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WRITE TO PAPPA

LETTERS TO BEAR

WANTS NEAR-NUDE MEN TO LOOK AT

I have a question, a comment and a suggestion. But first, let me say that BEAR is the best magazine available on this planet. It's the only one I subscribe to. I like all of it. You've shown some real hot men in the past, and I know you will continue to do so in the future.

My question is about Issue #11. Where is it? My subscription shouldn't run out until #15. Maybe I'm just too anxious, but issue #10 was postmarked December '89. I wish you could go monthly. It would sure make my life sweeter.

My comment concerns your models. I like to see my guys with a little bit of clothing on. Maybe a hat and boots, or socks and a flannel shirt, etc. You had the right idea with Cal Driver and Fast Eddy. I like to see them completely nude also, but who's mouth doesn't start to water as a good-looking bear starts to get undressed? Keep up the good work.

And now my suggestion. I'd like to see three guys bear-ass naked, spread between the pages of a future issue of BEAR. First, Mr. Drummer 1989-90 Brian Dawson. He's one of those hot, mature daddies you wouldn't mind curling up with on a cold and lonely rainy night.

The next guy will take some digging. A friend of mine gave me some old issues of Drummer, and in issue #22 is

an advertisement by Target for a magazine Dart #5, featuring Chuck Gatlin. He's got the warmest smile I've ever seen. There is also a picture of him in the same issue wearing a cowboy hat and boots, a cigar clenched tightly between his teeth. Do you know if Target is still in business? I've got to have a copy of Dart #5. Maybe you can find some photos of him for Bear.

And behind door Number 3, that hot guy whose pictures you print in the classifieds under the state of Colorado. The bearded guy with his coat and pants open. The guy who's into just about everything. Those photos in the back of BEAR are just a tease. Go over to his house, break down the door if you have to, and shoot a couple rolls of film on him. He's gorgeous. I just wish he lived across the street, I'd love to bury my nose in all that hair of his. Yes sir!

I've come to the conclusion that Pennsylvania doesn't have any bears, not in the northeast anyway. All the good-looking hairy/bearded studs live out of state. I've been playing the ad game for almost two years now, and I have met a few bearded studs, but all from out of state. If central PA does indeed have a hot horny bear or two, how about placing an ad in the classifieds? This BEAR fan would sure like to meet you.

One last line. Am I the only guy who thinks Brent Cullen who plays Marshall Sam Kane on the Young Riders is a bear?

He does have some hair on his chest, smokes cigars and every once in a while he has two or three days' worth of stubble on his face. He may not be a true bear, but you must admit he's a real animal, maybe more like a lion or tiger.

Well, I've taken up enough of your time. Love you guys. Thank you and good night.

BW, Selinsgrove, PA

Issue 11 was a little later than we would have liked. Hope it was worth the wait.

You have fine tastes, Mr. BW. We're leaning towards showing more of our men with an item or two of clothing on. When we devoted fewer pages per lay-out, I wanted to make sure you readers got your bellies full of pecker too, so I tended to put in more bare-naked shots. I'm a boot fan myself, and if you've been with us for the long haul, you'll have noted that almost all our early pictorials (such as Fast Eddy-BEAR #2, and Mike Kloubec-BEAR #1) were booted bu'ar.

And as for your requests...if Brian Dawson walked in I'd have him shot in a minute. He's a nice one, but you may have to content yourself with what other mags have done with him. I don't think Target is still in business; however, many Target models were first photographed by Colt Studios and this might be the place to look for Chuck Gatlin. And our friend in Colorado? Yup, I agree. He's something else. He stopped by BEAR's corporate headquarters recently and I must say that he's pretty as a picture. But he said he had enough naked exposure and asked if we'd

THE BRUIN REPORT by Gwen DeRose

There's something inherently pleasant and uplifting about venturing into public and witnessing an array of bear. Bearwatching is an activity that costs little or no money and can be very spiritually rewarding. We watch for bear everywhere we go. It's only natural. But what about the elusive celebrity bear? There never seems to be enough bear in the public eye.

Actors sport fur from time to time, usually only as their roles require. There are a few old stand-bys that can be relied upon for spirited bearwatching. We appreciate their talents and their coaling. The best films for bearwatching seem to be westerns (natch), sword & sorcery/fantasy, and the occasional biker flick. (Mask, aside from being a great film, has some choice biker bear.)

Musicians are as fickle with fur as actors. The diehards are mostly in country music, though veteran rockers like Eric Clapton are apparently comfortable with their face fur. In rock music—where the image is often, unfortunately, everything, bears come and go with the trend that year. All of the Beatles at one time wore face fur, but only Ringo has kept his.

I could go on for pages listing bear-have-beens and famous beards, but there's no point. Those we're all familiar with. I've condensed the potential pages into a list of 25, plus a few for good measure. So, in no particular order, here they are:

Sean Connery. Even when he played the dashing, clean-cut 007, Connery was bear. In the '70s, he starred in a B-grade sci-fi flick, Zardoz, in which he ran around nearly naked throughout the whole film. (It was an inspiring film, to say the

least.) In his most recent, *The Hunt for Red October*, he portrays a Soviet submarine commander—a red bear. (And Connery has aged well...a real papa bear.) Also, check out Robin and Marion, in which he plays a middle-aged Robin Hood. Speaking of which, Connery's son Jason starred in a British TV version of the tale, which has been run on Showtime cable, and some episodes are available on video. There is some great bear in this show, especially the actor playing Little John.

Stephen King. The modern master of horror is a seasonal bear, but a fine one nonetheless. Check out the photos of the author on the jackets to *Firestarter*, *The Dead Zone* and *Dance Macabre*.

Matt Groening. It's not easy to find pictures of the cartoonist creator of "Life in Hell" and Fox TV's "The Simpsons", but try. It's worth it.

Jonathan Frakes. Frakes spent the first season of "Star Trek: The Next Generation" stomping around and being intimidating. In the second season when he grew his beard, it worked. As Commander William Riker, Frakes is the bear where no bear has gone before.

Tom Skerritt. Were it not for Captain Dallas, Skerritt may have met an ill end in *Alien*, but his presence made the film a bit less harrowing. These days he's just down to a moustache.

Bob Hoskins. Hoskins starred as Eddie Valiant in *Who Framed Roger Rabbit?*, and anyone who caught that flick caught Hoskins exposing the fur that I became familiar with when I discovered this diminutive bear in the Alan Alda flick, *Sweet Liberty*.

Don Haggerty. Grizzly Adams. I don't think I need to say much more than that.

Rainer Werner Fassbinder. This German filmmaker/actor is, well, dead. The only

lift his ad out which I regretfully did.

Does Brent Cullen pull your trigger? A hairy-chested, cigar-smokin' law man? Don't let your buddies define 'bear' for you. If it looks, smells and tastes right, go for it, if only in your fantasies.

OFFERS HIS HAIRY BUTT TO BEAR STAFFERS

This is the first time I have ever written to a magazine, but I was so overwhelmed by BEAR #10 I had to write and thank you for giving me hope. I accidentally spotted your magazine at a local newsstand. I thought the guy on the cover was so fucking hot I bought the magazine to see what else it held in store for me. Lo and behold, REAL MEN! I am an avid buyer of fuck books and sometimes enjoy looking at the perfectly posed "boys" in these mags, but this is the first book I've seen with REAL, everyday run-of-the-mill MEN! Not well-toned prima donnas, but MEN with full beards, hairy chests, arms, legs, balls and my favorite part - hairy fuckholes. I can almost smell 'em. I love to bury my face in a hairy, hot ass and eat 'till the sun cums up. I found myself! I realized I am a bear (cub? I'm 33). I always felt inferior - I'm hairy, full beard, average build and I might add I sport an almost 8" uncut cock with lots of skin for chewing. I never really felt I fit into any special category until your magazine! I thought I had died and gone to heaven. I wish I lived in California so I could drop by and show you what I have. I have always wanted to pose for a magazine, but never felt I would even be given a second look until BEAR! If your whole staff consists of bears it would be an experience I'd die for. I think being in a video

with other bears would be the ultimate!

The thought of having a hunky bear to smoke a joint with, suck down a few beers and smoke a cigar with, then have him be as raunchy and manly as he wants (as long as he plugs my hungry asshole) sounds like a dream too good to be true! I am, I realize now, a full-fledged bear. If you're ever in Massachusetts, look me up! You won't be sorry.

Thank you, BEAR - you have given my sex life and sex drive the ultimate high. If you ever need a bear, I'm yours. Call or write! You can pass my address and phone number around to any person on your staff as long as they are a bear! I would really appreciate hearing from some of you.

JK, Pittsfield, MA

We've got your number, buddy boy, and we appreciate your lust-filled heart. You got most of us here at BEAR worked up with your description and invite, so if you ever end up pointing your shit chute in our direction, my guess is you'd get a worthy plug job.

PRO FOOTBALL PLAYER'S DICK SPIED BY BEAR READER WHO TELLS ALL

I recently purchased a copy of BEAR #10. I read the article on NFL football players to watch for and was pleasantly surprised to see that you listed Rich Moran of the Green Bay Packers as one of these hunks to watch for. I thought I was the only human on the planet to notice this super bear. Ever since I saw him sitting on the Packer bench while I was attending one of the games.

He is hot! I don't really follow the Packers much, but watch all the televised games, waiting for the camera to focus on him. He has been with the Packers a long

time but he doesn't get the media attention like the popular players on the team do. That's why I was surprised to see him mentioned in your mag. During the '89 season I had a chance to get in the Packer locker room with a reporter friend who works for a local Wisconsin paper. While everyone was crowded around the popular players, I did a little snooping. I peeked around a corner and there he was! 257 pounds of muscle bear, fresh out of the shower, wearing nothing but a towel and that was in his left hand! I can honestly say that he qualifies as a super bear with these measurements: 20" arms, 50" chest, tree-trunk thighs and hair everywhere. He recently grew a beard which makes him look even more handsome. Although he did not have an erection I'd figure it's gotta be around 8" and cut. I wanted to get some pictures of him for my own private use, but I knew he would hear the camera shutter clicking.

I took another eyeful of him and returned to the crowd of reporters. I was in seventh heaven for the rest of the day. It would be nice if guys like him would pose for BEAR.

Anyway, I think you guys are really on the ball noticing Mr. Moran out of the thousands of football players out there. I've decided to renew my subscription to BEAR and its bigger format.

Bear Lover in Wisconsin

We have A.M. in Seattle, a BEAR reader since Day One, to thank for the piece on gridiron growlers. And now we have you to thank for fleshing it out some, so to speak. Glad you liked it.

COMING SOON:

THE BEAR READER'S READER
FEATURING SUBSCRIBERS' NAKED BOOS!

film I know to see him in is *Kamikaze: 1989*. If you can handle subtleties and a film that's kind of on the odd side, I think it's worth it. And he was queer, too. Couldn't get much better.

Jeff Lynne. Currently one of the Traveling Wilburs (with Bob Dylan, Tom Petty, George Harrison and the late Roy Orbison), Lynne was the mastermind behind ELO (Electric Light Orchestra). A diehard rocker bear.

Jerry Garcia. The papa bear of the Grateful Dead, a band that also sports one helluva bear on keyboards, Brent Mylands. Touch gray, indeed.

John Bonham. The late, great and much-missed drummer for Led Zeppelin. A big bear they called Bonzo. Check out their live performance film, *The Song Remains the Same*.

Dege Clifford and Tom Fogarty. The bears of Creedence Clearwater Revival. John Fogarty got all the fame, but they had the fur.

The Band. All of them. Bear for days. Check out *The Last Waltz*, the film of their farewell performance.

Michael McDonald. Gets my award for Best Bear in Rock and Roll. He used to be a Doobie Brother, but now he's off concocting middle-of-the-road pop.

Kris Kristofferson. Another diehard bear.

Lowell George. Lowell was a force behind the original Little Feat. He died in 1979.

Mike Anthony. Bassist for Van Halen, he's the first runner-up for Best Bear in Rock.

Bob Seger. Second runner-up for Best Bear in Rock.

Rick Wakeman. In the late '60s, Wakeman sported fur as a member of Yes, and he still is today as one fourth of Anderson, Bruford, Wakeman and Howe.

Samuel R. Delaney. An award-winning sci-fi author, this black bear might even be reading this now.

Thomas H. Cook. Another author-bear. One of his books is titled *Grant Park*.

Berke Breathed. Another cartoonist, this one the creator of the late, lamented "Bloom County." If he's only grow his face fur...

Joe Haldeman. A sci-fi author whose works include *All My Sins Remembered* and *Tool of Trade*. A fine bear and a damn good writer.

Frank Herbert. The grandpapa bear of sci-fi, Herbert wrote the acclaimed *Dune* saga, among others. Unfortunately, he's another who is no longer with us.

George Lucas. The wizard filmmaking bear behind the *Star Wars* flicks and many others. Last on my list, but certainly not least.

...And three for good measure:

Erik the Viking. Not exactly a person, but a film. It came and went fairly quickly, so check your favorite video shop. A film by ex-Monty Python member Terry Jones, it sports a number of exquisite bears, as all good Viking vehicles should.

Gregory Benford. Science fiction is full of bears, and this one gets my Cute Cub Award. Benford writes a more technical sci-fi, and is damn good at it.

Alex Karras. Okay, so he rarely sported more than a moustache, but this football player turned actor just has it. Forget Webster, all right!

Good watching, good hunting, and good night.



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BEAR=BEARD? GAY-ORIENTED/ANTI-GAY?

To me, bear = beard. Guys with only a moustache are a turn-on, but you can get them in any magazine. Keep BEAR special. Clean-shaven men, no matter how hairy, are not acceptable in my opinion. And be wary of Old Reliable. In spite of gay-oriented films they seem very anti-gay and riveted with internalized homophobia.

JN, San Pablo, CA

The perennial question surfaces again: what is a 'bear'. When asked, Karl here at the office has a pretty good line: BEAR Magazine emphasizes secondary sexual characteristics. It's a little bit biological, but comes pretty close to the magazine's perspective. And as I've stated in numerous letters to readers, 'bear' is more a state of mind than a physical description; but then of course, form follows function.

I do want to comment on your opinion of Old Reliable's films. The majority of the guys in his films are straight-identified. Many use dick-hungry men as their primary source of income and, in turn, dick-hungry men use his boys as sexual outlets. The social standing of the male cocksucker in American culture is laid out pretty accurately by these fellas. This is real life, JN. Anti-gay? You bet, but no more so than the majority of the not-so-enlightened general population. Sexually entertaining? Uh-huh...

BEAR'S GOT HIM PISSIN' IN HIS BEARD

Just picked up a copy of BEAR #9 at my local adult toy store and it's got me fuckin' hard! I got a beard, 'stache, and fucking hair halfway down to my ass and I'm into pissing and jacking off into all three of 'em. Sign me up for a year's subscription.

Liked that pic on page 23 of #9. Looking at it now and rubbin' my cock. Hey, show dudes, hairy dudes with lotsa tats, pierced tits and cocks, doin' nasty things. I realize it's probably not possible due to censorship but a picture of several naked bears with lots of tats and piercings pissing on each other would cause me to blast my fuckin' nuts without even touching my cock.

DH, Venice, CA

You're right, we couldn't publish this sort of stuff in BEAR, but the idea of a reader shooting his load without touching himself while reading the mag is almost temptation enough to run a snap like this and suffer the consequences. The fine artwork of T.C., a regular illustrator in BEAR, often times ventures into your particular area of interest. In

fact, T.C.'s drawings are pretty much drawn from life and...well, DH, there's someone I'd like you to meet.

NIXES SCROTAL SHAVE BUT GIVES THE DICK A HIGH SIGN

Jim Donahue is pure atomic energy. His mushroom head surges on top of a lightning rod pulsing with thick veins. His thick head looks like twin dicks kissing in an atomic fallout that would take place if those massive generator balls exploded. His dick clouds my eyes to see it pressurize around the root and put wrinkles in those shaved balls.

By the way, it is disappointing to see that Jim shaves those gorgeous balls. They just don't become his hairy body. Jim would accent his dick's great qualities to keep his bush full. It sticks out straight and makes his mushroom itself a mouthful. From the side view, it slopes down like a ski slope for some tongue to slide down onto his rod. Jim's dick should be slowly licked on the head to give it full glory, then it should be rolled around between wet lips that carefully slide it into a hot tunnel of love that would tighten around it and take it past the tonsils that would tickle the crack from which he pisses. Then gripped inside tight jaws Jim should feel a tongue whipping around his rod's veins pulsing with pleasure.

RB, Wawatosa, WI

PICTURE ADS ARE A-OK

I like your guidelines on constructing an ad. You make people think a little as to what they should say about themselves rather than some mindless "Fuck me till I'm silly" or "Twist my tits till I drop" ads! From having read the ads I've gotten some good ideas on how and what I want to put in an ad when I construct it, along with a photo of myself. When I get it together, I'll send it along to you with a two-year subscription. I just wish more guys would enclose a photo with their ad. They are the ones I'd answer first. Maybe you could mention it to new subscribers.

Have you ever given any thought about visiting NY or some of the rural areas where there are lots of bears for some guys for future layouts? Just a thought. It's just that I've seen a few when we members of the "Lambda Car Club" go to shows in upstate NY, Vermont and Connecticut.

BL, Lindenhurst, NY

Putting down your needs in 50 words or

less is a pretty tough thing to do so I try to give you guys a little help to make the chore easier. A picture is worth a thousand words and we will continue to print free picture ads for you guys.

For two and a half years I have been planning...and postponing...a trip around the country to capture some of America's wildlife in their native habitat. However, the day-to-day operations of a growing magazine have been all consuming. Things are looking a little brighter. My best buddy for 15 years, John Frank, is taking care of some of the editorial responsibility here. Not only has he competently edited national magazines and newspapers, but he's also spent a good portion of his free time on his knees at truck stops across the country. And Kerry Bowman is watching over operations here like a hawk. Kerry was an owner and the major creative force behind the legendary Ambush Bar in San Francisco. With BEAR now in able hands, I might just have the opportunity to get out of this city and see what you guys are all about. I'm open for invitations....

...SO WE TOOK YOUR SIX DOLLARS AND WENT ON A TIJUANA VACATION

A few months ago, I sent a coupon and six dollars for a sample copy of your publication. I made the mistake of sending cash, a mistake I won't repeat. I do not expect you to accept my explanation, but as I never received my copy, I felt you should know of this. The cash and coupon were enclosed in a "security envelope." The money wasn't visible from the outside.

As a businessman myself, I thought you'd appreciate the knowledge of this incident to perhaps review your security.

JA, Cuyahoga Falls, OH

Let me correct you, if you'll allow me. You sent in money a few weeks ago, not months. It was received, logged in, your sample was skipped and you received it.

You jumped the gun with your follow-up letter, exaggerated the circumstances some, and inferred that someone here pocketed your dough, ripping off both you and me. I appreciate your concern, but don't appreciate the undertones. Please don't go shooting arrows until you know you've got a target.

KARL PULLS HIS TRIGGER

Karl, in BEAR #10, is more than one of BEAR's best. His hirsute body with fuzzy ass, brimming bush nesting a redwood dick, acres of fur on his stomach and chest where two bright nipples shine, his grassy pits and hairy arms and legs, thick beard and brows over piercing

eyes, cropped moustache over thick lips and receding hairline on top of his head to tell of the strength he carries between his legs makes him the ideal bear. Karl is perfect bear.

Karl should be worshiped as what God meant Adam to be. His dick hangs perfectly from his side angle standing shot as it contours his hairy thigh. With his legs spread in the sitting down pose it stands erect on its own power against his awesome bush; its erection pulls up his balls enough to look like boulders over a tight tunnel surrounded by briars. His kneeling pose makes his dick stick out like a third leg almost down to his knee, slopping upward for action. His lying pose reveals fantastic thighs pulling apart a firm butt while his hand on his dick shows clearly it would take two hands around it to do it justice. This even more accents his beautiful balls.

We could have published a book on the lust letters we received related to this man's appearance in BEAR. Guess we must be moving in the right direction with our visuals. Glad he tickled you where it feels best.

HOLE-CRAZED IN THE CITY OF BROTHERLY LOVE

I always enjoy getting my BEAR in the mail. Thanks for showing some asshole and cheeks. I certainly am attracted to a man's cock and balls, but I am wildly attracted to his asscheeks and asshole.

Lately I have been wondering what the experts would say about the fact that I am so madly attracted to a man's ass. I would like to know the psychological "reason" for wanting a man to sit on my face. Why do I have this strong desire to bury my face between a man's asscheeks, suck his hole, eat him out, finger-fuck him, and finally fuck him with my big cock.

I am always watching a man's ass and automatically check out all the male asses I see on the street, etc.

Why?

43-year-old ass pig, Philadelphia, PA
You got hiny on the mind, huh? Hungry for stink? I'm not an expert on perversions, but I do happen to appreciate most of them and share a good many. Don't get twisted out of shape over butt love. Just get twisted and enjoy. Many of your satisfied sex partners probably wonder why they've got a sex organ on their backside. It's just the way it is, Mr. A.P., and as long as you're fucking with a consenting adult and you're keeping safety tabs on your lustful behavior—eat, drink and be merry.



By the looks of his BEAR tee-shirt, it appears that Northwind, our loyal subscriber from Vancouver, got into a scrape. Looks like that same tossle did some ruination on the crotch of his dungarees too.

Thank god he had on a jock-strap to cover his privates. Otherwise his pecker'd get into our tee shirt ad....

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EVENTS

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June 8-17, 1990

Wolf Creek, Oregon

Further info: Black Leather Wings, c/o Rivendell-on-the-Hayes, 843-C Hayes St., San Francisco, CA 94117.

For those of the faerie persuasion (or for those who can be persuaded), this event might be just what the witch doctor ordered to cure your summertime blues. Blessed bees.

F.F.A. of Miami 10th Anniversary Party

June 8-10, 1990

Further info: Fall Festival Association of Miami, Box 500, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33302.

These butt-lovin' Florida boys have been organized as a group for 10 years. To celebrate, they're throwing a 3-day shindig. Seventy-five bucks gets you registered for the event, and special room rates are available at the Club Caribbean Motel.

Leather Pride Night

June 17, 1990

Further info: Gay Male S/M Activists, 496A Hudson St., Suite D-23, New York, NY 10014. (212) 727-9878.

For the past seven years GMSMA has been putting on a benefit for worthy causes in New York City. This year's shindig includes an auction, entertainment and a flea market, to be held at the Lighthouse, 47 W. 20th Street.

San Francisco Gay/Lesbian Freedom Day Parade

June 24, 1990

Further info: (415) 864-3733.

This is the largest annual lesbian/gay event in the world. BEAR's planning on a booth there, selling BEAR beer holders (those things that keep your can cool in the summer). Come say hi.

Dreizehn Bear Contest

July 29, 1990-5 pm, 119 Merrimac

Pre-judging: 8 pm, Boston Ramrod, July 28, 1990

Further info: D. Maddox, 10 Revere St. #128, Worcester, MA 01604.

Dreizehn, a Boston-based men's club, is holding a bear bash for the local AIDS charity. Who will be the Boston Bear? Head to bean town and find out.

Spearhead's Round-Up '90

August 31 to September 3, 1990

Further info: Box 293, Station A, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, M5W 1B2

Men on a North Country bivouac in Ontario's lake district. This 20th annual camp-out comes complete with cabins, tents (BYOT), and all the human fixin's. Not to mention two, count 'em, two beauty pageants-Mr. Round-Up and Mr. North-40. Jam-packed, eh?

Living in Leather V

October 25-28, 1990

Further info: National Leather Association, PO Box 17463, Seattle, WA 98107.

Guys and dolls into leather and lust hit Portland, Oregon, just before Halloween. Show and tell at the workshops; buy and sell at the booths.

BARE PAUSE

John Dibelka

CAUSE FOR HIBERNATION

Every morning, usually while I'm drinking a whole lot of terrible coffee, I read at least one newspaper. I don't know why I do this, since there's no such thing, anymore, as "news." Everything seems to have happened before. Only the names have been changed.

Much of the time, though, it's good for a laugh. I've decided that the world, on the whole, is crazy. And reading the newspapers proves I am right.

Take, for instance, two small stories out of the dozens I scanned through this morning. Somehow, I think they're connected.

The headline of the first one reads, "British Pub Scraps 'Gays Only' Rule." This cracks me up. I don't know why a non-gay man would want to spend much time in most gay bars, but if the man does, he deserves to be served. At least one man in northern England agrees with me, since he complained that he couldn't buy a beer in one place unless he would swear he was "100% gay" (whatever that means).

Aren't straight people people, too? Some of my best friends are straight men. I wouldn't want my sister to marry one (if I had a sister), but that's just because I don't believe in marriage. For anyone. If they want to live together, fine, as long as they have an open relationship. Monogamy, in my opinion, is not only unnatural - it is impossible. Even for people who like to think otherwise.

And that brings up today's second joke of a headline: "Study Suggests Self-Protection Against AIDS." This time, it's the story itself that's the killer.

Some professor at a big university has conducted a study with federal funding, proving HIV-positive people have sex-even if they know that they're HIV-positive. This is supposed to be surprising, I guess. But wait, there's more. The study also showed, the article says, that one out of every five men who were surveyed had sex without telling his partner of his positive status. The report concludes sternly that individuals must assume responsibility for themselves against HIV infection.

This means that you and I have just paid taxes to hear the advice every girl and a few chosen boys have received every day of their lives. That is: It's up to you to take care of yourself, 'cause a guy will say anything to get into your pants.

I laugh at these two stories only because I know that if I didn't laugh, I'd howl. They are connected for me, because they show that gay men are no less crazy than the world at large. I used to think we were special somehow. "I used to get disgusted, but now I'm just amused."

"Do unto others as you would have others do unto you." Every kid learns the Golden Rule in one form or another. It's the underlying idea of all societies. Unfortunately, not very many adults seem to follow it. Not even in my favorite group of adults, men who have their sex with men, am I likely to find one who'll treat me the way he wants to be treated.

Do the gay men in these stories really want to continue to get back what they're dishing out? If so, I don't have time for them. I can't accept people who can't accept themselves.

Maybe they just want to be part of an age-old tradition that allows them to say, "I got mine, Jack, so fuck off and die." This thought's even more depressing, but it follows a strange kind of code of justice: To do unto others what's been done unto you somehow makes it all okay.

I can't let myself believe that.

Who knows? Maybe they just don't care. Or maybe they just don't think about it much. This angle sounds better to me-more likely and less frightening. After all, that professor decided it was necessary to remind us to care for our health. He sounded just like my mother.

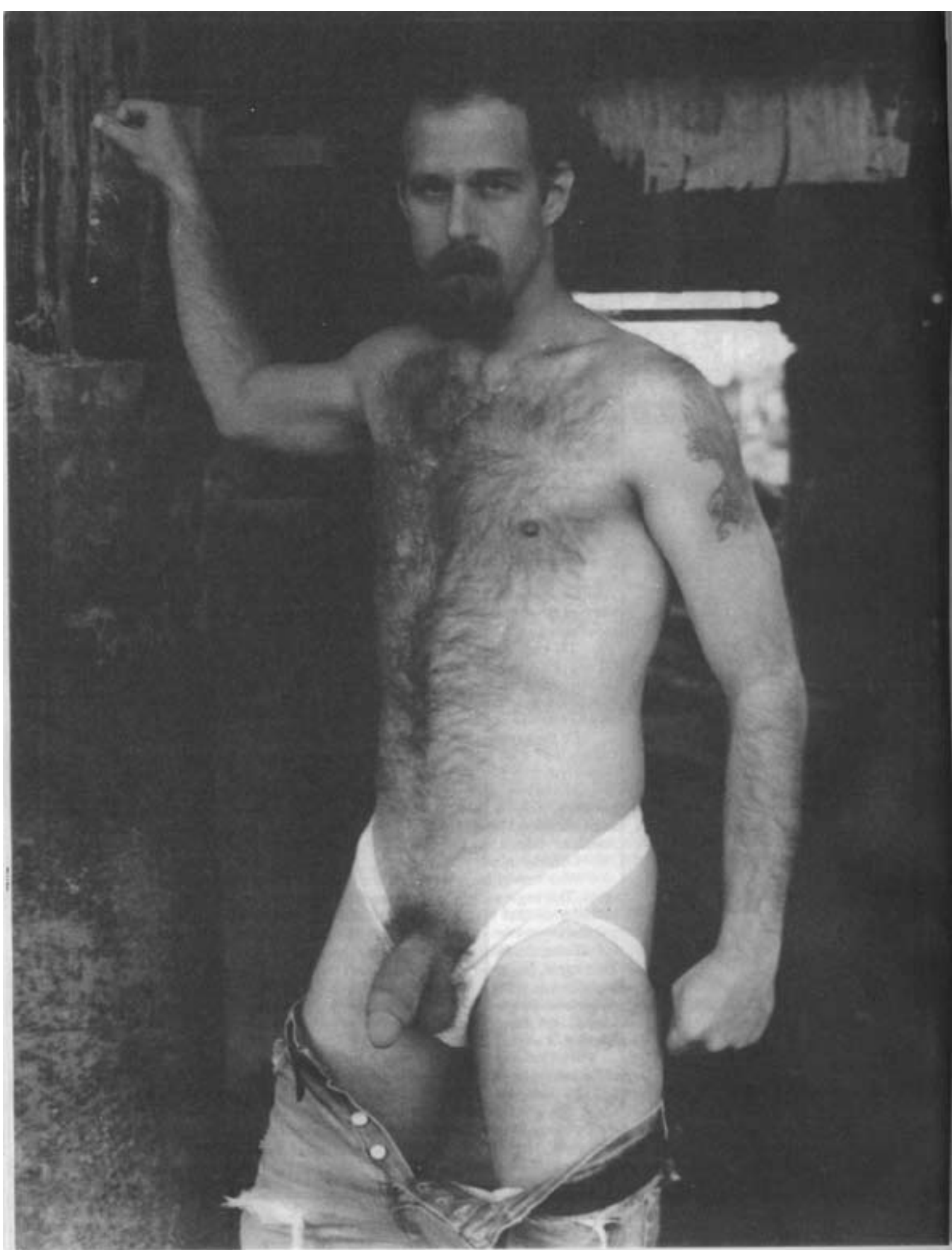
Funny... I always thought taking care of yourself was a part of being an adult. Then again, I may be wrong. But I don't think I am. For me, at least, it is a main ingredient of being a man. A man does what is right; he takes responsibility for his actions and accepts their consequences. He doesn't trade in blame. A man takes care of himself, but he also treats other people with the same respect and courtesy he deserves.

