want to get fancy it throws the whole thing into an anticipation trip, and Leo really doesn't want to be bothered with all that crap, being much too honest. If you dig anything more profound than just doing it simply and conventionally, don't hurt Leo's pride. because he really isn't your thing. If you do, you must play by time-honored and romantic courtly traditions, and he will invite you to share his throne. He is a very loyal friend, rarely cheats, hates long goodbyes, loves jewelry. Best if you're an Aquarius.

VIRGO

Most Virgos are tired of that joke. Few Virgos are virgins anyway. Sexually, they are the most underrated Sign of the Zodiac, and it's a damn shame. I'm connoisseur of this much-neglected lover, possibly because I tend to be slightly aggressive, but mostly because I like people whom nobody else notices, being possessive by nature. The Virgin image refers to the industrious nature of the sign, which is more skilled in helping and creating practical and useful things than any other. But, believe it or not. Virgo

mates better with Scorpio (traditionally the heaviest sex of all) than anybody else except possibly Cancer. The Virgin's Ultimate Weapon? You knew it: virginity. It works like this. You see this number who looks as though he/she had never had that much good sex in all his/her life. Immediately you have to try your hand at making an impression, right? Virgo will gracefully allow a discreet seduction to take place, provided it's somewhat delicately done. And leave you feeling you've given him/her something no one else has ever quite managed to give: a really good time. Meanwhile Virgo has fulfilled his fantasy; he has been de-flowered again without losing that one precious thing he guards with his life. You guessed it. If you want to go on receiving The Gift More Precious Than Life Itself night after magical First Night, try being considerate, neat, and rich. He will never bore you if you are all of the above. Best permanent bet for Taurus, Scorpio, Capricorn.

LIBRA

Libra's Fifth House is Aquarius, a notoriously gregarious Sign. Librans are in love with love, and in love with everyone, because they feel that their personality Love as an ideal, being terribly fair-minded and kind, etc. Some people find them wishy-washy and vague. People who get hang up on Librans tend to need oracles or guides, and Librans are generally obliging, attractive types who will go along with anyone willing to support their habits. They are sensuous and usually juicy. They do not like playing roles in bed, and will fuck or be fucked with equal appreciation. The one thing that turns them off is dirty sheets. Oral sex, receiving end, is actually their forte, and here we run into difficulty. They can be pleased in almost any way, but the verbal response is always cool. Libra sees himself as the sine qua non of fair play, so the "unfair" is always

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projected onto the other who somehow hasn't the divine sense of right and wrong of the protagonist. In other words, if you want to please Libra, be more secure than he is. Don't spend all your time on your knees, make him beg for it. Of course, if you just love to lap it up, keep lapping. But it's a paradox, be warned. He wants to be fair, but he wants what he wants. If you give him what he wants, he'll feel guilty taking unfair advantage and say you're forcing him down your throat.

Aword to women: Female Libras are lousy actresses. They don't want to make you feel inept, but they just can't help having these really strange problems with their equipment. Be forceful; if she's faking, kick ass, but with finesse. Don't marry her to dress her, it'll never work.

Both sexes of Librans tends to be "bi", or rap that way. They demand security: sexual financial, emotional, etc. Demands for freedom stem from the fact that they can't stand being alone.

SCORPIO

Hanging on to a Scorpio is damn difficult, but it can be done. Since they are the acknowledged sexual masters of the Zodiac, sex isn't the way to do it. What's Scorpio's Eight House? Gemini. Needs? Variety, and brains. Scorpio always sizes you up immediately, and files you in the category: Possible, or Impossible. He'll ball you anyway, but anything else is always up to him, or so he thinks. You have to be naturally freaky, detached, or nasty to get him hooked. Scorpio rules the rectum. They are role-players right down the line, with few exceptions, and born sadomasochists, mostly keys on the left (new York). But it's not pain, it's timing, that is the essence of their grooves. Mostly the they dance and you sing, but they never make statements of any kind about their preferences outside of bed. You can



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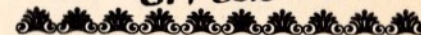
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I never met an a Scorpio woman I didn't like, and possibly envy at the same time. Scorpio is what Woman is all about, and the men suffer horribly from repressed hatred/need of female feelings. They are *much* better off gay. I never had an affair though, with a Scorpio woman, because I couldn't stand being butch by comparison and yet not in control of myself if you love a Scorpio woman, worship her, and let her know you *need* her. If you can't do it, then you deserve what you get.

With Scorpio, if you don't understand masochism, you will. If you marry, it will be secure but maybe just a bit dull.

SAGITTARIUS

With sagittarius, Freedom is the most precious thing in life. They don't settle well, but the funny thing is, they have an intense need for people who do. They tend to view themselves as morally, socially, or intellectually superior to their fellow men, and therefore is a different category: *their* freedom is what counts, but they need someone to come home to. You must be flexible enough to accept them, yet independent enough not to need them. Obviously, they rarely mate for long. Few people will put up with this kind of bullshit. I tend to regard Sagittarians as rather selfish people and deal with them on superficial levels only. The only one I ever got hung up on was my last. However, they can be had, like anyone else, with patience. Feed them. Play with their tits. Refuse to play intellectual games. Be sensual, but firm. They like to have their behinds clawed, pinched, admired, slapped, or grabbed IN PRIVATE. Never cling in public if any restlessness is displayed. Never claim to understand them, it's an insult. And never come on strong, unless requested to. Best for Leo as a mate.


Taurus will find an ideal, Cancer good sex but so-so compatibility. For Scorpio, the perfect one-nighter. Girls: tell her she's got the world's cutest ass. Enjoy, but don't anticipate. Other advice holds true for women but fewer ego games happen. Males make fabulous friends for gay women. Women make ultimate Lesbians, in the elegant sense: Tall, lean, aware, confident.

CAPRICORN

I am prejudiced in favor of this Sign, as my lover is a Capricorn. This is odd, considering I'm an Aries, but it has worked out so far for two years, so I guess you can say either I'm lucky or I know something about pleasing Capricorns. Capricorn is described in the textbooks as being a very cold Sign, sexually, but I think this is bullshit. Capricorns may be tough to get to know—I had to wait a long time to get "in" with mine, but once aroused, Goats are rarely ever cold. Quite the opposite.

The thing always to bear in mind with Capricorn is that, like Scorpio, he places a very high premium on sex itself, as an all-involving, all-consuming emotional experience. Being cautious, however, Capricorn likes to make very sure of his partner before plunging into what might become an obsession. His coldness stems from a defense mechanism meant to protect his sensitive emotional nature. He is somewhat like a Cancer turned inside out—all that sentimentality is inside, but kept totally under control behind a veneer of respectability. The Goat, however, is an all-time sexual symbol, considered by the Occult to be phallic. The occult, incidentally, is something nearly all Capricorns have an affinity for, with accompanying natural abilities.

Capricorn's natural Fifth House is Taurus, the Sign that rules the mouth and throat. Capricorns, as a result,



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tend to be quite good at oral sex, and rather aggressive in that direction. It appeals to their, slow, organic Earth nature. They like to dominate, but in a very calm, organized way. They have a secret weakness for flattery, which they never acknowledge; it's very hard to tell if you've hit the mark. But if he's around . . . it means he really digs you.

Capricorn tend to prefer complicated people, often showy people. They don't want the spotlight themselves—that would be beneath their dignity, BUT, if you are a flamboyant (not *loud*) or obviously impressive type, the Goat will be very interested. He lacks most the qualities of Leo, and needs that kind of warmth, generosity and drama to make him feel complete.

