

# Dykes To Watch Out For

## Pajama Party

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ARE YOU SURE THIS IS OKAY? HE COULD STOP BY AFTER DINNER AND PICK HIM UP.

NO WAY! THE WHOLE POINT IS FOR YOU GUYS TO HAVE A NIGHT ALONE NOW GET OUTTA HERE!

HEY, RAFFER!

I DUNNO, TONI. HE'S NEVER SLEPT AWAY FROM HOME BEFORE. DO YOU THINK HE'LL BE ALL RIGHT?

HE'LL BE FINE. I'M MORE WORRIED ABOUT SPARROW, GINGER, AND LOIS. AT LEAST THERE'S THREE OF THEM.

GOOD! NOW CLICK ON THE HYPER-TEXT LINK TO THE MUPPET PAGE AND WE'LL FIND YOU A NICE BEDTIME STORY.

ANY NEWS FROM HOMOPHOBIA CENTRAL? OR IS YOUR MOTHER STILL NOT SPEAKING TO YOU?

CARMEN WENT OVER LAST NIGHT TO RUN INTERFERENCE. SHE SAYS MOM'S MOUTH HAS STOPPED FOAMING.

SHOULDN'T HE BE WINDING DOWN ABOUT NOW?

WOOF! DOGGY EAT!

YIP!

CLARICE, WHAT HAPPENED WITH GLORIA WAS TOTALLY CRAZY. I DIDN'T MEAN TO HURT YOU.

IT'S MY OWN FAULT. I'VE BEEN SO DISTANT AND WRAPPED UP IN MY WORK. I'M SURPRISED YOU DIDN'T LEAVE ME MONTHS AGO.

LOIS! RELAX! IT'S NON-TOXIC, NON-STAINING, AND CONTAINS NATURAL FLAVORING.

GOD, IT'S WEIRD NOT HAVING RAFFI HERE. UH... I FEEL AWKWARD, PLANNING TO HAVE SEX LIKE THIS. MAYBE WE SHOULD RELAX WITH SOME TV FIRST.

CLARICE, IT'S BEEN FIVE MONTHS! I'M NOT WASTING ONE MORE SECOND ON MARY TYLER MOORE.

HOW ARE WE GOING TO EXPLAIN THE DRIED LUBE IN HIS HAIR?

EEK! NO THANKS!

JESUS. NO WONDER CLARICE AND TONI ARE ON THE SKIDS.

CLARICE! WHAT IS THIS?

IT'S... YOU KNOW... KIND OF A NIGHTGOWN, I GUESS. I THOUGHT IT MIGHT HELP. DO YOU LIKE IT?

RHODA? WHY DID YOU REPLACE MY FLANNEL NIGHTIE WITH THIS FILMY NEGLIGEE FOR MY TRIP TO THE HOSPITAL?

HEY, KID. YOU WEREN'T GONNA MEET ANY DOCTORS IN THAT OLD THING.

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## THE fundamental things apply

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HI, MD. THANKS FOR OFFERING TO COOK.

I JUST DON'T HAVE TIME TO EAT OUT. I'M GOING TO HEAR BEATRICE READ AT THE BANDERSNATCH GALLERY AT EIGHT.

OH, THE POET? IS IT A DATE?

YEAH, WELL, WE'RE GOING OUT AFTER.

THAT'S GREAT. I'M REALLY HAPPY FOR YOU. SIGH.

SO, UH... ARE YOU LIKE, BUMMED ABOUT ELLEN?

YEAH. I'M SAD ABOUT BREAKING UP, BUT I'M SAD ABOUT THE WHOLE RELATIONSHIP, TOO. WE WERE NEVER REALLY RIGHT FOR EACH OTHER. Y'KNOW, THE MAIN REASON I WAS ATTRACTED TO HER WAS BECAUSE SHE WAS SO DIFFERENT FROM YOU.

REALLY?

DECISIVE, POWERFUL, CONFIDENT, AMBITIOUS. IT WAS SO SEDUCTIVE.

BUT SHE'S NOT THE KIND OF PERSON YOU CAN GET VERY CLOSE TO. I DOUBT IF WE'LL EVER BE FRIENDS. WITH YOU, I ALWAYS KNEW NO MATTER WHAT, WE'D STILL BE FAMILY.

