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Dear Ruthie

Hey - it's January! So, Happy New Year, ya crazy bastards! It's 2008...time to say goodbye to 2007 and hello to a New Year. It's a time of hope, excitement and opportunity. So whether you ring in the New Year quietly or in a drunken stupor with a few dozen crazies, have a great New Year's Day and a helluva 2008.

Stay home with a loved one or go out and have some fun. Grab some ass and think of me, or grab your own ass and think of me. I don't care, just make 2008 the best it can be, damn it! So, what's new beside the year? Well, last month I had the honor of shakin' my Christmas thang at The Room during their outrageous Holiday Show. I think it's safe to say that a great time was had by all. That's because nothing says "Merry Christmas" like a piano sing-a-long accompanied by smiling patrons, drag queens, a nun costume and a great, big pair of perfectly shaped boobies.

All of the performers were delightful, the bar staff was super and emcee Karen Valentine was supreme. Of course, The Room's owner, David, just keeps getting better looking every time I see him, so stopping by The Room is always a treat for me. (Now, when is he gonna grab RUTHIE'S ass!)

That's enough ass-talk for now, whaddya say we read our first letter of 2008, 'eh? The honor goes to a guy who actually e-mailed me back in November. (Sorry for the late reply, honey.) He sounds like a real doll so let's see what his problem is.

Dear Ruthie,

My partner moved into my apartment about two years ago. We have an INCREDIBLE place near Brady Street. I love it. I thought we both loved, but I guess I've been wrong. Recently, he told me that he really wanted a house of our own. He says he's

sick of wasting money (on rent) and that we need to move on with our relationship and that buying a house together is what we have to do to "move forward" to quote him. He never said he'd leave me without the house, but he's so serious about all of this that he's acting like he will dump my ass if we don't buy a house soon. I love our apartment and do not want to move. We can afford a house, but why? Things are going fine here. He's pressuring me to give in, but I just can't. We fight about it weekly. How can I convince him that home is where the heart is, and that this is our home?

(Signed) There's No Place Like Homo

Dear Homo,

Okay, Sugar, here's what ya do. Pack up all of his crap and toss it in the alley. Let the bastard sleep in a box out back. Don't let him back in the apartment, and after a few days of living in his own filth, ask him what he thinks of living in the apartment.

No, no, no. We can't do that, can we? Let's back up a second, Sugar Pie. He moved into what was originally your apartment, right? Maybe he simply wants a place that both of you can call home. Maybe he feels like he's living in your place...not a home for both of you.

You say you can afford a home financially. So, why not look into it a bit? You may surprise yourself. Personally, I'll stick with my trailer, but I understand it's a buyers market right now, so why not appease him and see what's out there. Possibly consider moving to a house with a rent-to-own arrangement as a first step.

Take a deep look at why you REALLY don't want to move and discuss your thoughts with your stud. Try to see where he's coming from and find some common ground.

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Cruising travel to Prague. Prague? Aren't these kids all from Prague?

During their stay, Benjamin Bloom, Niall Phoenix, Bryan McCain and Mark Zebro are all sharing a hotel room. Following their dusty travels, the four boys decide to shower, together naturally, which gets them all hard and horny. Once they dry off, they jump into the king-size bed for a leisurely quartet. This oral-only opening scene finds the four frisky lads playful and able to fire off impressive loads.

Over the next six scenes, our four horny tourists explore the beautiful city of Prague, looking for cute, willing partners, which they find in abundance. After frolicking on paddleboats, Bloom sets off alone and finds Philip Denin, a long-haired blond who invites Bloom home. Ever the gracious host, Philip might offer only the most inexperienced cocksucking but soon raises his heels and offers Bloom a better option.

When the three remaining friends turn their frolicking to one of Prague's beautiful parks, Bryan McCain strays from the path and makes a new friend in cute uber-twink Samuel Hoffman, who looks way too young to be a veteran off over a dozen films. Chatting on a park bench, the two become better acquainted. Chatting leads to exchanging blow jobs before young Samuel offers Bryan his ass. Another nicely playful scene for fans of outdoor sex.

In the first of two three-ways, Mark Zebro wonders the streets of Prague before encountering Thierry Aulin and George Michaelo lip locked. Prague is evidently an incredibly friendly city as the two young men ask Mark to join in and he doesn't need to be asked twice. Taking Mark home with them, George manfully worships Mark's mighty trun-



cheon before bottom boy Thierry takes on both boys in any number of different positions prior to the obligatory wank.