In trying to attract and keep a Capricorn, there are some very rigorous do's and don'ts. Never embarrass him in public. Never treat him like just another number, because his qualities are very rare and special—to *him*. Never offend his family, or insult his intelligence; he's very proud of both. You can play 'let's make a deal' in a subtle way (if you go in for selling or trading parts of yourself) but don't expect emotional involvement with this approach. Just be very conservative on the outside, very loyal (as a friend, lover, or partner) on the inside. Capricorn is best for Pisces, Scorpio, Taurus.

AQUARIUS

This Sign is supposed to be one the freakiest and most difficult to fathom in the Zodiac. Easy to get to know on the outside, most Aquarians seem to exude an aura that there's something hidden deep within that can be uncovered by deep and sensitive probing. Wrong! Or at least, whatever it is, *you'll* never know what it is. Peggy Lee said it all in the song: Is that All There Is?

Of course, they're very friendly. Very companionable, very charming,

very sincere, honest, rational, normal, etc. The perfect roommate, the perfect drinking buddy, the perfect friend. But sexually?!

The trouble with Aquarius is that he's just a little too normal, and that's what makes him so freaky. He isn't heartless by a means, he just doesn't equate caring for people with sentimentality. To him, Emotion with a capital "E" is the most insidious thing in the Universe, the plague of Mankind. This attitude horrifies the Water Sign, and unnerves Earth people, who although they respect a practical approach, find themselves emotionally dried out by the Aquarian inattention to the personal side of things.

Aquarians try very hard to care for everybody equally, and in so doing, forget that some people are more equal than others, at least when it comes to very close friendships. Sexually, they adapt well to almost any type of activity, having a great curiosity about human behavior in all forms. Aquarius is a notoriously Gay sign, although the real word for it is polymorphous—the ability to enjoy anything, try anything at least twice, and letting the other party satisfy all his or her desires.

Aquarius' Eighth House is Virgo, and there is often a strange affinity between these two Signs. What Aquarius needs, paradoxically, is a lack of passion (*he* would call it compulsion) on the part of his partner.

Sex is a pastime, or just another thing in life to an Aquarian. I'd sleep with him or consider a serious thing with him only if intensity, passion, or emotion were unimportant things to me. It is useless to be jealous, get hung up, or display any irrational tendencies here. For technique, massage his back or stomach. He can be a very good lay, incidentally, and that's just the catch. He's not cold in bed, just hard to psych out. Play it

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Pisces is without doubt the most difficult Sign to please sexually. This is because Pisceans are so deeply emotional that nothing in the 'real' world ever quite measures up to the fantasies they can construct in their heads. They are the type who *always* make love with their eyes closed—and you never know what's going on inside—never. It's not that they won't try to tell you if pressed, but, whatever is going on is often impossible to explain. Pisceans therefore tend to give up trying to explain their inner realities at an early age, because the stuff that goes on in their heads is just so fantastic for others to comprehend. They are better off that way.

The main tendency seems to be masochism, but on an exalted level. The only way for Pisces to bolster his vague sense of identity is to have a Purpose, and that purpose is usually Being Kind to others; of "useful". The entire Christian Religion is a Pisces phenomenon. Turning the other cheek often degenerates into allowing oneself to be taken advantage of for the sake of a sense of moral superiority: "If I'm long-suffering enough, I'll be taken care of", etc, etc, which often comes off like maudlin self pity.

But the funny thing is, Pisceans always do manage to take care of themselves. They are stongly-sexed people, and if misunderstood or allowed to become morally superior, turn into devastating little hustlers. Sexually, they like to mother people: "I'll satisfy your every need, but of course, you don't *have* to please me; I can't really be satisfied because I'm so fucked up". This is unnerving, to say the least. Their real need, as far as I can judge, is to be able to put themselves in the position that the other party is taking, and experience

themselves from that angle. They would rather, in other words, be you than them, because to them, YOU obviously have a more complete sense of being someone. So, if you want to please a Piscean, discreet rape is the answer.

Rape, of course, takes energy. But in this case it must be subtle, not just forceful. If you are sadistic, you will find Pisces less easy as a challenge than you think, because Pisces is adept at finding new ways to make you torture him. Female Pisces are classic clinging vines on the surface, often frigid, but exceptional actresses.

Most Pisceans can be had, of course, but on their own terms. You cannot be more masochistic, but you can undermine the ultimate dominance of his/her masochism by being very unemotional, if you happen to be the type. Best bet for Gemini and Capricorn. Challenging for Aries or Scorpio, lousy for Cancer, Virgo, and Aquarius. Libra might have a chance, but only if he's pushier.

Editor's Note:

This is a reprint of an article which appeared in Michael's Thing in separate episodes, all except the last three Signs of the Zodiac which are being published for the first time in this issue. Because of the overwhelming response of our readers to this feature, in particular, and to Miss Eaton's regular column, in general, we present the entire series as a handy reference for the coming year.

