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## YOUR GLBT GUIDE TO KEY WEST

## GAY RAG

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## Welcome to Paradise!

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## E-mail your questions to nana@keywestgayrag.com

Dear Nana,

My parents are both very political and, unfortunately, very conservative. They've always been very accepting of me and my life but they still love to bait me with other political topics. Now, with us heading back into another campaign year, I'm already exhausted by their constant desire to debate everything they see on Fox News. How can I keep talking to my parents, but get them to talk about something else?

Well, love, the easiest way to get them to stop talking about this stuff with you, is to tell them to stop. You're all grown up now, so it's time to put the big boy pants on and treat your parents like adults. And if can't handle being treated like adults, well then treat them like children! Sure. they might bait you... but you take the bait. So who's the dumb fish on the line now?! Tell them you're simply not going to discuss those topics with them. And if they can't handle that, then you end that conversation. Eventually



they'll learn. And if they don't, well, eventually they'll be in a home and you'll only have to see them on holidays. Remember that we old folks get bored. So we have a tendency to run on at the mouth when we get a chance to. So just switch the dialogue from politics to their personal lives or their local gossip... as long as they get to gab a little, they should be happy.

This is sort of embarrassing but I really need some advice on this. My mom and her boyfriend come to visit me maybe once a month. I love my mom and her boyfriend is great and we've never had any family problems during a visit, etc. But, lately, when they come to visit I sometimes hear "noises" from their room at night. Adult noises, if you get what I mean. I'm an adult and I know that all our parents have sex... but that doesn't mean I want to hear it. Is there a way to talk to my mom about this, without... going too far into the topic? HELP!

Wow! Well this is a first for me. I have to tell you, that although it's true that you're an adult and that every kid has to accept the fact that their parents are people too... you're mom should be able to cool the home fires down for a four day weekend at her kid's house. I would definitely talk to her, and not the boyfriend. And I would remind her that it's your house and if you're not bumping uglies all over the place when she's there... than she needs keep her uglies in to herself when in



your house. It shouldn't be a big deal. Oh and I'd burn those sheets if I were you. And maybe even the bed... just tell her it had bedbugs. It's plausible.

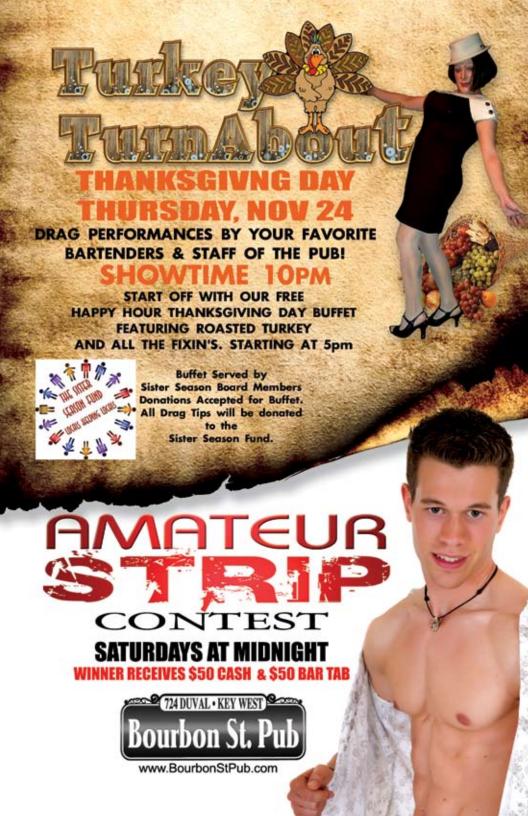
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Bobby's

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Bourbon

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

**KWest** 

Men dancing for men starting at 10 PM

## TUESDAY

904

Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

Bourbon

America's Got Talent on the big screen at 8 PM

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

**KWest** 

Men dancing for men starting at 10 PM



801-801 Duval St.



Bobby's- 900 Simonton St.



Bourbon- 724 Duval St.

## WEDNESDAY

### 801

Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

### Bourbon

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

## **KWest**

Men dancing for men starting at 10 PM

## THURSDAY

#### 801

Karaoke starting at 5 PM
Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

### Bobby's

Karaoke starting at 9:30 PM

#### Bourbon

Movie Madness in the Garden Bar starting at 8 PM Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

## KWest

Men dancing for men starting at 10 PM

## FRIDAY

#### 801

Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

### Bobby's

Karaoke starting at 9:30 PM

#### Bourbon

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

#### **KWest**

Men dancing for men starting at 10 PM

### **One Saloon**

Cock Shock contest starting at Midnight



Island House- 1129 Flemingl St.



KWest- 705 Duval St.

## SATURDAY

#### 801

Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

#### Bourbon

Pool Party starting at 1 PM

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

Amateur Strip at Midnight

## **KWest**

Men dancing for men starting at 10 PM

## SUNDAY

### 801

Karaoke starting at 5 PM Gay Bingo starting at 5 PM Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

### Bobby's

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### Bourbon

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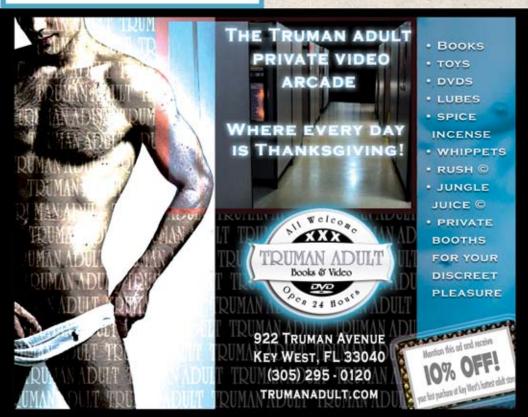


