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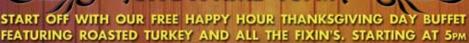


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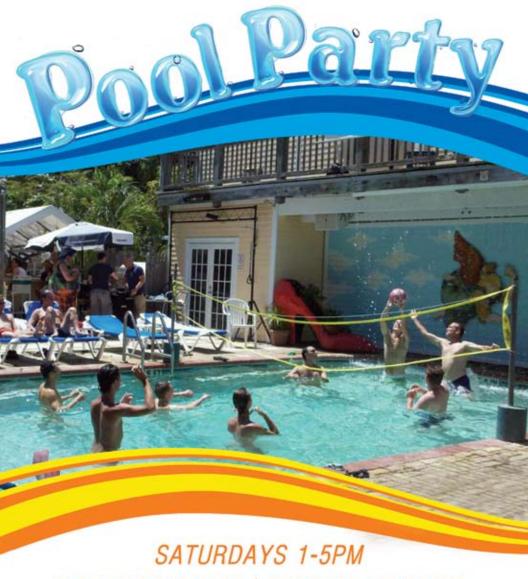




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# Ask Nana

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Dear Nana.

My boyfriend and I like to use a silicone based lube. It lasts so much longer than water based lubes and we both prefer the way it feels for both top and bottom. The only problem is it's harder to get out of sheets, comforters and other fabrics when you wash them. The result is, that there's faint lube stains on most of our stuff. Do you have any secret household tips on how to get out pesky stains?

Well, you might think an old broad like me wouldn't know anything about your new fangled lubricants... but think again! Trust me, my bush gardens dried up in the late 80's; and now that I'm in my late 80's believe me when I say I've tried everything. I would say, though, that I find it shocking to hear there are lube stains on "most of your stuff". Call me old fashioned, but other than the sheets and the pillows, how is all this lube getting on the flat screen TV and the dining room table?! That point aside, silicone is a tough stain to deal with. And I'm sure you want to get rid of all this sexual evidence



before the holiday season "cums" and mom & dad stay over! I'd say first try adding some borax to your wash cycle. It should help a lot. And, if you still can't get all of them out, I'd consider investing in some "guest sheets and blankets" for when you have company. That way you have sets of "breed me bedding" and stuff that's safe for the relatives too! It's either that, or lay down a tarp you horny devils!!

Dear Nana,

I'm cooking my first Thanksgiving dinner for some family and friends this year. All in all, probably 8-10 people. Do you have any advice for how to pull it off?! I'm starting to get nervous!

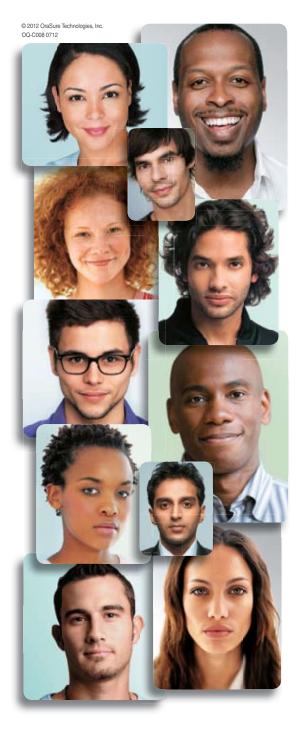
Here's my best advice: Hire a chef! But, since you're young and still have something to prove in the kitchen, here's my real advice. First, don't overdo it! Martha Stewart is some sort of cyborg and no one should try to do all that stuff at once. If you're going to do a complicated main course, keep the sides simple; and vice



versa. Pick as many dishes that you can prepare ahead of time!! Remember, there's only one oven... so use it wisely and time out when things need to be in there. Remember that turkeys are assholes when they are both alive and dead. Plan on extra cooking time because they always seem to take longer. Have easy, crowd pleasing snacks people can munch on when your asshole turkey takes an extra hour and a half to cook. If you're not a pro at making desserts, just go to an amazing bakery and get one or two amazing desserts. No one, except your mother, will judge you. And let's face it, she was going to do that anyway. But most of all, and I can't stress this enough, when something goes wrong... enjoy it! Some of my favorite memories of holidays are when the power went out and the whole family ended up in a diner. Or when my idiot daughter used powdered sugar instead of flour in one recipe. The only memories you'll love more than the perfect holidays are the utterly imperfect ones. So remember that the only thing that can ruin Thanksgiving is your attitude. And again, I can't stress enough that turkeys are assholes... so plan ahead!