HUH.

HAVE YOU FEP THE SEAL POINTER SISTERS YET?

NO, I WAS JUST ABOUT TO.

PROWL!

MEOW!

I'LL DO IT. DO YOU STILL PUT THE BREWER'S YEAST IN THEIR GLOP?

YEAH, BUT DON'T...

I KNOW. DON'T JUST SPRINKLE IT ON. MIX IT IN. FEH.

SO I'M A BETTER EX THAN ELLEN, HUH?

SOPHIE'S DINER...

YOU BE CAREFUL WITH THAT POETRY BABE. SHE SEEMS A LITTLE RICH FOR YOUR BLOOD.

YOU'RE JUST JEALOUS. DON'T WORRY. ONE DAY YOU'LL FIND SOMEONE AS RUTHLESS AS ELLEN AND AS CAPABLE OF INTIMACY AS ME.

GOD, THAT'S THE DAY YOU CAN TAKE ME OUT BEHIND THE BARN AND SHOOT ME.

LOUIE, I THINK THIS IS THE BEGINNING OF A BEAUTIFUL FRIENDSHIP.

## THE MOSTLY UNFABULOUS SOCIAL LIFE OF ETHAN GREEN...

BY Eric Orner

ONE SATURDAY AFTERNOON WHEN YOU SHOULD'VE BEEN SCRUBBING THE BATHROOM, YOU AND A CELEBRATED TELEVISION PITCHMAN FELL DEEPLY IN LOVE.

HE WORKED A GREAT DEAL. YOU SPENT MOST OF YOUR TIME BY HIS POOL.

DESPITE THE HOUSEHOLD FAMILIARITY OF HIS NAME, AND AN INTENSELY LOYAL FOLLOWING WHICH INCLUDED YOUR GREAT AUNT FLORENCE, HE REMAINED SOMETHING OF AN ENIGMA.

HELL, EVEN A GUY WHO'S BEEN TO HOTLANTA AS MANY TIMES AS BUCKY CLAIMED TO HAVE NO IDEA THAT YOUR MAN WAS GAY...

"COURSE BUCK ISN'T THE BRIGHTEST BULB BURNING, AND PROBABLY FELT A BIT SILLY WHEN YOU POINTED OUT A FEW SALIENT POINTS...

TRUE, HE LIKED HIS SEX KIND'A STERILE, BUT YOU FIGURED TIME AND A LITTLE BIT OF ELBOW GREASE WOULD REMEDY THAT...

THOSE OTHER BRANDS? FEH! BUT THIS ONE! I NEVER DAMPMOP WITH ANYONE ELSE... MAYBE YOU'LL BRING HIM HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS. ROSH HASHANAH'S EARLY THIS YEAR. I WONDER DOES HE LIKE BRISKET? TWIN ASTHMATICS

.. I JUST NEVER FIGURED...

.. HE'S GOT A GREAT TAN, ROLLED UP SLEEVES WHICH SHOW OFF SWELLING BICEPS, EARRINGS, AND AN OBSESSION WITH CLEANING HOUSE... WHAT DO YOU THINK?!!

I DUNNO. I MEAN, THE GUY DOES WEAR WHITE SLACKS BEFORE MEMORIAL DAY.

I'M HOME!

WASH ME BABY, I FEEL DIRTY.

WIKY DIRTY.

## MURPHY'S MANOR

by Kurt Erichsen

God, what possessed me to go to my High School reunion? I wish Mark were here!

Murf? Murphy Robinson?

MARSHFIELD HIGH SCHOOL 20TH REUNION

Dale Neals - remember me? I hear you're still a bachelor. I've got 11 kids and 43 grandkids.

I'm skipping those and going straight to great grand children.

They're great kids. I've got photos of all of 'em. This is Dale Jr. hang-gliding with the twins. Here's Natalia stuffing her first moose-head. And that's little Cadmar adjusting his spark plugs, and those cuties.

Wait, you've gotta see my antiques!

This is the Tiffany chandelier I got for \$12 at a garage sale last November... and here's my collection of depression glassware... and this buffet was owned by Mae West, and...