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## by: Brad Lockle

It's hard to believe that another election cycle is almost upon us. You can't turn on the TV these days without watch round after round of preliminary debates and pundit pontification. I am, personally, someone who enjoys politics. I enjoy the inner workings of both our and other countries governments and I like to see how governments change and evolve. They say there are two things you should never watch being made: laws and sausages. I like both, and I don't mind seeing where they come from. The one thing I hate most about our current political climate, though, is that we seem to be getting more religious in these last few elections. More so than even the founding fathers had to be! And though I find religion rather fascinating in and of itself... sort of like a car crash you can't help but look at... I don't think it should be used is actual political and legal debates. And the reason is because anyone, ANYONE, can use something like the bible to support their own ideas. Shakespeare even said that the devil himself could quote scripture on his own behalf. So when I see one politician quoting the bible to support their idea of social reform and then another countering that idea with yet another bible quote; well it's a lot like watching a dog chase its own tail. And to prove this, I am going to gay-i-fy the bible. I'm going to show you how various characters in the scripture could easily be interpreted to imply that perhaps the bible is filled with gays and lesbians... and thus God created us and we're part of his plan. Perhaps even an integral part!

First off, let's take the birth of the savior. Three "wise men" came baring gifts. One brought gold... gold... to a baby shower. Clearly a pretentious gay man. The kind of gay who nowadays goes and gets his 1 month old niece a \$1200 Betsy Johnson onesie because, well, he's a pretentious gay man and that's all he knows how to do for a baby. Then the next wise man brought frankincense, which is incense, which makes him a big old dyke. And finally the last wise man brought myrrh... myrrh?... myrrh?...

Myrrh for a baby. I had to Google what the fuck Myrrh even was, and trust me... even 2000 years ago, it was not baby appropriate. It's basically tree sap. This "wise man" brought a baby gift of tree sap. What kind of organic, free range, sustainable, vegan lesbo bullshit is that?!

Now of course the easy one is Moses. He parted the red sea and spent a lot of time talking to a burning bush. Lesbian.

Noah was most definitely a lesbian as well. I mean who takes all that time to build their own boat just to take all those pets on vacation with them?!

Even the savior Jesus Christ was, most likely, a gay guy. A confirmed bachelor at the ripe old age of 33 (remember, in 33AD, 33 was like the new 80!). He lived on the wrong side of the tracks with 12 other bachelors (some of whom has left their wives to follow this handsome Jew in the desert). He also was extremely close to his mother and had a fag hag who shared his mom's name. He threw lavish parties where he turned water into booze and was able to feed hundreds of people with just a few loaves of bread and some fish. If that wasn't a circuit party full of gay guys, how do you explain feeding that many people with nothing more than sashimi and toast points?!

Oh, and in the end, he got nailed on a hillside by a bunch of Romans, while some Jewish queens stood around and judged him... who HASN'T been there?!

So there you have it America. Everyone in the Bible's a queer. Which of course isn't true, but just goes to show that any book that can be so easily misinterpreted probably should be left out of modern day legal and governmental systems. At least until someone can fact check the fucking thing...

Brad Loekle is a comedian based out of NYC. He can be seen Thursday nights on TruTV's "World's Dumbest" at 9PM & produces the longest running weekly gay comedy show in New York.

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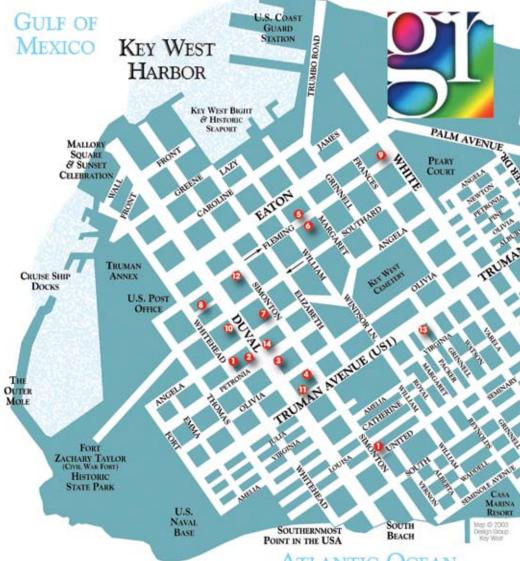
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Pisces Feb 19 – Mar 20

The national weather service wanted to name a hurricane after you but you've already blown everyone!

Aries Mar 21 – Apr 19

Money eludes you this month. Apparently, so does beauty.

Taurus Apr 20 – May 20

So you've been thinking about joining one of the "Occupy" demonstrations? I suggest "Occupy a Beauty Salon" or "Occupy a Gym."

Gemini May 21 – Jun 20

Hurricane season is almost over. You can finally take the plywood off your windows. Actually, your neighbors called. They asked that you keep them up.

Cancer Jun 21 – Jul 22

Thanksgiving is almost here. It's the one day a year people won't stare at you as you eat enough food to feed an average person for a week.

Leo Jul 23 – Aug 22

Congratulations on planning your big commitment ceremony. Now you just need to meet a man. Having a commitment ceremony alone is really pathetic.

Virgo Aug 23 – Sep 22

I'm not saying that you're not very bright, but licking the electric outlet to see if it's working isn't a good idea. I would think you would have learned that after the third time.

Libra Sep 23 – Oct 22

You should really start taking some laxatives each day. Hopefully, this will make you a little less full of shit!

Scorpio Oct 23 – Nov 21

As another birthday approaches, don't worry about getting a year older. You're not going to change your age on line anyhow. You haven't in 15 years so why change now?

Sagittarius Nov 22 – Dec 21

It's that time of year where we start packing away our summer clothes. In your case, you should just throw them away. At the rate you're growing, you'll be way to fat to fit into them next year.

Capricorn Dec 22 – Jan 19

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