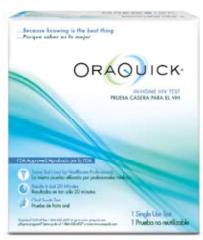
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#### MONDAY

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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

#### TUESDAY

801

Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

Bourbon

Glee on the big screen at 8 PM

Dancers on the bar 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

American Idol on the big screen at 8 PM

Dancers on the bar 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

American Idol on the big screen at 8 PM

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

#### FRIDAY

#### 201

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

#### One Saloon

Cock Shock contest starting at Midnight



Island House- 1129 Fleming! St.

#### SATURDAY

#### 801

Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

#### Bourbon

Pool Party starting at 12 PM

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

Amateur Strip at Midnight

#### SUNDAY

#### 801

Karaoke starting at 5 PM Gay Bingo starting at 5 PM 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

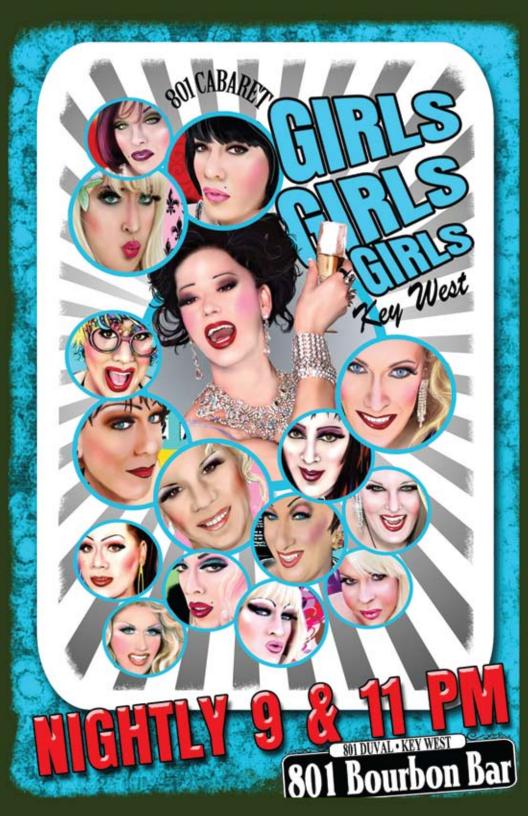
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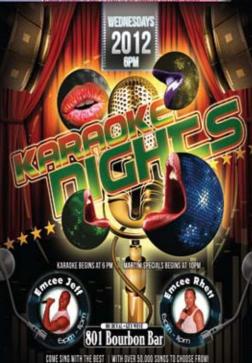


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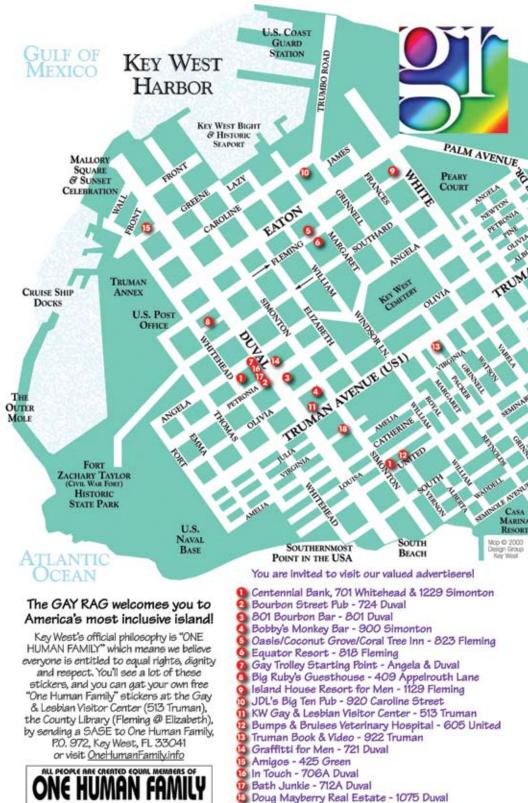


