



THE GAYZETTE

EVENTS OF INTEREST TO METROPOLITAN OMAHA & LINCOLN

ANTI-GAY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROPOSED

The Human Rights Campaign and Metropolitan Community Churches this week assailed an attempt to propose an anti-gay U.S. constitutional amendment that would deny any legal recognition of gay relationships and forever deprive gay families in the U.S. of fundamental protections.

"This proposed constitutional amendment is an attempt by a misguided group who believes that to strengthen the concept of family, they must tear gay families down," said Donna Payne, HRC constituency field organizer, who was joined by the Rev. Phil Matthews of MCC-DC. "This attempt to rewrite our Constitution to deny a group of Americans equal rights is wrong. It is morally vacuous, spiritually vacant, intellectually dishonest and we believe, not what our forefathers intended when they wrote the Constitution."

A group of religious political activists known as the Alliance for Marriage released the text of what they call the "Federal Marriage Amendment" that they say will be introduced in Congress. "Marriage in the United States shall consist only of the union of a man and a woman," reads the proposed amendment.

HRC and MCC joined with religious leaders at a press conference this week to respond to the anti-gay group's efforts. Speaking at the press conference were HRC's Donna Payne; Rev. Phil Matthews, MCC-DC; Rabbi Jonathan Biatch, Beth El Hebrew Congregation; Rev. Michael Moore, God's Living Spirit Church.

An "On-Line" Petition encouraging Congress to oppose this discriminatory amendment is currently being circulated around the Inter-Net. The following was received last week.

Subject: Federal Marriage Amendment Petition - Anti Gay & Lesbian

I know we all get a lot of "sign and forward" petitions. But this is different and important. A bill was presented a couple of days ago (July 12th) proposing a Constitutional Amendment that will ultimately ban homosexual marriages and subsequent domestic partner benefits.



A petition is now created against this proposal. I respect the way it's being organized, and I feel strongly about it. As someone whom I care about, I'm asking you to take a minute, go to this website, read the information, and if your conscience leads you to, lend your support. Since this will be coming to Congress soon, time is obviously of the essence. When I signed there were only 2804 signatures, and I only knew a few people on the list...that's why you're receiving this. Please sign the proposal by going to: <http://www.petitiononline.com/0712t001/petition.html> Anti-Federal Marriage Amendment Petition
Editor's Note: There were 17,094 signatures when I signed the petition on July 18.

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PLANNING BEGINS FOR OCTOBER NATIONAL COMING OUT DAY

A meeting to discuss a "Coming Out" Day event will be held Mon., July 30 at Rainbow Outreach Resource Center 7 PM. Everyone is invited to come. The group will spend most of the evening discussing various NCOD ideas and will probably make a determination of exactly how to proceed. All community groups as well as individuals are invited to help plan this event.

The Imperial Court of Nebraska

Proudly Presents

Investiture

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Hosted by

Emperor XXI Tom & Empress XXI Stella Dallas

\$5 Cover ≈ 5 p.m. - 6 p.m. Hors d'oeuvres ≈ 6 p.m. - 9 p.m. Show

Saturday ≈ August 4, 2001 ≈ Stosh's Saloon

LABOR DAY FUNDRAISERS

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6-9PM
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"HATS OFF"
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A SUMMER NITES MYSTICAL DANCE

Sundowner
Dance Hall,
Grand Island, NE

Saturday, July 28
8pm - Midnight

Raffle! Performers!
Music!

Admission \$5.00 per person
(Must be 21 or over)

Proceeds To Benefit
NAP-KEARNEY
FOOD PANTRY

See you there!!!

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Emperor XVII Hosts Tri-State Fundraiser for Camp Heartland

Emperor Jeffrey Mckenzie of the Imperial Court of Nebraska, again hosted his annual Tri-State-Fundraiser in Minneapolis, MN. This year's fundraiser was sponsored by Emperor Phillip and Empress Della. Many thanks go to their Imperial Majesty's for this outstanding event.

This year's total was nearly \$2,000. The cost to send one child to this week long camp is around \$850. Therefore, between Nebraska, Minneapolis, and Iowa, we will be able to help 2.5 children in our surrounding states to this special camp.