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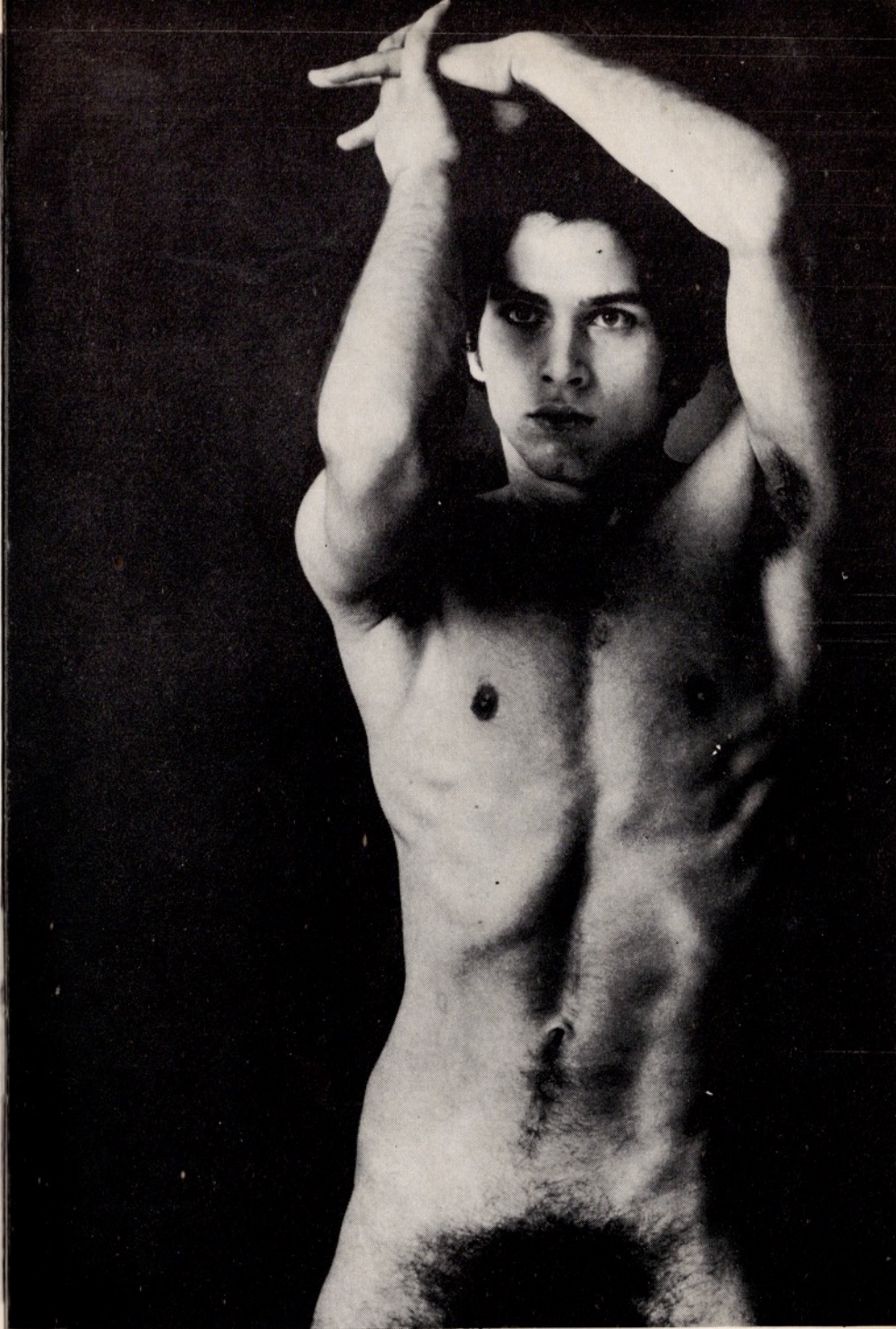
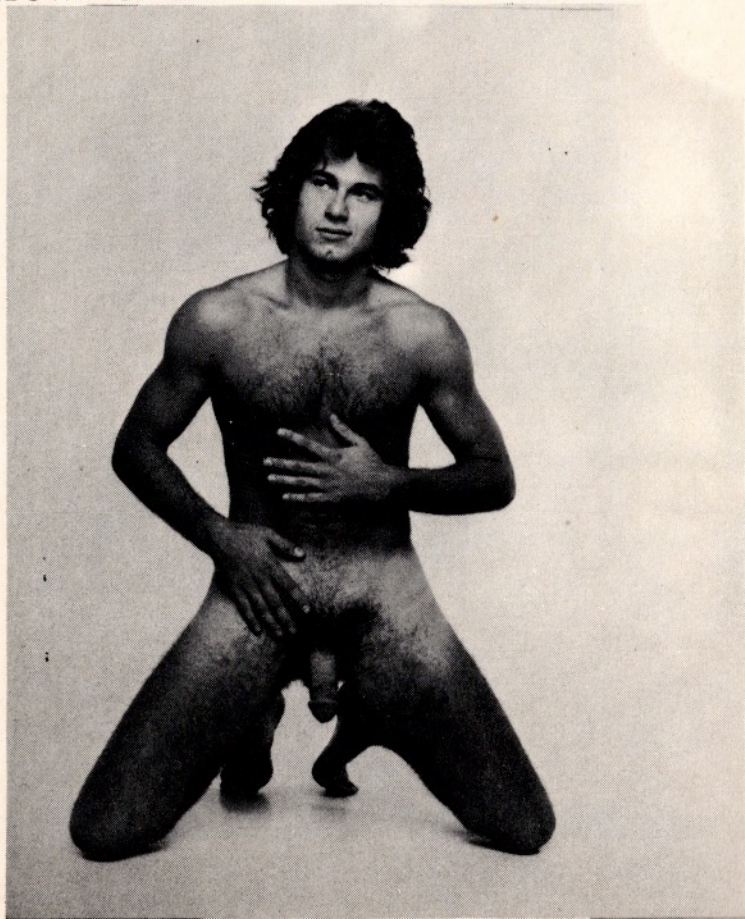
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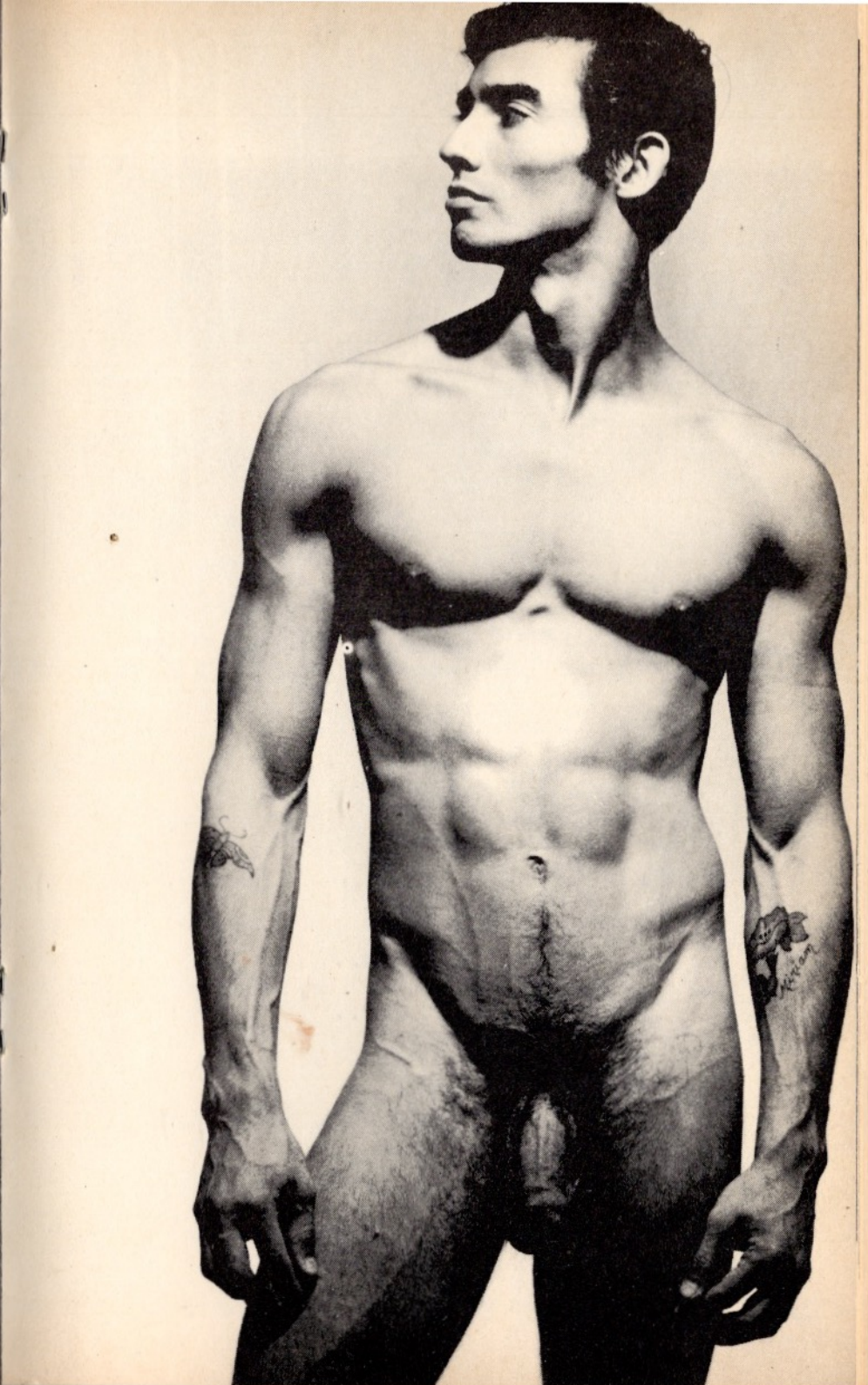
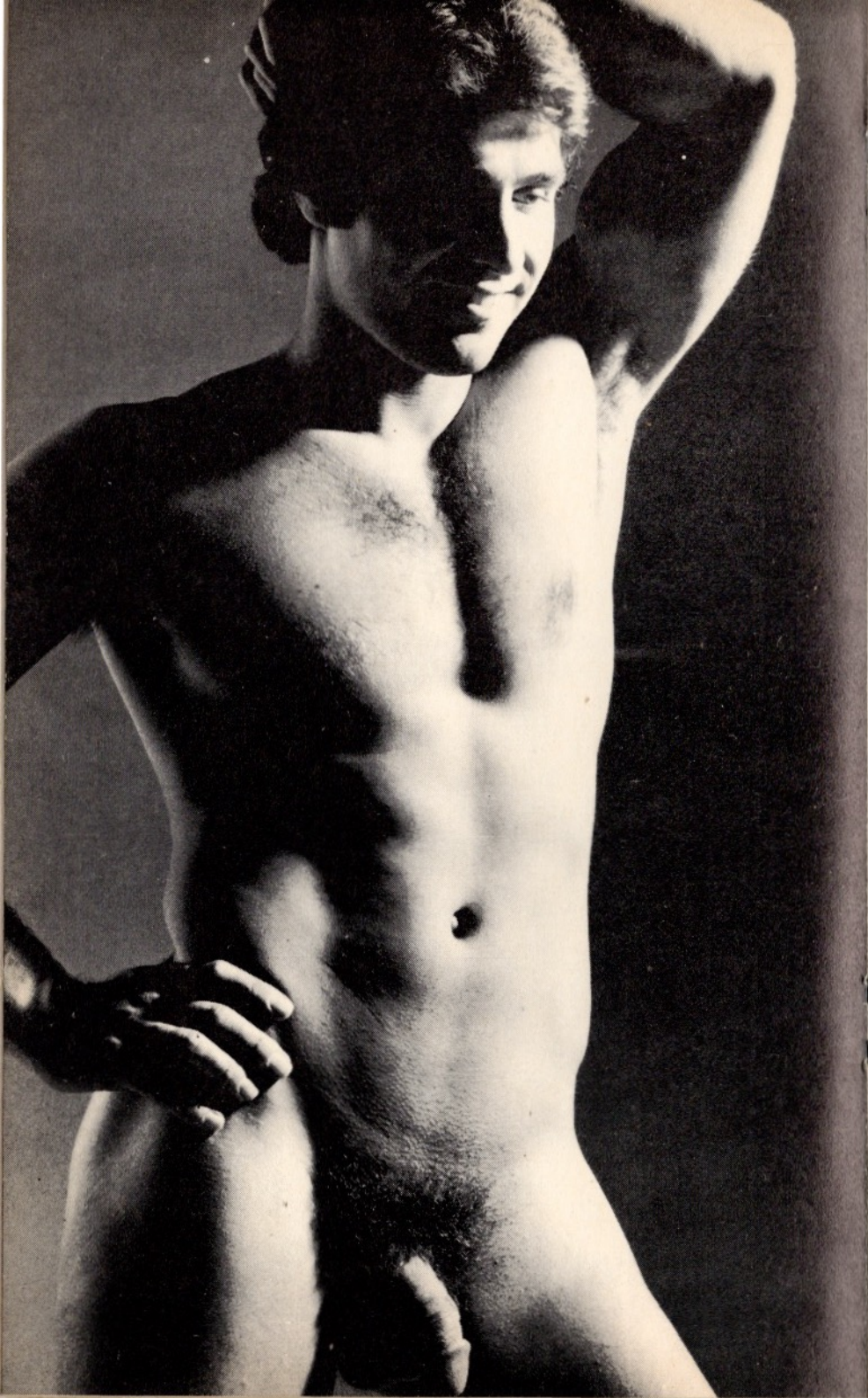
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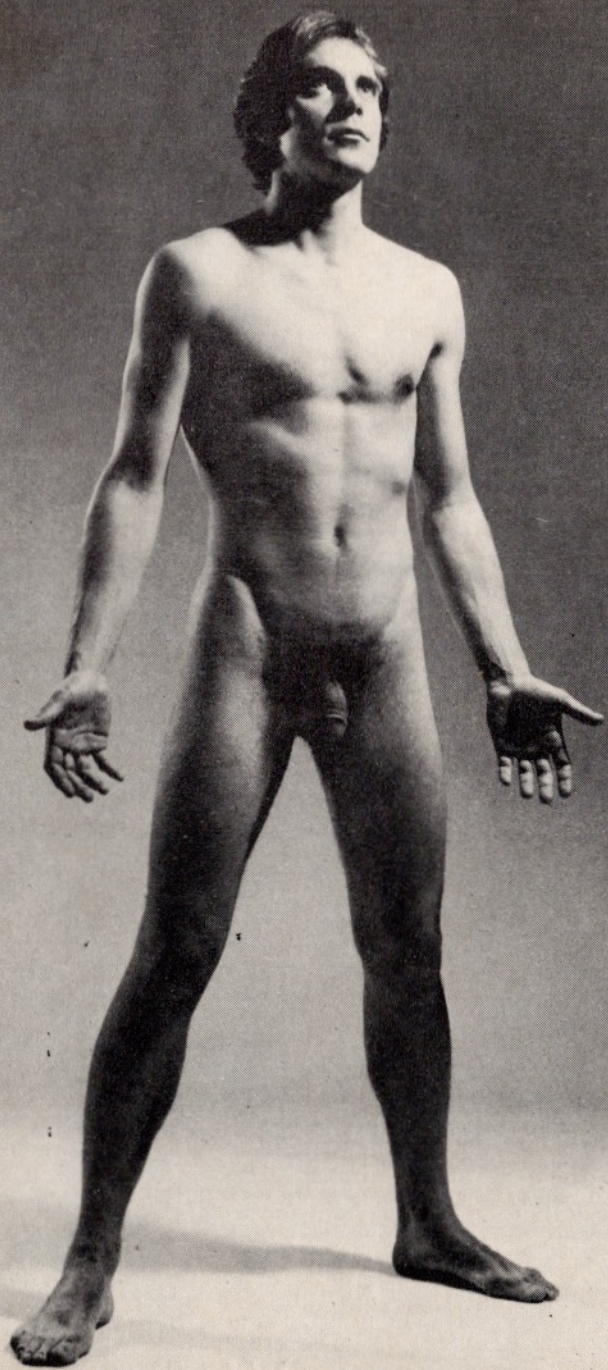
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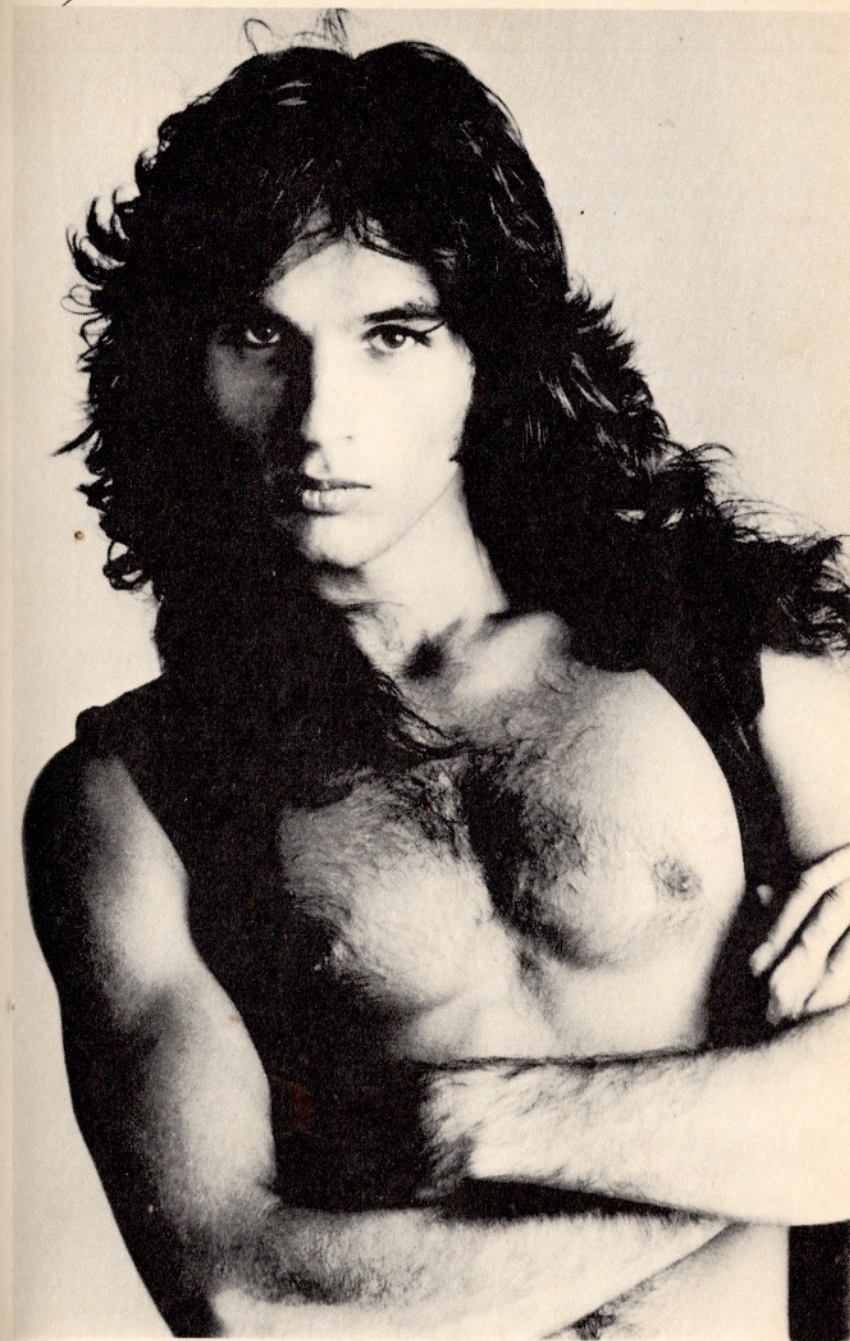