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#### FRINGE BENEFITS

by: Brad Lockle



I've been doing this comedy/showbiz thing for a reasonably long time now. And I really do love it. Believe me; it has its ups and downs. And take it from me the ups can feel as high and exhilarating as Mount Everest and the downs can feel like, well, falling off of Mount Everest. But what I always find fascinating is how mystifying so many people find show business to be: how extreme, unique and alluring. And, for those of us in it, just how quickly we become terribly accustomed to the extreme, unique and alluring.

Now please know that I am, in no way, complaining about the "hardships" of the gaylebrity lifestyle. No one held a gun to anyone's head and told them to get into showbiz, well, no one who wasn't around Phil Spector, at least. So you get what you ask for in this lifestyle. And believe me; I've gotten a lot of great times, great memories, and great friends out of this business of show. For instance, I recently did a gig in, shall we say, the heartland. Or, as it looks now after decades of Big Gulps and Chick-Fil-A: The Heart Attack Land. I was approached by two fans after the show who were a couple. A straight guy and his girlfriend to be specific. Now, if you've seen me perform or read my articles before, you know that I have a bit of a type. And that type is trashy, thuggy, and dumb as a box of hair. Well this fan was exactly what I look for. He was a muscular, white, blue collar construction worker with blue eyes and a neck tattoo. He was, in essence, my sexual happy meal. After we took some pictures and they bought me a few drinks, they not so indecently proposed to me. Now, girls are in no way my thing, but, in her own words, she just wanted to watch her boyfriend fuck someone from TV. And who was I to deny two hard working, red blooded Americans their dream?! So, she sat in the corner of my hotel room, while he demolished my back yard. See what I mean, not a bad job?!

But this sort of thing is par for the course when you do what I do. Trust me, you don't get insurance or a 401K but occasionally a bricklayer will lay you. So it's a real Sophie's Choice. Now, over the course of the last few years I've gotten to know a lot of young men in the adult industry. Both the "film stars" and the, shall we say, private performers (i.e hookers). And, I don't want to burst your bubble, but if you think I talk about showbiz like it's a bit ho-hum, you should meet a hooker! I recently attended the NYC Hustlaball. I do every year, and I'm lucky enough to spend a lot of time in

the VIP lounge with the best of best and the best of the rest. It's a sea of grade A porn stars, drag queens, the gay elite and the dregs of society. Basically, my idea of heaven. Now imagine, this is a private room at an already very private event. So the go go boys aren't just dancing or jerking off, they're fisting each other on a stage 50 feet from my face. One guy came out in a jock strap and a batter's helmet and proceeded to fuck another man with a BASEBALL BAT. And not the end you think you could take yourself...

Chi Chi La Rue was DJ'ing while shots of patron were being done out of the foreskin of a lovely Latino gentleman. But the best moment, and the one that best proves my point, was when a buddy of mine in this biz came over to me because he had to do his stage performance shortly. We hugged, caught up for a second and then he said, "Can you do me a favor? Can you suck me off and finger fuck me a little to get me ready for this thing? If ask any of these fans they'll try to get me to cum or think I like them or something". Then he grabbed me and started mouth raping me. As I moved down his chest and began to unhinge my jaw to take his, well, what can only be described as Best-In-Show-sized cock. I heard yet another porn friend of mine whisper in my ear...

"Hey, we're all thinking tomorrow morning after the E wears off we'll all go do brunch before some of us catch flights out of town." And then, and I shit you not, the guy I'm blowing, the guy talking to me, myself and 3 other naked men around me began blithely discussing where to get brunch and at what time. You would have thought we were standing around a water cooler, but in this case, a water cooler made out of cock and abs.