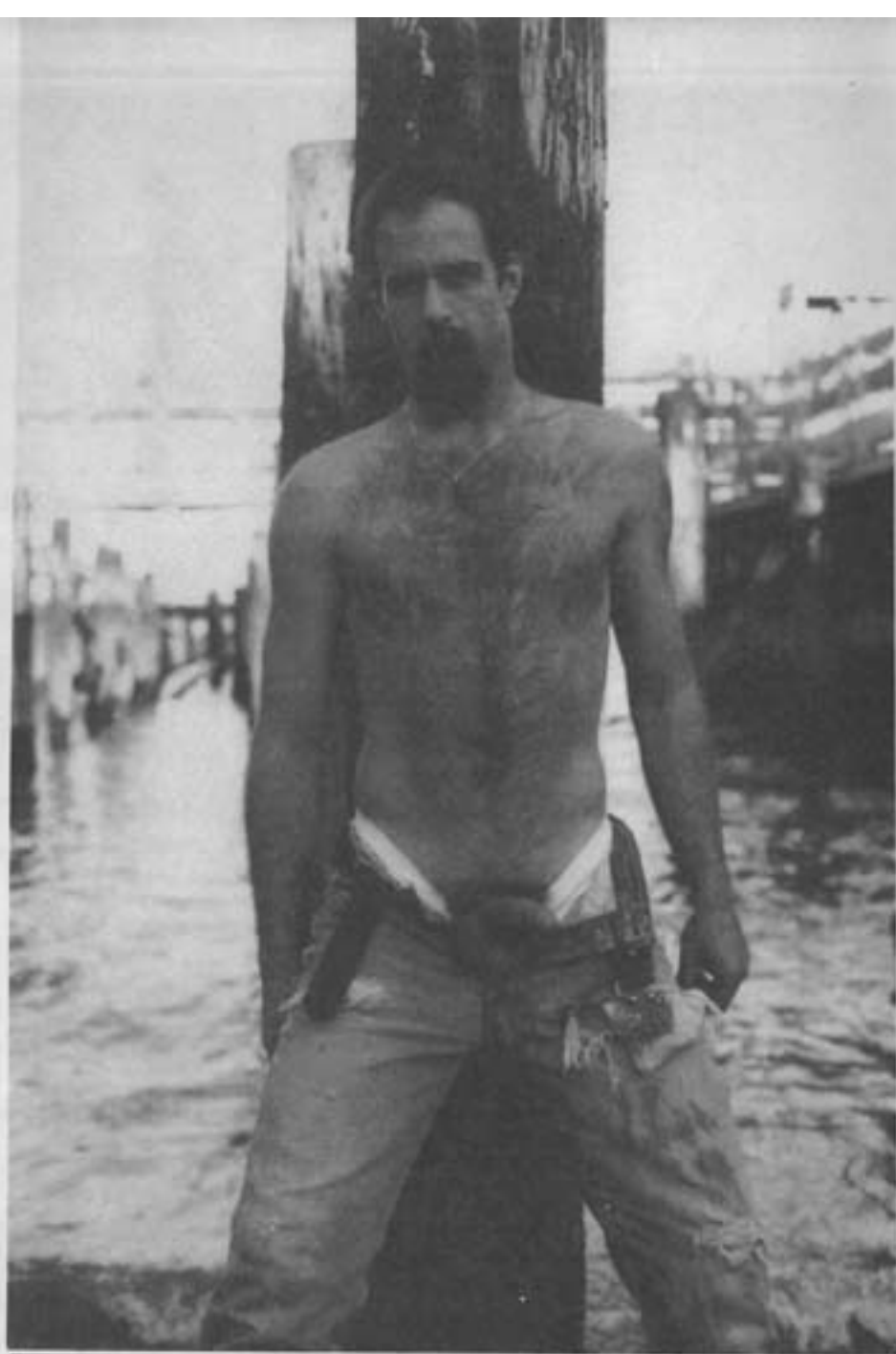
It all looks so simple on paper. It reads like the Mountain Men's Code of Ethics. In the world I see in my newspaper, though, it looks antique and out of place.

I will always live in cities. I will probably always live near an ocean. Still: every time I pick up a new newspaper and a mug of the same old coffee, I hope I remember what it means to be a mountain man. I can't make the world much less crazy, but I can keep myself sane.

And I think I'm going to start by buying a straight friend a drink.

Then I'm going to tell him why I won't fuck him without a rubber.



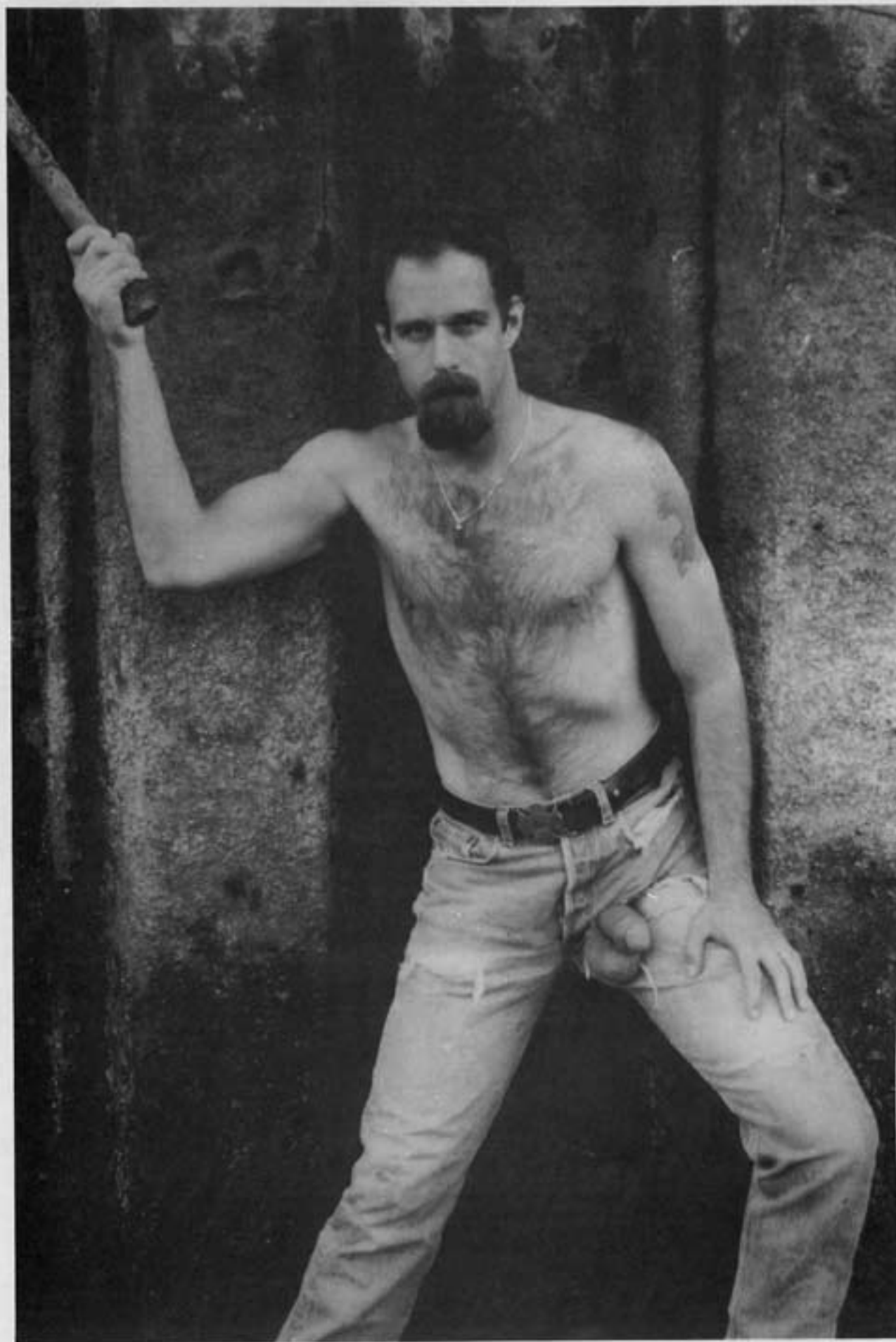


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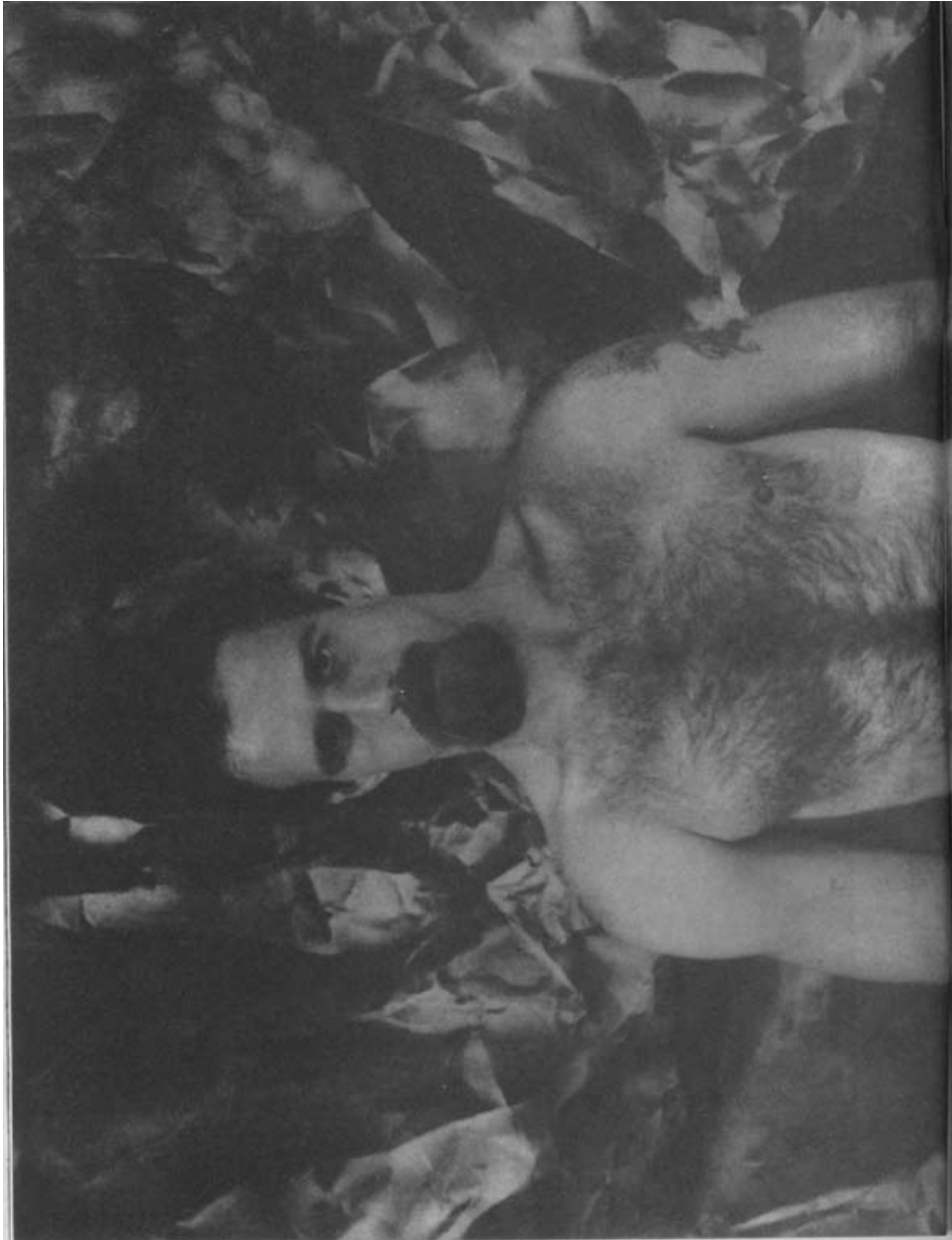
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Long ago, when HONCHO had honchos in it, Mike was a cover man. He moved to San Francisco last year from New York, aiming to lick his way through the city's masculine offerings. Mike likes it and ain't afraid to show it. When I asked him why he wanted to be in BEAR he said, "To let guys know I wanna get down and dirty."

Well, guys, we're letting you know.











SWEPT AWAY

FICTION BY FURR

It was one of those perfect summer days where it's warm but not too hot, clear and sunny but not overly glaring ... perfect. I had some friends over for a backyard party, and everyone was having a good time.

"I guess it's still going to be a while before you need to use THAT again!" Don said, pointing at the massive brickwork going up the side of my house that marked the large fireplace in my living room.

"I suppose so, given the weather and the fact this is only early August. Weird, now that you mention it, I kinda miss using it-long nights cuddling in front of the fire..."

"Yeah, well you're just gonna have to wait. By the way, have you had the chimney swept yet?"

"Huh? What do you mean?"

"Jeez, Art, don't you know you should have your chimney swept out at least once a year?"

"Sure, I just thought I'd leave it until fall..."

"Not the wisest move. That's when everyone wants their chimney swept, and getting an appointment is impossible. Do it now in the off season; they might even give you a break on the price."

"I see your point; there probably isn't a lot of demand for fireplace people in the middle of summer." I made a mental note to look through the phone book next week. A friend down from the Bay Area sent the conversation into other topics. "Hey, how many of you are going to drive up to the Bay Area next month for the Bear Hug party?"

The next week I was cleaning the living room when I remembered about getting the fireplace taken care of. I plunked down at my desk and started sorting through the phone book. In an area as large as Metro LA, I was surprised at the few businesses specializing in fireplaces, much less chimney sweeping. "Oh well, goes with the climate, I suppose," I thought to myself.

As I went through the yellow pages, one name caught my eye: "Three Bruins Fireplace Works." After checking with several of the companies listed, their quote was just a bit higher than most of the others, but they also promised a complete inspection, as well as the chimney sweeping... and the name interested me.

The voice on the other end of the phone was deep and masculine, and I began to wonder about that name again. "Sure, we can make the appointment for this weekend; you know this is our off season. Now, can you describe the kind of chimney you have? Great. Paul will be by at 1:30 this coming Saturday afternoon. Thank you."

Saturday morning found me cleaning house like mad. With nothing more to go on than a slightly unusual business name and a gorgeous voice on the phone, I'd gotten rather impatient for this "Paul" to show up. I wasn't sure why I wanted to impress someone who might well turn out to be straight but I ration-

"As he walked past me I caught a whiff of fresh, musky sweat..."

alized that the house needed cleaning anyway, and I'd at least get that out of my burst of energy.

At 1:30 on the dot, the doorbell rang, and I levered myself up out of the chair where I had just plunked down to take a break. Parked at the end of the driveway was the "Three Bruins" truck, and standing on my doorstep was obviously one of the reasons for the business' name.

"Hi there, I'm here to sweep your chimney; name's Paul." Paul was wearing a pair of battered old work boots, a pair of well-worn Levis with small holes and odd stains scattered here and there, and a snug white tank top. He had shoulder-length honey-gold hair, with a thick, full beard a couple shades darker. Lots of blond fur was showing at the neckline of his tank top, as well as across his shoulders and down his arms.

"Right on time! Come on in - I'm Art." My automatic social responses, at least, weren't put on hold while I discreetly took in Paul's body. As he walked past me, I caught a whiff of fresh, musky sweat and noticed that thick golden fur covered his upper back as densely as his chest ... and he had a tight, muscular ass in those worn jeans.

"I've never had a chimney before-only bought this house last fall. What does all this entail?"

Paul's eyes were an incredible green. "First, I check a few things down here to make sure soot and gunk doesn't get all over your house while I'm sweeping the chimney. Then I actually do the sweep, clean up the mess and then do the final checkout once all the crud is out of the way." As he moved his arms around pointing, I got several more good sniffs of his fresh sweat-smell, and a look at the lush, damp fur in his armpits.

"Sounds reasonable to me. I've got a few little chores around the house, so if you need me for anything, just yell."

I hadn't been sorting laundry for very long when Paul called me from the living room.

"We've got a little problem, Art. Your dam-

per is leaky, so I'm going to have to seal the fireplace opening to keep the soot from getting out. No big deal for the moment, but you'll want to get it fixed before you use the fireplace again, and right now the air leak is putting extra strain on your air conditioning."

"Okay ... tell you what. When you've finished your inspection, why don't we set up another appointment to get the damper and whatever else needs to be fixed dealt with? I presume your company does more than just sweep chimneys?"

He laughed. "Sure do. I'm the sweep expert, Greg's the installation guy, and Marty's the repair whiz."

"Three Bruins Fireplace Works - your two partners wouldn't happen to look like you, would they?"

"Naw.... Greg's beard is red, and Marty's is black." Another devilish grin.

"Why do I always ask the obvious?" I grinned back. "Let me know when you're done, and we'll set up that repair date."

"Great. Ya won't know I'm here."

Not true. While he was relatively quiet, the sounds of the fireplace being sealed off, the ladder against the side of the house, footsteps on the roof, and the scraping of the various brushes in the chimney were audible, reminding me of that gorgeous bear on my roof. Doing laundry doesn't take much brain power, and I had time to hatch and reject a variety of plots to snap his picture for my jerkoff files, cadge that sweaty tanktop, or somehow get a tangible reminder of him.

It wasn't long before I heard him come down off the roof, and heard his vacuum cleaner removing the loose soot and ash from my fireplace. Suddenly, I heard a loud, "OH SHIT!" come from the living room.

I ran in to find that an errant wind had puffed some of the soot out the opening he was using to guide the vacuum nozzle through. There was some on the hearth but most of it had gone onto his face and chest. I started to laugh at the sight, but then I noticed the pained expression on his face.

"Dammit, dammit, DAMMIT!" he roared. The soot must have gotten into his eyes when it puffed out into his face. I took the vacuum nozzle from him, removed the worst of it from his chest and beard, and took him by the arm. "Come on; let's get that shit out of your eyes."

By the time we got to the kitchen, there were tear streaks down his sooty cheeks into his beard. I set the faucet on lukewarm, low pressure and bent him over the sink, then put the spray nozzle in his hand. "Rinse your eyes out good. I'll go see what I can find to soothe them when you're done."

"Thanks," he muttered as he slowly opened one eye to wash out the grit.

By the time I got back with a couple different kinds of drops, he'd finished his right eye and was just about done with the left. When he finally stood up, I couldn't help but laugh.

"What's so damn funny?" he growled at me, his eyes squinted and clearly irritated badly.

"Try these drops. I was laughing at what you could call the reverse raccoon effect."

"The reverse ... OH!" He started chuckling as he put large amounts of the soothing drops into both eyes. "Would you mind if I cleaned up the rest of me a little?"

"No problem; follow me."

"Anywhere, buddy?" (I wonder if he means that the way it sounds. Naah, just grateful for the help.) I led him into the bathroom off my bedroom and told him to make himself at home. As I walked away from the bathroom door (which he left open), I could see him pulling his shirt off over his head, exposing a nice set of firm pecs and a solid belly all carpeted in thick, curly gold fur, some of which was laden with black soot. I moved into the living room before temptation overtook me and resealed the fireplace so no more soot would blow out until the cleanup was done.

After awhile, I heard a voice from my bedroom, so I went back to check on Paul. I couldn't hear you from the living room, what was that you ... I never finished that sentence.

Paul was standing shirtless next to my bed; his chest fur, hair and beard were still damp from washing up. He had my latest copy of BEAR magazine open to one of my favorite furry models in one hand—and his fat seven inches were standing tall over his big furry balls, hanging out of his fly. His free hand was absently stroking his chest fur from his collarbone to his pubes and back again.

He looked up when my voice cut off abruptly, his face a picture of pleased surprise. "Damn, I've never seen a magazine like this before. All the stuff I've ever seen's been full of nothin' but little boys ... This mag's full of men! Where the hell do you get it?"

"I, um, I subscribe, but there's a couple places you can buy it locally. If you're interested, that story on the next page is one I wrote."

"Really? Man, this is incredible. I've never seen such hot men in a magazine before!"

"You'd make a perfect model for them," I said as I stroked the fur on his back. "But I have to say that I prefer my bear meat ... live!" My free hand grabbed his balls as I finished my words, and my hand on his back slipped up to bring his head close to mine.

I licked the end of his nose, and he gave me that sexy leer again as he carefully put the magazine aside. "Kiss me, Daddy ..."

I slipped my tongue into his mouth, feeling his bushy blond 'stache rubbing against the thick, soft counterpart on my lip. He opened his mouth wider, and I slipped my tongue in deeper, swirling, teasing. I withdrew my tongue and sucked gently; Paul took my lead and slid his tongue into my mouth.

One of my hands was clutching the back of his neck, holding him tightly in the kiss; my other hand was roaming his broad, muscular back, marveling at the thickness and softness of the golden fur that covered him. His hands were prowling the coarser fur on my chest, still jet-black despite the gray in my beard. He drew our bodies closer, and I felt the thick, hard bulge in his pants rubbing against my thigh. I'm sure he felt my hard cock tenting out my shorts and prodding into his groin.

Finally, we broke the kiss and slipped into a tight hug, grinding our furry chests together. I finally managed to overbalance us and sent the two of us tumbling onto the bed.

I wound up lying on my back, with Paul

"Paul whipped his cock out of my ass so fast I'd swear he left skid marks..."

straddling me. "That fur on your chest feels great," he said, "but I wanna see it!" With that, he literally ripped my T-shirt off. "Oh, YEAH, Daddy! Thick, black, sexy bear-fur..." He leaned down and rubbed his beard into my chest fur, then began sucking on my left nipple. I moved my arms over my head to get them out of the way, and he snuffled something about "bear sweat" and started rooting around in my armpits, his bristly moustache making me grunt with pleasure.

The next thing I knew, we were both naked, and I was watching a stray beam of sunlight playing with the fur on his back and ass as my cock disappeared down his throat. He wheeled around on the bed, growled, "Eat butt, Bear," and went back to sucking me.

I started with a long, slow lick, starting as low on his balls as I could reach, trailing up his furry "taint," circling his sweaty asshole and licking up to his tailbone as my beard rubbed into his thickly furred butt cheeks. I worked my way back down and plunged my tongue deep into his hole; I heard him grunt, and I felt his cock throb against my chest. I alternately rammed with my tongue, sucked with my lips and brushed with my beard.

He pulled away, wheeled on one knee, and plunged his well-sucked ass down on my spit-soaked, rock hard cock. As he pumped himself up and down on my cock, his strong hands kneaded my furry pecs and toned gut; while I wasn't as powerful as he was, I had kept myself in decent shape. Paul obviously felt the same way, growling, "Hot fuckin' hard Daddy Bear Stud fuckin' my butt..." as he rode my cock and beat his meat.

I grabbed his cock and hawked as if to get spit to lube his dick with. Instead, I spat the gob in his face, catching him on his cheek.

"So ya like to play rough, eh, fucker?"

"Yeah, asshole (here I threw him an unexpected hard thrust, which made him moan and made his dick jerk in my hands), I do! And I take it as well as I dish it out!"

"We'll see about that, ya big-dicked bastard!"

He let me have a big blast of spit right on my chin, setting off a chain reaction of harder and wilder spitting and faster and deeper fuck-strokes, with him pounding his ass down onto my cock, and me ramming my cock into his tight, slick asshole, until finally he threw back his head, howled and covered me in hot, thick jizm from my eyebrows to my bellybutton, while his hot ass milked my cock dry.

He slipped my cock out of his ass, and slumped onto my chest, smearing his cum all over the fur on our chests. We lay that way for a long moment, wriggling slowly against each

other as we came down from the high of our wild fuck. After a time, Paul slipped off me and we drifted off curled up "spoon fashion" with my cock held in his cum-slicked crack.

I awoke lying on my belly with Paul sliding his hard dick up and down my asscrack. He grabbed the jar of lube and slid down my body, and I felt his thick, soft beard rubbing all over my butt. I slowly moved up on my knees to give him better access, and I felt his hot tongue slip into my hole and start opening me up. "Yeah, butt-eatin' bear. Let me feel that fuckin' beard all over my hairy rump. I like a stud who eats what he fucks!"

"Speakin' of fuckin', get ready 'cause here it comes!"

He slipped that fat meat up my fuckhole slow and steady, and when his balls were rubbing up against mine, he held it in as far as he could go and ground his dickfur into my ass. "Ready for some hot plowin' in your hairy hole, Daddy Bear?"

"Damn right, Cub... show yer Daddy how ya learned to fuck! Gimme that hot meat!"

As he slipped into a deep, steady fuck rhythm, I felt his balls banging into my loaded nuts as Paul's iron cock plowed my hole.

"Nice tight butt ya got there!"

"Just made for a hot fuckin' bear cock like yours, Cub!"

"Well then, I better make sure we don't get cooled off!"

With that, he started picking up speed fast, until his furry groin was pounding against my ass cheeks with every hammer fuck thrust. Both of us were pouring sweat, which brought back the scent of the dried jizz from our previous fuck, as well as its own musky smell.

Finally, I couldn't hold off any longer; I grunted, I yowled, and I splattered my thick cream all over my throat and beard. Paul whipped his cock out of my ass so fast I'd swear he left skid marks, flipped me over and started grinding his cock against my hairy belly as he lapped up my cum from my beard. The warmth of his hot juice spread between our sticky bodies as he howled into my ear.

This time, instead of being sleepy, we both wound up in a frisky mood, which turned into a wrestling match that left us covered with each other's cum and sweat, and with grins that wouldn't quit ... until Paul saw the clock.

"Fuckin' shit, I gotta get out of here. I gotta have that truck back by 5 or I'll catch hell."

"Why's that?"

"Cause it's gotta be locked in the shop garage, and Greg's the one with all the keys. If I keep him waiting ... you understand."

"Won't he wonder why you were so long on this job and showing up reeking of jizz?"

"Naw, he appreciates gettin' laid on the job 'long as I get the truck back by 5," he said, with another one of those lecherous grins.

"Nice to have an understanding boss," I grinned back. "You think you gonna want to come back for more?"

"You can count on that, ya horny hairball! I got your number on the work order. You'll see me again in a week, when I bring Greg and Marty out here to fix your fireplace. I think you'll like 'em; I know they'll like you!"

"The same way you do?"

Another of those damn grins. "Definitely!"

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THE WORLD'S OLDEST PROFESSION FINALLY OPENS UP FOR MEN IN THE USA

Wanna whore? Prostitution has been legal in Nevada for years, but regulations require trick-turners to be associated with a registered, inspected and approved whorehouse. And wouldn't you know...no den of inequity handles male whores.

Mustang Ranch, Las Vegas' top brothel, is a legitimate concern, incorporated and everything. It's Board of Directors recently decided to make a public offering of stock, which opened at \$10 a share. Industry analysts didn't take it seriously, but stock buyers know a good deal and a good time when they see one. John Q. Public ate it up: the stock sold exceedingly well and put the company even further into the black. Word has it that some of the profits will be directed at opening up the country's first legal male whorehouse. So...when in Vegas....

A LITTLE PEE WON'T HURT YA

Good news for piss freaks. The University of Chicago recently released results on their study of HIV and urine. Their examination of pee samples taken from 48 people testing HIV-positive found no traces of the antibody or its antigen in their urine.

This, of course, means that the chances of HIV-1 transmission through wet encounters is low to non-existent.

RUBBER-NECKING

Hats off to the Dutch government. They funded the design of a condom specifically for butt fucking. Safesex is the brand name, and the material promises to be more durable and elastic than the standard - compensating for the greater stress involved in anal intercourse.

No rubber is guaranteed 100% safe, but a spokeswoman from the sexologist organization which developed 'em says, "Safesex [condoms] are safer and pose less risk."

Safesex joins Duo (from Germany) and Hot Rubber (from Switzerland) in the Corn Holers' Hall of Fame as the safest rubbers made. U.S. distribution continues to be sluggish.

GOING DOWN ON JESUS

Have you ever fucked around with a man of the cloth? If you're like me and several people I've talked with about sex with God's ambassadors on earth, you've come away from the experience thinking, "This guy is one of the kinkiest fuckers I've ever met."

People who mix strong formal religious feelings with sex come up with a potent potable. And the editor at Healing Tales (P.O. Box 77271, San Francisco, CA 94107) is collecting first-person narratives (500-700 words) about early adult experiences involving formal religion and formative sexuality. The project is tentatively titled *All The Dreams/All The Dirt*. The title alone should make it a winner.

Send it off soon. They're working on a tight deadline. They won't print your name, but they do need your name and address. Stories about butt-fucks on altars are particularly encouraged.

BBC BROADCASTS CACA WORDS

We've had trouble getting BEAR into the United Kingdom. British Customs officials tend to think our mag, as well as most other pecker rags, are unfit for viewing by their citizenry.

However, we applaud the publicly-owned British Broadcasting Corporation's announcement to commence a 15-part radio broadcast of Lawrence's *Lady Chatterley's Lover* for its "A Book at Bedtime" series. You literature buffs remember the hot handyman that the old dame just couldn't resist, don't you? The version used comes complete with steamy passages and four-letter words.



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RUB THAT FORESKIN IN MY FACE, BABY

Dr. Tania Phillips is quite a talented gal. She's been grafting human foreskins onto people with skin trouble. And she's had a good success rate. Problems have gone away for up to 18 months.

These aren't your every day dickskins she's using, and the conditions she's treating isn't your common zit. She gets her foreskins off of baby boys at Boston and Harvard U. The lucky recipients are diabetics, paraplegics, folks in chemotherapy and others at high risk of getting into serious trouble with leg ulcers and the like.

She says, "We think the combination of a biological dressing, which keeps the wound moist and protects it from air, and the rich mix of growth factors secreted by the neonatal cells stimulate the patient's own skin cells to be more active and fill in the wound." Never underestimate the power of some dick applied to itchy places.

THEY'RE RASSLIN' IN PITTSBURGH

If you hail from the Pittsburgh area and are into rough-housing, check out the newly-formed Iron City Wrestling Club (ICWC). There are no membership fees, size and weight ain't important, previous wrestling experience isn't necessary, and there's no wrestling 'method' rules, although some members have collegiate or other amateur wrestling backgrounds. Furthermore, no spectators are allowed: when you show up, everyone there's gonna hit the mat, including you.

Kevin and Hank, the club organizers, make clear that ICWC is a non-sexual wrestling club—not a dating service, correspondence club, fantasy hotline, video production company, or circle-jerk orgy outfit. Just like-minded men into tough and serious no-holds-barred, rough-house pro-style fighting to submission.

Serious wrestlers can write Iron City at P.O. Box 6561, Pittsburgh, PA 15212-0561 or call (412) 441-7013.

VANCOUVER HOSTS FACIAL HAIR FIESTA

A couple of years ago, BEAR Magazine sponsored a beard beauty pageant at a San Francisco bar for Project Open Hand. Me, my buddy Dennis Forbes, then the creative director of *Advocate Men*, and Bill, a co-owner of the bar, had a grand time judging beards of dozens of hairy critters parading onstage. We sat on bar stools amongst the hundreds of equally handsome men in the audience, all drinking beer, groping, hootin', hollerin' and generally carrying on.