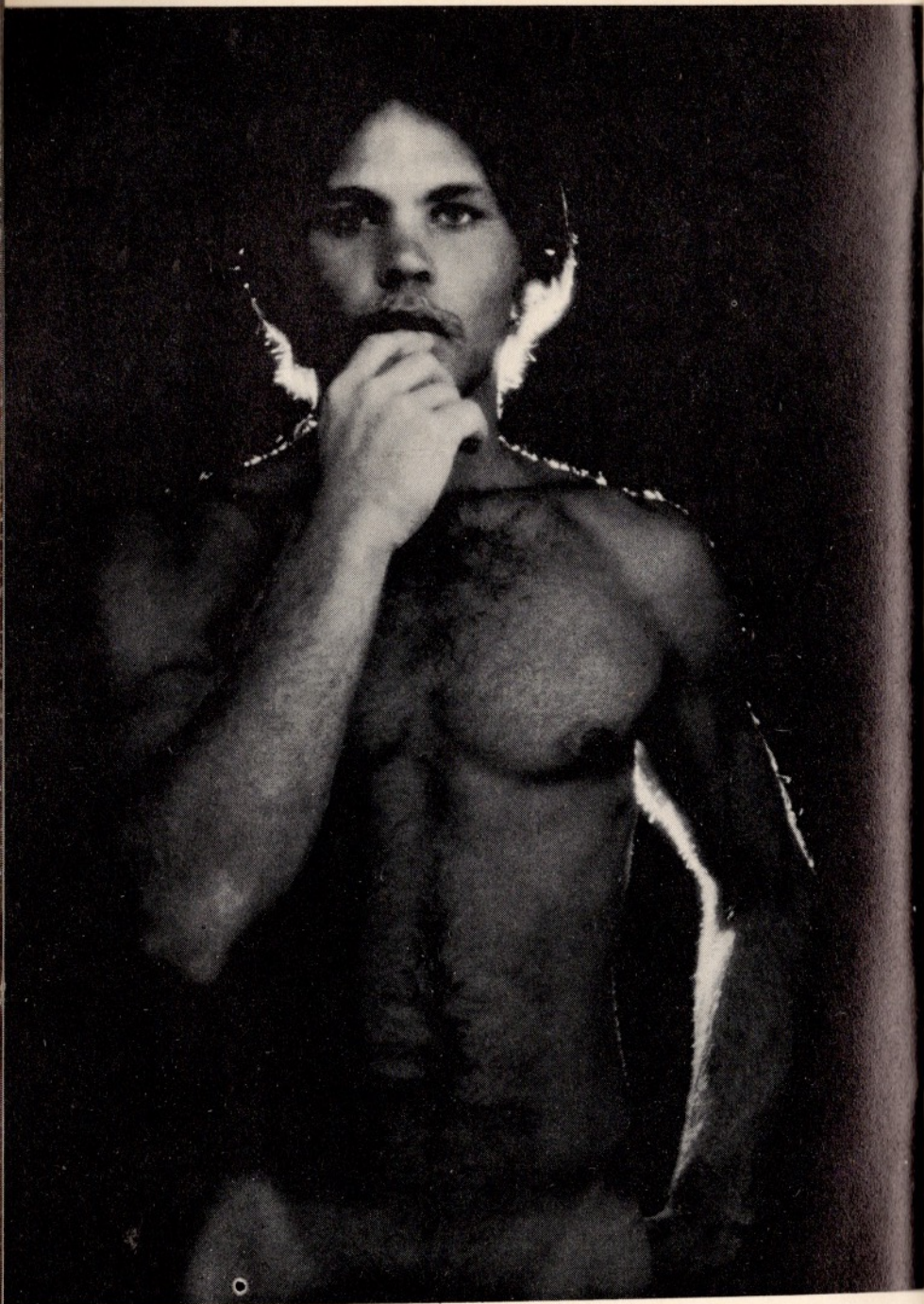
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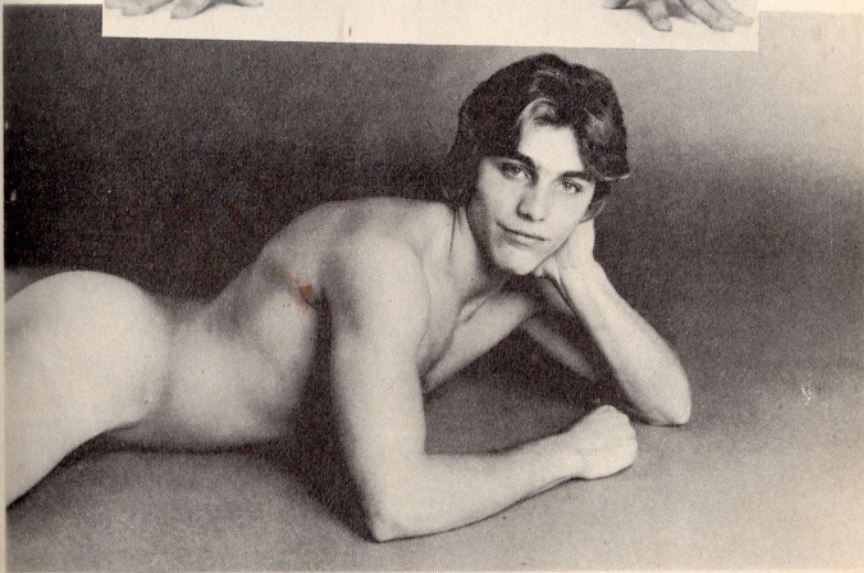
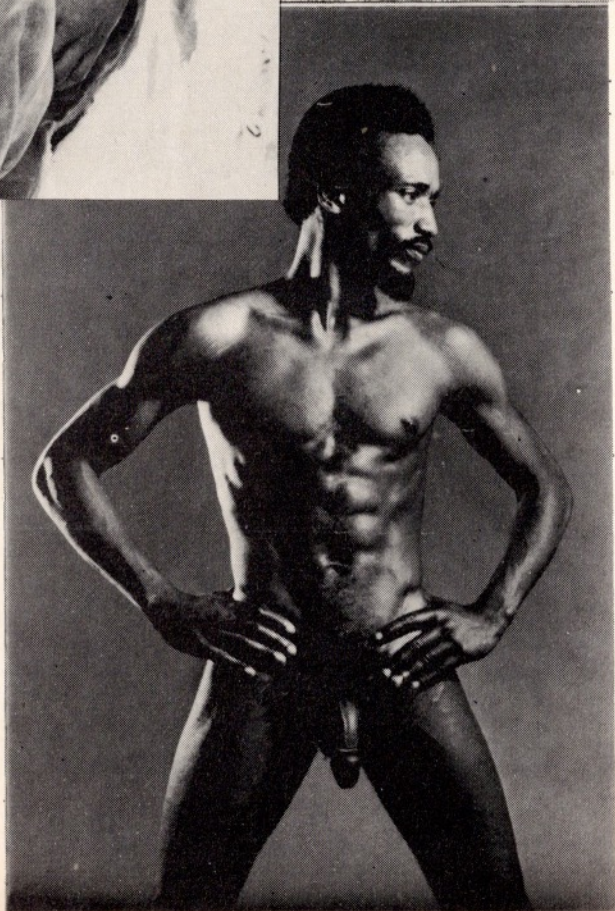
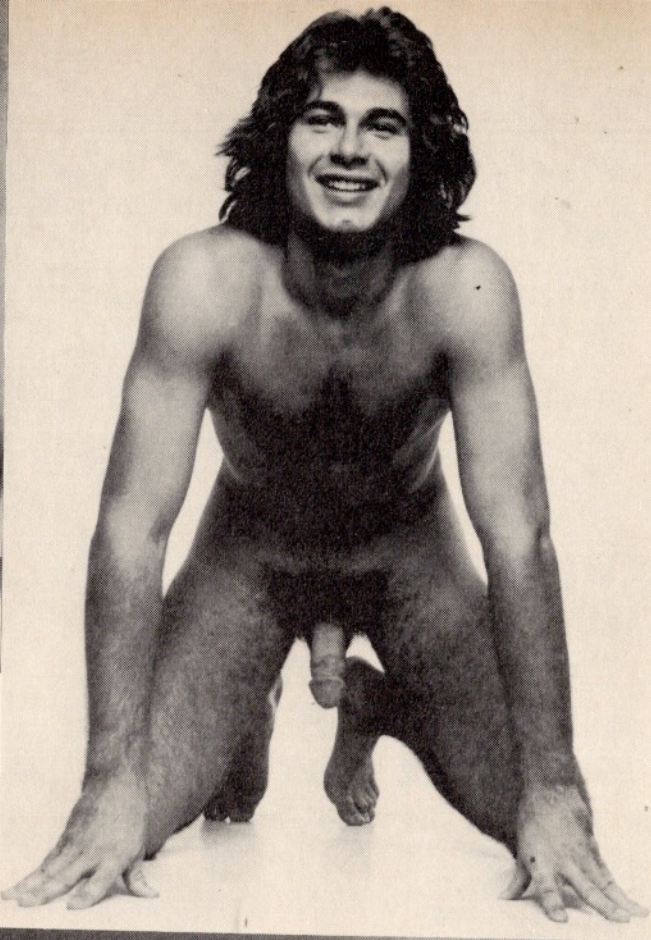
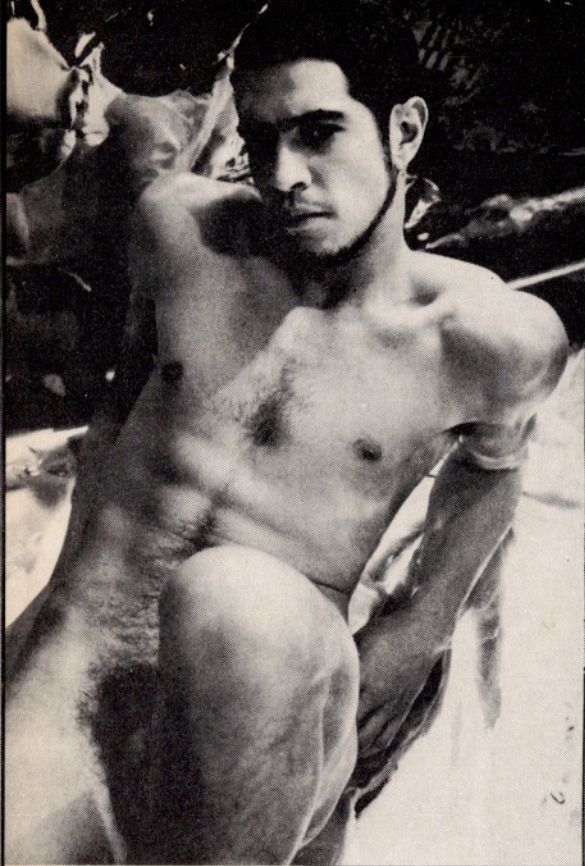
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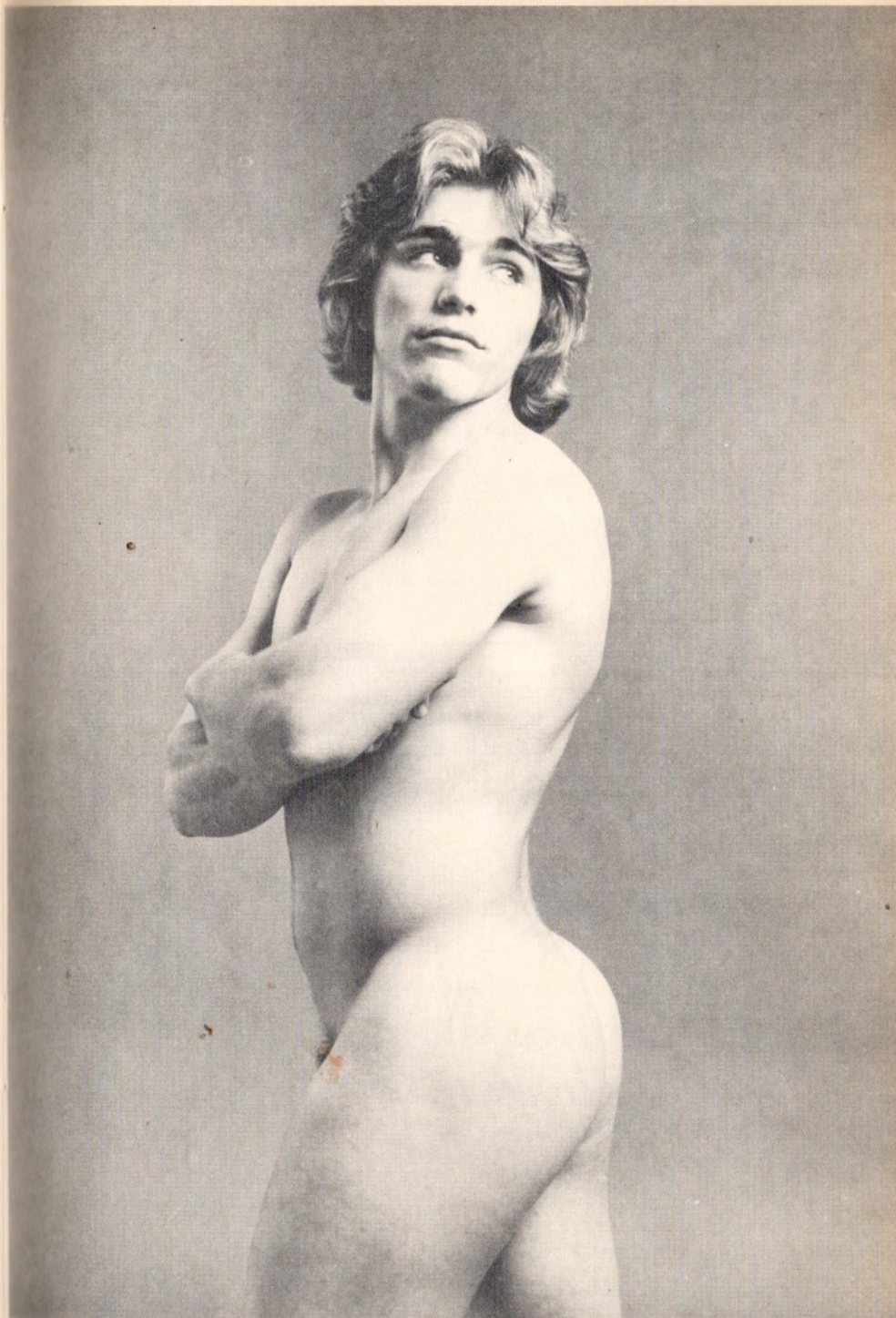