I would like to personally thank Michele Korman again for her flawless efforts in organizing our state's participation. Also much gratitude goes out to HMIM Bill Ganzer for his dedication to this event. Thank you all for your generous support.

Hope to see you all here in Omaha for next year's event.
With Respect to All,

His Most Imperial Majesty Jeffrey McKenzie
Emperor Emeritus XVII



COME & SEE!

*Don't miss out
on the "Good News"
that will change your life!*

WORSHIP

Sundays	Wednes.
8:50 AM	7:00 PM
10:20 AM	

Metropolitan Community Church of Omaha

819 S. 22nd St. *Rev. Barb Sagat, Pastor*
mccomaha@radiks.net 402.345-2563
<http://www.excel-international.org/mccomaha>

BARS

Connections, 933-3033

1901 Leavenworth, Omaha

Club Olis, 934-4030

2801 N 16 St, Omaha

DC's Saloon, 344-3103

610 S. 14th Street, Omaha

Gilligan's Pub, 449-9147

1407 Harney, Omaha

JOY, 341-7337

1516 Jones, Omaha

The Diamond, 342-9595

712 S. 16th St., Omaha

The MAX, 346-4110

1417 Jackson, Omaha

Omaha Mining Co., 449-8703,

1715 Leavenworth, Omaha

Panic, 435-8764, 200 S. 18th Lincoln

Q, 475-2269, 226 S. 9th St, Lincoln

FREE/ANONYMOUS HIV TESTING

No appointment needed
Monday and Thursday, 7 pm - 9:30 pm

NEBRASKA AIDS PROJECT

139 South 40th Street
Omaha, NE 68131-3003
www.nap.org

REPORT ALL HATE CRIMES

444-HATE

ANY Crime is a Hate Crime

IF Motivated because of Race, Religion, or Sexual Orientation

TGCARE PROVIDES HEALTH INFORMATION TO TRANSGENDER COMMUNITY

TGCare News is the newsletter of Transgender Care Health Information Archive. TransGenderCare®.com is an educational offering of the Tampa Gender Identity Program®. New Features on the Website include:

THE TGIP GUIDE TO FEMINIZING HORMONE THERAPY

Explore the TGIP online reference guide to Feminizing Hormone Therapy found at <http://www.transgendercare.com/medical/resources/hguide/index.htm>. The Hormone Guide contains descriptions of current feminizing regimens, what you may expect from the process, and an overview of the endocrine system.

Sections at a Glance:

- ** Introduction to Feminizing Hormone Therapy.
- ** The Hormonal System.
- ** The Feminization Regimen.
- ** Typical Results of male-to-female hormonal therapy.
- ** The Biochemistry of Gender.
- ** The Biochemistry of Sex Hormones.
- ** A Look at Medications.
- ** Male Genital Anatomy -- a summary review of external and internal anatomy.

TRANSGENDER ELECTROLYSIS GUIDE

Written by transgender electrolysis and medical practitioners, TransGenderCare's Electrolysis Guide is the most comprehensive consumer guide available that is based on actual clinical experience. The TGIP Electrolysis Guide is based on 15 years of transgender electrolysis practice using blend, thermolysis, and multiple-needle galvanic treatment with pain control using topical and nitrous oxide analgesia, and other adjunct treatments such as anesthetic injection, hormone and dermatological therapies. <http://www.transgendercare.com/electrolysis/index.htm>

Sections at a Glance:

- ** Choosing an Electrologist
- ** Treatment Methods
- ** Reducing Complications
- ** Frequently Asked Questions
- ** Understanding Hair Growth
- ** Pain Management
- ** Dangers of Electrology

SEARCH THE TRANSGENDER CARE ARCHIVE

For other areas of interest, please see the library and features sections located under each topic heading, or use TransGenderCare's Search Engine: <http://www.transgendercare.com/search/index.htm>

If you wish to additionally receive Tampa Gender Identity Program's newsletter, TGIP News, or wish to provide TransGenderCare newsletter subscription information to others, please use the link <http://www.transgendercare.com/tgcare/feedback/updates.htm> to SUBSCRIBE.