Well, this year the Vancouver Public Library is gonna try it on June 26. This is part of their Centennial Celebration. I suspect the event won't be quite as raucous as ours (when I left the Pilsner, a fine looking fella was sitting on the meat rack with his pants down to his ankles, stroking a big old thing to the tunes on the juke box), but you never can tell. The categories: Longest Beard, Bushiest Beard, Best Original Style, Most Colorful Beard, Best Handlebar Moustache, Best Van Dyke Style Beard, and Best In Show.

Sounds like an excellent event to go to with a buddy or two.



PEOPLE ARE TALKING

The *New York Times* and *Post* have joined the *National Enquirer* in the newest fad in journalism — "outing." *Time Magazine* coined the term and the feisty *Outweek*, a homazine out of New York, New York is credited with starting it.

This is how it goes: a reporter gets verifiable information that so-and-so who's rich-and-famous (recently dead or alive) engaged in a homosexual romp or two or three. Then said reporter goes back to his place of employment, writes it up as a story and gives it to his editor who headlines it and sends it out to Ma, Pa and Junior. There has previously been an unwritten rule among mainstream reporters, including gossip columnists, to never report on a reportee's sexual preference if that preference did not include members of the opposite sex.

Fellas, this is nasty stuff. The low status of the male cocksucker and female muffdiver is accurately reflected when the media consider it news that the female offspring of Sonny and Cher has a liking for licking. I mean, does the public really need to know that?

Some say "outing" is good. That the ramifications of the public dealing with this knowledge will give them a more liberal perspective on same-sex activities. That individuals worried about their own sexual desires will feel better because "someone important" likes it that way — a sense of history about their sexuality. That it should be used only to punish homos in positions of political or economic power who have used their power to oppress gays and lesbians; or at least take the wind out of their sails when they speak up against human rights in the future.

Other camps say it's an invasion of privacy. That it's immoral to tell tales on dead people. That the public is not ready for this kind of news yet.

The immediate results of "outing": the stars and starlets who have been exposed by this process have either denied it, or have been dead and therefore unable to deny it. Their 'closets' which the media opened immediately slammed shut again. And the public—the public that sits on the other side of the fence regarding an individual's right to love and lust whomever he chooses—believes him. For Christ's sake, my mother still believes that Liberace was straight because he said he was and, she chooses to believe what she is most comfortable with.

I remember, as a kid, hearing that Rock Hudson and Gomer Pyle a.k.a. Jim Nabors had a 'gay wedding.' Neither were my idea of a good time. I can even remember thinking "why did they bother with a wedding." But as a kid who knew he wasn't going to follow the straight and narrow path, I felt a sense of comfort and acceptance with my unquenchable hunger to be a sexual outlaw. If it weren't for their and similar "outings" I experienced, would there be a BEAR today?

The score on "outing": negative news (he's a homo!), negative rebuttal (I'm no fucking homo!). Double negatives? Does that make a positive? The jury is still out on this one.

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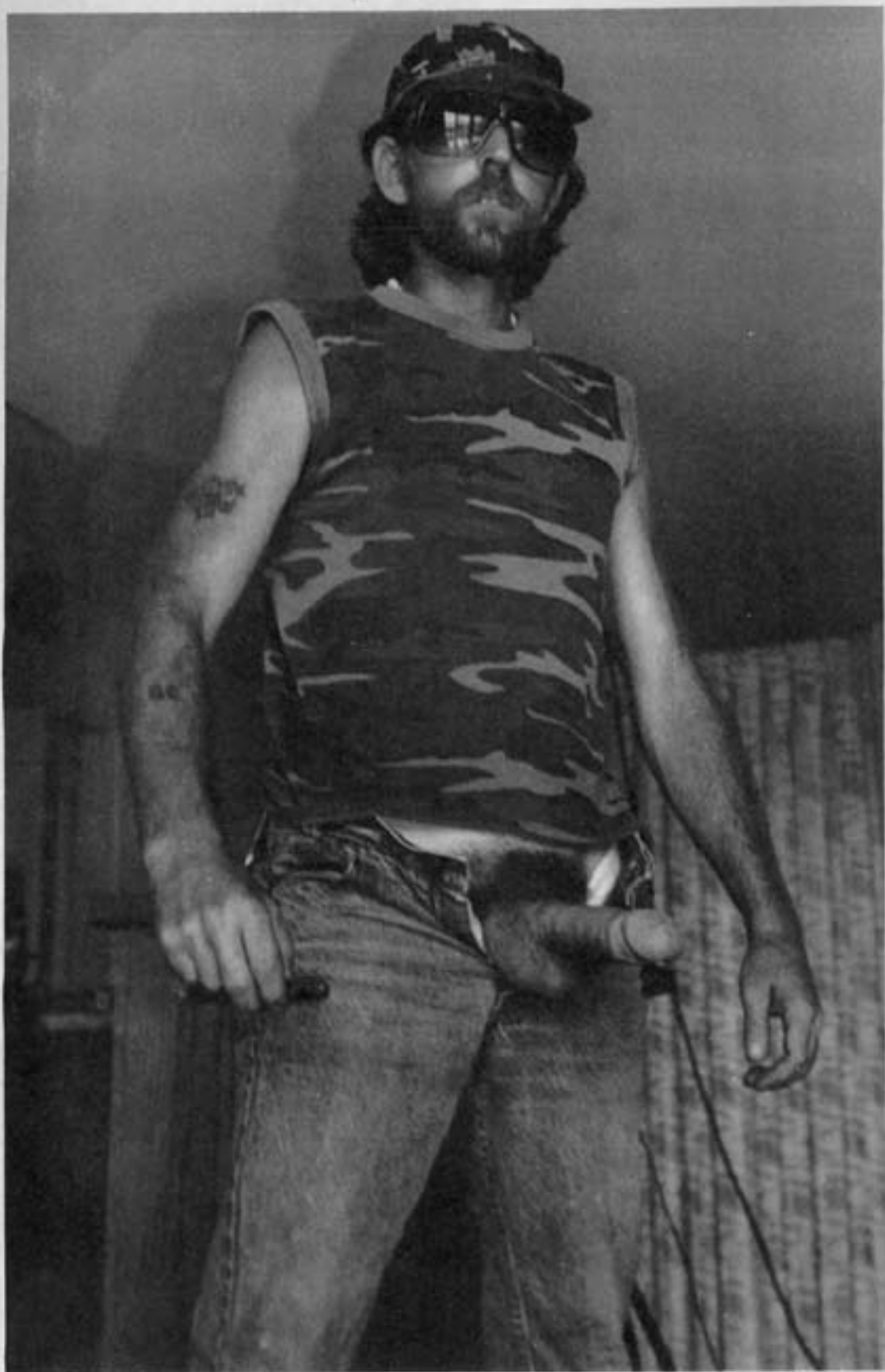




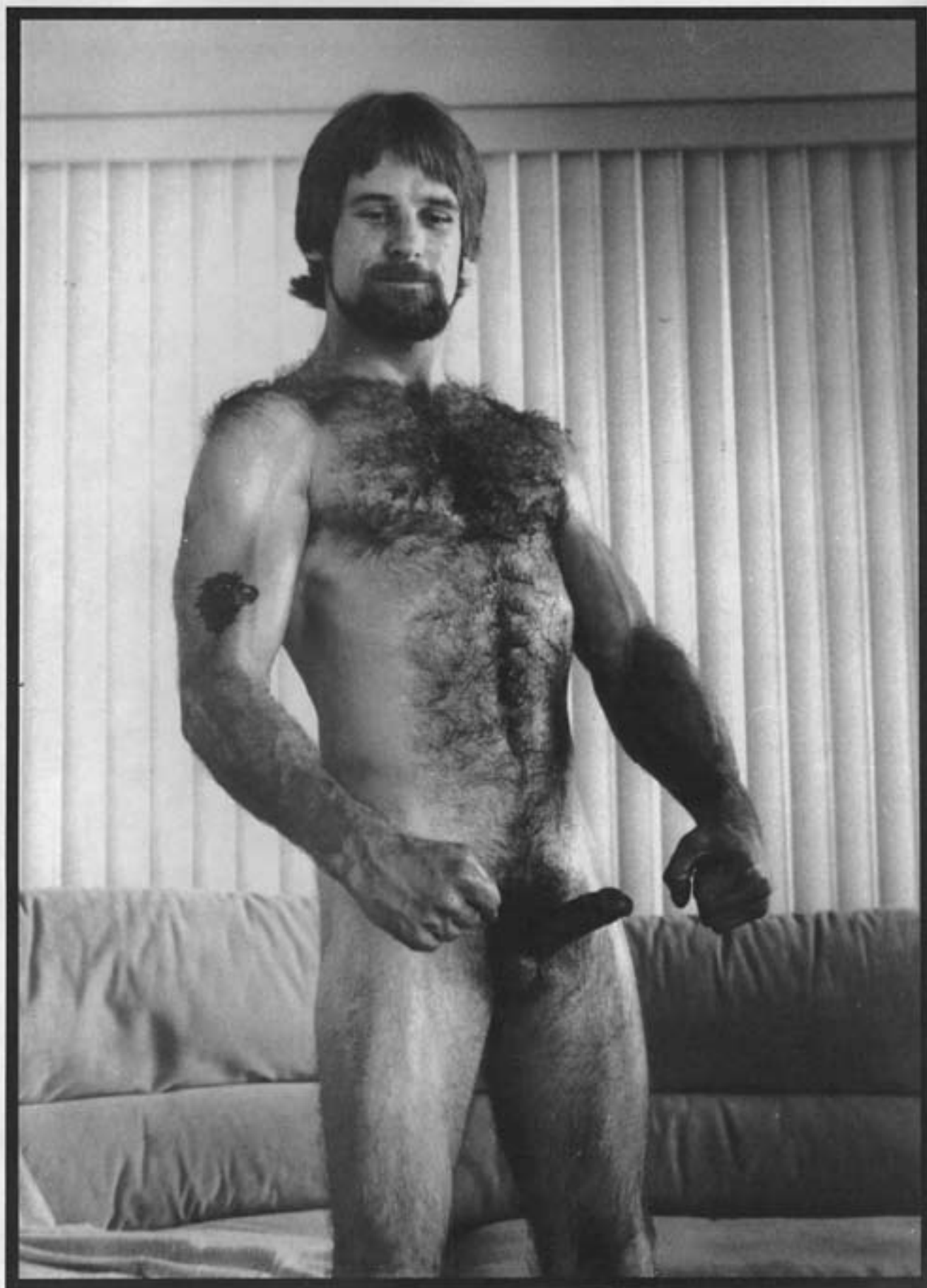
A Few Hairy Men from the Portfolio of

OLD RELIABLE





This is Mike Adams and his dick of renown. He has posed with his brother (whose pecker is equally lengthy) for Old Reliable.



HIRSUITE HEROES!

by
**Andy
Mangels**

Fifty years is a long time to develop chest hair, but Kal-El, better known as Superman, finally arrived to Bearhood in 1988. Even worse was the thirty years it took for comic book heroes to grow nipples; Conan was the first back in 1971. In an industry based on highly muscled men and overly mammariated women fighting crime and righting wrongs, comic books have ignored the eroticism of men's physical features while emphasizing the eroticism of the total perfect body.

Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster created Superman, the archetypal superhero in 1938, bringing with them the dawning of an age of comic books. Batman was created the next year, and scores of superheroes, detectives, and other adventurers began clambering their four-color bodies onto the newsstand.

Early on, comic publishers knew that selling the forbidden and the lurid would increase their sales to both the young men in the audience and the military men gearing up for and later fighting World War II. Thus, the typical superheroine or female sidekick wore scant costumes, often ended up in bondage to the villains, and always, always had overly-large breasts straining at their skimpy tops.

Things weren't quite the same for the men of the comics though. Butch to a fault but acting more like Boy Scouts than adult men, most comic heroes wore unrevealing costumes and rarely got tied up by male villains. Still, the artists for these adventures (99% male) drew the

men as physical ideals with perfectly developed bodies... except for a few missing items.

You see, superheroes didn't appear to have dicks, and they certainly didn't have baskets. Their skintight costumes never bulged between the legs. Also there's the plight of poor Hawkman and the Black Condor, two flying heroes who were so tough that they didn't wear shirts - only a type of harness. With these two, readers soon discovered that comic book heroes didn't have nipples, either, much less chest hair or armpit hair! And bearded or moustached heroes were nowhere in sight.

An attack on the comic industry by censors led to its near death in the 1950s. Frederick Wertham, the leader behind these attacks, had decried comics for their "obvious lesbian attitudes" (in books like Wonder Woman), their "homosexual relationships" (between Batman and Robin), and many other sinful things sure to harm the nation's youth and turn them into juvenile delinquents... or worse.

Comics did survive, barely, and a new publisher came on the scene in the early '60s. Marvel Comics was different in that its superheroes were more realistic. Spider-Man worried about getting dates, the Fantastic Four squabbled among themselves, and the Hulk wasn't really a hero no matter how much good he did. Marvel artists continued to portray sexless sexy men until Jack Kirby broke the taboo by putting chest hair on wartime hero Nick Fury.

Fury was many young comic fans'

wetdream. He was rough, tough, smoked a cigar, didn't shave (although his stubble never grew), and kept his ripped battle fatigues open to the waist showing off his cross-hatched chest hair. Fury was a man's man, and the fact that he



Kraven the Hunter strips down for Spider-Man. ©Marvel Comics

accepted everyone in his platoon for what they were gave hope to young gays that maybe a real man would accept them in his circle of friends as well.

Robert E. Howard's famous Cimmerian barbarian, Conan, premiered in his own comic series in 1970, drawn by budding artist Barry Windsor-Smith. The artist took a chance when, in issue #6, he began to draw Conan with "gasp" nipples!

Conan's writer/editor at the time, Roy Thomas says this was part of a plan to make Conan even more realistic than the other Marvel books. In the Conan universe, there were no thought balloons nor non-verbal sound effects, and men did have nipples.

Neal Adams had a photorealistic style that took the comic world by storm, and his work on many superheroes became legendary in gay comic fans' minds. Adams gave Green Arrow a goatee (and later a hairy chest), making him the first bearded superhero. Green Arrow's sleeveless leather costume featured armbands and a vest, accentuating his masculinity. It was, however, Adams' breakthrough work on Batman in 1972 that for years remained some of the prime whack-off material for young gay

open-minded approach to comics that began appearing in the '80s.

By that time, another realistic artist, John Byrne, had gotten his hands on Wolverine, a character of the best-selling X-Men series. As bland as any other comic when initially created, X-Men's sales soared under the direction of writer Chris Claremont and artists John Byrne and Terry Austin. Wolverine soon became the most popular character of the book, and also the hairiest. He (like Nick Fury) was also partial to cigars, and would have been eagerly sought after in any leather bar.

Despite a huge outcry from his fans, Byrne left X-Men and pursued work on other series. On each of them, he left his hirsute mark - in Avengers, Wonder Man became hairy, while in Alpha Flight, the

chemical that had given him the power to turn into any animal. It turned his skin and hair green, and made him grow a pelt any bear would be proud of!

A plethora of independent comic companies sprung up in the '80s, almost all featuring daring, adult work that none of the major companies would ever dream allowing into print. Comics like Sabre, American Flagg!, Cerebus, Nexus and many others brought mature readers to them by realistically dealing with adult themes. Few of these independent comics featured superheroes; those that did were startlingly different: these "heroes" were morally ambiguous characters whom readers weren't quite sure whether to cheer for or not.

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comic fans.

Batman #244 featured a desert fight between Batman and Rhas Al Ghul. Batman had lost his shirt and tunic, but had, we discovered, gained a hairy chest and some very well-developed nipples. Rhas Al Ghul, meanwhile, went shirtless to fight Batman, and one cover portrays the shirtless Batman straining near the boots of the nefarious Al Ghul, a look of almost orgasmic pain/pleasure etched on his face.

Meanwhile, the hippie/drug culture's underground comix were busy influencing the next wave of comic book writers and artists. Growing up reading both the Fabulous Furry Freak Brothers and the Legion of Super-Heroes was inducing a somewhat more

dwarf Puck gave Wolverine a run for his pelt: not only did he sport all-over body hair, but he also had a beard.

Byrne's contemporaries who were making their names in the industry included Mike Grell and George Perez. Grell had created a popular series with The Warlord, a goatee'd barbarian who lived in prehistoric times. Grell later took up the reins of drawing Green Arrow's adventures. Meanwhile, Perez skipped around on several series, often adding hirsute men, before settling on the New Teen Titans. Although this entire group was teenagers, the youngest one, 14-year-old Changeling, had an incredibly hairy (though green) body. Perez explained this as a side effect of a

and more freedom, independent companies brought major creators like Mike Grell over to their side. Grell created Jon Sable, Freelance (about a mercenary) and Starslayer (a science fiction series), both of which featured hairy and/or bearded characters. Jon Sable, among several others, also featured gay characters, although many were stereotypical in one way or another.

Nexus, an incomparable science-fiction/superhero comic, became the first in which a character actually had armpit hair, a move applauded by many letter-writers. Few series followed Nexus' lead, a situation that exists to this day.

In all comic companies, creators were being allowed to stretch their artistic wings, within certain

boundaries, and were being encouraged to make their books more realistic and accessible to the general public. Alcoholism, child abuse, homelessness, marriage, and other issues of real concern to readers became more common as fantasy met fact in comic fiction.

Delighting fans of the hirsute, these new freedoms allowed things only rarely seen before. One could no longer pick out the few examples of comic art in which men had been hairily portrayed; beards, body hair, nipples and moustaches now de rigueur for tough comic characters. Even Superman, revamped by John Byrne in 1988, developed a brawny chestful of hair. Not long ago, Superman became a space gladiator in a harness, skirt and headband, and let his beard grow. Unfortunately, the change lasted only a few

months, but it set the gay comic community abuzz.

The time of armpit hair is finally arriving in the age of comics. Two sets of furry pits are displayed on the cover of the top-selling Justice League of America (#34), and other heroes have quit shaving their pits. Even baskets and crotch bulges are starting to be seen briefly here and there (although one gay artist friend complains that his are always changed before being printed.)

The comic industry is highly competitive as well as homophobic. Few comic artists and writers are out of the closet, and many shade their work to seem overly heterosexual. One leather-bear comic artist won't draw nipples or chest hair for fear of making his men seem too attractive, thus tipping his homo hat. All the artists mentioned above are (as far as

I know) heterosexual, and some (including Neal Adams) are homophobic, yet in this industry which highlights and glorifies men's and women's bodies, the definitions and parameters of what makes a goodlooking man have changed drastically.

Stylistically close to Bill Ward and the Hun's art, today's comics have a long way to go before their content approaches these artists' explicit erotica. Yet when eight of the last ten covers to feature Wolverine have shown him almost nude, and often in bondage, the implicit erotica behind today's comic heroes becomes much more obvious. Fifty years into comics and Hawkman still doesn't have nipples, but I'll be happy to wait around with the rest of the comic hunks offered to me.



BEAR WATCH IN THE COMICS

A few good comics to pick up if you want to spot the hairy hunks of comicdom:

Green Arrow appears in *Green Arrow* which has semi-explicit sex scenes every few issues. Issue #2 of *Green Arrow: The Longbow Hunters* shows his apparently cut dick in shadows as he jumps from a bathtub!

Wolverine appears in *Wolverine*, *Marvel Comics Presents*, *X-Men Classics* (check out #17, 20-21 and 25) and *X-Men*, as well as guest-starring elsewhere. Every few issues he's stripped and tortured, and most covers portray him shirtless.

The Punisher appears in *The Punisher* and *Punisher War Journal*. Like Wolverine, he's often stripped for action. Pick up their best bear-fight in the recent *Wolverine & Punisher: The African Saga*.

Superman appears in *Superman*, *Action* and *Adventures of Superman*. Check out *Action Annual* #2 for the hot gladiator sequence.

Heracles appears in DC Comics' *Wonder Woman* and several Marvel Comics Graphic Novels. He's always shirtless, but more hairy in DC's incarnation.

Kevin Matchstick appears in the Issue #15 of the *Mage* series, available in a graphic novel trilogy. We never see his chest, but he's got a beard, and is quite a hunk.

Jon Sable appeared in both *Jon Sable, Freelance* and *Sable*. In the latter series he often appeared almost nude, with convenient desks, handguns or soap bubbles hiding his genitals.

Puck appeared mostly in the early issues of *Alpha Flight*.

Check out issues of *Shield* (with Nick Fury), *Marshall Law*, *Dreadstar*, *Dr. Strange*, and the *Spider-Man: Fearful Symmetry* Graphic Novel for other comic bears. Happy hunting!

-A.M.

THE T-BIRD

by Ed Bishop

I ran my hand over the smooth curve of the hood. The red paint was flawless. The chrome letters proudly spelling "Thunderbird" in script glistened in the morning sun. I walked around to the open driver's door where Daddy was standing. With a gesture he ushered me into the driver's seat. The steering wheel was at an odd angle towards the center of the car. He reached in, pulled a small lever and swung the wheel into position. Then he closed the door and handed me the keys through the open window. He smiled a broad smile. He was proud.

Truck had explained a lot since yesterday afternoon. After his surprise in the garage, we cooled off with a swim in his pool, all three of us buck naked under the evening sky. Daddy threw some steaks on the grill and we had a hearty dinner. Afterwards, Daddy took off in the T-Bird. Truck and I returned to my friends who were camping at Briones Regional Park, taking the big black Blazer that had been parked in the driveway. The time alone together gave me a chance to fill in some of the holes of what I knew about Truck and Daddy.

"Yeah, he really is my dad," Truck said. "He moved in with me about two years ago after my mother died. We both have pretty busy lives, me with my job in the city and Daddy with his restoration work out here."

"Restoration?"

"Yeah, he does archival restoration of historic houses. When he isn't doing that, he's been busy with the T-Bird."

"What else does he do with his time?" I asked with a sly grin.

"To be honest, I'm not really sure. We tend to lead pretty separate lives. And NO, we don't sleep together - unless something interesting comes along that we can share." He could tell what I was thinking. As if reading my mind again, he continued.

"Daddy hasn't spoken since Mom passed on. Doctors say there's nothing physically wrong with him. But you know, he seems to get along just fine anyway. I figure it's some kind of phase

and I've never pushed the issue."

I turned the key and the big 427 roared to life. Daddy had walked around the car and hopped in the passenger seat. He reached over and adjusted the aircraft-like controls over the console to cool off the hot interior. The black leather seats were pretty hot in the bright sun. He dropped his hand to my leg and gave it a squeeze, nodding at me. I shifted into reverse and backed out of the driveway.

He looked at me again and gestured with open hands toward the road ahead. The message was clear, so I hit the gas and headed down the road.

"Damn, they don't make them like this any more!"

He directed me through the winding roads up into the hills above Berkeley. We pulled up in front of a large house shaded by big trees. Truck had explained earlier that Daddy had been busy restoring an old craftsman-style home. This had to be it. He pointed to the driveway, so I pulled in, driving around to the back. No one appeared to be home. I pulled in under a large willow, shut the engine off and started to climb out of the car. Suddenly his hand grabbed at my belt, pulling me back into the car.

"What the..." I blurted out, but was cut off as he pressed his lips against mine, pulling me close. The kiss scared my lips as my hands ran over his back. The console of the car made the position uncomfortable. Daddy pulled away, sensing something was wrong. He pointed a thumb towards the back seat. I nodded, so we climbed out, pushing the front seats forward and got into the back seat.

We just sat there and stared at each other for awhile. He smiled. I smiled. His hand toyed with mine. Then he slowly reached forward and placed his hand on my crotch. He kneaded my cock and balls through the tight denim, as I let out a soft groan and closed my eyes. Not a word was spoken. I then felt him working at my belt buckle, unfastening it. He leaned down and placed his head against my stomach, looking down towards my crotch. Grasping my stiff cock in his hand, he blew gently over its hot surface. He seemed to be studying my cock carefully, taking in every detail. I just

laid back and let him continue his work.

Slowly his tongue ran over the head and down the shaft. Again, he blew gently; his spit felt cool under his breath. He carefully took my cock in his mouth all the way to the base. He held his mouth there, his lips buried in my dark hair. I could feel and hear the breath from his nose as his beard gently scratched against the hair on my belly. He worked his tongue and throat around my cock, not lifting off. I had the sense he was savoring every moment and detail.

Leisurely he started raising and lowering his head, pulling along the length of my cock with his lips, leaving a thick, slippery coating of spit over its surface. As my breath became more forced, he began sucking faster. Using one hand to brace himself, the other rubbed and pulled at my nuts.

I began a gentle fucking motion, matching his movements. Soon I grabbed his head with both hands and really started to work my cock against his face. He repositioned himself so that he could reach up and work my tits as I fucked his mouth.

My breathing became labored as I rammed my cock down his throat. All I could hear were a loud slurping as the spit dribbled from his lips into my hair and over my balls. The cum built up to the boiling point, insisting on release. I let out one loud, long groan and let it shoot. He milked my cock with his lips and tongue, sucking my cockjuice. He grasped the base of my dick with both hands and squeezed along its length, working out every last drop as if he couldn't get enough.

He let my limp cock slip from his mouth, watching it twitch, watching my balls shift, fascinated by it. After several minutes I ran my hand over his head. He looked up at me.

"That was great." I paused and looked into his eyes. "Thank you."

He gave me the same smile he had given me back at the ranch. I could tell it was his way of saying "No, thank YOU."

I accepted that and gave him a big hug. We spent a good part of the morning like that. We had both found something special in the back seat and we were in no hurry to get home.

-to be continued

Home Cookin'

BY C.C. RYDER

It was one of them lazy days. I was over at my bro' Lang's pad, shootin' the shit, an' just hangin' out. Cool dude Lang is, a long-haired, Harley-ridin' SOB from way back.

I was sprawled belly up on the bed, payin' more attention to his cat paddin' over my gut, than to my notebook I was writin' in.

When ya hang 'round bikers, ya best get used to the stink of axle grease, the blackened knees of garage floor jeans, an' the smell of WD-40 on top of armpit sweat. When ya hang 'round bikers, ya better expect a few surprises. An' if they starts slippin' into the Crude Rude Zone, ya best get lost or shut up. Hell, if ya sit still, ya might learn somethin'.

Anyway, the afternoon was just rollin' away, the stale air was suckin' up all the outdoors heat. Lang yanked off his soppin' wet T, snapped both suspenders with both thumbs, loosened his low-slung Levi's fly, an' plopped down in front of the CRT. A bit later, I looked up from my pad. There he was, legs stretched out, leavin' back in his chair. The man had a fist full of his slick an' bulbous dick. He was floppin' it to an' fro from the base. Damn, the whole mess looked odd. The scrotum skin was a bit too wet, and his nuts were too mashed together side-to-side. I got a good look at his sex mess when I walked over.

The man had his dick an' balls enveloped in rubber. The whole flesh pile was floatin' in a lube-filled transparent balloon. He pinched up the rubber's reservoir end, an' it hung around his cock's head just like a long foreskin. Lang flashed his shit-an'-giggle grin. 'Course it must feel fuckin' good. He showed me how to make my dick wet, too. This is how he did it:

1 snug and comfortable rubber cock ring
1 extra thick latex condom
(*Ya might go through a handful before ya get it right.*)
1 bottle of yer favorite water-based liquid sex lubricant
1 oz. of patience

Drop yer pants, and let yer cock get a little air. Sit so yer nuts can hang free. Roll open a rubber an' blow it up so it has a bit more room, then let out all the air.

Pour 'bout a half inch o' lube into the rubber, carefully squishing it around so it slicks up all of the rubber's insides.

With both hands, put the rubber in the cockring with the liquid-filled end danglin', and the rubber's collar at the cockring's hole. Lay it all on a flat surface, and carefully as can be, stretch the collar of the rubber up and over the ring. The collar should end up at the back side of the ring. Most of the rubber ought to still hang free, and the rubber's openin' should be wide open and dead center.

Here's the hard part. Pour a mess o' lube all over yer cock and balls. Then any way ya can, put one nut, then the other, then yer cock inside the damn thing. Don't be surprised if ya break the rubber first couple o' times.

When yer sex is all up in there, you'll end up with the loose latex hangin' off ta one side. Just pull that free

end up to yer dick, let the liquid come on down. Yer cock'll automatically snake into the hole.

Now I'll let ya all figure yer own method of gettin' all the air out.

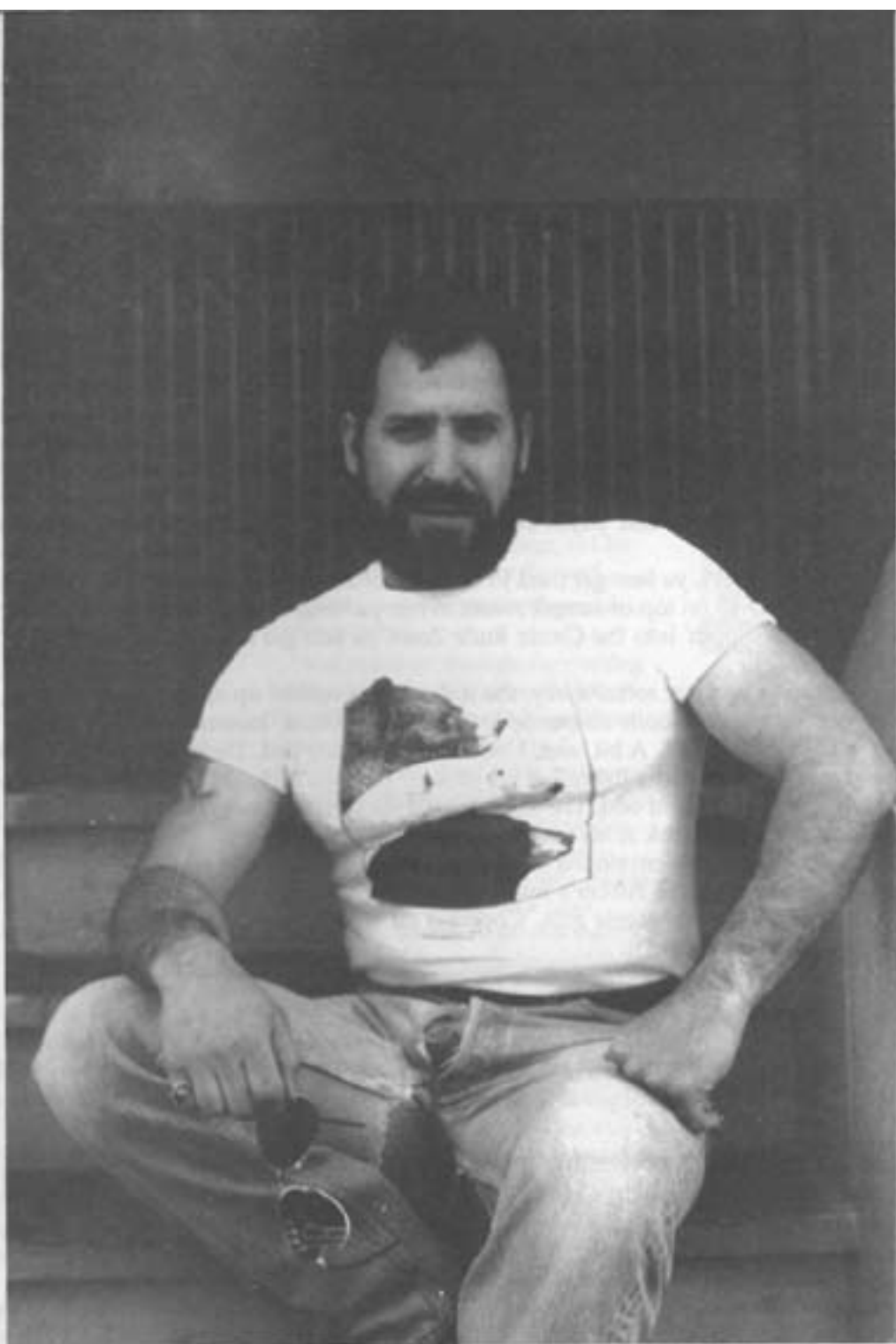
If the rubber's stranglin' the base of yer cock, ya may have to snip off the collar of the rubber with a pair of scissors. It's a little more work to get it on the ring that way, but it wears easier and longer.