A second three-way features Benjamin Bloom and Naill Phoenix who catch cute young sailor Thomas Mehar, aka Thomas Jefferson plus a couple of duos follow. In the finale, Naill Phoenix hooks-up with another cute sailor, Nicolas Markov.

Bel Ami fans will find **Summer Cruising** reminiscent of the classic **An American in Prague**, which surely put the Czech capital on the gay tourist map. Although the cast is young and cute, the sex is standard **Bel Ami** issue at best leaving **Summer Cruising** pleasant if unremarkable entertainment.

Ratings: (* to *****)
Ink Storm **** 1/2
Summer Cruising ** 1/2

moans. Once done, Montaz inserts his PA and then tortures out a load from his raw cock.

In another hot encounter, handsome Hungarian Tamas Eszterhazy strays into a dark bar, cruising raw, lean bartender Ricky Sinz. He turns down Ricky once but he's only human after all. Soon Tamas has his shirt off and he's on his knees, Ricky's cocks slave As Tamas orally services the sleazy bartender, his hands explore ever inch of Ricky's decorated flesh. The scene heats up as Ricky splays Tamas over a couple of bar stools and drills him, the camera panning over their respective tattoos.

Ink Storm is a real winner, offering a dynamic combination of some of the hottest men, the wildest sex plus some of the most mind-boggling tattoos in recent memory.

As a change of pace, let's turn to

Summer Cruising, a cooperative effort from little known **Ayor Studios** and that monolith, **Bel Ami**.

Bel Ami has been an industry giant for the last decade by offering the highest quality of production values combined with a stable of the best youthful eye candy to be found in the vast sea of Eastern European twink porn. But gone are the days of exclusive stars like Johan Paulik and the legendary Lukas Ridgeston. Sadly, these beautiful **Bel Ami** stars eventually become too old to continue making features. Johan's brief, non-sexual moments in the upcoming **2 Too Many Boys** will silence any hardcore Johan fans still clamoring for another comeback.

But on to **Summer Cruising**. Whereas **Bel Ami** has sent its stars to such far-flung locales as South Africa and Brazil, the four stars of **Summer**



Ruthie's Bitchin' Kitchen

Last month the Bitchin' Kitchen was serving up all sorts of dishes you could contribute to a holiday get-together. Seeing as how most of us tip back a drink or two in January, I figured we'd look at some beverage recipes. Try these chilled specialties and frosty favorites sometime soon. I think you'll be glad you did. And as always...eat (or drink) good and shut up!

The Dirty Ashtray

Here's colorful little cocktail with a sweet, tangy kick. I found it to be a perfectly fruity beverage for my perfectly fruity friends. Mix up a batch and see if you don't feel the same.

1/2 oz. blue Curacao
1/2 oz. gin
1 1/2 oz. pineapple juice
1/2 oz. light rum
2 oz. sweet-and-sour mix
1/2 oz. tequila
1/2 oz. vodka
Ice
Lemon twist, optional

In a shaker, mix the first eight ingredients. Strain into a highball glass. Add lemon twist garnish if desired.

White Trash Champagne

Ah...nothing says Happy New Year like home-made booze. Can't afford good champagne? Who can? I can barley afford bus fare to get to the liquor store. With only three ingredients, however, I can whip up a tasty concoction of my own.

1/2 whiskey
1/4 grapefruit juice
1/4 honey

In a shaker, mix all ingredients. Strain into a cocktail glass with ice.

Elf Spunk

Bright green and full of holiday cheer, this little number is sure to kick your holiday party up a notch. Better than poppers and a cheap motel room, glasses of this joy juice will have your garland around you ankles in no time.

Ice
2 oz. Midori
1 oz. vodka
Orange juice

Set ice in a cocktail glass. Top with Midori, vodka and orange juice to taste. Mix gently.

The Rusty Disco Ball

After a sip or two of this sweet treat and you'll want to grab your platform shoes and truck on down to funky town. Make mine a double, sugar-booger, and let's paint the town lime green.

3/4 oz. Midori
2 oz. SKYY citrus vodka
Splash white cranberry juice

In a shaker, mix all ingredients. Strain into a cocktail glass with ice.

Got a recipe for Ruthie? Send it to her at dearm-ruthie@yahoo.com. If she prints your recipe, you'll receive a free Bitchin' Kitchen T-shirt. Or, stop by her online store and buy one of your own. Check out Ruthie's entire line of fun products at www.cafepress.com/shopruthie.