CLUB OLIS AND ONYX IMAGES — AN AWESOME COMBINATION

Saturday, July 21, ONYX Images and Club OLIS teamed up for "Summer Madness." Excellent food, a warm welcome, great music and entertainment made it an evening to remember. Club OLIS is located at 2801 N. 16 St, 5 blocks north of Lake Street. The owners named the Club in honor of an African American social group from the early 90's. OLIS stands for "Our Love Is Special," the name of the social club. When you walk into Club OLIS you walk into a typical "day bar" with pool, darts, video games and a juke box. The next area of the bar has tables and chairs and another bar which opens onto the show bar and the dance floor where the DJ plays urban rock. There is nothing small or second class about this Club, which is open Thursday through Sunday with karaoke, dancing, and on special occasions, food.

SOUL FOOD SUNDAYS AND COFFEE TALKS — THIRD SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH AT CLUB OLIS

The brothers of ONYX Images gather at Club OLIS on the third Sunday of each month and prepare and serve an all-you-can-eat buffet of Soul Food followed by a discussion of various issues facing the GLBT Community. These Sunday "Coffee Talks" are led by a facilitator who keeps the conversation moving and makes sure everyone has a chance to talk. Topics have ranged from AIDS Awareness to everyone's favorite, "Relationships."

The next Soul Food Sunday will be August 19. The cost of the buffet is \$3 and the conversation is free.

GAYZETTE EVENTS

THROUGH AUGUST 19

STAGES OF OMAHA PRESENTS

"ALL THAT HE WAS"

The Millenium Theatre, 16 & Jackson, Omaha, 345-8166

FRIDAY, JULY 27—

SUNDAY, JULY 29

SNAP!FEST 2001 "STREET THEATER" & "MOTHER, TREE, CAT"

ShelterBeltTheatre, 341-2757; www.snapproductions.com

SATURDAY, JULY 28

DORIC WILSON, AUTHOR OF

STREET THEATER SPEAKS ON ORIGINS OF GAY THEATER

1pm

3225 California, \$5 suggested donation

GARDEN WALK FOLLOWED BY MUSIC PERFORMED IN THE

GARDENS

6pm Garden Walk;

7pm Music; MCC-Omaha, 819 S. 22

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4

INVESTITURE OF ICON ROYAL

FAMILIES, 6-9pm, Stosh's Saloon, The MAX

SUNDAY, AUGUST 12

MR PRIDE 2001 SHOW, The MAX

WEEKLY EVENTS

Every Sunday

WORSHIP SERVICES:

DIETZ UNITED METHODIST

1423 S. 10, 11AM

1ST UNITED METHODIST

7020 Cass, 8:30 & 10:45am

METROPOLITAN COMM.

CHURCH OF OMAHA

819 S. 22, 8:50 & 10:20am

HEARTLAND UNITED METH

Bellevue West High School; 10:30am

FIRST UNITARIAN

3114 Harney Street, 11am

LOWE AVE PRESBYTERIAN

1023 N. 40, Omaha 10am

UNITY CHURCH

3424 North 90, Omaha

Every Sunday

HASTINGS COLLEGE GAY/

STRAIGHT ALLIANCE Hastings, NE. Meeting locations changes each week. FFI: Judy Sandeen (402) 461-7372. 8 p.m.

LAMBDA TELEVISION

NETWORK Q.

Lincoln Cable Channel 13. 12 a.m.

LINCOLN WEEKLY WOMYN'S

POTLUCK AT VARIOUS

HOMES. FFI: Cheryl 474-

1937.11:30am—4pm

THE WIMMIN'S SHOW

KZUM 89.3. 12:30—3 p.m.

CABARET ENTERTAINMENT

Q, 226 S. 9th St., Lincoln

RIVER CITY MIXED BOWLING

FALL SEASON

"QUEER AS FOLK" 9pm,

Upstairs Bar, The MAX

Every Monday

SAGE POTLUCK DINNER

6 - 9pm, Rainbow Outreach GLBT Resource Center, 1719 Leavenworth, 341-0330 All Are Welcome, Bring Your Favorite Foods to Share

HIV TESTING, 7-9 pm

NAP 139 S. 40th, Omaha

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS GLBT

"RAINBOW GROUP" Open meetings. The Meeting Place, 28th & S Streets. Lincoln, 7:30 p.m.