And in that moment, it occurred to me: Everyone's job is the same. Not in the respect that when you get to work you suck and dick and then have a mimosa. But in the respect that work is work. And even if you love what you do, or what you do is literally doing other people. Work is work. So if you ever feel down about your job, or your life, or wish you were a rock star or a comedian or even a Kardashian. Please know that in the end... it's all the same. A businessman's hand shake is just a porn stars hand job. And although I'm sure a lot of your Mondays start out with a hangover just like ours... you probably spend a lot less Mondays at the free clinic than we do. And that, my dear queer friends, is a good 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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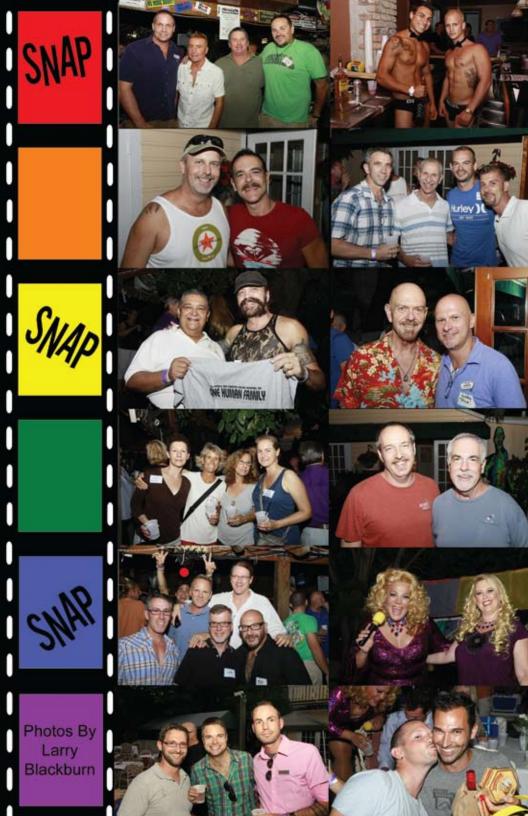
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#### **Dining With Tom Judson**

So Tom is sitting across from me, a 52yr old guy, who's dropdead handsome, muscular in all the right places with a smile that can stop traffic — eating a gooey tuna melt. That part of the meal alone has to be about 2000 calories and he has desert just to prove he's a regular guy. Clearly, he's not here to talk about tuna or desert or food in general but rather he's a downright chatterbox about his new one man show, Nature Boy which will be opening at one of the hottest clubs in NYC, 54 Below in mid October and in KW at the Tropic on Nov. 3rd.

Tom came to Key West three years ago in a first ever 'Late Night Live at the Tropic' performance of his Canned Ham show. In that, he appeared on stage wearing only a jock strap but quickly dressed into jeans and t-shirt and then morphed

into a song and piano playing guy – and quickly a trombone, clarinet etc. etc. etc. and accordion playing guy.

His new one man show, Nature Boy, is just wonderfully lovely and charming albeit fully clothed. He pulls in songs from long forgotten musicals and ties them all together with narratives about the music and a little biography. My favorite was his story about being a teen on a farm and having to





help with the hay baling with his cousins. I have to admit that listening to him talk about being a teen on a farm conjured up hot summer days riding shirtless on tractors which in turn conjured up......mmmmm!

It's hard to sit across from him (tuna melt notwithstanding) and ask yourself what in the world does he do to look so great?? As you might expect, veggies figure into his diet big time as well as chicken – flocks of them. And of course

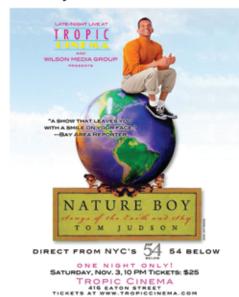
exercise 3-4 times a week at a gym and, during summer months in the Catskills, mountain trail hiking 3 times a week.