And yeah, ya can fuck in it. Don't worry about yer hard-on; ya saw how humungus a rubber inflates. If yer prick's that big, ya better call me quick.

Now when I sheath my cock, I get off on the whole thing ridin' pretty tight. I press an' stroke the loose latex down toward my dick's root.

Now pull yer pants up, walk around a bit. Yeah, your cock's less sensitive, but so the fuck what. Feels like yer uncut huh? Ya just keep this contraption on for a few hours, and when ya finally pop yer cock out, MY GOD!, it's like havin' a new cock. Nobody better bend over to pick up their soap.

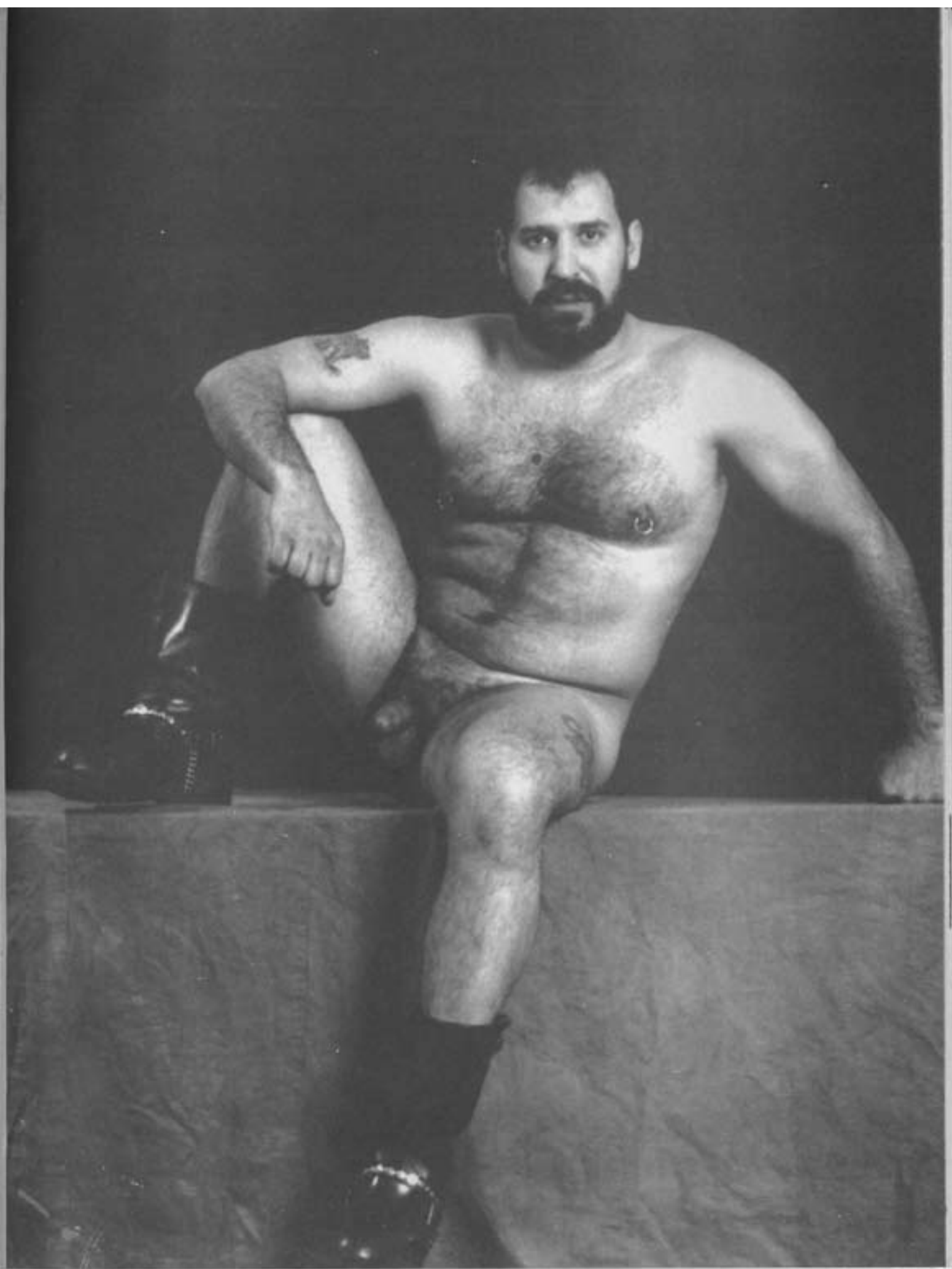
Thanx, Lang.



JOE THOMAS

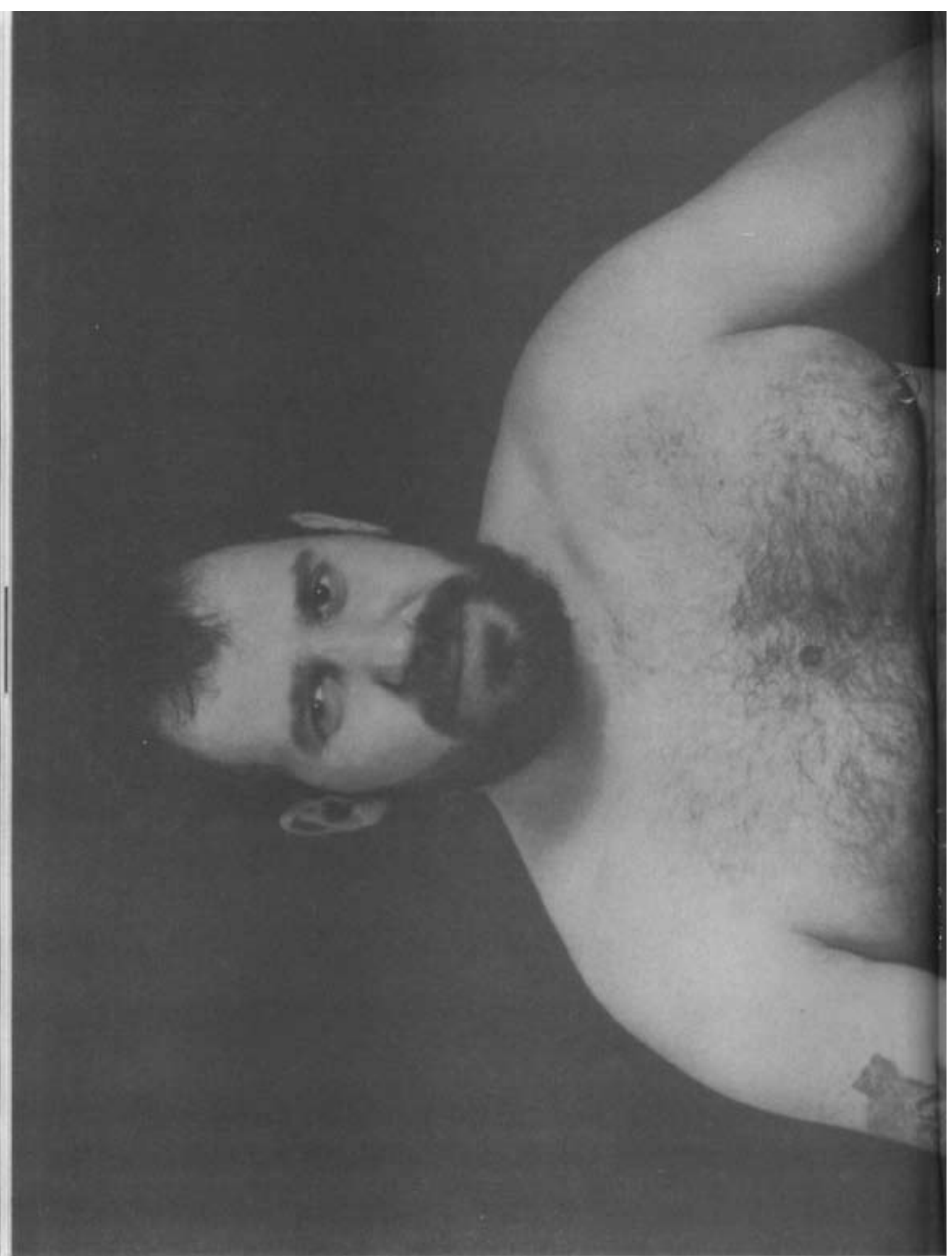
Fellas, let me introduce you to Joe Thomas, a former All State football hero, and an owner of a meat packing and delivery company. He hails from New York and is the current Mr. Spike. He stopped by BEAR during an R&R vacation in San Francisco. You could hear our jaws unhinging....

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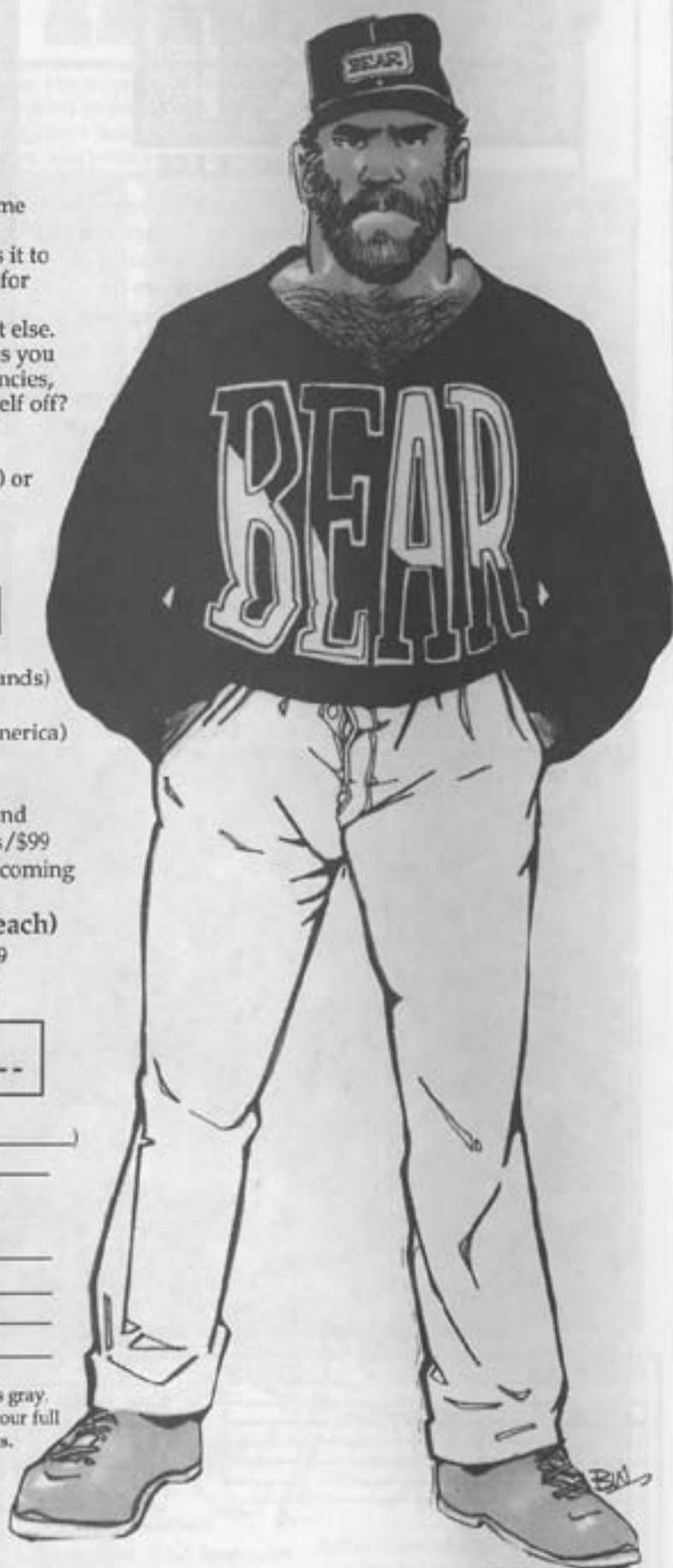
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ART

BY BRUCE LEE

More a mural than a tattoo, backpieces are a major creative, spiritual, and physical statement for the tattooist and the tattooed. Seldom the first tattoo an individual receives, backpieces take between 30 and 60 hours (or more) to complete. And with skin artists earning their keep at \$80-\$150/hour, a significant investment.

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BACKPIECES

Our Penpal In Folsom Prison



This image is Mr. Kidd's
most recent
correspondence to us.
The text on the back
reads

RICHARD KIDD
as a top and bottom in
perversion. Self-defense
basher robbery, 1981-90.

- ✓GWM, 39
- ✓Passive bottom
- ✓Masochistic fantasies
- ✓Auto fellatio
- ✓Aggressive fellatio
- ✓Anilingus
- ✓Gr. passive
- ✓Piss and scat
- ✓Toilet slave.

No family. No mail. No
visits ever. Gay at-
torney needed. Stamps
needed. R. Joe Kidd,
Box W-372191,
Repres, CA 95671.

We received an
extraordinary number of
requests for Richard Joe
Kidd's unedited account
of his first prison poking
(BEAR 11). You fellas are
a nasty bunch....



Every year thousands, if not millions, of homosexual acts will be performed in the United States. All but a very few will escape the attention of the authorities. This column is about what to do if you should be one of the unlucky one percent who happen to hear those frightfully unpleasant words: "You're under arrest." The principles in this column apply equally well to getting arrested for anything from murder to not paying your traffic tickets.

First of all, when it becomes apparent that you aren't going to be sent on your way with a warning, say nothing, nothing, nothing to the police. Our jails and prisons are full of people who thought they could bamboozle the cops with a good story, and instead managed to dig a deeper hole than the one they were already in. You are never under any obligation to say anything to the police; your arrest is an excellent time to exercise the right to remain silent.

When the police begin to ask questions, there are four magic words that will bring the questioning to an abrupt halt: "I want a lawyer." If you say, "I want a priest," it will do you no good. If you say, "I want my accountant," it will do you no good. If you say, "I want my mother," it will do you no good. The magic words are, "I want a lawyer." At that moment, the police are required to stop asking you questions and not say another word to you until you have been provided with an attorney. If they try anyway, refuse to talk. If they try some trick such as, "If you don't talk to us, it will be necessary for us to call your employer and let him know that you got busted for doing it in the park," tell them to drop dead. If they do call your employer under those circumstances (i.e., in an attempt to coerce a confession from you), they are setting themselves up for a rather nasty civil rights lawsuit as soon as you do make contact with an attorney.

Now, this raises another point. It is illegal for the police to try to coerce a confession, especially by such means as threatening blackmail. However, no doubt some of my readers don't dare to assert their rights because they don't feel they can afford the publicity of a lawsuit, or they fear losing a job or being exposed to their family as gay. Needless to say, this is a compelling argument for being out of the closet to begin with. Like the song says, if you got nothing to hide, you got nothing to lose, and if your family and employer already know, that threat loses most of its sting. It is in the best interests of all gay people everywhere for as many of us to be as out of the closet as possible.

However, if you feel that you absolutely, positively cannot come out, then you may have to make a decision as to whether you want to waive your rights, the payoff being not having your sexuality blabbed to those whom you don't wish to inform. Of course, even if you do cooperate with the police, there is no guarantee they won't call your employer anyway (some of them tend to have sadistic streaks), so that may be an empty security. My advice is still to say nothing until you talk to a lawyer. If you cannot afford an attorney, one will be provided to you.

Whether you are provided with an attorney at trial depends on which state you live in and what specifically you are charged with. If your charge is not paying your parking tickets, forget it. On the other hand, if you are looking at any jail term at all, it is a virtual certainty that you will get an attorney at trial. In fact, that is usually the determining factor: whether you are looking at jail time.

Anyone who has ever watched "Perry Mason" knows that the police need a search warrant - sometimes. The exceptions generally fit into the following categories:

1. The plain view doctrine. If it is in plain view, they don't need a warrant to notice it. If you are sitting in a park minding your own business with a kilo of heroin in your lap, they ain't gonna bother to get a warrant, and you ain't gonna get the kilo suppressed as evidence.

2. The routine search of persons and automobiles taken into custody. If they tow your car, they have a right to search it. If you are spending the night in jail, they have the right to search you. (I know, some of us have fantasies about being strip-searched. My advice is to run an ad in "Drummer" - or write to me - rather than get yourself arrested.) The exception to that rule is that the search must be reasonable. If you are spending the night in jail for being drunk and disorderly, pumping your stomach to look for drugs is probably unreasonable. But if you are in jail for drug running, and the police have reason to believe that you swallowed six condoms full of cocaine, they may get a warrant and pump your stomach, or wait for you to have a bowel movement.

3. Reasonable cause. If the police think you are carrying an Uzi submachine gun in your briefcase, they have the right to search it. But they had damn well better be

C.Y.A.

by Mel Dahl

GETTIN' BUSTED

Got a question of legal concern or significance? Mel'll do his best to set you straight, so to speak, in this column, or if you're kind enough to enclose an SASE, maybe directly. His address:

Mel Dahl
PO Box 814
Spokane, WA 99210

able to convince a judge later that they had reasonable cause. (Note: The search of a briefcase without a warrant is allowed in an emergency, which is why I used the Uzi as the example. If instead they think you are carrying counterfeit money, they will likely impound the briefcase and then go out to get a warrant.)

If you find yourself subjected to the indignity of a line-up, your rights have not been violated unless the police draw attention to you which might increase the likelihood of your being chosen. If everyone lined up is wearing a hat except you, you may assume that the idea is to draw attention to you and increase the likelihood of your being picked. The rule here is that the cops may do nothing to make your accusation more likely.

If you find yourself in jail, do not, repeat, do not discuss your case or your charge with the other guests. In the first place, it will do you no good. And in the second place, it could do you a lot of harm. Many inmates seek to curry favor with the administration by reporting to the police what their roommates tell them (and the disturbing thing is that they frequently quote their roommates inaccurately). You should assume that whatever little secrets you tell your bunkmates may find their way to the prosecutor's file. Also, if you were busted for gay sex, don't let it be known to the other inmates unless you like being gang-raped. (Again, if that is what you are into, run an ad. At least you can set limits and require safe sex.)

The first, last, and so far only time your advice columnist was arrested was for taking part in a civil rights demonstration. Basically, the cops wanted to bust the demonstration, since they took 100 or so of us downtown in buses. As part of the booking procedure, they generally ask your religion so in case of need, they know whether to call a Catholic padre, a Protestant padre or a Jewish padre. Of course, none of us were being cooperative. I declared myself a Shiite Muslim. When the desk sergeant asked me to spell it, I replied that it was just like "shit" with an extra "i" and an "e" at the end.

Anyway, the highlight of the evening was the rather prominent professor of Old Testament history who told the sergeant that he was an onanist. (Onan was a man in the Old Testament whom the Lord struck dead for masturbating.) When Sarge wanted to know what an onanist is, our comrade-in-arms replied that he worshiped his onan, and every day he lovingly stroked it and meditated on it until he reached great climaxes of spiritual ecstasy. Those of us present who had enough of an Old Testament background to understand the joke were cracking up, and I think Sarge finally realized he was being laughed at and sent us to the next station.

Of course, that method is not recommended unless you have 100 other civil rights agitators to give you moral support. The individual arrested for petty larceny should give as little trouble as possible.

- Mel Dahl

PRO BONO PUBLICO

BEWARE THE SHITTER SPIES

Boise, Idaho, the town most notable for its infamous gay sex scandal of the '50s, plays host to another slap-in-the-face to civil liberties.

Dale Limberhand (yup! that's his real name) was sitting on the shitter in his favorite stall at his favorite public restroom, whacking his pee-pee. An Idahoan State Police happened to be sitting in the next stall, and through a glory hole cut into the adjacent wall, observed Limberhand pumping up a load. Limberhand was promptly arrested and charged with obscene conduct in a public place.

Sure, beating off in public might be considered an off-color activity in some communities and therefore punishable by law. However, what one does alone in the privacy of a public toilet behind a closed door is...well, most people would hope that it's a private matter between them and the porcelain. Limberhand's lawyer has pleaded that the arrest violated the Fourth Amendment (unreasonable search and seizure). And the Idaho Attorney General is saying that the defendant could not have reasonably expected privacy when his stall was open to view through a four-inch hole. The case is now in the Idaho Court of Appeals....

LOW BLOW IN NORTH CAROLINA

Think twice about getting head in North Carolina. Oral sex is a crime against nature and mankind, according to a 122-year-old state law. Never enforced, huh? Well, ask William Fry, who has served two years of his ten-year sentence for admitting to receiving a blow job from his old lady.

On the day of his sentencing the same fucking judge gave a five-year sentence to a murderer and an eight-year term to an arsonist.

MEANWHILE IN SOUTH CAROLINA

In lieu of providing sex education to its high school students, the Beaufort County school board has the kids making bumper stickers saying CONTROL YOUR URGIN', BE A VIRGIN and DON'T BE A LOUSE, WAIT FOR YOUR SPOUSE. Scary...

CENSORSHIP. A very dirty word. And literature addressing sexuality, mankind's second strongest urge next to survival, is particularly prone to being poked at by individuals who have no business deciding what their fellow man should be reading or viewing.

Following are a list of anti-censorship groups which have proven their effectiveness over time and deserve our support.

American Civil Liberties Union
132 West 43rd Street
New York, NY 10036

Statement of purpose: To ensure the Bill of Rights is preserved for each new generation.

Americans for Constitutional Freedom
900 Third Avenue, Suite 1600
New York, NY 10022

Statement of purpose: To advance First Amendment rights and to oppose censorship.

National Coalition Against Censorship
Two West 64th Street
New York, NY 10023

Statement of purpose: To promote and defend First Amendment values of freedom of thought, inquiry and expression.

People for the American Way
2000 M Street N.W. Suite 400
Washington, D.C. 20036

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MUDMEN

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Membership: Send a self-addressed stamped envelope for information.

As a kid, did you sit in puddles of water after a hard rain, splash around – maybe make a mud pie or two to throw at one of your little boy or girl friends? I did. And I remember getting hell for doing it too. Playing in mud is a primal act. Sort of like staring at a bonfire or walking on an empty beach at the seashore. Most of humanity relinquished mud scenes in deference to their mother's banishment wailings at an early age. However, MUDMEN have rediscovered this joy. And there's a couple clubs and one superb publication for mud fans.

I received for review a year's worth of MUDMEN from a charter member. This publication is a labor of love. The majority of photos are actual color prints of men – naked, half-naked and clothed – playing in, fucking around in, and wearing mud. Actual color prints! MUDMEN also contains event listings, newspaper clippings related to men in mud, personal ads (several with photos), cartoons, dirty stories and club news. The newsletter comes out twice a year, with two or three updates sent between issues.

This is a well thought-out and well put-together publication. If you're seriously into this scene, you've got to become a member of MUDMEN. I stress seriously: the expense of putting out the two semi-annual newsletters has got to exceed the annual membership fee. The editor/



publisher can't afford to cater to lookie-loos. But if you're a wallower, you'll be in good company.

NEWSEX

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\$21/7 issues; \$3/sample

There are sexual artists. Individuals who concretely express themselves in sexual terms, examine this expression, and learn and grow from it to emit new art, "new sex" if you will, to continue their artistic evolution. Posing nude in a magazine can be sexual art. Discussing one's sexuality can be sexual art. Creating products and media to stimulate one's own sexuality and those who view it can be sexual art.

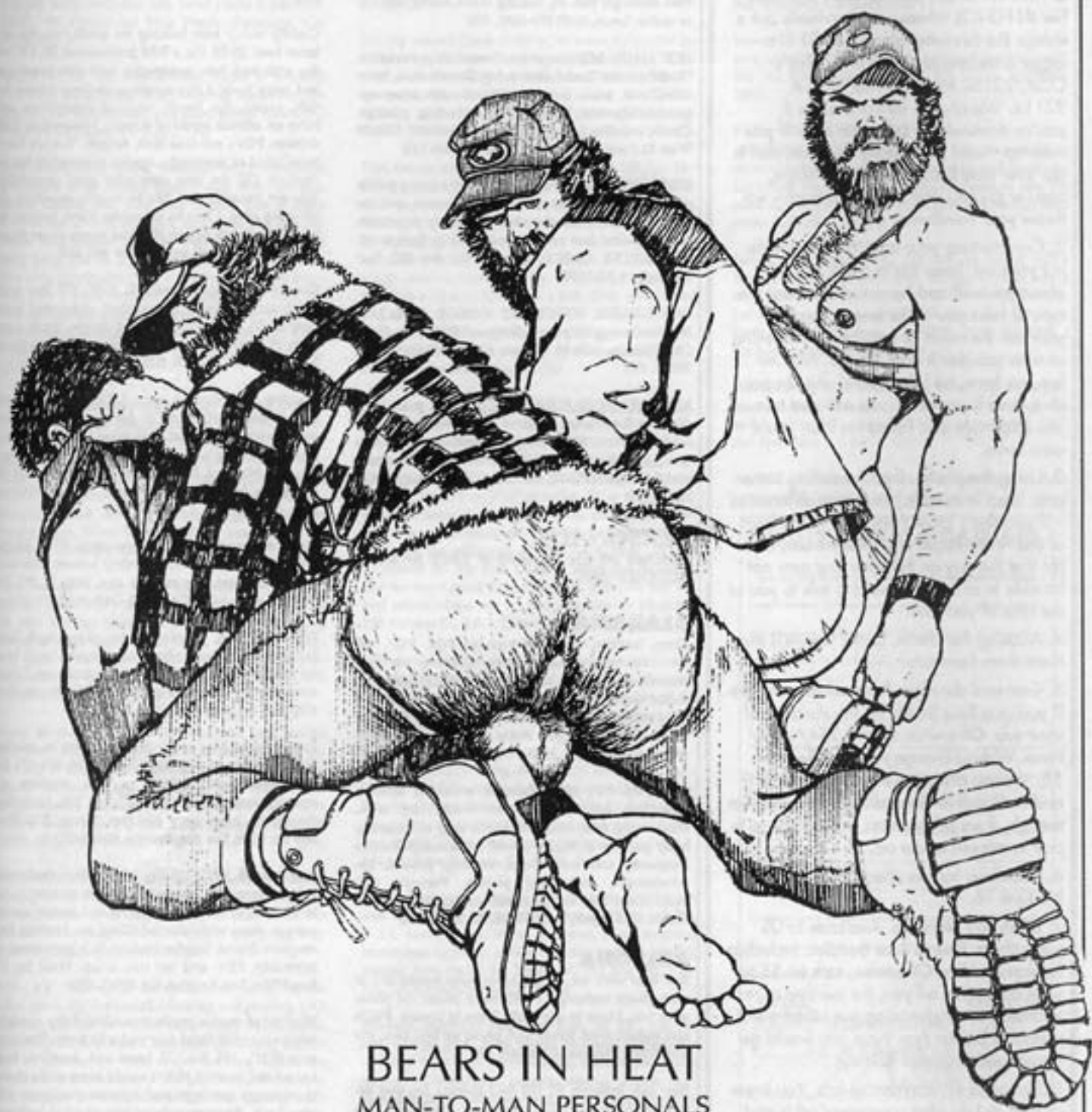
NEWSEX reviews media, issues and trends in contemporary male-to-male sexuality. Steve Dambach, editor and publisher of this zine, also provides a forum for sex artists to present their works, whatever the media.

The current issue (#3) features an interesting paradigm: sex in the name of god. A brief essay by the publisher, a look at San Francisco's religio-sex spaces, a perspective from DeJohn DeMessiah, and a poetry review touches on the subject matter. The same issue contains a sci-fi J.O. tale, a layout on Bosch Wagner, and a fascinating dialogue by Tom W. Kelly.

I want to see NEWSEX go further. We elevate our sexuality to a priority position within our lives. This is pretty important shit! And we need to see, have and know sexual heroes. NEWSEX begins this educational process.



Photos courtesy of Scott at Mudmen.



BEARS IN HEAT
MAN-TO-MAN PERSONALS

Illustration by Bill Ward

THE RULES OF THE GAME

1. Replying to a COA Box Number. Write your letter, put it in an envelope and seal it. On this envelope, put the fella's box number IN PENCIL where you'd normally put a stamp. Put this letter along with \$1 in a larger envelope and mail to us. That's COA, 2215R Market #148, SF, CA 94114. We always forward letters if you've done what's called for here. If you mess up - and particularly if (a) you don't put your note inside another envelope, and/or (b) you don't include a buck - we throw your handiwork away.
2. Constructing your ad. When you write out your ad, keep this in mind: talk a bit about yourself and be real clear about the type of folks you'd like to meet through your ad. As much as possible, avoid telling us who you don't want to meet. No "no feds, no feds, no Lithuanians" shit. Be positive. And if you aren't, we edit and turn you into more of a Pollyanna than you'd care to be.
3. Using the phone. If you're calling someone, keep in mind (a) time zone differences - if you don't know them, look in the front of the White Pages in a phone book, and (b) that the guy on the other end may not be able to or may not want to talk to you at the time of your call.
4. Abusing the phone. Don't. Or we'll eliminate them from ads.
5. Cost and duration. Personal ads are free if you're a Bear Buddy for the duration of your sub. Otherwise, they're 25¢/word/issue. Wanna change your ad? Send in \$5. Wanna discontinue your ad? Write in and we'll pull it. Regardless of the duration though, if we pull your ad, you will have to pay to reinsert a new ad.
6. Deadlines for classifieds. For issue #13 it's June 16.
7. COA Box Numbers. Available to US subscribers. Free to Bear Buddies, including foreign Buddies. Otherwise, tack on \$5 to your ad. Let me tell you, the number of responses you receive using our address will probably be less than those you would get if you used your own address.
8. Personals vs. commercial ads. You know as well as I do what a personal ad is and isn't.
9. We reserve the right to edit personals. This right is exercised for editorial consistency and for clarity almost exclusively.
10. We reserve the right to refuse any ad for any reason whatsoever.