"QUEER AS FOLK",

7pm, DC's, Happy Hour, The MAX

Every Tuesday

OMAHA MEN'S SUPPORT

GROUP, MCC-Omaha,

819 S. 22 St., 7:30pm

Every Wednesday

HIV TESTING, 1 - 4 pm

NAP Outreach Center, 1723 Leavenworth, Omaha

NINTENDO WEDNESDAYS

6-9 pm, Rainbow Outreach

FRONTRUNNERS RUN/WALK

6:30pm AkSarBen Lot 5, Omaha

GRAND ISLAND LGBT

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

Basement of Alcohol and Treatment Center at 2116 W. Faidley, Grand Island. FFI: Peggy at (308) 226-8286 or the Center at (308) 398-5427. 7:30p.m.

KARAOKE W/ STACY, 8:30pm,

DC's Saloon

Every Thursday

HIV TESTING, 7-9 pm

NAP, 139 S. 40th, Omaha

KARAOKE

9pm, Connections

9pm, Gilligan's

9pm, Club Olis

Every Friday

LAMBDA TELEVISION LOCAL

QUEER EVENTS, Unitarian Church. Lincoln Cable Channel 13. 3 p.m.

FREE FRIDAY MOVIE 7:45PM,

Rainbow Outreach GLBT Resource Center, 1719 Leavenworth

HIV TESTING, 5 - 10 pm

NAP Outreach Center, 1723 Leavenworth

RAINBOW BIBLE STUDY

6-7:30pm; Lowe Ave Presby Church, 1023 N. 40, Omaha

LGBT AA MEETING, 8pm

Boys & Girls Home, Sioux City, IA, (712) 252-4272,

KARAOKE

9pm, Gilligan's

Q DREAM BOYZ. Q, 226 S. 9th St.

Lincoln, 11 p.m.

FRIDAY LATE SHIFT WITH ARIC

& FRIENDS 10pm - 2am, ROCC, Food, Videos, Conversation, and fun "After Hours" GLBT Library open

Every Saturday

LAMBDA TELEVISION LOCAL

QUEER EVENTS, Unitarian Church. Lincoln Cable Channel 13. 3 p.m.

GAYZETTE EVENTS

PROUD HORIZONS YOUTH

GROUP 4 4-6pm 291-6781 or proudhorizons@yahoo.com

KARAOKE

9pm, Gilligan's
9pm, Panic, 200 S. 18, Lincoln

MONTHLY EVENTS

1st Saturday

RIVER CITY GENDER ALLIANCE

Room Open: 4pm Meeting at 7pm,
Call 991-8845 or email:
rcga@tgforum.com

GAY/BISEXUAL SUPPORT GROUP

FOR HIV+ MEN, Nebraska AIDS Project, 220 S. 17 St, Lincoln . FFI: Mark Giesler 476-7000. 6-8 p.m.

2nd Friday

FREE, CONFIDENTIAL, ANONYMOUS HIV TESTING Walk-ins welcome. UNL campus. FFI: 476-0355. 1-3:30 p.m.

2nd Saturday

LEATHER ENGINEERS—OMAHA

Meeting 7pm, Gilligan's
Beer Bust 9pm, DC's

2nd Sunday

LEARNING TO EXCHANGE

POWER L2EP@aol.com
Novice S/M,B/D Group; 1pm; DCs

2nd Wednesday

FLAT WATER BEARS 7:30pm
Diamond Bar, 712 S. 16th Omaha

2nd Thursday

PFLAG - OMAHA 7pm
1st United Meth, Mead Hall

2nd Saturday

GLSEN OMAHA, Board Mtg, 8:30am,
MCC-Omaha, 819 S. 22 St

QUAKERS OFFER GAY-FRIENDLY

FOOD-NET Quaker Meeting House, 3319 S. 46 St., Lincoln The food is free and without obligation or paperwork. 11 a.m.—noon

3rd Sunday

SOUL FOOD SUNDAY Sponsor:
ONYX Images, Club OLIS, 2801 N 16

3rd Monday

IMPERIAL COURT
OF NEBRASKA BOARD MTG
MCC-O, 819 S. 22nd St., 6:30pm

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4th Tuesday

PFLAG-CORNHUSKER Small groups session including mixed, parents, youth, gay, lesbian, bisexual, straight spouse. Followed by program. Unitarian Church, 6300 A St., Lincoln, 7 p.m. (Social Half Hour 6:30 p.m.).

