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TONIGHT IS MUST-SEE TV WITH BRENDAN, AND EVEN THOUGH IT'S DEADLY COLD OUT, WITH A FIERCE WIND, I DECIDE TO MAKE THE WALK ALL THE WAY OVER TO HIS PLACE. I BUNDLE UP REAL GOOD THOUGH.



IT'S PROBABLY ALL RERUNS TONIGHT BUT THE IMPORTANT THING IS TO GET OUT AND BE SOCIAL... ANYTHING TO KEEP FROM THINKING TOO MUCH...



EVERYTHING IS COVERED IN SILENT WHITE. I'M REMEMBERING HOW BRENDAN TOLD ME RIGHT AT THE OUTSET THAT NATHAN WOULD END UP HURTING ME.. WHAT CAN I SAY THOUGH, I'LL MAKE SACRIFICES FOR A PARTICULAR TYPE OF HUMAN TOUCH.



..INCLUDING SOME OF MY STANDARDS. NAMELY, THAT "CHADGUY" FROM THE CHATROOM - I MEAN, HE WAS REALLY CUTE AND ALL, BUT SOME OF THE THINGS HE SAID, JEEZ... WE'RE HOOKING UP AGAIN NEXT WEEK THOUGH..



CUTE OR NO, HE SURE DIDN'T ERASE NATHAN FROM MY HEAD..IT'S NOT LIKE I'M IN LOVE OR ANYTHING, BUT OL' NATHAN'S GOT MORE THAN YOUR TYPICAL HUMAN TOUCH. TWO WEEKS AGO HE SAID HE'D CALL ME.



GODDAMN, IT'S ARCTIC OUT HERE TONIGHT... OFF IN THE DISTANCE I CAN SEE A BUNCH OF SNOWMEN DOTTING THE LANDSCAPE OF THE FROZEN-OVER LAKE. LOT OF FOLKS MAKING THE BEST OF THE FRIGID CONDITIONS, APPARENTLY.



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Dykes To Watch Out For by Alison Bechdel

get me to the clerk on time

IN THE FIRST BLUSH OF HER ROMANCE WITH SAMIA, GINGER HAS BECOME A BIT LAX IN THE CLASSROOM DISCIPLINE DEPARTMENT.

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SO, UH... ANY THOUGHTS ABOUT THE WAY RUMI ADDRESSES THE DIVINE IN SENSUAL TERMS?

GIMME #112 WINS \$10 ON UTAH MINUS THE SIX.

WELL, I FOUND IT OFFENSIVE. I THINK MEL GIBSON CONVEYS SURRENDER TO THE DIVINE MUCH MORE TASTEFULLY IN "THE PASSION OF THE CHRIST."

DID U2 DO IT LAST NITE?

DEGT GF'S TIL GOT MY V CRD!

CHIRRP!

ONE MOMENT PLEASE, CYNTHIA.

HELLO?

CHEM SPILL KIT

DID YOU HEAR? THE MAYOR JUST STARTED DOING LESBIAN AND GAY MARRIAGES! LET'S GO TO CITY HALL!

I... UH... WOW. LISTEN, I MEAN...

BREATHE, HABIBI! I'M NOT PROPOSING, I JUST THOUGHT IT'D BE FUN TO GO CHECK OUT THE SCENE.

THANKS FOR LETTING HIM LEAVE EARLY. FAMILY EMERGENCY.

WHAT'S GOING ON?

WE'RE ALL GOING DOWN TO CITY HALL MOMMY AND I ARE GETTING MARRIED!

NETHER HEIGHTS ELEMENTARY YOU CAN'T GET MARRIED!

YES, WE CAN! THE MAYOR JUST DECIDED IT WAS UNFAIR NOT TO LET US!

I MEAN, YOU'RE TOO OLD TO GET MARRIED.

MEANWHILE, A CROWD GATHERS...

IT'S NICE OF YOU TO COME SEE CLARICE AND TONI GET HITCHED, MO, CONSIDERING YOU'RE A CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTOR AND ALL.

WHERE'S SYDNEY?

STUART!

PICKING UP FLOWERS. GOD, WHAT A MELEE.

WELL, LOOK AT YOU TWO! SPARROW, THIS IS MY EX, SIGRID, AND MY EX, LILITH.

WHAT TH'?

WILL YOU DO ME THE HONOR OF PARADOXICALLY RE-INSCRIBING AND DESTABILIZING HEGEMONIC DISCOURSE WITH ME?

SYDNEY! OVER HERE!

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