COMMERCIAL

Got something to sell? Try our commercial classifieds. Only 50¢ per word per issue.

LARSEN LEATHERS. New/used gear, from hats to boots, from head to toe; \$2 catalog; Box 33, Riner, VA 24149. (14)

Free massage! BM, 31, touring U.S.-Canada. You: 25 or under. Louis, (815) 979-4282. (13)

HOT HAIRY MEN on video. Several titles available. "Tools for the Trade" stars a hot Detroit stud, furry front and back (solo w/dildo). All titles approximately one hour. \$45.00 including postage. Check payable to Scott Wilson. Bearlair, 1706-08 West 31 Place, Cleveland, OH 44113-2924. (12)

T-R-A-S-H Mag. 12 years of giving the kinky public what turns them on in stories, pictures and information not found elsewhere. No fancy adjectives, elegant verbs. Just one-handed reading. Sample \$3. NO CHECKS. D&W Enterprises, PO Box 292, East Rutherford, NJ 07073.

MALE NUDE WRESTLING VIDEOS, XXX, J/O, Muscle-flexing. 52-page catalogue. 186 photos. \$5.00. Old Reliable, 1626 N. Wilcox, #107, Hollywood, CA 90028. (17)

MILITARY AND POLICE CLUB. Third year. Very discreet. Experience required. Founded and run by former Marine. Now accepting firemen, corrections and licensed security officers. INPO: \$2.00 (credited) and SASE to MPC-12, PO Box 1125, Muskogee, OK 74402. (13)

PERSONALS

Personals are 25¢ per word or FREE for BEAR BUDDIES (\$60).

ALABAMA

Clean, healthy, single, 50-year-old WM. 5'10", 195 lbs. Hot brown hairy body. Looking for correspondence leading to meetings with discreet masculine bears. All welcome. Prefer horny, uncut marrieds and bi's. Mature or cubs needing TLC. Talented hot mouth and tongue. Write Pooh Bear, 823 Lockwood, Anniston, AL 36601. Q22

GWM, 34, 6'1", 190, handsome, muscular, athletic, masculine, healthy, intelligent. Black hairy arms, chest, belly, pits. Seeks attractive, lean to muscular hairy guys for meetings, phone, relationship. Travels frequently and into sports, reading, politics, entertainment, exchanging photos. Versatile and uninhibited. Into Gr. Fr. sweat, verbal, pits, tits, ass. Thom, 3018 Bryant Rd., Mobile, AL 36685. (12)

ARIZONA

Sun Bear with tan, blond, hairy body would like to start photo exchange. I will trade photo for photo with you. I love to see teddy bears in boxers, BVD's and naked! Send letters and photo to: Mr. Tarr, PO Box 37665, Phoenix, AZ 85049. (19)

Bear cub (smooth, 6', 170 lbs.) looking for that extremely furry bear! The more hair, the better. This cub likes to cuddle, and whatever happens after that is a plus. Give me a call, and we'll talk about the first thing that comes up! Art, (602) 266-6869. Q22

CALIFORNIA

This Sonoma County grizzly is really a honey bear at heart. Masculine, attractive, 6'2", 195 lbs., 42, hairy, hung, bearded, good natural build. Down-to-earth

personality. Varied interests. Enjoy city as well as country. Seek other masculine, attractive men who can appreciate sensual touching, cuddling, kissing, etc., as well as the more intense forms of safe sexual expression. If you'd like to be pawed all over and given big bear hugs, come hibernate with me in my warm lair this winter. Bears and non-bears welcome to reply. Photo appreciated. Write to COA Box #38 (12)

Cuddly teddy bear looking for intelligent, fun, vibrant bear, 25-35. I'm a WM professional, 29, 5'8" 190 lbs. with dark hair, moustache, dark skin, hazel eyes and hairy body. I like camping, cooking, science fiction, music, the beach, unusual experiences, and have an offbeat sense of humor. Nonsmoker, light drinker, HIV-, not into kink, rough. You are hairy, have beard or moustache, stocky, nonsmoker, but exceptions OK for cute man with good personality. You are versatile and like to cuddle, especially the morning after. I live in Mountain View; looking for men from South Bay to SF. Send recent photo phone and best time to call to COA Box #65. (13)

Goodlooking professional, 32, 5'10", 170 lbs., seeks heavy-set, handlebar moustached or bearded bears, ages 35-50, to photograph and maybe much more. John, PO Box 75340, Sanford Station, 3751 6th Street, Los Angeles, CA 90005. (13)

Massive, furry-bodied men! Let's go barefoot and bear-chested! Let's dine in the sun and get brown and sweaty, share good food, good love and maybe a nice bear-loving lady. Where's my twin brother bear? Big, shy, bisexual, 350 lbs., hairy, bearded writer, 37, is waiting for your photo. Peach, 1813 N. Mainman Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90026. Q11

Hairy, moustache, balding, green eyes, 5'11", 165 lbs., HIV-, 50 y.o. desires trim, healthy bottom with hairy buns and chest, any race or age. Skip F., PO Box 77177, Los Angeles, CA 90027. (213) 660-6670. (14)

WM, 62", 240, bearded, hairy chest, back, low-hanging balls seeks other big, bearded hairy bears for relationship. Dig boots, leather, jocks, etc. Lots of erotic fantasy play. Write Russell, 4391 Sunset Blvd. #313, Los Angeles, CA 90029.

Exotic panda bear seeking grizzly bear to establish lasting, loving relationship! Prefer WM, 30's-40's. Enjoy working out, hiking, movies, concerts and sweaty, clean sex. I'm 35, 5'7", 140 lbs., black hair, moustache, hairy arms and legs. James, 3016 Waverly Dr. #109, Los Angeles, CA 90039. (12)

Bear cub, 38, 5'11", 210 lbs., husky, firm, moderately hairy, moustache, brown hair, needs to meet daddy bears or tops. Hair, boots, Levis and leather are important along with love, cuddling, etc. Looking for a frequent friend, maybe leading to a permanent relationship. HIV- and not into drugs. Write Jay, PO Box 67ED6, Los Angeles, CA 90067. Q22

Wanting to meet a gentle, masculine, hairy romantic, preferably with facial hair and a fit body. This hairy guy (5'11", 165 lbs., 35 years old, bearded, long-haired and healthy HIV+) would jump at the chance to exchange massages and intimate encounters with you. Let's discover each other's physical bodies as well as our spiritual bodies. There is a great deal of warmth, romance, adventure and erotica to be shared between us. Don't wait if this ad speaks to you. Send photo if possible. Christopher, PO Box 69091, Los Angeles, CA 90069. (13)

BIG GWM, 29, 320 lbs., very hairy, seeks special guy for romance, friendship, and loving sex. Box 93813.

VIRGINIA

I'm 51, 6'1", 185 lbs. A silver fox who's mostly hairless, but have a horny, hot, hung uncut 9" horse cock with mushroom head and cum-loaded for cock-sucking, ass-licking piss-drinkers. Married to unaware non-swinging cunt and am available at various times. I don't travel and not interested in JO calls—only those in the area or traveling here. SASE to Randy, PO Box 7651, Richmond, VA 23231, or leave message on remote recorder, (804) 257-9599. (12)



WASHINGTON

Hi. I'm Mark, 31 years old, 5'10", 220 lbs., brown hair and eyes, a little furry. Am looking to meet men who are 6' or taller, who are built like lumberjacks or football players. Also, I do not drink, smoke or take drugs. Am looking for men who are honest and real. Friendship first. Possible relationship. You can write to Mark Urick, 505-1/2 Eighth St., Bremerton, WA 98310. (14)



IOWA

Looking for a bear to love. Hairy, masculine blond bear, 32, 6', hunk o' burnin' luv! My thang: soul music, '50s collectibles, candlelight massage, hours of passion, wicked sense of humor. Your thang: kind, affectionate, non-smoker and real. Photo and letter to Dave, 1900 44th St., Des Moines, IA 50310. (13)



MISSOURI

Very nice GWM, 40, 165 lbs., brown hair, blue eyes. Very smooth, fair-skinned. A great 9" uncut cock, am Fr A/P and Gr A. A sexy, loving man who is attracted to 45+ year-old, stocky, hairy men. Looking for one-to-one, but can entertain visitors. Have places in Kansas City and Ft. Lauderdale, FL. Please write and send photo. I'll do the same. Write COA Box #81. (22)



OREGON

Oregon biker bear (43, 5'7", 170 lbs.) wants places to stay and good folks to meet on cross-country trek in late June and early July. Got no plans, but thinking about a northern route. I'll buy the beer and burgers. Drop me a card; I'll give you a call. Edgard, 870 Cheshire Ave., Eugene, OR 97402. (12)

named "John Henry" that goes with me everywhere. I seek a down-to-earth man, healthy, 20-50, capable of hot, heavy, sweaty, rough, safe encounters. I'm called Kodiak not because of my size but because of my "behavior" when in "season." Located in the Bay Area, I prefer the country. My address is 315-1/2 Castro St., San Francisco, CA 94107. (415) 621-3467. Must have sense of self worth and enjoy the outdoors - all friendly inquiries responded. (13)

Mike Atkins: 36, 5'9", 180 lbs., hairy, beard/stache, ringed nipples, tattoos. Phone (415) 673-0359. Likes: husky, hairy men, sweaty bears, bearsmeats. Fuck-AP, suck-AP, WS-AP. Ass-eating, titwork-AP, pits, cigars and dips, beer, poppers, dirty 501's, and workshirts. Some leather. Letter/tape/photo to 734 Larkin St. #209, San Francisco, CA 94109-7154. (22)

GWM seeks same. 34, bearded, hairy, 6', 215 lbs., blond. Likes include baseball, leather/levis, sex, dancing, 3-ways, the arts, porn, camping. Send photo to M., 1474 Sacramento St. #403, San Francisco, CA 94109. (18)

Hot, hairy daddy bear. GWM, 38, 6', bl/bl, beard. Top bear all the way. Into leather, cock and tit play, fun sex with mutual consent. I'll worship your asshole if you'll worship my hairy chest. Your photo gets mine. Box 14054, San Francisco, CA 94114. (22)

Bear cub, 30 years old, 5'6", br/br. Would like to meet other bears for fun and frolic or friendship. Reply V. Bear, 1328 Castro St., San Francisco, CA 94114 or call (415) 282-5602. (15)

GWM, 50, very playful, sexual and affectionate. Attractive, ethical, interested in many forms of eroticism and many of life's riches. Looking for responsible, honest, loving playmate - possibility of long-term monogamous, but not dull, relationship. Independent, HIV-, insistent on safety with ecstatic pleasure. Strong interests in ecology and new forms of community and spirituality. 14 years in AA. All responses answered. Mike, 164 Clipper St., San Francisco, CA 94114, or (415) 821-4872. Please leave message on machine. Thank you. (21)

GWM, 29, 190 lbs., 6'2", wishes to correspond with all other very hairy and bearded men. Pluses are: other bodybuilders to swap workout tips with, tattoos and swapping photos. I am uncut, 7-1/2" and very hairy. F.M., 240 Cumberland St. #299, San Francisco, CA 94114. (12)

I'm a bearded, husky, somewhat hairy, goodlooking, 38-year-old, clean and sober, non-smoking BWA (Bear With AIDS), 5'9", versatile and a born cuddler. I'm looking for a domestic, husky bear who is at least HIV+, any race. Mike Drennon, PO Box 14704, San Francisco, CA 94114. (15)

GWM, 39, 6'1", 185 lbs., silver fox, blk moustache and body hair. You: stocky, hairy and well endowed. Heavy tit action. FrAP, Write Boxholder, 2215-R Market St. #511, San Francisco, CA 94114. (14)

Bear Facts. Furry gay white bear (GWB), reddish-brown beard, blue-eyed and husky (5'11", 195 lbs.). Fond of other hairy creatures of the wild who are at home foraging in the country, desert, or city. Territories are Tomki, Trinidad, Sargre de Cristo's, and San Juan's. Somewhat nomadic, I favor rural settings and maintain mature/strong friendships with all persuasions. Heart and spirit/creativity and curiosity are priorities. Relationship possible but not primary. Friendly, kind and caring. Reply 584 Castro St., Box 46, SF, CA 94114. On the road a lot - replies not immediate. Messages taken: (415) 821-7570. (15)

Romantic cub. GWM, 34, 6'9", stocky 265 lbs., safe but inexperienced. Seeking a gentle Papa Bear for a lifetime of teaching this cub real Bear sex. Over 6' and 40+. No substance abusers. Michael Toth, 821 14th St., San Francisco, CA 94114. (22)

Wanted: Bear cub. Bay Area only. YOU: 5' to 6' tall, Caucasian, 28-35 years old, trim face hair, short haircut, chunky/muscular build, experienced in S&M (R&D, TT, CBT, WS, FF, FrAP, GrAP, etc.). Safer sex, mostly bottom, sexually bottom, sexually explorative, relationship oriented, nonsmoker. Into leather, Levis, boots, gloves, latex. Physically stable, very broad social/intellectual interests. ME: daddy bear, 5'6" tall, 45 years old, 235 lbs. 20 years S&M experience, mostly top, with all the other attributes and interests listed above. Be part of an adventure! Send letters with current photo and you'll get mine. 544 Church St. #204, San Francisco, CA 94114. (22)

Friendly, outgoing, mostly top bear, 6'1", 275, young-looking 42, brn/brn moustache, sometimes beard, somewhat hairy. Looking for other bears for good times and maybe one to settle down with. Open to all types, but Latina, longhairs, beards, redheads, short men or cigars are all turn-ons. Letter and picture to Richard, 2215R Market St. #472, San Francisco, CA 94114. (22)

WM, 34, 5'7", 150 lbs., would like to meet blue-collar workers, truck drivers for fun time and/or boyfriend/lover. Men with motorcycles a special turn-on. I'm FrAP, GrAP. Into rodeos, country/western. Write Les, 584 Castro St. #516, San Francisco, CA 94114. (13)

Daddy bear, 49, seeks cub, 20-35, smooth OK. I am masculine, hairy, 6', 200 lbs., beard, moustache, graying, balding, HIV-, nonsmoker. I will discipline you if needed (optional), but I can also be affectionate, gentle, and a cuddler. 3145 Geary Blvd. Suite 354, San Francisco, CA 94118. (13)

5'11", 36, 140 lbs., brown hair, brown eyes, moustache, light skinned. Looking for big, heavy-set bluer daddy for serious relationship, 200-275 lbs. Can be your obedient Black cub. Into leather, levis, boots, SM, FF, BD, TT, beer, grass. Sir, please write Ricky, 236 West Portal Ave., Suite 320, San Francisco, CA 94127. (12)

Hey West Coast bears! 6'1", 215 lbs., 45-year-old enema bear will clean out your butt with warm soapy water from my sturdy, red rubber enema bag. Yeah...stand there with 2-3 quarts slosh'n in yo belly and I'll rub it slow 'n' easy. Hoser, PO Box 421791, San Francisco, CA 94142-1791. (14)

Former farmboy now living in the big city. HIV-healthy GWM, 37, 5'10", 165, short brown hair, blue eyes, moustache, smooth body, clean-cut type of guy, bottom, seeks healthy, hairy-chested dominant masculine GrA top man. Must be down-to-earth. The more hair, the better. Relationship possible. J.R., PO Box 421396, San Francisco, CA 94142. (13)

Looking for safe, hot, intense, slow sex with the SF Bay Area's finest men. You enjoy lots of sensual play and all-night cuddling, have facial hair, don't smoke. I'm 6'2", 12-14-40, brown curly hair, blue-gray eyes, boyish clean-shaven face, light to moderate body hair. Leather, light kink welcome, not required. Alan, 2228 S. El Camino Real #315, San Mateo, CA 94403-1853. (15)

GW couple - Bear: 45, 6'4", 210 lbs., very hairy with 10" thick, cat meat. Cub: 34, 5'10", 200 lbs., moderately hairy. Seek macho, hairy, real men 180+ lbs. for

safe sex. Age, looks unimportant. Truckers, construction workers, beards, big balls, sweaty bodies a plus. C/C, PO Box 816, Antioch, CA 94509. (415) 779-1224. (16)

GWM seeks same. 40, 6'1", 220 lbs., br/br, moustache, little chest fur, HIV-, non-drinker. Prefer masculine, HIV- top bears over 35, over 200 lbs. Into SEVERE TT, CBT, face-sitters, drinkers/tokers or non-drinkers/tokers. Write: Bill West, PO Box 623, Concord, CA 94522 or call (415) 798-1188. (20)

Furry cub looking for big, bearded and furry daddy bears. I'm 30 years old, bearded, light brown hair, blue eyes, 160 lbs., nonsmoker, drug- and alcohol-free, but still fun to play with. I'm looking for big, bearded, furry daddy bears, 200-325 lbs., over 32 years old to play with. Please include a photo if possible. D. Baer, PO Box 8369, Fremont, CA 94537. (14)

GWM, 60, chunky, attractive bear. Uncut, FrAP, GrP, seeks handsome, furry live-in lover: Hispanic, Black, Arabic, Afghan, employed, car. No drugs, smoke. Jim L., 4704 Valencia Way, Union City, CA 94587. (15)

WM, 29, br/hzl, semi-hairy, 5'3", average build, looking for a Teddy to cuddle and love. Uncut a plus. Interests: motorcycles, books, movies and good times. Please write John, PO Box 7072, Vallejo, CA 94590. (22)

Handsome, hairy, HIV-, WM, 36, 5'9", 155 lbs., br/br, clean-cut, affectionate, intelligent, professional, relatively discreet, seeks an attractive, hairy, HIV-WM, medium to stocky build who is versatile or bottom. For cuddling, conversing and creating a loving, monogamous relationship. Letter/photo to Boxholder, PO Box 20896, Oakland, CA 94620. (14)

Over 50...unrealistic expectations? I hope not. Caring, hairy-chested, husky, balding, unattached genuine teddy bear in early 50's. Seeks educated, cultured, ethical, healthy counterpart for all the usual fun stuff, romance and friendship based and mutual trust. PO Box 20763, Oakland, CA 94620-0763. (12)

Masculine, bearded, hung, moderately hairy WM, 43, seeks hairy bears for TLC. Phone, photo to Box 722, Campbell, CA 95089. (13)

Any other vegetarian bears out there? Handsome, bearded, 39's, Italian, SF cultured, now live in the country. Clean and sober a plus! Send photo to Tony, PO Box 7971, Santa Cruz, CA 95061. (13)

Hairy, masculine man seeks hot men for kinky fun. My deep throat will satisfy your big cock. Also like bondage: you'll be immobilized, man-handled, tickled silly. All fantasies considered. I'm 30, 6', 200 lbs., hairy everywhere. Prefer well-built, masculine men with imagination. PO Box 7842, San Jose, CA 95150. (13)

Country bear wanted in the redwoods and vineyards. I'm not a bear, but have long hair, droopy moustache and perhaps a fair beard. Funky farmer seeks full-bearded bears. Am 42, 6', 185, HIV-. Best BJ and/or massage between Marin and Oregon for blue-collar bears. Some kinky stuff too. No phone J/O. In SF only twice a year. 90 miles north of SF. Steve. (707) 894-4623 or PO Box 778, Cloverdale, CA 95425. (12)

No. Bay, Napa Valley, Lake or Mendocino County. Tattooed, bearded, beer gut, trucker type with hairy butthole seeks to meet the same. If you could dig a wet, warm, willing tongue for occasional long sessions with no strings, contact RWH, PO Box 728, Cobb Mountain, CA 95426. (13)

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Sonoma County cub, 31, wants top daddy bear, 25-45, for friendship and hot times. I'm into bl's, bikers, facial and body hair, trucks, boots, bellies, etc. I'm HIV+, 175 lbs., 5'11", clean-shaven, cute, hairy, husky and passive. Couples welcomed. Write with photo if possible to Mark, Box 1394, Guerneville, CA 95446. (10)

Hot man, masculine, bearded, smooth teddy. 42, 5'11", 185 lbs., very little body hair, with brown hair and blue eyes. Looking for sincere bears who are interested in starting a relationship. I'm versatile and like hairy, masculine, bearded men who are turned on to other hot, masculine bears. I have a good job and am not into drugs or SM, but like pits, sweat, and eating dicks and assholes. I'm HIV- twice and I want to start a bear cave with a compatible, responsible hairy bear who doesn't smoke. I'm a light drinker/toker. Have a motorcycle and love 4x4's. Really into outdoors. Write Bear, PO Box 2153, Guerneville, CA 95446. (12)

Biker. Long-haired, bearded, into mud, piss, grease, oil, boots, Levis and J/O. Wants to meet same. Videos available. Write Duke, Box 277, Rio Nido, CA 95471. (14)

I'm an urbane English professor, 6', 230 lbs., 47 years old. I'm hoping some like McCain or other will try to hunt me down in my native northwestern California redwoods, apprehend my symbolism, and penetrate my metaphysical significance. Write Jack, 2613 Terrace Ave., Arcata, CA 95521. (20)

GWM, 37, 5'10", 180 lbs., dark hair, beard, not very hairy. I'm a photographer, poet, artist, cook who likes music and being outdoors. Looking for a husky, hairy, bearded bear who knows how to be sensual as well as sexual. Joe, PO Box 307, Fields Landing, CA 95537. (22)

Friendly, easygoing, redhead (33, 5'9", 165) digs bears dirty, wet, muddy, greasy, leathery and cuddly. Loves of Milwaukee and Limey Iron especially appreciated. Let's do it on the garage floor. Tim, PO Box 46, Fort Dick, CA 95538. (Yes, really.) (13)

Attractive, 26, 5'11", 150 lbs., reddish blond full beard, deep voice. Motorcyclist: '88 Honda Shadow 800. Musician: Baroque recorder, sitar, others. Carpenter for employment and enjoyment. Yoga student/instructor. Very masculine. Poet. Like tall guys, but similar interests, compatibility and handsome, bearded face important. Come on Bear, I know you're out there. Sah, 853 Walker Ave., Oakland, CA 95610. (415) 451-8280. (14)

Fuzzy bear, 37, 5'7", 200 lbs., bearded. Wants bear for life. Into hibernating in winter and camping in summer. I like it ruff and tumble at night and slow in the morning when we're half asleep. Write Ward, PO Box 2532, Rancho Cordova, CA 95741. (12)

Daddy bear, GWM, 45, 6'1", 220 lbs., brown hair, green eyes, masculine, seeks muscular, masculine cub for training and discipline. Cub must be willing to serve grizzly bear dad. Reply with photo/phone to PO Box 22412, Sacramento, CA 95822. (22)

WM couple: 44, 6'5", 390 lbs., bearded and 32, 6', 220 lbs., bearded, smooth-skinned seeks singles/couples for weekend fun at our country home or 7-11. (209) 527-7931. Larry or Jim. (15)

GWM, 29, 6', 185, blond, brown, clean-shaven. Lightly hairy. Hunting for a fun-loving, full-bearded bear. The thicker your pelt fur, the better. Love CW dancing, skiing, mountain cabins in winter, cuddling by

the fire. Also turned on by men who wear furs - mink, beaver, fox. Call Greg at (213) 850-1979. (12)

GWM, 41, beard, hairy, balding, 5'8", 160, loves tall and big guys. I flip over those hairy Armenian, Turks and Persians, also chunky Greeks and Italians. Get me turned on and I become a wild animal. Evenings and weekends. (213) 662-2367. (20)

Hot-looking blond cub, 37, 5'7", 160#, clean-shaven, hairy body, seeks big, very hairy, very raunchy daddy bear. Love to get real kinky and piggy: rimming, dirty humhole sex, fucking, tit action and cuddling. Can give and take a lot of affection. Where is my daddy bear? (213) 650-1193. (21)

This short, full-bearded, stocky munchkin is 5'1", 180 lbs., 48 years old with fat, uncut dick. Likes get-togethers with other bearded, heavy, hairy construction workers, bikers, leather dudes and blue-collar types. Smoke, aroma, toys. I am handicapped (use a cane when walking). Always hot and horny. Bill (213) 656-9750. (14)

Geoffrey from BEAR #3 is hungry for hot, hairy men. (415) 753-8430.

Looking for a boyfriend or lover? I like goodlooking, masculine, bearded men, preferably no hair on back or butt. I am a 50-year-old WM, presently un-bearded, HIV-. Have been referred to as "hot-looking," "sexy" and "attractive" by other sexy men. Call (415) 821-3255. (15)

John from BEAR #10 (aka Michael), 5'8", 155 lbs., versatile. Looking for fuck buddies for fun and friendship. One-on-one? 3-ways? Orgies? Safe! Fantasies include sucking on a big one while my ass is pumped by another, or other variations. (415) 656-7627. (22)

GRANDPA AVAILABLE! GrP exclusively bottom Silver Bear offers his 57-year-old, soft, white body for hung Smokey Bear's pleasure. I will submit to mind control and safe S&M sex anytime/anywhere in Bay Area. Please call (415) 443-3083 days. (13)

Pitcher bear wanted for catcher bear. Call Jason at (415) 398-9339 24 hrs. (19)

Moustaches and piss really turn me on. You too? I'm 33, 5'9", 150 lbs., with a very bushy, copper-colored moustache and short beard, short blond hair on my head and moderate blond hair on my body. I'm an active, outdoors type interested in science and nature, camping and hiking, and outdoor sex. I don't do drugs, smoke or drink alcohol. I'm very affectionate and interested in a relationship with a man who's cuddly and affectionate yet enjoys sweaty, intense man-to-man sex. Let's rub our moustaches and beards together, lick each other's hairy balls and sweaty armpits, jack our dicks off together, and piss all over each other. If you're 28-45 years old, have a moustache, don't smoke and love raunchy sex, please give me a call. Phil (619) 284-4259. San Diego. (15)

San Diego Mediterranean Bear. 40, 5'11", 225 lbs. Hung thick. Burly bear covered everywhere with thick, dark curly hair. Hairiest back and ass around. Handsome, bearded, balding. Seeking dudes who are hung very big or well built. No J/O or late night calls. (619) 692-1970. (17)

Goodlooking, B, WM, 37, 5'10", 165 lbs. br/bl, moderate to heavy bod hair, HIV-. Interested in meeting masculine guy who, like myself, has not had numerous partners. I may lack experience but my imagination and potential are unlimited. Time to start fulfilling some fantasies! You gonna? (Ask me about my

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goofy hands and feet. Matt, Santa Ana, CA. (714) 832-5040. If I'm out, OK to leave any message. (22)

I'm a GWM, 38, 190 lbs., 5'11", hairless cub seeking a tall daddy bear who is hairy, bearded, hung and knows what he wants. I'm a country-raised boy who is self-employed and lives in the city. I love BEAR Magazine and the men who are in it. I'm a great cook, cuddler and kisser, among other things. Bob, (518) 957-0242. (19)

Man with completely bald or shaved head sought by moustached, disease-free, blue-eyed blond, 36, 5'9", 170 lbs., Prince Albert. Many sexual and other interests. Requirements are safety, cleanliness, discretion and honesty. Call any time, leaving contact instructions and any message you wish on machine if I'm not in. (818) 368-3062. (22)

Hot, masculine, "Redwood" bear, good-looking, 6'3", 210 lbs., 6-1/2" cut, 44 years old, cover BEAR 9. I'm interested in a man who is hairy, bearded, loves to laugh, likes the outdoors, camping, gourmet food and good company. He appreciates art, collecting and writing. He also enjoys safe, moderate leather sex. No smoke or drink. I enjoy a man with a cigar and a Harley. I own a classic black '59 T-Bird, "Del-la", that loves to travel the Pacific Northwest. All letters get a reply. Write John Perry, 955 Ashbury St. #24, San Francisco, CA 94117. (16)

COLORADO

Furry GWM, 27, 175 lbs., 6', looking for Papa Bear to 45. Eclectic in most things: music (Purcell to the Pretenders), film (John Ford to John Waters), photography (Adams to Arbus). Wants a big, hairy, sweaty, loving pa who takes what he gives: basics, plus ti-work, WS, FF, leather, boots, 'gars. Travels. Write, with photo, to COA Box #44. (13)

Rocky Mountain Bear wants to correspond with other furry critters. Let's trade trapping stories and photos. Bear our meat via male mail. 7-1/2" of wild meat awaits you. Fred Berger, Cont. Sta. 6, Box 63, 1525 Sherman, Denver, CO 80203. (26)

FREE MESSAGE: Handsome, bearded Denverite in 30s likes to massage bearded, burly furbears in reasonable shape. LBP, Box 33993, Northglenn, CO 80233. (13)

CONNECTICUT

GWM, 49, 5'9", 180 lbs., personable, professional, gray 'stache, green, seeks athletic, husky, gentle (teddy) bear for friendship, etc. Prefer nonsmoker. FRAP, also J/O. Frank letter/photo appreciated. Andy, PO Box 147, Stearns, CT 06268. (22)

Black, 26, 6'1", 220 lbs., bearded, cigar-smoker, who likes strong, natural BO coming from armpits, but-cracks, crotch and feet. I also love pissing and farting in the wind and lots of bear-sized hugs and kisses. I'm looking for like-minded gray-bearded, heavy-set papa bear or older brother who enjoys same, plus expanding a bear cub's limits. Photo appreciated and exchanged. Write: Peter F. Murray, 92 Livingston St., New Haven, CT 06511. (15)

Bearded, furry Scorpio, 27, 5'10", 135, dark eyes, hair and disposition. Wants papa bear to find his limits. Broad shouldered man-cub with pierced nips wants discipline, gentle guidance and sometimes a good, swift kick in the ass from a bearded, hot man. Be macho, not idiotic; intense, not psychotic; educated, not neurotic. Age not important, spirit and energy are. You've been looking for me. Big bikes make my motor run. Write Glenn, 246 Gregory St., Bridgeport, CT

06604. (27)

Wolcott/Bristol - Mid-40's WM looking for big, tattooed and pierced biker bear for mutual service in long, hot sessions. Write: PO Box 9309, Waterbury, CT 06724. (12)