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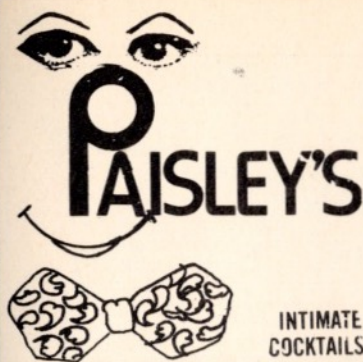
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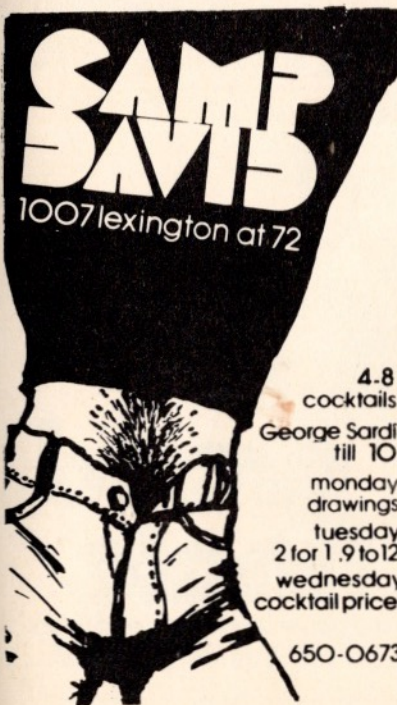
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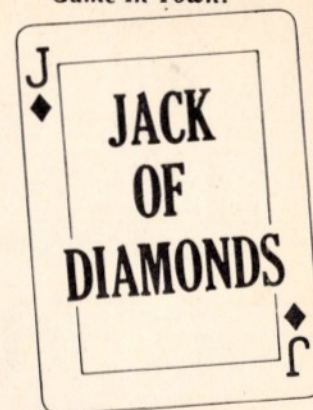
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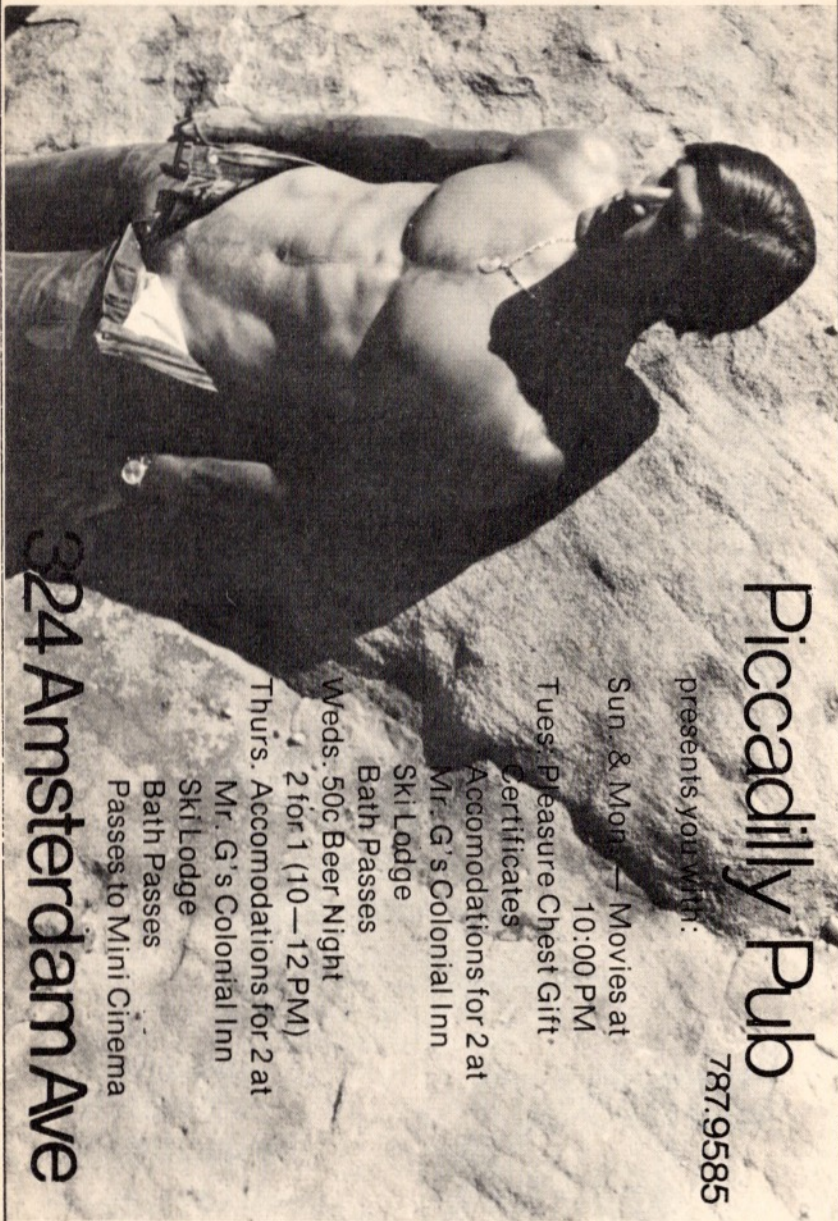
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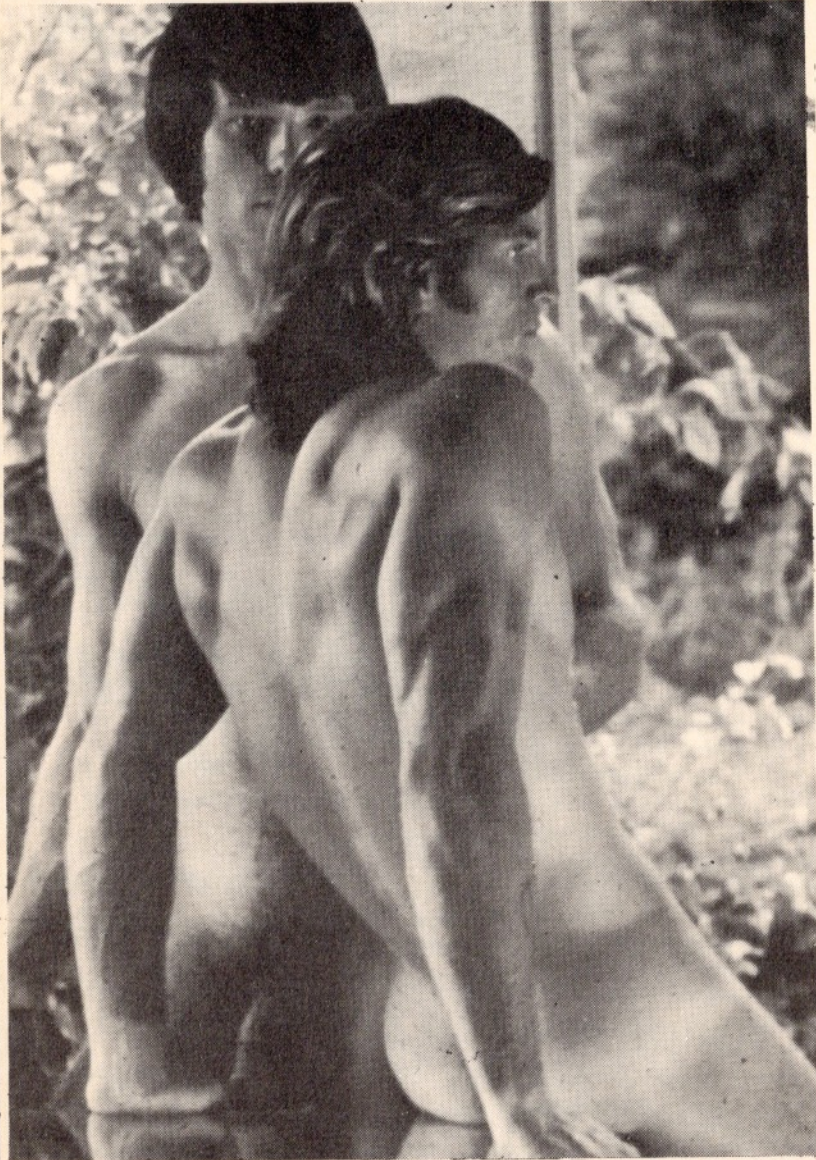
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Ashleys new social club is called It's The Pitts... When dining at the Lodge East it's like dining at Fire Island so many familiar faces and Serwood the host is all smiles as if he had just returned from the meat rack... The Picadilly Pub really has a beauty on their hands by the name of Richie Rodriguez... Ciao and best of luck to Joey of Beth's. Congrats to Grandma Lee Schwartz of Harry's another grand daughter... Terry Hammond of Marie Crisis really into movie making with local personalities... Tracy daytime bartender at Paisley's knows this guy called florist because he's always got 4 Roses on his breath... Guess that's it for this year... Don't forget to stock up on the alka-seltzer and home remedy hang over cures... See ya... hic... love George Sardi.