YOUTH HIV TESTING Lighthouse, 2530 N St, Lincoln For ages 13 to 18 only. FFI: 475-3220. 3-5:30 p.m.

NAMES PROJECT OF THE HEARTLAND

E-mail: AIDSQuiltOmaha@aol.com

4th Friday

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Walk-ins welcome. UNL campus.
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UPCOMING EVENTS

FRIDAY, AUGUST 17

SPAGHETTI AND PIZZA FEED
Doors open 5:30PM, Food @ 6pm \$4
CELEBRATION SERVICE 7PM
Metropolitan Community Church of Omaha 819 South 22, 345-2563

SUNDAY, AUGUST 19

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Sponsor: ONYX Images,
Club OLIS 2801 N. 16

SATURDAY, SEPT 1

EMPEROR AND EMPRESS BALL
Stosh's Saloon, The MAX

SUNDAY, SEPT 2

MICHELE KORMAN'S 6TH ANNUAL "HATS OFF TO THE EMPRESS AND THE EMPEROR'S NEW CLOTHES" DC'S SALOON

MONDAY, SEPT 3

ICON PICNIC Vennelyst Park,
9100 N. 31 Ave, Omaha 1-6 pm

FRJ SEPT 7-SUN SEPT 9

LEATHER ENGINEERS OF OMAHA "ROAR II—IN THE JUNGLE"

SATURDAY, SEPT 15

HGRA BARN DANCE, Lakota Stables

SATURDAY, SEPT 22

LIVING BETTER CONFERENCE
Workshop, speakers, & fun, Unitarian Church, 6300 "A", Lincoln 475-3437

SUNDAY, SEPT 30

INGA BENEFIT FOR MCC The MAX

FRJ, OCT. 5 - SUN, OCT 7

ONYX IMAGES 10TH ANNIV. "A DECADE OF BROTHERHOOD"

SATURDAY, OCT. 6

"ART FROM THE CLOSET"
Jackson Art Works, 1108 Jackson

SUNDAY, NOV. 11

ICON FOOD 4 THOUGHT, The MAX

SATURDAY, DEC 1

NIGHT OF 1000 STARS

SUNDAY, DEC 2

MR PRIDE 2001 FUNDRAISER
The MAX

SUNDAY, DEC 9

ICON TOYZ 4 TOTZ, The MAX

BISEXUALITY & GENDER CONFERENCE

The First North American Conference on Bisexuality, Gender and Sexual Diversity (NACB 2001) is set to convene at the University of British Columbia Conference Centre on August 9-12, 2001. The first event of its kind on the continent, NACB 2001 represents a rare and unique opportunity to address the issues of bisexuals and other sexual minorities in an inspiring international forum.

By bringing bisexual, transgender, polyamory, BDSM, intersex, and other sexual minority communities together under a single roof, NACB 2001 offers unprecedented access to this highly marginalized and largely misunderstood -- though vital sector of the global community.

Five-hundred delegates of local, provincial, national and international stature are expected to be in attendance from across North America, and many influential speakers have agreed to participate. Prominent speakers, for example, include:

- pioneering transgendered activist and author, Kate Bornstein (whose works on gender and gender identity -- including "Gender Outlaw: On Men, Women and the Rest of Us", and "My Gender Workbook" -- are taught in over 120 college and university campuses around the world);
- electrifying 'guerilla bisexual theologian' Rev. Dr. Elijahou Farajajé (Dean of the Faculty and professor of History and Sociology of the Starr King School for the Ministry);
- "Intersex Society of Canada" founder, Doctor Morgan Holmes (currently an Assistant Professor of Sociology at Wilfrid Laurier University, Holmes has been an activist in intersex issues since 1993, working with ISNA and independently to change standard medical approaches to intersexed infants, children and their families. Her PhD dissertation on intersexuality [Concordia, Interdisciplinary Studies in Society and Culture] was titled rather cheekily, "The Doctor Can Fix Everything");
- editor of the "Bi Resource Guide", Robyn Ochs (the "Bi Resource Guide" is the premiere international community service referral guide for the bisexual community, listing over 300 bisexual groups and 1750 bi-inclusive groups in 56 countries, as well as hundreds of electronic resources, cultural histories, etc.);
- Lani Kaahumanu & Loraine Hutchins, co-editors of the groundbreaking bisexual anthology, "Bi Any Other Name";
- Barry Saiff, Chair of the BiNet USA Steering Committee and,
- Fritz Klein, Editor of the "Journal of Bisexuality", the "Haworth Series on Bisexuality", and author of "The Bisexual Option".