When he's in Key West, he stays at Island House, which has a lot to offer – from a terrific pool bar and restaurant to a mini but functional gym, but not the least of its attractions is being located a couple of blocks away from the Old Town Bakery on Eaton (cheese peach Danish is Tom's favorite).

He readily admits to getting off his chicken kick down in Key West and moving on to more seaworthy creatures. Besides the

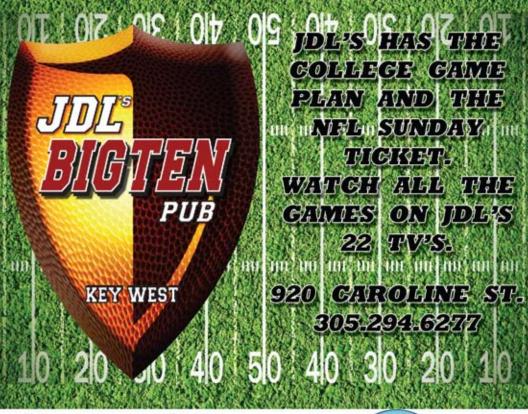
tried and true of Duval Street, Tom likes the off the beaten track feel of Rusty Anchor on Stock Island.

With some of the best conch chowder on the island, really yummy fried shrimp in a basket and of course a range of stone crab sizes in season from medium to jumbo, it's a place worth driving to.





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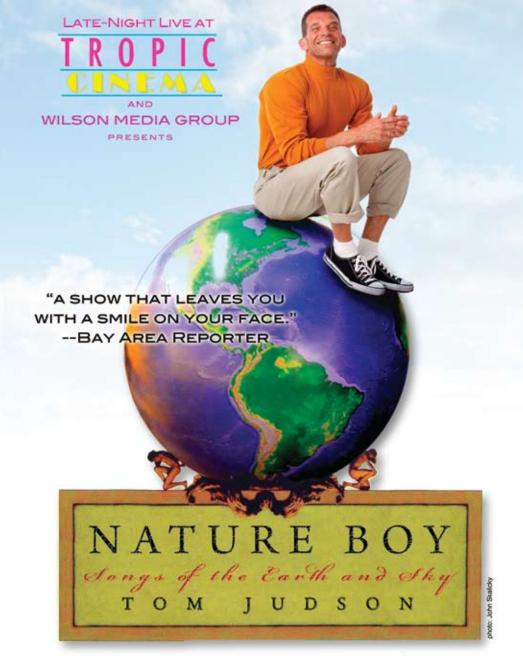
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Pisces Feb 19 – Mar 20

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Aries Mar 21 – Apr 19

Mitt Romney may have binders full of women but you have a black book full of men. The fact that you have a black book in 2012 says a lot about your age!

Taurus Apr 20 – May 20

Quit complaining about your weight and do something about it. Maybe putting down the Big Mac would be a start.

Gemini May 21 – Jun 20

You know you're getting old when your face looks like a topigraphical map of the Rockies.

Cancer Jun 21 – Jul 22

Perhaps it's time to look at your personal hygiene. The last time you went in the pool, it had to be cleaned by men in Haz-Mat suits.

Leo Jul 23 – Aug 22

With new non stop flights coming into Key West from New Orleans, New York and D.C, there will be a lot more guys at the bar that will ignore you.

Virgo Aug 23 – Sep 22

With all the pokes you get on Facebook, you would think maybe you could get one in real life!

Libra Sep 23 – Oct 22

I'm not sure why you were so excited about getting the iPhone 5. No one calls you anyhow.

Scorpio Oct 23 – Nov 21

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Your online profile says "looks younger" next to your age. Younger than what, a covered wagon?

Sagittarius Nov 22 – Dec 21

With the new dance floor opening up at Bourbon, you can dance the night away... Well, you can do whatever it is that you do that looks like you're seizing.

Capricorn Dec 22 – Jan 19

It looks like it's time to start looking for a new career... Oh wait, you weren't fired today? They told me... Oh, nevermind. Tomorrow will be a good time to start looking for a new career.

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