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ARIES (3/21—4/19) ... Should still be a pretty good time for you, with abundant energy to carry projects into the New Year. Some business associates, however, are apt to be stubborn and conservative. If you encounter opposition, bend gracefully.

TAURUS (4/20—5/20) ... Mercury, Venus, and the Sun are all in Capricorn, the sign on your ninth cusp. This period should be a very creative one, in which a project started should be finished with great success. Use insight and foresight now to get a major task accomplished.

GEMINI (5/21—6/21) ... Needs in relation to other people come under

heavy scrutiny. You may come to a conclusion about yourself and what you desire which you never thought possible before. Try to work something out, as you look your inner reality square in the eye and determine what you most deeply want.

CANCER (6/22—7/22) ... Lunar vibes are third-quarter, time time of slower activity and a bit of withdrawal from the ratrace. You need this, actually, as the Holidays have probably been hectic, whether at home or out in the social whirl. Take time out to pamper yourself; YOU are the most important person in your life.

LEO (7/23—8/22) ... Health and work concerns should be on your mind. Try to devise a practical scheme for getting necessary things done on projects which you must complete. Something which will not wait will occupy lots of attention; make sure it's taken care of.

VIRGO (8/23—9/22) ... With three planets in your fifth house of creative self-expression, you should be at your best to do almost anything. Sex drive may be a bit low, but interest in pure romance is certainly there. Get out and be seen; you'll meet several who find you very interesting.

LIBRA (9/23—10/23) ... You may feel like staying home a lot, and then again you may not, as a restless feeling takes over. Whatever happens, don't brood; do whatever you need to do to take your mind off that career or emotional problem. A visit with the family could help, if you keep it light.

SCORPIO (10/24—11/22) ... Friends will help you a lot in one way or another this week, and socializing with business associates is likely to be very profitable. Try not to seem too mercenary, though. Others will know what you want, just by your being

there. Loosen up and relax, it flatters people.

SAGITTARIUS (11/23—12/21) ... Good time for you, good for speculation and finance, also. Right now both your ruling planets are working for you, as well as the three planets in your second house of finance and possession. Play that hunch; it could work out very well.

CAPRICORN (12/22—1/19) ... You should be in a very strong position now, with emphasis for everyone on your Sign. Take a good look at yourself in the mirror at this time, if you ever wondered who you really are. Use the strong personality influences to impress people. They will be dealing with the essential you, at your best.

AQUARIUS (1/20—2/19) ... The New Year begins with your ruler, Uranus (pronounced as a rosebuds, not showers) taking up a position in Scorpio, where it will be for seven years. Uranus is supposed to be fabulous in Scorpio, but it will mean lots and lots of freaky sex for most people. S&M will become quite a popular fad, not just in the gay world but in Middle America. Weird times to come.

PISCES (2/20—3/20) ... Not a bad week for you, if you avoid arguments with business associates. Your business life could improve through social contacts more than at any specific place of working. Also, hold on to a cherished dream; it could come true this week.

GENERAL FORECAST: A hectic and heavy New Years' Eve, with lots of drinking. This doesn't need predicting, but as I said last week, some of the results could be pretty crazy. Enjoy with reserve, please. Love, Sally.

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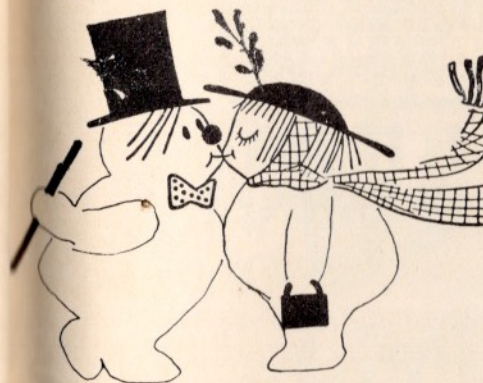
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