For more information <http://bi.org/~binetbc/2001/>. Or, contact:
Jessa Agilo-Copeland Farrago@intergate.ca

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SNAPfest 2001

4th Annual New Works Festival

Mother, Tree, Cat JULY 12-15, 26, 28

Mother, Tree, Cat

By Doris Appel Directed by Lara Marsh

In *Mother, Tree, Cat* a former child prodigy revisiting her complicated Jewish family faces a confrontation with her adored lesbian aunt and a romance with a disillusioned rabbi as she struggles to regain her spirit and her art. July 15 - 7pm - is a fund raiser for Temple Israel but open to the public. Tickets for this date only are \$25 with box dinner. Reserve by July 8.

Sign Interpreted
July 12

JULY 19-22, 27, 29

Doris Wilson
STREET THEATER

By Doris Wilson Directed by Scott Jackman

Street Theater focuses on a panorama of drags dykes leathermen flower children vice cops and cruisers - the innocent and not-so-innocent bystanders who would turn Christopher St. and June 28, 1969 into D-day in gay history - the night that gays fought back. July 28 - 1pm - 3225 California St. - \$5 suggested donation - Doris will give a talk (with Q & A) about the roots of Gay Theatre/Gay Theatre pre-AIDS. A participant in the Stonewall riots. Doris began his career at Caffe Cino, the birthplace of Alternative, Gay and Off-Off Broadway Theatre.

Sign Interpreted
July 22

3225 California St.

Thurs., Fri., Sat. - 8 pm • Sun. - 6 pm (July 15@7pm)

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(from Omaha 552-9255)

Monday—Friday: 9am—11pm
Weekends: 6pm—11pm

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Late Nite Fridays With Aric and Friends

Wanna go hang out
for a while?

Got Nothin' to do
while you wait for
after hours?

The Resource Center
1719 Leavenworth
Is Open
10:30—1:30 a.m.
Every Friday Night

Movies, Sodas,
Books, Conversation,
and
New People to Meet
In a
SAFE Environment

See You There!!

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STAGES OF OMAHA ANNOUNCES THE RETURN OF *ALL THAT HE WAS*

Stages of Omaha announces the return of *ALL THAT HE WAS*, the story of one man's struggle with his own mortality. The audience attends his funeral while the deceased acts as the host and narrator of this very touching, and surprisingly funny, account of his life, death and his relationships with those that he loved. Although invisible to the rest of the cast, the Man tries to manipulate those who have come to pay their final respects in an attempt to bring together the people who meant the most to him. Although they have gathered together to pay their final respects, even their love for the Man cannot bring them together philosophically and cannot help them to understand. Throughout the show, the audience sees flashbacks from the Man's life as we learn about the joys and sorrows, the trials and tribulations of his life, and the times he spent with those that he loved. Can the Man reach from beyond his own funeral to finally touch the hearts of those he loved most of all...showing them a way to understand, and to love...a way to leave the hurt behind and try and understand him, for *All That He Was*.

This very touching and entertaining musical runs through August 19, Thur thru Sat nights at 7:30 pm and Sunday afternoons at 2:30 pm. Ticket prices: \$15-adult, \$12-military, students and senior citizens, \$10-groups of 10 or more. Tickets can be reserved by calling Stages of Omaha at 402-345-8166, or online at www.StagesofOmaha.com Remaining tickets may be purchased at the door on the night of the show. The Millennium Theatre is located on the first floor of the Union Plaza Building on the corner of 16th and Jackson at 601 South 16 St., 2 blocks south of the Orpheum Theatre. For information, visit the website at www.StagesofOmaha.com.