Attractive, mid-40's WM, smooth and sexy bear-lover. Interested in meeting bears for fur-flying good times and moments of intense hibernation! Your den or mine. Write Ian, PO Box 851, Danbury, CT 06813, or call (203) 794-0868. (13)

You: GWM, 30-45, goodlooking, masculine, romantic, wants relationship/lover, brown dark hair, hairy thick 'stache, heavy beard, into going unshaved and growing beards, safe sex. Me: GWM, 31, 6', 160, hazel eyes, brown hair, goodlooking. CT man a plus. Photo. Rick G., Box 194, 1771 Post Rd. East, Westport, CT 06880. (22)

DELAWARE

Two bearded GWM's, 32/29, want to meet other burly men for hot, safe sex. Like hairy, bearded men, all races. Versatile Gr & Fr. Wilmington area. Write to COA Box #49. (15)

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To the point hairy, hot, hosed hole needs attention from versatile Dad-type Bear-man. I'm goodlooking, GWM, 32, 160 lbs., 5'11", bearded, hairy, who wants fun/hot times with mature MEN. No relationship sought. No pain/digars/disease/FF/SM/. HIV+ OK. Nude pic and phone gets mine. Let's get naked and play. B.B., 1930 Columbia Rd. NW, Washington, DC 20009. (21)

Cuddly teddy bear, 34, 5'9", 188#, very furry front and back, head to toe. 100% healthy, masculine, discreet, versatile. Loves to romp and play with other cuddly bears, the furrer, the better. Enjoy everything that two horny bears can do together! Reply to: TBP, PO Box 40789, Washington DC 20016. (21)

WM, 36, 5'11", 165 lbs., brown/blue, nice guy, good build, good shape, good guy, good-natured, furry, big dick. Like WM's 20's-40's in good shape, hairy/smooth. Likes to lick, suck, nibble, nuzzle armpits, tits, bellies, dickhair, dicks, balls (oh yeah!), ass, thighs. Men who like a hot, muscular tongue and great hands, safe sex, cuddlin' and who can give back same. Turn-ons: clean, big, manly men; big balls, beards, redheads, blonds (brown and black hair too), computers, oceans, food, CW dancing, going new places, more. Turn-offs: excess fat, Quaky's real nice, though, pain, fucking, heavy booze, drugs. Write KMac, PO Box 66582, Washington, DC 20035. (14)

I need to hear from excessively hairy men who will tell all about their body hair and their attitude about it. I need details! Call (202) 737-0788. Late calls OK. There's nothing I'd rather discuss. And see. And feel. And... (15)

FLORIDA

33-year-old GWM (Bear), athletic, seeks other bears into men and safe sex. COA Box #77. (13)

Looking for daddy bear to restrain me and to show me what hibernating is all about! Daddy bear: furry, bearded, big box and horny. Boy: 29 years old, professional, stable, travel frequently. Serious only. Write: Scott, 3517 Rainforest Dr. W, Jacksonville, FL 32256. (12)

Attractive GWM, smooth chest, hairy legs & ass, 29, 5'9", 145 lbs., masculine, hung, seeks beer-drinking

good ol' boys for safe sex & WS. Reply: E. Roberts, 341 N. Shine Ave., Orlando, FL 32803. (13)

Two cuddly bears in Orlando: 39, 5'11", uncut, moustache, hairy; and 53, 5'11-1/2", uncut, bearded. Seek others with hairy bodies for cuddling, massage, safe encounters, phone J/O. Photo exchange, pen pals, visits. George and Lee, PO Box 533154, Orlando, FL 32853. (19)

Two GWM, both trim, 47, bear-lovers. He's 5, 130 lbs., 8" lavish uncut, brown eyes, brown-gray hair/stache, light chest hair. I'm 5'9", 140 lbs., 6" cut, brown eyes, balding, brown-gray hair/stache/trimmed beard, moderate bod hair. HIV-. Enjoy porn, jocks, Levis, 34 ways, nude photo swaps. Bright, likeable, horny guys seek same for friends in the sack and out. Bruce Zabov, 904-B James St., Key West, FL 33040. (19)

R U hung, hairy, heavy, cute? Italian cub, 31, seeks big hairy bear for mating and more. Will relocate. R.J., 786 NW 45th St., Pompano, FL 33064. (13)

GWM, 30, 6'3", 200 lbs., handsome, blue eyes, average build, hairy legs, moustache, top. Versatile with REAL MAN. Looking for big bears to hibernate with. Grizzly Adams, down-to-earth type with big ass and belly who only hunts what he eats. Let's find our cave and eat each other alive! D.C., PO Box 23771, Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33307. (19)

Coastal WM Bear looking to meet other masculine, goodlooking, muscular WM big bears. Am 35, 6'1", 218 lbs., 32" waist, br/br beard, hairy & fit. Would like to hear from others like me who enjoy sweaty workouts, passion, & big bear massages. Should be straight-looking, strong & masculine. Your photo gets mine. S.L., Box 6144, West Palm Beach, FL 33405. (13)

Boca Raton-48-year-old male, 6', 198 lbs., blond hair, blond beard and blond body hair. Husky, looks a little like Kenny Rogers. Loves jeans and boots. Looking for people who are sensitive and caring. A little chunky OK. Age does not matter. Send letter and photo to: JEH, Box 681, Boca Raton, FL 33429. (15)

New in Tampa! Furry redhead, 45, attractive, 5'10", level-headed, intelligent, professional, hot bottom, experienced friend and lover, into music, exercise, performing arts, good talk and hot times. Seeks sexy, intelligent bear with good heart and clean mind for fun and friendship, possible relationship. Any size, couples OK. R.F., PO Box 280445, Tampa, FL 33682. (20)

Venice Bear, GWM, 38. Looking for bearded or furry-bottomed, hungry meat-eaters, FRAP. If you drool on the meat you eat, send a letter describing your appetite and a photo of your meat to Peter Carne, PO Box 504, Venice, FL 34284. All inquiries or stories welcome. (21)

Two GWM's, 49 and 59, affectionate but masculine, looking for very hairy males, 28-55, for weekend get-togethers. Prefer oral safe sex: enjoy kissing, massage, cuddling. No pain or anything kinky. No drugs. Please send photo with first letter. Write Michael, 960 Noyola East, Venice, FL 34292. (13)

Daddy bear hunts mancub. Pa: GWM, 41, 6'1", 225, husky, bearded, hairy-chested, oral, passionate, intelligent, creative, sensitive. Loving Pa takes what he gives, basics, plus TLC to kinky. Cub: 25-35, compact or slim with little or no body hair. Bearded bear fans call (805) 523-5014. (16)

GEORGIA

30-year-old male, 6'1", 210 lbs., brown hair, blue eyes, large chest, some hair, HIV-, wants to meet hairy, bearded men for safe sex. Love to work on nipples, run my hands over your hairy body. Prefer men 35-54, 6' and over 195 lbs., but not a must. Photo/letter to Bill P., Box 404, Stone Mountain, GA 30083. (13)

GWM, 29, 6'1", 200 lbs., brown/hazel, moustache, hairy chest, stomach, legs, very handsome. I'm into sweat, balls, J/O. Tired of small talk and small sex. You are an attractive, brunette GWM, 25-40, hairy, moustached with a good build—a real bear who is sensual, intellectual, single and has his life together. Italians, Greeks and Latins are a plus (Soy bilingue y me encantan latinos peludos) but not required. Your photo gets mine. I don't think you'll be disappointed. Michael, PO Box 54457, Atlanta, GA 30308. (14)

GWM, 34, 5'11", 175 lbs., brown hair, blue eyes, moderately hairy, bearded, seeks hairy men for hot mainly safe sex and fun. Turn-ons: dildos, uncult dildos, sexually versatile men. Interests: camping, fishing, theater, quiet romantic evenings. Have some or all of these attributes or interests. Write with photo to JH, 1579-F Monroe Dr. NE, Suite 816, Atlanta, GA 30324. (14)

Late maturing bear-lover looking for bear to cuddle and kiss. Love to explore those hairy bodies. Show me what it's all about. I'm 45, 280 lbs. Like Bach, Mozart, Bartok, travel, computers. Have some chest hair. Bald. W.K.A., 1544 Piedmont Ave., Box 142, Atlanta, GA 30324. (22)

GW couple, both 5'8", one: 205 lbs., gray Bear, 59; two: 150 lbs., Bear-lover, 35. Looking for Bears and Bear-lovers into 3-4 ways, exhausting workouts, versatile, safe, exciting. Like bellies, hairy butts, big balls, toys, smoke, many openings and positions to be filled. Photos most welcome, will reciprocate. Bob/John, 3700 Buford Hwy. 43, Atlanta, GA 30329. Evenings, weekends, (404) 636-7788. (22)

HOFLANTA, butch, GWM 37, 5'10", 175 lbs., balding, hairy, trim beard, 7 1/2" cut. Professional 3-piece suit by day, leather by night. Sexually versatile, uninhibited and creative. HIV+, healthy. Looking for hairy, in-shape bears/cubs for hot times. Photo/letter gets mine. Contact Stuart, 2480-4 Briardiff Rd., Suite 198, Atlanta, GA 30329 or call (404) 892-1581 after 7 pm. (22)

18-year-old GWM, 6'2", 170 lbs., dark blond hair, blue eyes, somewhat hairy. Seeks 18+ lover. Very submissive and eager to please you in any way possible. Into anything you like. Write to S.U., Box 1729, Kingland, GA 31548. (12)

Hung, hairy, masculine man with a good natural build, mid-40's, friendly with varied interests and versatile sexually, seeks other masculine, attractive men for sex and good times. If you appreciate cuddling and kissing as well as intense, passionate sucking and fucking, I'd like to hear from you. Jack, Metro Atlanta, (404) 874-7703. (12)

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FUCKIN' AROUND

We've got a pretty serious health crisis goin' on right now. Many of my friends and yours have died. And it's been proven that certain types of sexual activity have played a large role in the transmission of AIDS.

No one knows all the do's and don'ts regarding same sexual activities in these times. However I'm going to lay out my personal feelings regarding fucking around. How valid are they? Who knows. But I am alive, sexually active in San Francisco, and probably do not have antibodies in my system fighting HIV exposure.

1. Lead a healthy life. Get plenty of rest and an adequate amount of exercise. See a doctor regularly for physicals.
2. Keep your teeth in good shape! Floss regularly (but several hours before cock sucking). Make certain that you're free of gum disease.
3. Assume that your sex partner(s) is carrying a life-threatening, sexually contracted disease. And if you're sexually active, assume the possibility exists for yourself. The selection of your sex partner and the activities that you engage in are YOUR choices and YOUR responsibility.
4. Don't be afraid to say no. It's your life, guy. And conversely, don't be afraid to go for it if you've got a clear mind and conscience.
5. Kiss, hug and spit to beat the band.
6. If your gums are in good shape and your partner's dick is in good shape, stick it in your mouth, if this sort of thing appeals to you. I don't recommend taking someone's load in your mouth or in your ass, protected or not.
7. If you're a butt eater, you're probably not going to get a life-threatening disease by doing it if you're immune system is up and running well. However you could come away with hepatitis, amoebas and other nasties. Weigh these possibilities before you make the lunge.
8. Butt fucking should be done with condoms and a water-soluble lube such as KY, spit, or Probe. Trojans have been found to leak like sieves. Just look at all the Trojan babies women have hatched. Try Gold Coin. And cum outside.
9. Number One and Number Two may be in the same category as spit as far as transmission is concerned.
10. Watch your substance use. If you think you're too fucked up to be making decisions, don't fuck around. Remember, there's no Morning After Pill.
11. If you or someone else jabs needles into you, make certain that no blood or only your blood has come in contact with the needle(s) since it was last sterilized.

Masculine, discreet, sensible, Japanese-American man, born in the Year of the Dragon (1952), 140 lbs., 5'10", responsible, clean-cut, HIV-, into touching, stroking, cuddling, caressing. Prefer toned, very hairy male, 35-40's who is neat, honest, understanding, mature manly type. Photo requested. Boxholder, PO Box 29435, Honolulu, HI 96820. (21)

IDAHO

Hot, hairy, very horny bear, 34, 5'5", 150 lbs., stocky, seeks very hairy, horny, bears into sweaty fuck sessions, titwork, etc. Photo appreciated. B. Waller, 203 Sterman Way, Eagle, ID 83616. (13)

ILLINOIS

Semi-hairy health enthusiast, 33, 6', 195 lbs., seeks exhibitionist bears who enjoy being photographed nude by a confirmed amateur. The hairier you are, the better! If for you would follow session. Well hung a plus. Bodybuilder types most welcome. Photo and phone to COA Box #82. (22)

SUBURBAN BEAR. Masculine, bearded, hairy GWM, 35, 5'9", 155 lbs., br/bl. Interests include photography, music, art and explicit bear-talk. Into J/O, FrAP, GrAP, WS, leather and hot bear fun. Tracking all bears to respond. Michael, Box 743, Elk Grove Village, IL 60009-0743. Your hot, bare-all photos getmine!

Chicago-Elmhurst friendly bear, 40, 5'9", 180 lbs., would like to meet other bears. Prefer Chicago and west suburbs, but bears all over the county are welcome. Photo if possible. J.B., Box 444, Elmhurst, IL 60126. (12)

Graying Daddy GWM, 6'1-1/2", 200 lbs., 62 years old, wants an any age 220+ lbs., strong, heavy-set bear-bottom son who also likes to horseplay with me on his hairy or smooth shoulders and back, mutually pump iron, swim, watch videos, safe sex, etc. and I am good in hypnotizing with tit and pec play. John, PO Box 1395, Melrose Park, IL 60160. (13)

WM, cute smoothie, 5'11", 145 lbs., hung/cut, 34, lived in Middle East and Turkey, seeks healthy top or bottom teddy bears for safe sex. Enjoy beards, light TT and perhaps SM if mood is right. Will lick anywhere. Out-of-town straight-acting businessmen welcome. Photo appreciated. PO Box 493, La Grange, IL 60525. (21)

This cub is looking for macho bearded bears. I'm GWM, 5'10", 160, brown beard. Let's have cuddling good times! Write: Hugh, 575 W. Madison #904, Chicago, IL 60606, or call (312) 902-2235 evenings. (19)

Hairy GWM couple; one 33, 5'10", 200 lbs.; one 32, 5'7", 180 lbs.; both bearded and attractive. Would like to meet other stocky singles or couples for friendship and hot sex. We're versatile and like to play. Photo gets prompt reply. Dale and Dan, PO Box 138-177, Chicago, IL 60613. (15)

Bear-lover, 60, smooth, attractive mature professional, 5'8", 160 lbs., 7-1/2" cut and thick. Looking for a husky, seasoned, raunchy bear into cigars and safe sex. FrAP, GrAP, masochism, kissing, body exploration. Write with photo to W. Fleisher, 1512 W. Touhy Ave. #1A, Chicago, IL 60626. Will answer all. (22)

GBM, 6', 225 lbs., cub with insatiable bottom, seeks dominant masculine, hung top for hot sex. This cub takes dick in every hole. Send letter & photo to Lee, PO Box 268050, Chicago, IL 60626. (22)

Hairy and horny bear couple, both 42, into making hot, homemade videos, wishes to swap tapes (and

photos) with other bear couples. We are real and discreet. Tapes only for our personal use. Your hot tape gets ours in return. Grin and bare it! B & M, PO Box 41-1175, Chicago, IL 60641. (22)

Bearded, hairy bear. WM, 32, 5'10", 160 lbs., blue eyes, balding, hung thick, cut 8", hairy chest, legs, ass. Wants to swap nude photos. Turn-on hairy chests, backs, asses, beards, moustaches, full shots. Yours gets mine. No photo, no reply. 606 W. Barry #261, Chicago, IL 60657. (13)

GWM, 38, 5'10", 'stache, smooth, lean, muscular, goodlooking, seeks stocky, tall BEARS and daddies, 45 years old to, for fun get-togethers or exchange homemade videos. Charles R. Coster, 1650 Olive St., Chicago, IL 60640. (20)

GWM, 35, 5'9", 300 lbs., big belly, full beard, long hair, bald on top, moderately hairy front and back, playful. Seeks bears, beards, bellies, 'stache, hairy men for safe action, gentle to rough. Enjoy fur, tit-play, fellow big bears. Photo to PO Box 3992, Rock Island, IL 61204-3992. Can travel. (13)

Small-town bear, 32, 6'1", br/br, gettin' back into drawin', lookin' for bear models. Within spittin' distance of Chicago/St. Louis. Contact: BEAR, PO Box 472, Pekin, IL 61554. (14)

Very furry, GWM, 35, 5'11", 230 lbs., moustache, brn/gm, HIV-, looking for similar bear, 30-50. Enjoy cuddling, kissing, J/O, FrAP, GrAP, no kink. Good conversation, good music, quiet times, sports, fishing. Looking for companionship or relationship with true care-bear. Bill, 310 Mecherle Dr. #4, Bloomington, IL 61701. (22)

GWM 40 y.o. 5'11", 170 lbs., straight-acting hairy bear into cuddling, tit-play, J/O, neotomaker or druggie, seeks similar bear buddy for relationship or friendship. If you are hairy, please write and send photo. Will reply to all letters. Mr. Dean, 1436 Kurt Dr. #102, Bloomington, IL 61701. (13)

Average bear with average needs, average looks and average dick with above-average potential. 28, 6'1", 170 lbs., honest, sincere, mostly masculine, short beard. Enjoy city and country, gardening, cooking, woodworking/furniture refinishing, music, computers, sciences, health, goofing off and no b.s. Sexually versatile, experientive, mostly bottom, pierced nlp. Looking for average bear, masculine, "together," 20's-40's, husky, mostly masculine, similar interests, versatile in bed, long/short, beard/hair okay. Will travel and expect same. Your photo gets mine. Tom, 104 River Oaks, Springfield, IL 62707. (15)

COUNTRY BEAR WANTED. GWM, 36, 5'6" 138#, masculine, stable, moderately hairy legs, chest and butt) seeks straight-appearing GWM, 30-40, to relocate to Chicago for a permanent buddy-lover relationship. Prefer blue eyes, accents, greaser-types, slideburns, goatees. I'm into affection, safe oral sex, mutual J/O and massage. Not into anal sex or kink. Call evenings. Joe, (312) 728-7479. (12)

Full beard, furry chest, light SM, CBT, TT, BD. Looking for bears with similar interests. Expert cocksucker. Love to deep throat for long sessions. Interested in railroads and trolleys. No J/O calls. Basically bottom. 45, 5'7", 155 lbs. Jeff. Downtown Chicago. (312) 851-0009. (21)

Hot, open hole ready for x-hung master. Need top who will promote insatiable hole to other tops. Call Guy, (312) 764-6657. Can travel for groups. Cigar smokers a plus. (12)

Huntin' for grizzly. I'm 31, 6'9", 220, brown/green, thick moustache, medium build, bottom, healthy and fun. I enjoy concerts, fireworks, country walks, cozy nights. Huntin' for a masculine, bodybuilder type with hair that's out of control who is also safe, fun, likes to feel good. Mitch, (708) 357-7575. (13)

INDIANA

Two husky guys. One: 5'9-1/2", 185 lbs., 31, brown hair, beard and moustache. Second: 5'11", 190 lbs., 23, brown hair, moustache. Looking for grizzly bears for mutual satisfaction! Send picture for response. Brutas, 929 East Dr., Indianapolis, IN 46201. (12)

38-year-old bearded bear, 6', 175 lbs., hairy, balding, bodybuilder. Looking for bears or cubs for friendship, pen pals and hot times. PO Box 2052, Vincennes, IN 47591. (13)

Moderately hairy GWM looking for furry bears to play with. I'm 27, 5'11", 170 lbs., with moustache who's interested in corresponding with hot, horny bears. Also into phone J/O and photo exchange. Robert Overton, Box 403, Francesville, IN 47946. (14)

Wanted: businessmen traveling to Indy. Want big dicks and hairy chests. 47 years young Italian, 5'7", thick cock. (317) 297-2119. Call after 10 p.m. J/O calls welcome. (13)

IOWA

5'11", 174 lbs., 38 years old, hairy-chested man. Like to meet men (35-50) for mutual safe fun. Like hairy chests, hairy butts. Frank letter/photo appreciated. Discretion assured. Send to COA Box #72. All visitors welcome. (26)

Smooth Iowa cub seeks Midwestern bear for fun and friendship, maybe more. Reply to D.C., 522 N. Dodge, Iowa City, IA 52245. (13)

KANSAS

Lonesome Eastern Kansas rancher, 31, 5'9", 250 lbs., br/bl, moustache, smooth, nonsmoker. Seeks honest, fun, bearded, hairy bear to share CW dancing, nature walks, snuggling, cattle business, gardening and chores. Travel is limited but can entertain. Let's explore possibilities. Take the time to drop me a line at COA Box #73. (26)

GWM, 35, 145, 5'11", br/br, goodlooking, hairy bear wishes to meet other bears. Enjoy no-pressure situations. Friendly, no drugs, safe sex. Looking forward to hearing from you other cub and papa bears. Write: Gary R. Samuelson, 804 Kentucky St., Lawrence, KS 66044-2648. (20)

GWM, Kansas City area, young-looking 40, 6'2", 190-200 lbs., br/br, moustache, hairy, goodlooking. Open, honest, affectionate, professional, straight-acting/appearing. Not into one-night stands. Don't smoke/drink. Interests include movies, music, reading, quiet evenings. Looking for fun, friendship, maybe more. Letter, photo, and way to contact. G.L.D., 7211 Aspen, Kansas City, KS 66111. (13)

KENTUCKY

Odd Bear Out. Does "coll" prompt "music" not "ohms"? "Kruger," "Barbara," not "Freddie"? Ubu? Burroughs? Your lover and fellow bruns bewildered? Your appearance belies alternative culture? Border-state bear wishes correspondence with like-situated. Room in the den for both DADA and daddies! J.S. Adams, ARF/STUTTER, PO Box 70183, Louisville, KY 40270-0183. (15)

MAINE

Canadian-born bear-lover and artist would appreciate photos of hairy bears to use as references in my artwork and drawings. Looking for all types of bears, preferably between 35-50. I am a WM, 36, black hair, bearded, hairy, 190 lbs., 5'10", uncut, who enjoys the look and feel of a hot hairy man. Will correspond with other bears with similar likes. Ron, PO Box 5200, Portland, ME 04102. (27)

Hot, hairy, very horny bear, 36, masculine, 5'9", 165 lbs., athletic build. Like the outdoors: ski, swim, hike, bike. Looking for bearded, hairy and horny bears into long, active, sweaty fuck sessions. Write R.W., RFD #2, Box 2020, So. Paris, ME 04281. (16)

MARYLAND

Cub, 21, 225 lbs., dark brown hair, bearded and furry, is looking for another bear, preferably husky and hairy. I enjoy cuddling, romantic nights and bear-play with warm friendly men. All replies answered. Call Paul at (301) 467-0819 after 8 p.m., or write COA Box #40. (12)

Harford County bear-lover calling all local bears! There is a GWM, smooth 26, 5'10", 155, br/bl, moustached bear-lover after your hairy asses. Bear qualities: 25-45 facial hair, stocky, stable, secure and looking for more than just a romp in the woods (although that can be fun). So stop hiding in your caves—there is more to this county than you think. Write COA Box #90. (13)

CUB NEEDS DAD. Black Hills bear cub now in Eastern Region of National Parks. GWM, 30, 6', 195, handlebars, prof., athletic. Prefers outdoors, bottom, J/O, FRAP, GRAP. Waiting for furry bear 30+ across America for correspondence/meeting. Cub wants to share bear beer, fishing in cold streams, looking for food, and hot mating action with brother bears including cowboys, L/L, police officers, uniforms, motorcycles, etc., who enjoy good dogs, cold and recycled bear beer, teaching cub FF, and conversation. Cub will answer all responses, appreciating understanding of busy schedule. Temporary relocation to Yellowstone or Yosemite for summer tourist season possible. Write Ranger Harford at 8020 Brooklyn Bridge Rd., Laurel, MD 20707. (301) 490-9413. (12)

Smooth, 38, 5'10", 150 lbs., bl/bl, in-shape bear-lover seeks brains over 35 with large thighs, firm butts and a bit of belly to satisfy my hunger for bear meat. Your photo gets mine. PO Box 325, Mt. Rainier, MD 20712-0325. Please. Before I starve. (21)

GWM, 32, 6'4", 260 lbs., 20% BF. Brown hair, moustache, beard, body hair and hazel eyes. Above-average looks, build, and body parts. I seek white or Hispanic, gay or bisexual MEN. Police, military, ranger, biker and/or construction types are welcome. Prefer masculine, aggressive, and be into serious workouts, bodybuilding or power lifting. Don't talk the talk if you can't walk the walk. MD, DE, PA, DC area preferred but wider area considered. Tell me about yourself by writing John, PO Box 1001, Aberdeen, MD 21001. (12)

WM, 26, 5'9", slim, br/hel eyes. Like to correspond with big, burly, bearded guys, 25-55. Like to share stories and photos. Cigar and pipe smokers a plus. Like outdoors, camping, hiking and nature. Victor Steele, Box 2971, Carroll Station, Baltimore, MD 21229. (13)

MASSACHUSETTS

32-year-old chunky Bear, 5'8", 190#, seeks other Bears who wear a 40+ waist. I get confused by "top"

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GHM, HIV-, 6'2",
185 lbs., 8", auburn
hair, sensual, mys-
tic, eclectic interests
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scene 3 years. Help
me back, guys.
Write Dominick
Williams, 1004 Elm
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NEW YORK
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waist, 45" chest, 16" arms, salt 'n' pep-
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smart. I dig stocky, thickly-built furry
bears and cubs. You're Italian? Latin?
Jewish? All three? A hot little Bruno-
Bruin? Let's swap pix. PO Box 6841,
FDR Sta., New York, NY 10150-1907.
(22)



ILLINOIS

HOT HARD-HAT HOLE: Butch, hairy-chested construction worker, 31, 6'3", 175, brown hair/blue eyes, wants real men with hot tongues, hard dicks and greasy fists to work my pig hole. Outdoors, 3-ways, double-fucking, trucks/jeeps, WS, photography A-OK. No pansy shit. Photo/phone: Mike, PO Box 11697, Chicago, IL 60611. (22)



NEW YORK

Horny brown bear, 30, 5'10", 180 lbs., hairy and bearded seeks a furry bottom, any race, who is affectionate, to 45. Please reply with photo, returnable. International & domestic correspondence welcome. Randy Ware, PO Box 213, New York, NY 10024. (13)

Bears who wear a 40+ waist. I get confused by "top" and "bottom," but I turn on to fur, bellies, unwashed bodies, raunch, underwear. Turn off to "attitude," long nails, cologne and piss elegance. Write original letter to COA Bear Buddy #155. Thanks. (21)

Very furry, bearded, tit-clamped, uncut cub, 29, with sly grin and smart as a whip, craves older, balding, bushy-bearded, beer-bellied, ball-busting, hairy-as-hell grizzly to initiate me into manhood. Turn this crewcut cub into a real live Bear! New England preferred. Write to COA Box #37. (13)

Smooth boy wants daddy bear. Me: GWM, 23, 6', 150 lbs., slim, moustache, 5" dick, versatile. You: over 5'9", hairy, heavy-set OK, 35-55. Pluses: beard, muscular, over 6'. We are: cuddlers, loving, stable, HIV-, intelligent, financially independent. We are not prudish, kinky, church-goers, bigots, drug-users to excess. Write to Chris at COA Box #75. (21)

Cuddly bear, 38, hairy, horny, 5'11", br/bl, needs non-smoking, very hairy guy for good times and possible relationship. Wants to share mutual massages, titplay, caressing, fondling-classical music, traveling, cooking romantic dinners. Will exchange letters and photos with all. Gene, Box 511, Springfield, MA 01101-0511. (21)

Bear cub would like to correspond and possibly swap pictures with other bears. I'm 5'7", 175 lbs., brown hair, eyes and beard. Write to: Mike Bear, 12 7th Ave, Dracut, MA 01826. (20)

GWM, 34, 6', 178 lbs. Good shape, healthy, considered handsome, masculine nice guy. Dark Irish, thick moustache, beard, moderate body hair, hung. Searching for VERY HAIRY big guy, bald, cigars; Buddha-belly a plus. Ryan, 89 Mass. Ave. #445, Boston, MA 02115. (15)

GWM, 34, 6', 155 lbs., masculine, goodlooking, hairy, Italian, br/be, moustache, honest, affectionate, romantic, versatile. Seeks late 30's to 40's, big, husky, masculine, moustache, similar qualities and versatile for friend or relationship. Turn-ons: big arms and chest, blue eyes, moustaches, tattoos, Mike Ditka. Reply with letter and photo to Peter, 4 Carver St., Provincetown, MA 02657. (12)

Bottom seeks big city tops. WM, 46, HIV+, healthy and horny, live in Provincetown, MA. Visit NYC often, can entertain at the beach. Eager to meet well-hung, wild bear top studs who demand total safe-sex satisfaction night and day. PO Box 847, Provincetown, MA 02657. (13)

MICHIGAN

Young bear, 28, looking for rare horse/bear breed. You: hung, furry, daddy-type, 30-50, into recycling beer. Dig uncut. Love dangling semi-hard cocks. Picture of hanger assures reply. Penpals: Garry, 16117 Masonic Blvd., Fraser, MI 48026-2655. (13)

Silver Bear, 59, 5'8-1/2" 210 lbs., healthy, seeks sticky grizzly (overweight OK) to drive new Winnebago Super Chief on fishing and camping trips. I'll foot expenses as long as you can drive. Trips at your convenience. Possible permanent situation. Please send photo. Contact: Bob Ford, PO Box 62, Roseville, MI 48066. (21)

Bearded, masculine GWM, 23, 190 lbs., br/bl. Inexperienced bear cub seeking experienced bear for companionship, fun, and 7. Bearded bears a definite plus. Let's have some fun. Toledo, Detroit areas. Pen pals welcome. T.T., Box 181, Luna Pier, MI 48157. (22)

Uncut, tattooed, bearded WM, 40, 6'1", 190 lbs., big low-hangers, moderately hairy, looking for cut or uncut hairy-chested tit-manics with smelly (preferably bushy) armpits, into balls, foreskin play and cuddling later. Moustache or beard a must. Bear gut, balding, great! Description with phone number to PO Box 11324, Detroit, MI 48211. (13)

GWM, 30, 6'1", 185 lbs., masculine, hot stud. Hairy chest, big cock, full beard. Not husband-hunting. Looking for handsome, hairy Midwest bears and/or truckers for hot dick/ass action, give or get. Turn-ons: bushy moustaches, beards, hairy chests, recycled beer, tattoos. Occupant, PO Box 20235, Ferndale, MI 48220. (22)