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*****Sat., July 28, 1pm, 3225 California St., \$5 suggested donation*****

Doric Wilson will give a talk (with plenty of time for Q & A) about the roots of Gay Theatre and Gay Theatre pre-AIDS. Doric had a great deal of his early work performed at Caffe Cino, which was a major influence on American theater, beginning what became known as Off-Off Broadway and introducing dramatists as diverse as Tom Egan, John Guare, Robert Heide, William Hoffman, Harry Koutoukas, Robert Patrick, Sam Shepard and Lanford Wilson. Alternative theater in general, and gay theater specifically can trace their roots directly to Caffe Cino.

Last Performance of Mother Tree Cat is Saturday, July 28 @ 8pm

--RESERVATION INFORMATION: -All events at SNAP!/Shelterbelt Theatre: 3225 California St.
-Curtain times: Thurs., Fri., Sat. - 8 pm . Sun. - 6 pm -Ticket prices: All SNAP!fest seats only \$10!!!
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- GALO (Gay & Lesbian Org at UNO)**
www.angelfire.com/home/GALO contact: unogalo@hotmail.com "Building Bridges Through Education and Acceptance" or SPO (Student Organizations) at 554-2711.
- Gay, Lesbian & Straight Education Network-Omaha**, Box 641676, Omaha 68164, 596-2596
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Box 3354, Omaha 68103 Enjoy rodeo & country ways 800-561-6918
- Ice Bowl Invitational Bowling Tournament (IBIT)** P.O. Box 31838, Omaha, NE 68131, e-mail icebowlomaha@hotmail.com
- Imperial Court of Nebraska**, Box 3772, Omaha 68103 556-9907, Board Meeting 3rd Mon, 819 S. 22
- Learning to Exchange Power**, L2EP@aol.com; Social, educational group novices in Leather LifeStyle
- Leather Engineers of Omaha (LEO)** Box 8181 Omaha 68108
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- Lutherans Concerned**, c/o Augustana Lutheran Church, 3647 Lafayette, Omaha, 551-4728
- Mpower**, c/o Nebr AIDS Project, 139 S. 40, Omaha 68131 Men teaching men about HIV
- Men's Support Group-Omaha**, c/o MCC-Omaha, 819 S. 22 St., <http://www.radiks.net/mike2tom/msgomaha> 345-2563; Tuesday 7:30pm
- Metropolitan Community Church of Omaha**, 819 S. 22 St., Omaha 68108 345-2563, mccomaha@radiks.net
Sunday Worship 8:50 & 10:20am,
- Names Project of the Heartland**, AIDSQuiltOmaha@aol.com;

- Nebraska AIDS Project**, 552-9260
Watanabe Wellness Ctr, 139 S. 40 St., Omaha 68131, Testing Monday and Thursday Evenings
- NAP Outreach Center**, 1723 Leavenworth, Testing & Counseling: Wed. Afternoon, Fri Night
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- Nebraska Gay Dads group list exchange emails posted to the list for discussion**
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Onyximages@hotmail.com Fraternity for African American Men
- Out and About in Nebraska**, outabout@worldshare.net or <http://travel.to/outabout> Social group for those who enjoy the outdoors
- Parents and Friends of Lesbians And Gays (PFLAG) Omaha Chapter** Call (402) 291-6781 Meet 2nd Thursday, 1st United Methodist, 7020 Cass, Omaha
- Pride!, Inc.** Box 8583, Omaha 68108
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- Proud Horizons Youth Group**, Sat Afternoon, info: (402) 291-6781 or email proudhorizons@yahoo.com
- Rainbow Outreach GLBT Resource Ctr**, 1719 Leavenworth, Omaha, 341-0330, Web Site: www.ROCC.org
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- Rainbow Bible Study**, Fridays, 6-7:30pm, Lowe Ave Presbyterian, 1023 N. 40 St., Omaha
- River City Mixed Chorus**, Box 3267, Omaha, NE 68103, 402-341-SING
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- SNAP Productions**, Box 8464, Omaha, NE 68108 www.snapproductions.com
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220 S. 17th St. Lincoln, NE 68508. (402) 476-7000
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- Omaha Women's Riverboat Cruise**, 4949 N. 73 St, Lincoln, 68507 (402) 467-5737
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- Plainsmen**, Support group for FtM's (Female to Male), Drag Kings TV Butches, 402-820-1267
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Kathy@bluzzdiva@aol.com
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