WM, 42, 5'10", 220 lbs., moustached, affectionate, hairy teddy bear seeks area guys for oral fun and possible relationship. If you don't mind a little fat with your meat, I may be your man. Your picture gets mine. Write Ron, 5280 S. Mission, Lot 1088, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858. (15)

GWM, 31, 6'2", 160 lbs., moustache, hairy bear cub. Looking for Daddy Bear for friendship/relationship for those cold, lonely nights. Beards and cigars a +, but not necessary. Write: Michael Quick, 2931 Locke SW, Grandville, MI 49118. (12)

MINNESOTA

Bearded, husky GWM, 30, 5'5", 150 lbs., light hair, dark beard, blue eyes. This hairy, barrel-chested cub looking for bears, 28-45, for long cuddle, suck and fuck sessions, relationship possible. I'm versatile and clean. Biggest turn-on is bearded leather/Levi bears. Live in T.C. area or traveling to Minneapolis. Write to J.B., 1500 LaSalle #527, Minneapolis, MN 55403. (13)

Cub wants hairy, masculine bears, 35-50, with strong body odor and stinky feet for J/O buddies and spankings. BiWM, 33, 175, 6'0", moustache, moderately hairy, goodlooking and shy. Suck my nipples and I'll sniff and lick your ripe armpits and balls. Dig uninhibited stroke sessions, porn, dirty talk, raunchy underwear. Share J/O ideas. Safe and discreet. Like uncut goatees, 'staches and sideburns, balding, but not necessary. Proud of your own funky manmells? Like to watch and be watched? Please write, photo appreciated. John, 110 E 31st. St., Box 8781, Minneapolis, MN 55408. (21)

GWM, 28 years old, 5'0", 110 lbs., dark brown hair and eyes, moustache, 7-1/2" cut, hairy ass and legs but almost hairless chest and nipples. Looking for masculine, hairy men into versatile Fr and Gr action. I'm HIV- (clean) and prefer same. Redheads a plus. Your photo gets mine. Send to Jay, PO Box 10378, Minneapolis, MN 55408. (13)

Looking for loving, dominant daddy. I am uncut GWM, 57", 200 lbs. Delightful slave. I'd love to give you a great massage for starters. Call Larry, (612) 374-1900 anytime. (22)

MISSISSIPPI

Gulf Coast. Extremely hairy Daddy Bear looking for special relationship with a very special person. You are 28-35, blond/blue. Chubby OK. Warm, caring, innocent and compatible. You need to be able to depend on that special person both emotionally and physically. No SM, bondage or drugs. I am 50, br/be, 5'9", 185 lbs. Extremely hairy but clean-shaven, educated professional who is sensitive, humorous, loving, generous and emotionally together. I need to be able to share the better things in life and above-average lifestyle with a special person. Financially secure and able to travel if necessary. Write Jim at

COA Box #35. (13)

Northern Mississippi, 42, 6'3", 275 lbs., hairy bear into bondage. Looking for bottom. Heavy B&T work. If you think you can't be tied down with anyone, you haven't met this bear! Bubba, 9270 College St., Olive Branch, MS 38654. (22)

GWM, 30, 6', 215#, brown hair, brown beard, 7" cut, GrA, FrAP, HIV-, straight-acting and masculine. Seeks blond, blue-eyed, bearded, masculine, bottom Bears for safe sex and discreet encounters of the Bear kind. No kink! Boxholder, PO Box 12627, Jackson, MS 39236-2627. (15)

MISSOURI

Truck-drivin' bear 27, 5'10", 185 lbs., brown hair & eyes, seeks team driver & bearfriend. YOU: 25-35, masculine-looking and acting, 2 yrs. OTR and tired of driving alone. Write to Doug "Sugar Bear" Schotten, 1919 Ann Ave., St. Louis, MO 63104. Photo a must for reply. (22)

Kenny Loggins-like daddy's boy. 26, 6'1", 140, green eyes, brown hair. Loves older, bearded daddy bears who know how to tame a cub and play it safe. Cuddle with me and growl in my ear. Write T. Robertson, PO Box 160014, St. Louis, MO 63116. (20)

Papa and junior bear couple: 6', 180 lbs., moustache, hairy; 5'2", 155 lbs., stocky, bodybuilder, beard and moustache, hairy. Both enjoy hot, safe, mutual fun times. In excellent shape. Masculine. Like leather and tit play with other hairy, masculine bears. Bill & Mike, 1722B Mississippi, St. Louis, MO 63104. (314) 664-3308. (14)

Open cage releases hot, handsome, passionately aggressive teddy. He's HIV-, Mondiah-brown, curly hair with 'stache and beard, 6'2", 210 lbs. Catch him by the pits with hot pics! Write to Chase, 1031 North Speede Rd., St. Louis, MO 63146. (21)

37, 6'1", 240 lbs., br/bl, hairy and bearded. I need a big, hairy mate to share my life of freedom, independence and the outdoors: winters as a tree-planter in the Southeast; summers on my Ozark hill farm. Into comradeship, razzlin' and GrA and P. Not into tobacco or hard drugs. Kip Smith, Rt. 2, Box 591, Ava, MO 65608. (20)

MONTANA

Montana ex-longhair type, non-materialistic, obsessed, sleazy, healthy, kinky. 38, 5'8", 165 lbs., big smelly uncut dick, has room for bikers, truckers, sex-pigs in general. I like cigars, Camels, beer, spit, piss, crusty jeans, leather, beer-guts, filthy talk, older men, tit and ball work. Tom Larson, Box 8791, Missoula, MT 59807. (12)

NEBRASKA

Hairy white Nebraska Bear, 45, 6', 240#, looking for other Bears/Bear-lovers. Professional, discreet, affectionate cuddler, loves hot safe sessions too. HIV-. Mutual respect important. Looking for contacts in London and Rome for 3/90 trip as well as domestics anytime! Reply: Box 31062, Omaha, NE 68131. Photo a plus. (12)

NEVADA

Horny blond powerlifter. 29, 5'8", 190, crew-cut, solid and stocky. Wants to exchange letters, photos or meet other in-shape muscle guys. Sweaty, smelly, extremely hairy powerlifters, big guys, jock straps, extra hairy ass, legs, back, big cocks all a big plus. All answered. Photo gets mine. Masculine only. No bull-

shitters. Measer, 4327 Boulder Hwy. #1, Las Vegas, NV 89121. (22)

Sierra Nevada Mountain Bear Needs to Be Trapped. The Bear: GWM, 30, 5'9", 165 lbs., dark brown hair, hazel eyes and a full beard. The Trapper: Must have a hairy chest, a hairy back is a plus, and also have a full beard. Your photo gets mine. Tony, 440 Gentry Way #2, Reno, NV 89502, or call (702) 825-4756. (14)

Hot, hairy, horny cowboy type. 5'9", 150 lbs., 'stache, blue eyes, dark hair. Goodlooking, weight-trained country bear looking for aggressive grizzly, 30-50. Attitude more important than looks. Revealing photo gets mine. All answered. B.A., 165 Charwood Dr., Spring Creek, Elko, NV 89801. (12)

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Would like to hear from and perhaps get together with hot, hairy, masculine men, 30-50 years old. New England and nationwide. Like phone J/O? Hot correspondence? What else do you like? Let me know! Write: Bob McGrath, PO Box 3664, Nashua, NH 03061. (14)

NEW JERSEY

ME: 270 lbs. brown bear, 5'11", 45, divorced, like writing fantasy stories, jogging, manly affection, struggling to lose weight through exercise, diet, swimming. Let's work out together. YOU: Any race or age, in local area, needing buddy bear for affectionate friendship. Knock off a few unhealthy pounds and fun times. Thomas, PO Box 4317, East Orange, NJ 07017. (22)

Professional GWM Bear. Healthy (negative) and attractive, 45 years old, 5'11", black hair, brown eyes, 195 lbs., moustache, bear sometimes. Looking for other bears, cubs and scouts for friendship and good times. GrA, PrAP. Enjoy most varieties of sex. Singles, couples. Interests: movies, music and entertaining. Have large porn video collection. Will answer all if possible, send photo to Jim C. PO Box 400, Harrison, NJ 07029-0400. (21)

Hello. My name is Guy. I'm 30 years old, 5'9", hazel eyes, brown hair (balding), beard and hairy chest. I weigh 215 lbs., built husky like a football player, hung 6-1/2" uncut and thicker than normal. I'm looking for a masculine GWM, 20-50, chubby to body-builder. Preference is dark hair, hairy and beard, but not necessary. The more hair, the better. Looking for mature, sincere adult to spend time with from cuddling. We'll take it from there. Please reply with phone number if possible. Guy F. Taylor, 415 Elm St., Kearny, NJ 07032-3505. (201) 998-5796. (14)

GWM, 38, 5'11", 175 lbs., brown hair and eyes. Looking for other long-haired, bearded men my age and older. Some interest in L/L, BD. Will top men my age. Prefer to be topped by older men. Interests include motorcycles, rock, jazz, science fiction. Send photo and letter to BMK, PO Box 532, Westfield, NJ 07091-0532. Beauty and Beast's Vincent and 8-foot wookies get special treatment. (13)

Brown bear, 31, 5'8", 240 lbs. (but looks 20 lbs. less), 'stache, chin fur, seeks chubby bears from all over; any age, any race; for single or group hibernations, get-togethers and fun times. Also forming a group for those like us. David, Box 22775, Newark, NJ 07101. (20)

GWM, 40, 5'7", 160 lbs., brown 'stache/hair, eyes, light fur, HIV-, very tactile. Enjoy S/S, quiet times, life, willing to explore/expand (no pain). You bet, chest hair/tits optional, a real man, strong yet hon-

est, sincere, caring, capable of building a permanent relationship based on trust and love. Reply with photo (clad OK). Jerry, PO Box 121, Lodi, NJ 07644. (15)

Ex-Marine, Vietnam vet, 43, 6', 220#, 7+ cut. Stocky build, hairy chest and belly, bald, bearded, HIV-. Into lots of man-to-man contact. PrAP, GrAP, into tilting and J/O. Like manual/verbal control. Like to watch and be watched. Also like quiet times, romance, cuddling, music, nature, quiet drives or walks, friends. I am relationship oriented, but not in a rush. Would like to meet intelligent, sincere, honest, kind, gentle, considerate man over 35. Please don't be self-centered, ladylike, into games, pretty bodies, money, bars or drugs. Alcohol in moderation and cigarettes OK. D.J.E., RD4 Box 598, Blairstown, NJ 07825. (12)

Goodlooking professional GWM, 6', 160#, black hair, beard, HIV-. I travel throughout the Southeast for work. Looking for Hirsute Bears. Prefer bearded or moustached for cuddling and completely safe sex. No smokers or drugs. Write Resident, PO Box 1212, Haddonfield, NJ 08033-0731. (22)

Smooth bearded, blondish man seeks bear relationship. I'm 43, 5'9", 160, very masculine and fit, down-to-earth artist, countryish and real. Possibly travel-friends first. Write Jim, Box 200, Manahawkin, NJ 08050. (13)

Hir? Big? Bear? Beard? Blond? Balding? Bigbuns? This GWM, 48, 5'8", 160, br/br, tattooed, professional, HIV-, would love to make love to your hot bod and rim your hairy ass! Safe and clean only, but hot and kinky as hell. Write: PO Box 69, Belle Mead, NJ 08502. (22)

Wanted: masculine, hairy, hairy bear. Beard or moustache and/or balding a plus, slim to slightly husky. Me: goodlooking Italian, 32, 6', 160 lbs., moderately hairy all over. Give or take grueling man-sized enemas. Phone/photo to Box 8584, Piscataway, NJ 08855-8584. (13)

NEW MEXICO

MAINE BLACK BEAR. GWM, 39, 5'11", 215 lbs., black hair, full beard. Hairy as hell - front, shoulders, back and masculine, enjoy leather, outdoor type. Have photos and exchange. Passing through New Mexico? Look me up. FMG, PO Box 33104, Albuquerque, NM 87176. (14)

Hairy, Bacchic, bearded Russian-Irish cub, 39, 5'10", 210 lbs., beer gut, HIV-, professional psychic seeks bearded, aggressive, affectionate, sexually exuberant tops, any age 35+, any race. Daddies, long-term buddy welcomed. B, couples, HIV+/ARC free. Rand Lee, Box 1481, Santa Fe NM 87504. (505) 438-7038. Sorry, no J/O calls, guilt-ridden, drugs. (22)

NEW YORK

Little bear, 43, would like to meet hairy, rough-trade types for photo sessions and/or servicing. Older men and hustlers welcome. Tattoos a plus. Very generous terms. Send photo and phone to COA Box #36. (13)

GWM, 37, 5'10", br/br, very hairy all over, husky teddy bear, very well-hung, thick, very oral, passionate, intelligent, creative, sensitive, loving. Looking to meet a preppy white male (smooth or little hair), well hung and/or big balls for friendship/relationship. Write with photo. J.R., COA Box #47. (14)

Westchester-Putnam. Smooth game warden seeks bear or cub (late 30s+) hopefully for denmate. Me: late 40s, beard, balding, 5'11", 190 lbs., sensitive,

sane, sexy. Looking for same except hairy. Uncut a plus. Write COA Box #53 with phone and photo, if possible. (20)

SWM, 25, 6'4", 320, moustache, sideburns. Fine, brown fur on big chest. Big belly, hands, feet, arms, heart. Loves like a bear. PrAP, companionship, cuddling, razzin', movies, fireplaces. Likes chubby, bearded, hairy. You: discreet, compassionate, masculine. No drugs, pain, kink. Letter/photo to Mr. Bear. COA Box #70. (20)

GWM, 36, 250#, looking for other hairy bearded bears for fun and possible relationship. Into big tits, pot bellies, and big hairy asses. Write to Bill at COA Box #76. (21)

GWM, 38, 5'8", hairy, husky, pagan, cigar-smoking, uncut bruin seeks W.N.Y. companion into man-smells, WS, outdoors, gardening, cuddling, friendship and more. Write COA Box #80. (13)

GWM, 47, 5'10", 280 lbs., seeks GWMs into tin, ranch or whatever turns you on. Write Occupant, Box 665, Bowling Green Sta., New York, NY 10004. (16)

This hot, hairy sex soul wants to rub beards, hairy chests and big cocks together. I'm 6', 165 lbs., 45, masculine, healthy, hairy, bearded, uncut and hung big. Into anything safe, and like lots of affection and cuddling. You be hot, healthy, very sexy and hairy. I travel all over US, Europe and Australia. Your hairy photo gets mine. Bill, PO Box 1011, New York, NY 10011. (14)

Sexy, goodlooking, affectionate top with tight, hairy body, 35, 6'1", 170 lbs. Seeks hot, in-shape furry bottoms who like to please. Special fantasies for small guys, fuzzy blonds and black hair/blue eyes. Travel, correspond and photo exchange. PO Box 1397, New York, NY 10011. (13)

GWM, 38, 5'8", brown/white mustache, hairy, body-builder, blue eyes, 168 lbs. Want to hear from tall, horny, bearded men, real men. Photo appreciated, answer all. Don, PO Box 1340, Old Chelsea Station, New York, NY 10011. (19)

Spread your cheeks and smile. 5'11" beefy man mid-30s. Looking for chunky buddies to get off. No time for BS. Enjoy it all, safe and healthy. Contact Frank E., PO Box 1720, Old Chelsea Stn., New York, NY 10011. Will exchange photos and letters. (21)

Big bearded bear wanted. ME: WM British, 31, attractive, br/br, bearded, 5'9", 143 lbs., muscular, trim, smooth chest uncut good-humoured, intelligent, together. YOU: WM over 5'10", 180 lbs., 33-45, prefer dark-haired, masculine, blue-collar looks & attitude, yet caring, creative sense of romance, relationship-oriented. US: Into safe but imaginative, versatile sex. VA, CBW, WS, cigars, sweat, Pr, Gr, but most important, bear hugs, cuddles, warmth, sharing time together. Photo appreciated. Write Keith, 364 W. 18th St. #4-J, New York, NY 10011. (13)

GWM, 53, goodlooking, slim, short, br/br, beard, creative nice guy, smooth with great tits. Loves to give hot affection to hairy guys. Grooves GENTLE nipple play. Safe sex! If you like being truly appreciated, I'm your man. Photo exchange. PO Box 581, Village Station, New York, NY 10014. (15)

Hot, virile, romantic GWM, 41, 5'7", 140 lbs., brown bedroom eyes/hair, beard, moustache. Hairy chest, arms, legs. Passionate and affectionate. Long walks, fireplaces, theater, candlelit dinners, old movies. Seeking hairy dark-haired bear, beard or 'stache, 35+.



UNITED KINGDOM

Bearded, gray/white, 179 lbs., 6'1". There are two of us similar. Both liking the company of other hirsute guys. No age/race hang-ups. Many interests. Photography. One top, other bottom. Your picture appreciated. Ours sent by return. If you are visiting England, you are welcome. Leslie Garrett, "Hadley" Vicarage Lane, Westfield Hastings, East Sussex, TN35 4SD, ENGLAND. (15)



FLORIDA

Mid-thirties cub, 6', 170 lbs., bl/bl, cut thick dick, light pelt. Hunting for easygoing grizzlies and cubs for fur trading, pawing, bear hugs, hibernating, roaming, breeding, sweating and feeding. Prefer buddy who is GrAP. Greg, 3345 West Wyoming Cir., Tampa, FL 33611. (22)



CALIFORNIA

Mountain Man, 41 years, 5'8", 145 lbs., brown hair, blue eyes, bearded, hairy front, some back. Enjoy traveling, outdoor sports, camping, old movies, music. Seeking GWM, under 50. No drugs, smokers. No photo, no response. Dave, PO Box 7796, Chico, CA 95927-7796. (22)



CALIFORNIA

Nice guy! Attractive, hairy GWM, 31, into life, laughter, quiet times, good friends, country music and home. Would like to meet, date and/or correspond with fur-covered bears interested in a quality life, based on something other than the purely physical. Brian, 464 South Calle Encilia, #A-23, Palm Springs, CA 92262. (619) 327-1765. (22)

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Photo exchange. Richard, 244 W. 4th St. #3D. New York, NY 10014. (13)

Norwegian/Italian natural man, 33, 5'6", 155 lbs., hairy, bearded, uncut, sensual, seeks hairy, nature-loving, beefy bear over 5'6", who's naturally aggressive in the sack and capable of affection, respect, honesty, conversation out of bed. Relationship possible, photo exchange. NY/Crosscountry. A.J. 495A Hudson St., Suite 128, New York, NY 10014. (14)

Hairy, very muscular ex-cop, 5'7", 155, 37, attractive, s&p, blue eyes, masculine, good-humored, safe, seeks high-quality, attractive, stable counterpart: bigger (200+), football/powerlifter type, masculine, self-confident, 21-30. Write: 201 Varick St., Box 998, New York, NY 10014. (Photo please.) (20)

Cigar-smokin' bearded man, 56, 5'10", 150 lbs., looking for rugged leather buddy bear at ease with himself and other men for huggin', tuggin' man smells and good times. Drop me a line. PO Box 1023, Grand Central Station, New York, NY 10017. (20)

I'm 64, 200 lbs., 5'8", nice endowment, plump, hairless bod, but I go for hairy guys - especially if they're stocky and/or plump and middle-aged. Ed P., 303 E. 76 St., New York, NY 10021. (19)

Middle-aged guy. Good build. Healthy. John Preston, 125 East 72nd St., New York, NY 10021. (21) 744-7444. (16)

GWM, 30, br/bl, 275 lbs., 5'11", 7-1/2" cut and thick, GrAP, FrAP, big hairy tits and stomach, looking for hairy or not hairy muscular and BB white or black with big cocks. Reply photo and phone to: Mail Call, Box A2DM, 227 E. 56th St., New York, NY 10022. (20)

Hairy, Hispanic cockrocker, 46, 5'7", 150 lbs., uncut, sucks juicy cocks dry, all shapes/sizes of hairy bears, chubbies, daddies. Have deep pussy throat, into til-play, VA, WS(safe), cigars, marmelsa. Will slurp, lick, sniff your whole body for a long time. Bernardo Espi, 216 West 100th St. #1002, New York, NY 10025. (21) 749-9545. (20)

Heavy (220 lbs.), hairy, bearded, masculine pig, 33, seeks pig bottom with hot tongue for total abuse. Heavy raunch, discipline, VA, humiliation, degradation, face-sitting, fisting, piss, shit. Sweaty, dirty marmelsa, and rough bear-to-bear sex. Booze, smoke, OK. Prefer husky, 30-55, no bullshit, masculine buddy. Looks unimportant, need for real man sex is. Safe, of course. Write to POB 20298, Midtown Sta., New York, NY 10129. Jersey, too. (13)

6'1", 197 beefy, muscular lbs., 44, 32" waist, 45" chest, 16" arms, salt 'n' pepper beard, 'stache. Goodlooking, sexy, smart. I dig stocky, thickly-built furry bears and cubs. You're Italian? Latin? Jewish? All three? A hot little Bruno-Bruin? Let's swap pix. PO Box 6841, FDR Sta., New York, NY 10150-1907. (22)

Into scat, piss, & pain. Slave available for abuse. Let me be your pig slave. PO Box 173, Murray Hill Sta., New York, NY 10156-0173. (13)

Puerto Rican, 5'7", 48, brown skin, single. Passionate oral expert, submissive. Ready to please, always. All letters will be answered. Write to Emilio Cruz, PO Box 1574, Bronx, NY 10451-1574. (13)

GWM, 30, 5'11", 180 lbs., hairy, bearded and hairy dub for men members. Searching for someone to call my own. Seek uncut, hairy and bearded real men who want the same. Drug-free only. Your photo a plus, but all answered. Respond to: Boxholder, PO

Box 395, Mount Vernon, NY 10552. (12)

30, 6', 255 lbs., handsome, masculine, hairy, seeks relationship-oriented, husky, burly, very hairy, masculine bear with sense of humor and high standards for personal/emotional life. Interests include: work-outs, good food, holistic health, new-age values and quiet times. Photo/phone to: 163 Joralemon St., Box 1480, Brooklyn, NY 11201. (12)

To all Bensonhurst/Brooklyn Bears: We think we're the only den in the area. If you're out there, we'd like to meet you. We are one dark hairy bear and one red bear who enjoy evenings with friends. Write to S.D., 2101 74th St., Brooklyn, NY 11204. (20)

Black male, 29, 5'11", 195 lbs., handsome, athletic, hairy top seeks bearded, burly bear who's a bottom. Must like football and wrestling. Travel East and West coasts often. Send letter/photo to: E.A. Washington, 502 Willoughby Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11206. (12)

BIG CITY BEAR, 50, 6'3", 250 lbs., medium body hair all over, beard, tattoos, fat cut meat, big balls, big gut, 42" waist. Cigar smoker, 6-pack drinker. Send looking for cub who knows how to service Daddy Bear. Cub must like marmelsa, heavy CS, WS, ass-eating. Include photo and phone number with letter. Chuck A. Gersch, 105 Grand St., 2nd Floor, Brooklyn, NY 11211. (14)

Bear seeks bear! 30, 6'3", 285 lbs., neopagan, br/bl, bearded, hairy chest, stomach, shoulders, back. Seeking tall, handsome, OK shape, very hairy man with facial hair, intelligent, honest, warm, passionate, stable, solvent, 25-45, for hibernation or friendship, cuddling, partnership. C'mon. You've gotta be out there! Write JP Marmaro, 553 Seventh St., Brooklyn, NY 11215. (21)

Growing large soft belly? Want help? Under 6', 28-36. No cigarettes. P/P. PO Box 1055, Forest Hills, NY 11375. (13)

New York. Grizzly. Hairy, moustached bear, 29, 5'10", blue eyes, pierced tits and Prince Albert. Seeks other bears into titwork, assplay, watersports, bondage, T. Nonsmokers. Safe sex only. Dan, PO Box 491, Lynbrook, NY 11563. (14)

GWM, 28, blue eyes, brown thinning hair, hairy, goodlooking, husky, 5'10", 200 lbs. Looking for same. Hairy photo to PO Box 158, Amityville, NY 11701. (13)

WM, 42, 5'11", 180 lbs., masculine, brown hair, blue eyes. Very hairy chest and belly. Hung big and cut. Seeking hairy, masculine men (a hairy ass? Big +) into stripping and showing, J/O, circle jerks and giving head. Write with your nude photo and I'll enclose a photo of my naked, hairy body in my reply. I am also hot to swap nude pix with all hairy men. Art Howard, PO Box 368-M, Bay Shore, NY 11706. (12)

Hairy cub/sun-short and trim wanted by 5'9", 170 lbs., 40's generous, loving exec bear. Quality life, home, caring offered if you are under 30, under 5'9", slim, hairy, masculine, fun. (Blond/red preferred but hairy butt a must). Job and relocation help; photo for reply Hank, PO Box 284P, Bay Shore, Long Island, NY 11706. (22)

GWM, 43, 5'7", 155 lbs., brown/hazel, nice looking, beard, moustache, extremely hairy, especially chest (in patterns). Very friendly, sincere and reliable. Nonsmoker. Am very oral and especially enjoy FrAP (69), French kissing, hugging. I'm relationship oriented and seek hairy men approximately 30-45 for serious long-term relationship. Also, heavy into foreign

travel, photography, classical music, art museums, movies, language studies. Write Lloyd, PO Box 157, Levittown, NY 11756, or call (516) 579-8879 before 11 p.m. EST. (15)

GWM, 39, 57", 155 lbs., bearded, moderately hairy, into bodybuilding/ outdoors, seeks in-shape, hirsute guy for friendship/possible relationship. Red and blond bears are a plus. Phone/photo appreciated. Write soon. All letters will be answered. PO Box 102, Mastic, NY 11950. (14)

GWM, hairy, 6', 160 lbs. Wants friend or relationship with someone around my age. Fr or GrAP. Enjoy most activities out or indoors. Len Huckans, RR 1, Box 190B, Joliet, IL 60438. (12)

Bearded bear fan wants to hear from and meet hairy and bearded men. I'm 31, 5'11", 180 lbs., brown hair and beard. Photos appreciated and exchanged. Eric Scott, 17 Ash Grove Pl., Albany, NY 12202. (12)

Bear cub, hirsute, bearded, 31, 5'6", 150 lbs., looking for safe, sane, no-strings encounters with gentle bears within reasonable distance. If you are goodlooking, dean and healthy, let's have a hairy J/O session. A nice beard can really get me going. No pain or cigars. IP, PO Box 8042, Poughkeepsie, NY 12602. (13)

Central New York bear, 48, 6', 175 lbs., copper/silver beard, moustache, body hair, out of hibernation and looking for 40+ husky bear for cuddling, kissing and intense safe sex. Into good food, conversation, politics, arts, hiking, cross-country skiing, bicycle touring, swimming. Box 597, Syracuse, NY 13201. (315) 476-2923. (22)

Male white couple would like to meet other gay white couples for fun and safe pleasures. Ages 20-30, no drugs. Send photo and reply to J.H.K., PO Box 249, New Hartford, NY 13413. (14)

I am a lonely bear cub looking for 30+ bear pen pals. I will answer all letters from any bears, and I would especially like to hear from bear truckers! I would also like shirtless or nude photos. Please write Dan Gill, 2316 Delaware Ave. Ste. 268, Buffalo, NY 14216. (14)

BEAR 41: Various interests: travel, some leather (being masculine most important), etc. Have beard with defined moustache. Photo and phone get same. Tony Gruka, 1313 McKinley Pkwy., Buffalo, NY 14218. (21)

When you clip, send me a snip. Shorty, 650 Queen St., Clear, NY 14760. (12)

Hot Italian, top master, 36, 5'9", 180 lbs., professional, brown hair, eyes, moustache, into cuddling, kissing, hot passionate sex, long sessions, good workouts, oral sex, some spanking if you are a bear between 28-48, like it more than once, not into drugs. Traveling southern tier, NY Rt. 17, make this den a stop. Photo returned upon request, discretion assured. Military, ex-military, a plus or just a fun, hot guy into safe sex. Contact Bill, 169 Delevan Ave., Corning, NY 14830. (13)

33, 5'8", 230, bearded, HAIRY!! Looking for a hot bearded Dad who knows how to fuck (face and ass) and how to work a huge pair of nipples on a handsome boy. I also would love Dad's strap smacking my ass. (212)353-3765. (20)

Dominant daddy bears (30's-60's): This eager, submissive 34-year-old cub wants to serve you. Enjoys 3&M, BD, VA, Fr, titplay, threesomes, leather, fantasies, and nonrestrictive friendships. Sorry, no anal. Your appearance less important than your kinky imagination and genuine heart. (718) 458-3534. (13)

NORTH CAROLINA

Extremely hairy, masculine, mature, GWM, 38, 6', 215 lbs., hazel eyes, brown hair, moustache and very hairy chest, stomach, back, shoulders, legs, and butt, desires to correspond with masculine, mature SWM's. 21-40, clean-shaven (moustache OK for close friendship and possible relationship. Interests include: swimming, hiking, fishing, camping, reading, nature and travel. Please reply with photo (returned on request). Jeff, PO Box 31943, Raleigh, NC 27622. (15)

Cub, 5'10", 160 lbs., 32 years old, handsome, seeks top, dominant, hairy bear for hot cub-to-bear encounters. Travel, dig hairy chests, legs, asses, thick pubic bushes. Have fetishes for leather chaps, worn and used jockstraps, bikini briefs, G-strings, faded tight jeans. Would enjoy hearing from all other dominant bears. Swap photos, fantasies. Let's plan to meet. Write: Larry Furr, PO Box 11390, Box 227, Charlotte, NC 28220. (21)

GWM, 25, 5'10", brown-grayish hair, moderately hairy cub seeks a bottom, masculine, big brother for tender yet heated fulfillment of cub's carnal desires. Cub needs that big brother's protective mentality while in society, but demands a submissive bear during mating rituals. Please write: Chuck, PO Box 40142, Fayetteville, NC 28309. (13)

OHIO

38, 6'2", 230 lbs., FrAP, bearded, balding, moderately hairy, masculine. You: under 45, burly, masculine, hairy, biker/trucker-type bear. Spend 25 cents and send a pix. You might be pleasantly surprised. "Bear," 2428 E. 32nd St., Lorain, OH 44055. (19)

Kinky little GWM Bear, year of birth: 1951, 5'5", 120#, balding, graying beard, pierced nipples, hunting for other bearded Bears (singles or couples) for friendship and/or sex. Basically bottom, but versatile. Be 30-60, alcohol and drug-free. Have a sense of humor and a love of life. Photo, video, art exchanges welcome from all bears. Corbeau, c/o Peter, 12700 Lake Ave. #1608, Lakewood, OH 44107. (12)

WM, 49, 5'8", 175 lbs., very hairy, cuddly and affectionate. Wants to meet other furry, affectionate bears to develop caring and sensual friendships. The hairier, the better! If you are in this area or can travel, write John, PO Box 173, Youngstown, OH 44501. (13)

WM country brown bear, 5'11", 210 lbs., bearded, hairy, average looks. Seeking husky buddy, 35-45, with furry body and beard, for friendship/relationship. No smoke or drugs. Honesty, stability, sense of humor important. My interests: cars, travel, professional wrestling, simple life. Whether you're Dutch mantel or not, send letter/photo to PO Box 5465, Mansfield, OH 44801. (13)

Butch bottom, 41 but look younger, bearded blond, hairy, weightlifter, 5'10", 180 lbs., well educated, free to travel, able to host visit. Submissive w/mouth and ass at your command. Looking for bearded, bigger topsman, 30-50; photos available upon contact. Edward Hoffmaster, PO Box 6, Morrow, OH 45152. (17)

Letters, conversation needed. Bearded, paunchy Kentuckian, Caucasian, 56, ex-New Yorker, fluent Spanish, mainly celibate. Seeking fellow eccentrics, any age/race, isolated by geography, obligations, handicaps or needing a sympathetic ear. Interests: birds, nudity, art, folk music, occult reading (NO drugs, SM). "Lee," Box 1052, Cincinnati, OH 45201. (14)

Two Teddy Bears, Paul 35, 6', 250 lbs., hairy back,

dark brown hair. Bruce 39, 5'7", 210 lbs., reddish beard, hairy body. Safe sex with couples or singles. Clint Bears, 2484 Queen City Ave. #5, Cincinnati, OH 45238. (513) 481-4760. (20)

GWM couple 29/34, rough and ready, married and committed, like to meet and make friends with other bear couples. We are short 'n' fuzzy, 170/150 lbs., leather and beer-bellied, wrestling and nose-sex'er!! Coming through or to Cincinnati? We offer friendship and hospitality. Jack Rennekamp/Tim Casterline, 2905 Queen City Ave. #3, Cincinnati, OH 45238. (22)

Mine for yours. Photo exchange plus? Need more hot, hairy bodies for J/O material. Also want to start address exchange list of others interested in exchanging photos. Henry, 10710 Kenwood Rd. B-131, Cincinnati, OH 45242. (15)

45-year-old GWM, 5'10", 195 lbs., br/bl, beard, moustache. Looking for cub (21-40) of average weight who is submissive and ticklish. Call (513) 961-0878 before 11 p.m. EST. (13)

OREGON

Bearded Japanese horny bear buddy, 44, 5'2", 130 lbs. Hairy ass and crotch. Into leather and jockstraps. Want to meet horny bears like Mark (BEAR #8) for hot and heavy fuck sessions. Must meet through BEAR box. Please write COA Box #60. (22)

Portland area, 32-year-old cub, 5'8", 140 lbs. with full beard and hairy chest. Would like to get to know a 35+ furry bear for friendship, fun and whatever happens. I prefer non-smokers. PO Box 161, Scappoose, OR 97056. (15)

6'2", 195 lbs., bearded, hirsute, muscular build, professional, safe, discreet. Travel nationwide, particularly West Coast. Looking for masculine, bright, sensual tops. Box 703, Portland, OR 97207. (12)

Submissive cub, 32, 6'2", 225 lbs., rc/bl, searching for dominant but loving daddy bear, taller, bigger, hairier the better. Travel often between Vancouver and SF. I love intelligent and educated men. Turn me on with your mind and then open your shirt. Ben, 2728 NE Clackamas, Portland, OR 97232. (503) 287-3448. (13)

WM, 50, 6'2", 235 lbs., gray beard, rides H-D, likes fat stogies, guns and leather. If you prefer hiker bars over leather bars and enjoy dirty old boys with big guts, fly me a kite. Barry, PO Box 86686, Portland, OR 97286. (12)

PENNSYLVANIA

GWM cub (5'7", 175 lbs.) looking for a big, hairy papa bear to satisfy & crawl all over. My nipples are big & sensitive. Beard, beer belly, cigars a plus but not necessary. I'm in Northeastern PA and available to meet truckers. Please write me at COA Box #91. (22)

34-year-old bearded bear-5'10", 187 lbs., 42" chest, 33" waist, educated, established and tired of meeting losers and game-players. Looking to meet quality masculine, "hairy" bears, non-smokers preferred for fun, "safe" frolic and friendship foremost. Pittsburgh, PA suburb. Respond: PO Box 309, Glenharrow, PA 15116. (20)

36, 5'8", 150 lbs., stocky but solid, stroog, tough, dark, bearded, very hairy wrasslin' bear wants super-hairy grapplin' gorilla, same size or bigger, into rough-hitting, down 'n' dirty, bear-on-bear brawling! No holds barred, no bullshit. Have mats here in my cave. Write Wrasslin' Bear, Box 6361, Pittsburgh, PA

15212. C'mon Gorilla, let's fight! (12)

WM, 25, 6'1", 170 lbs., goodlooking, professional, brown hair, hazel eyes, moustache, lots of soft, furry chest hair. Looking for older bears: big, bearded, beer-bellied, balding cigar-smokers a plus. Cuddling, kissing, long wet dick-sucking and safe butt-fucking turn me on. Todd, PO Box 604, Washington, PA 15301. (13)

GWM, 33, 5'10", 150, br/bl, beard, PrAP, novice at Greek, willing to learn safe! Seeks local bears for fun, frolic, friendship. Turn-ons: hairy, masculine, 30-40. All answered. Send photo if possible and way to contact to T.J., Box 7, Nazareth, PA 18064. A.B.E. area. (22)

Bearded white cub, 28, 5'8", 160 lbs., moderately hairy, admires burly bears of all ages and weights. Looking for friendship, versatile fun times, and possible permanent relationship. Beards, beer bellies and hairy bodies a plus but not a must. Bald OK. This easygoing, sincere cub enjoys cuddling up next to a bear. Letter and photo to J.K., PO Box 9232, Allentown, PA 18105-9232.

Cuddly bear, GWM, 6', 240 lbs. of fun-loving 50-year-old nudist. Kissing, safe encounters in JOCK STRAPS, leather, Levis, boots. Hair #1 turn-on, WS, big balls a plus. Beach, walking, XXX videos. Write Dick Williams, PO Box 23, Delaware Water Gap, PA 18327. (22)

GWM, 31, 6'2", 240 lbs., hairy bear would like to hear from other bears from Phila. area. Gr/PrAP. Write descriptive letter to PO Box 2176, Boothwyn, PA 19061. (22)

Southwestern PA partners seek other Bears for friendship and fun. We are respectively, 39, 5'10", 230, gray beard; and 34, 5'4", 165, moustached. Both hairy and comfortably masculine, down-to-earth buddies, but not adverse to other Bear stuff, from gentle to rough. Call (412) 322-7898 before 10pm. EST. (12)

PUERTO RICO

Hot Puerto Rican guy loves raunch. I am 34, GWM, 5'5", 135 lbs., and I love mansmella, WS, and ass eating. I am HIV-negative. Write Ricardo Medina, PO Box 21689, UPR Station, San Juan, PR 00931. (19)

RHODE ISLAND

Bear, 26, wants to hear from & possibly meet other bears, daddy bears & cubs, 25-40. Leather and body-builders especially wanted. Nonsmoking only. All letters answered. Occupant, Box 1198, West Warwick, RI 02890. (15)

TENNESSEE

GWM, 36, 250 lbs., looking for other hairy, bearded Bears for fun and possible relationship. Into big tits, pot bellies, and big hairy asses. Write to: COA Box #58. (21)

Bearded bear cub seeks Daddy bear. I'm 55", 150 lbs., br/gr, brown beard and fur. I love big, burly, bearded, hairy bears. I'm PrAP and GrAP and very versatile. I like to kiss, hug, snuggle and have great safe sex. Looking for other bears for fun and frolic. All answered. Write to Jim Bear, 6001 Old Hickory Blvd., Apt. #329, Hermitage, TN 37076. (14)

TEXAS

Wanted: BEAR. Need to hear from big, hairy bears willing to teach this Texas cowpoke what he needs to know. I'm a WM, 30, 6'3", 179 lbs., slim, br/bl. Into

leather, cuddling, J/O, TT. Your letter/photo gets mine. Write to COA Box 92. (22)

GWM, 32, 6'2", 220 lbs., brown hair, eyes, beard and moustache. Regular. Versatile. Big chest, legs, arms. Considered attractive. Moderately hairy. Hung well, uncut. Looking for hairy, well-hung, uncut daddy bear or brother bears. Enjoy motorcycles, wrestling, shooting pool, beer, hot sex and men. Safe sex, PrAP, GrP with condom, cuddling, kissing, sexwork. Contact Bill at COA Box #79. (23)

Bearded cub, 29, handsome, hairy, HIV-, bottom. Seeks hairy, bearded, burly, loving poppa, 35+, for mating, cuddling, hibernating. Relationship possible. Hot for bawny bears, gray grizzlies. Enjoy man smells, beard chomping, gentle, safe bear play, bear hugs. Husky OK, no obese pain. Letter/photo gets mine. Stephen, 3527 Oak Lawn, L.B. 314, Dallas, TX 75209. (21)

Hot hairy, GWM couple-Dallas. Both attractive, intelligent. Both professionals. Nice, thick cocks. One, 38, 5'6"/br, thick moustache, black hair-chest, stomach, arms, shoulders, back 5'9", 190 lbs., husky. One, 48, 6', 175, gray hair, thick moustache, hairy chest, shoulders. Looking for hunky, hairy couples for SAFE, hot sex sessions. Good kissers a real plus. Hot husky, OK. Let's get together for some real mansex. We both love mansmella, licking, sucking, fucking, eating hairy ass, piss, toys, porn, J/O, watching. Come on, Bears! Wanna get down, dirty, and sweaty with us? Letter, photo gets quick reply from two hairy man-bears. Write: Harry and Patrick, 4000 Rawlins #105, Dallas, TX 75219. (22)

Hot hairy, masculine, sensuous man who is straight-appearing and acting, honest and plays no head games. I am 34, 6', 170 lbs., quite hairy (front and back), moustache, short dark brown hair, good body. I am a "to the point" person, and well versed on many topics. Healthy HIV+. I seek a man who is hung and can stuff my mouth and hot tight ass. I am an aggressive bottom-not a pure submissive, but a verbal participant. Thick moustache, beard, tattoos, good body are pluses. Smoke, aroma, toys. Open to ideas. Photo available. PO Box 35904, Dallas, TX 75235. (13)

Cuddly teddy, muscular, hairy, bearded, WM, 57", 190 lbs., 44-1/2" chest, 34" waist, black hair, dark complexion. No smoke or dope - expect same. Seeks very hairy, aggressive daddy bear or gorilla for fun or possible relationship. Go ahead - make your day! Kerry, 8304 South Course, #1715, Houston, TX 77072. (713) 464-3213. (12)

Big Bear, 6'2", 210 lbs., big arms, chest, ego, lifts weights, nice uncut dick. Brown hair, eyes, beard. Enjoys masculine men, 30-50. Shoots pool, enjoys good friends. Versatile sex. Russian, French, Greek, cuddle, all OK. Couples and singles. Papa Bears and uncut are pluses but not essential. Write: Bill Bolivar, 4641 Wild Indigo #447, Houston, TX 77027. (20)

GWM couple, 36 and 41, both top and hairy want to meet extremely hairy guys for safe sex. Hairy backs are a plus! Send letter and photo to: Occupants, PO Box 42445, Houston, TX 77242. Or call us at (713) 568-2043. Please, no phone sex! (16)

Dirty cub, 37, 5'7", 160 lbs., brown hair/eyes/beard, wants muddy or greasy fun with big-bellied bears. Let's hibernate a few hours together. Your photo gets mine. PO Box 541352, Houston, TX 77254-1352. (13)

GWM, 6'3", 240, hairless. Wants to hear from and meet hairy and/or bearded GWM's, 18-50, for bear

worship. Write P.J., 905 Hwy. 332, #309, Lake Jackson, TX 77566. (13)

Young 45, GWM, 6'5", 200, hairy, country guy enjoys outdoors, fishing, sports, horseback riding, working cattle, country music, country living. Looking for younger, slim or trim guy (hairy or non-hairy) for friendship or more. Rt. 5, Box 152, Gonzales, TX 78629. (21)

Moustached, white daddy bear, healthy HIV+, 38, 5'7", 160 lbs., 7' cut, seeks intelligent, healthy, non-smoking, substance-free, trim VERSATILE, safe-sex play-cubs under 30 (pluses: smoother, uncut) and FRIENDS anywhere. Detailed letter, photo to: PO Box 12272, Austin, TX 78711. (12)

Handsome, bearded longhair seeks handsome, bearded longhair who's completely hairy everywhere and damn proud of it! Box 8297, Austin, TX 78713. (13)

GWM, 35, 5'8", 160 lbs., moustache, smooth. Seeks stocky to heavy bears, all ages, for fun in central Texas area. Can travel Dallas/Houston, if required. Moustache, beard, hairy belly, pluses. If you are a bear in need of attention, write Bookholder, PO Box 180712, Austin, TX 78718. Photo appreciated. (13)

I am a 30-year-old, big, cuddly, horny teddy bear who knows how to satisfy the homiest top bear. Looking for the ultimate in fun, friendship and more. If you're 30-45, dominant in bed, hairy, horny, cuddly, caring and needy of satisfaction all over, then let's talk. Roby, (713) 774-4861. Leave message. (14)

UTAH

27-year-old GWM, brown eyes/auburn hair. I have a nice rug of hair on my chest. My armpits are growing a forest of hair. I'm 5'8", 138 lbs. I love water sports also. Write, come visit me here in Salt Lake City. Ken, 131 South 1000 East #6, Salt Lake City, UT 84102. (20)

GWM, 34, 6', 150 lbs., br/br, average to goodlooking, slim/muscular, moderately hairy bod, solid/muscular legs/iron calves spread wide beside hot, stiff, horny, juicy, cut 8" x 5" dick with super-talented hot, wet mouth, tongue; deep throat; gorgeous, hot, deep, tight, firm, tender, melon ass - both ready for safe mounting in mountains/deserts/forests/country; on floor, kitchen counters, stairs, beds; standing, prone, upside down, right side up, sideways, bent over; on my back, on my stomach, sitting on your XXX-heavy-bung, double-digit superdick at the dinner table. You: traveler, uninhibited pen pal, friend, companion, bedmate bear to fuck this horny ass and face. I've seriously deep-throated 11" x 7-1/2" - no gag reflex. You're GrA, PrAP and want hot mansex right now! I'm your man! Cut me loose! I want masculine men, not fat, under 50. No booze, pain, inmates, hog smokers, phone freaks, collect/late PM callers, certain kink, dependencies, drag, drags. Others: my bed and my endowment are waiting 4U2 cum 2 surprisingly gay SLC's "scenic wonder" Steve Oldroyd, 143 First Ave. #303, Salt Lake City, UT 84103. (801) 322-5191. AM's to noon, MDT or leave discreet message. (13)

VERMONT

6'1", 185 lbs., 37, rural man. Looking for bearded and/or hairy down-to-earth men who enjoy the outdoors (and good sex, of course). Gotta sense of humor? Wanna come play in the woods or do some skiing? Let's have some fun! Write Ed at RD #2, Box 105, Richmond, VT 05477. (14)

CALIFORNIA

Pig-bear seeks success-able bear man (and friends) who loves to laugh, likes the outdoors, beaches, motorbikes, old cars, reading, weights, good company, community and assorted entertainment. I'm confident, educated, cultured (?), healthy, HIV+, 43, 6', 190 lbs., warm hearted and nonsmoker (but steam with sex). We'd appreciate individuality and mutual-ity, enjoy our tits, dicks, asses and fur, massage, piss, sweaty-kink, toys, intimate holding, friends, good talk, leather, travel and adventurous yet balanced living. Photo and phone-letters response in kind. Graham Dunlap, 175 Monroe St., Pomona, CA 91767-3281. (22)



BRITISH COLUMBIA

Bear in the bush. 31 years old, brown hair and beard, travels throughout western and northern Canada looking for other rough-and-tumble dudes. I'm 6'2", 195 lbs., and getting a bit of a beer belly. Write Dan, 204-1157 Nelson St., Vancouver, BC, CANADA V6E 1J3, or call and leave a message at (604) 688-7336. (13)



CALIFORNIA

Service-oriented SF bear, 45, 6', 195 lbs., uncut. Knows good head and provides blow jobs to bears. Especially likes to pump and suck bears into uniforms, leather, hard hats, cowboy gear, jock/gym outfits and nut work. For suck service, send photo. JJJ, Box 421263, San Francisco, CA 94142-1263. (14)



VIRGINIA

BARE ON TOP. 38-year-old bear not into hibernating. 6'3", 175, Gr/Fr, cigars, leather, tattoos, piercings, smoke, aroma and mutual kink, especially shaving hairy bears. D.A.W., 7657 Wolford Way, Lorton, VA 22079-1743. (703) 339-5003. (22)



CALIFORNIA

Red/Blond Viking looking to match horns with mountain men. Recent transplant to Marin. Bearded, 6'1", 170 lbs., golden fur everywhere. Interested in local color, love weekend excursions into the woods. Wanta play? Send note and photo. Out-of-state visitors deadend. Dave, PO Box 1508, San Anselmo, CA 94960. (14)

GWM 38, 6'3", 320 lbs., bearded, some fur, small endowed, many interests. Looking for that right cub to grizzly to settle down with. FrAP, 69, cuddling and somewhat versatile. Take a chance; who knows? Letter/photo to James Kennedy, PO Box 429, Wallingford, VT 05773, or call (802) 446-2243. No J/O. (21)

Football Captain Hot WM, 33, 6'1", 189 lbs. very attractive, masc., & works out. Seeks tall horny guy who was or wishes he were a TEAM CAPTAIN to act out sweaty locker room, frat hazing, foot and other explosive fantasies. Call Hank, between 8pm-12mid, to meet in NYC (no J/O), at (212) 657-7352. (12)

VIRGINIA

Desperately Seeking Daddy - Hairy, athletic college cub, 6'2", 200 lbs., brown hair all over, seeks older (40+, 50+, 60+) grizzly polar bears with bellies, beards, hair, hair, hair. You are heavy, hung, experienced and ready. Send photos and I'll reply. Mid-Atlantic area, especially VA, DC. Write Mark at COA Box #48. (15)

Interested in meeting furry, affectionate guys in DC, Chicago, and St. Louis area. No preference or hangups regarding endowment size and prefer the same. Sensitive nipples a plus! I'm a bearded, moderately hairy GWM, 41, 6'3", 230 lbs., big, solid, husky build. Photo please. Nonsmokers only. Write Charles at COA Box #71. (14)

Horny, hairy GWM, 38, green eyes, brown hair, 5'8", 165 lbs., nonsmoker. Working on pecs my specialty; have pierced left nipple. Looking for masculine bear who also enjoys cuddle. I have a bushy moustache, dense ass fur, and meat that's waitin' and drippin'. Give a call to: (703) 979-6490, or write me at 2121 Columbia Pike, Apt. 204, Arlington, VA 22204-4432. John. (20)

Goodlooking DC area GWM, 46, 5'8", 160 lbs., dark beard, hairy chest/back. Hopes to please dominant masculine top and hug his hairy chest. Some kinky willing learner. You: 40+, beard/stache, cut, no gut. Silver fox a plus. Photo (returned) appreciated. Ron, 420 North Armistead St., Apt. 202, Alexandria, VA 22312. (16)

Cuddly, nice-looking teddy bear, WM, 48, 5'10", 162 lbs. of weight-trained healthy hunkiness (I), blue/sk. brown moustache, furry chest and thick, furry legs. Prof., not only speaks fluent French, but! Seeks big, furry (the balder, the "beardier," the furrer, the better) cuddly bear over 30 who enjoys it all: Chopin, Whitney Houston, hot, pulsating, orgasmic SAFE sex. Even though I live in Pat Robertson country (alas!) my nickname says it all. Your picture gets mine. Dick, PO Box 22235, Newport News, VA 23602. (12)

WM, 24, seeks letters and photos of hairy men for personal enjoyment. Love to J/O looking at pictures of nude hairy men. Will reply to letters. Correspond to: Bob, PO Box 5121, Roanoke, VA 24012. (13)

Horny, hairy GWM, 38, 6', 195 lbs., green eyes, brown hair (plus beard/moustache), very hairy chest, shoulders, back. FrAP, GrP, wants to meet hot local guys (SW Virginia area-Roanoke/Blackburg) or truckers/travelers. If you like hot fun-cuddling, videos, J/O, and (hopefully) more, write! Boxholder, Box 10051, Blackburg, VA 24060. (22)

WASHINGTON

Hairy GWM, 36, 6'3", 245 lbs., into ALL scenes, hunting bears/cubs. Stocky, bearded, hairy, older leather bears pull my trigger. Age? Who cares! Bald? Cut? Let me scope you out! Only letters/photos appreciated, held strictly confidential. No reply promised. Bill, 2703 SW 347th St., Federal Way, WA 98023. (20)

34, 5'9", 175 lbs., dark brown hair, eyes and beard. Cub looking for daddy bear for fun and games. Bald/gray OK. Ron, 503 13th Ave. E #294, Seattle, WA 98102, or call (206) 325-3565. (21)

Daddy wants his little cub! Dad: trim beard & stache, short brown hair, moderately hairy bod, tall, lean, 35, masculine, top dominant, loving, very affectionate & physical, sense of humor. No smoking or drugs! Cub should write with photo. Hurry. Dad's waiting! PO Box 23234, Seattle, WA 98102. (13)

If you are reading this for sexually explicit content, you will be disappointed. However a little background is only fair. GWM, 6'5", 285 lbs., red/white beard, salt and pepper hair, 40-year-old bear with hairy chest, back and shoulders. Outgoing, aggressive, self-directed, professional. Enjoys people, theater, movies, nights in or out, trips to the coast, fund-raising, auctions, weight training, computers and photography. 'A' type personality. Nonsmoker. No drugs or dependencies. Seeks long-term relationship with similar degree and/or professional GWM, 25 to 35 + or -. Your picture gets mine. Reply to Paul, 80 S. Jackson St. #303, Seattle, WA 98104. (16)

Big bear, hairy, 37-year-old GWM. Blue eyes, short brown hair, full beard, 6', 250 lbs., mature, independent, sensual and great cuddler. Seeks furry guy for loving relationship. G.F., 228 Aloha St. #403, Seattle, WA 98109. (22)

Horny, hairy ex-long haul truck-drivin' bearded bear wants to find some sweaty muscular action. This stocky, well-built, football player-type bear wants to share lots of sweat, body odor, stinkin' armpits, beer piss, titplay, dirty greasy 501's, filthy verbal, cigars and tattoos. Want to connect with other truckers, bi-

kers and blue-collar bears with filthy minds, greasy hands and dirty fingernails. Am looking for hair, sweat and stink with a raunchy bear attitude. Might trade dirty, sweaty T-shirts and piss-stained BVU's. Photos and letters get mine. E. D., PO Box 2313, Seattle, WA 98111. (14)

Northwest Buddy Bear on the prowl and hungry for lust friendship and more with similar animals. 5'9" 165 lbs., full trim beard, furry. Into open hearts, open holes, mansmells, mantaste, touching and pawing. Not into smoke, drugs, booze or lies. "Buddy," Box 23035, Seattle, WA 98102. (20) 329-9060. (21)

I have grown into the type of bearish man I have sought after: GWM, 5'10", middle age (49), full-bellied (180 lbs.)...but still sexy. I have brown eyes, dark brown hair, and a moustache you could put on the front of a train that would sweep cows off the track and men off their feet. Though I'm growly at times, I'm a hugger and a good smoocher. If you're 40-60, husky, lusty and would like to tangle moustaches, call or write NATIONWIDE. Send me a letter describing your sexual experiences real or imagined. Include a nude photo of yourself and I'll reciprocate with nude photo/story. J. Breadstill, 1605 12th Ave. #30, Seattle, WA 98122. (20) 322-3829. (22)

GWB, 35, 6', 190, short brown hair (mostly bald), full beard, glasses, fairly furry. Seeks affable burly bears, all regions. Prefer over 30, bearded, husky or heavy-set, quiet, independent. Grizzled bears, or bears in uniform/work clothes a special weakness. Andy, PO Box 85338, Seattle, WA 98145-1338. (22)

Stocky WM, 6', 220 lbs. New to gay scene. Would like to meet similar big stocky guys for friendship and more. Letter and photo to M. R. Woods, 202 Burwell, Apt. #62, Bremerton, WA 98310. (19)

Spokane-area black teddy bear, 58, 6', 200 lbs., wants to meet other teddy bears, 38+. Interests include classical music, museums, theater, films, travel, quiet evenings at home, reading, cuddling, safe sex. Jim, Box 249, Cheney, WA 99004-0249. (21)

Two bearded teddies love to romp with other furry brains. Tom: 5'5", 125 lbs., hairy bod, brown eyes and hair, 40 and very well-hung (cut). Mike: 6'1", 200 lbs., blue eyes, reddish brown hair, 47, some body hair, fairly well-hung (uncut). Love most varieties of safe sex. We travel extensively, or come visit us in Washington wine country. Mike & Tom, 305 So. Roosevelt, Kennewick, WA 99336. (14)

A budgy, hairy, big bear, GWM, 33, 6'0", 240. Bearded, blue eyes, big chest. Loves to cuddle. Looking for other bears to play with and have sex and fun. Call (509) 535-7230. (13)

SKINS

Ever get the urge to chew on a nice, wet, loose foreskin, but just don't know where to find one? Or maybe you'd like to find a skinlover to spend the evening worshipping your overhang. There's only one place for skinlovers and skin to come together: in the pages of SKINS, the bimonthly personal ad fanzine. A sample copy is just \$4 and comes with a free ad coupon.

Vidfile, Box 97694-B12
Las Vegas, NV 89193



WEST VIRGINIA

Mountaineer-hunter seeks loving young hunter to hunt and camp WV or wherever. 5'9", 165, young 42, bearded bear into fitness, health, nutrition, outdoors, safe sex, cuddling. Good looks, hirsuteness, beards or blondes turn-on. No drugs, alcohol, smokers. Lance, PO Box 3997, Charleston, WV 25339. (21)

WISCONSIN

Cuddly Teddy, 38, 6'7", 190 lbs., trimmed beard, hairy everywhere, seeking top bear, like trucker, construction, biker, boat-type bears, 30-50 age range. Write Mike at COA Box #46, or call (715) 835-1057. (15)

GWM, 36, 250#, looking for other hairy bearded bears for fun and possible relationship. Into big tits, pot bellies, and big hairy asses. Write to Brian at COA Box #78. (21)

GWM 47, 6'1", 208#, brown hair, hazel eyes, glasses, fairly hairy, clean-shaven, GrP, affectionate, cuddly, seeking: healthy, horny, hairy and hung affectionate GRA Bears for fun/friendship/safe sex. Write: L. Nimir, Box 2 Box 151, Evansville, WI 53536. (21)

INTERNATIONAL

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AUSTRALIA

Koala bear, 38, loves heavy, older bears in Y-fronts. Love to have your photo, with and without Y-fronts, for my private collection for my use on lonely nights. Write John Crocker, Box 350, Ringwood 3134, AUSTRALIA. (13)

GWM bear-admirer, 57', 160 lbs., 23, affectionate, good body, moderately hairy. Will be touring the USA and would like to meet some clean, fit, well-built bears (trimmed beard, moustache a plus) to show me around. Write David, PO Box 1405, Woden, A.C.T. 2606, AUSTRALIA. (14)

36-year-old, handsome, tall, healthy, hairy, moustache, uncus, cigar and pipe-smoker would like to correspond with other hairy studs. Exchange hot letters, photos and maybe meeting in the future. Can travel anywhere. Please write to Jim Anderson, Box 2122 GPO, Sydney, N.S.W. 2001, AUSTRALIA. (13)

Sydney, Australia. Any beer-bellied bear heading this way? This 33-year-old, 6'2", 205 lb., masculine guy would like to meet you. Over 35 and gray or balding a bonus. Peter James, 12 Phillips St., Alex-

andria, Sydney, N.S.W. 2015, AUSTRALIA. (22)

CANADA

36-year-old growler with a thing for leather, rubber, boots, bondage, bikes, and STEVE EARLE (go boy), pierced and rung, 175 lbs., travels to Seattle (a lot). Oh yeah, a beard 'an' 'stache, dark brown fur, tool Enjoys writin' an' readin' from other bear buddies. Share ideas, fantasies, photos...Maybe a fuck or two when we get together! North, PO Box 2253, Vancouver, BC V6B 3W2, CANADA. (13)

Healthy male, 31, worships hairy assholes, looking for a mouthful of hair from that ass, desires to service that man whenever his need arises. Will drop to my knees for the right teddy bear and give him anything he desires. Teddybear Serviceman, PO Box 381, 1215 Dayle St., Vancouver, BC V6E 1N4, CANADA. (21)

Canadian bear wants to meet gypsy-type bear traveling to British Columbia. I seek bears who are masculine, endowed and furry like myself. My den needs your strong, furry arms to cuddle and play as bears do. C'mere, eh! K. Bear, #1-549 Convent Place, Victoria, BC, CANADA. (604) 389-1268. (13)

BEAR LOVER & ADMIRER, 30's, slim/masculine, loves to cuddle, kiss, hug, FrAP, GrA, J/O, and feel the closeness of a furry, bearded man, wants to correspond and possibly meet hairy, bearded/moustached men from all over. Would love receiving bare-all photos from bears anywhere. James, PO Box 5309, Station A, Toronto, Ontario M5W 1N6, CANADA. (20)

GERMANY

Bearded, gentle man from Germany is looking forward to meeting other bearded men. It would be nice to hear from men from any part of Canada and the US. I enjoy good food, music, literature, good conversation. Am not into leather or kinky things, but I love to cuddle, kiss, hug and to feel the closeness of a furry, bearded man. Maybe you'd like to show me your parts - where and how you live. And if you plan on coming to Europe, you're welcome to stay with me. Let's make it the year of the bear. Henning Marburger, 4400 Cheruskerring 47, F.R. GERMANY.

Germany! GWM, 35, 6', 183 lbs., dark blond/blue, moderately hairy, bearded, sincere and in good health, would like to correspond with a muscular, friendly, hair-covered daddy bear (45-60). Please write with photo to Manfred, COA Box #52. (21)

ITALY

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