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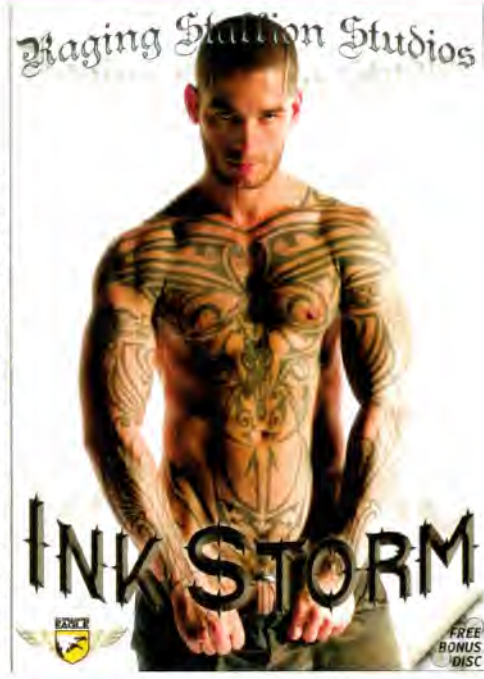
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ADULT DVD Review

INK STORM & SUMMER CRUISING

Ink Storm from Raging Stallion
Summer Cruising from
Ayor Studios and Bel Ami



Stunning cover boy and new **Raging Stallion** discovery, Logan McCree, is the real star of **Ink Storm**, front and center in two sizzling scenes. This good looking German lad boasts piercing eyes, a solid uncut and tattooed cock plus an extraordinary full body tattoo. The overall effect is that Logan emerges as a sexy fallen angel, which director Jake Deckard takes terrific advantage of, particularly during his own scene with Logan. But Logan isn't just another inked and decorated torso. He's a fiendish sex machine, equally enthusiastic as a jackhammer top or ravenous bottom.

In the first scene, young Steve Cruz finds Logan behind the counter when he comes in for a new tattoo. First, there's a bit of, "I'll show you mine, if you show me yours" and Logan is happy to shed his clothing to show off. Steve is immediately drawn to Logan's tattooed, uncut column. After some admirable cock worshipping, Steve works on Logan's pucker with equal vengeance, burying both tongue and then fingers. Turnabout is fair play as Steve happily takes a hammering from Logan. Steve is impaled by Logan's inked truncheon again and again until both fire off well-deserved money-shots.

he sheds his human clothing. Crawling into bed, he awakens the slumbering hunk. There's no chat, no introductions. Logan is on a mission to ravish Deckard and in the blink of an eye is thrusting his marked member deep down Deckard's throat. The chemistry between the two is amazing. Credit the camerawork for catching not only their sexual hunger but also capturing Logan's extraordinarily adorned torso. From an oral opening, the two men go in for some serious ass pounding, Logan soon erupting mightily.

Logan returns in an atmospheric dream sequence, spawned by the nocturnal desire of big daddy Jake Deckard. As Deckard tosses and turns, a book on vampires lies next to the bed. Suddenly Logan materializes and just as quickly,

Two other scenes stand out. In one extraordinary scene, we watch Montaz Morgan getting his penis tattooed. For the next twenty or so minutes, tattoo artist Janie covers Montaz's cock with extensive, inked decoration. The scene is replete with the whirl and buzz of the needle punctuated with Montaz's

out, because odds are that you will never hit upon the right reason. And you will end up buying a drink some night at a bar for someone you didn't even know existed until the exact moment you walked into the door! (Sorry, had a little flash back there, I'll try to keep them under control for you in the future!)

Well now that I have answered that let us see what we have in the old email bag shall we?

Brent,
I was talking with a friend of mine the other day, and he asked me about my nipple piercings. He asked if they hurt and all the normal question but then he said something I had never heard of. He told me that nipple piercings reject out of the body in 5 years and they leave you with a split nipple. I have had my piercings for 4 years now tell me that he is wrong!

---Becky

Well Becky, first off thanks for writing in. And secondly, your friend is full of horse shit. Piercings do not just reject at a certain time frame. Most piercings migrate out due to people not taking care of them properly. Any form of irritation, such as sleeping on them without the piercing being protected or playing with them can cause the body to give up on healing them and then it just pushes the piercing straight out the human body. So in a nut shell you have nothing to worry about in the coming year, provided you don't irritate your piercing.

Well it seems I have run out of space all over again so until next time have a great January and I will talk to you all again in February, the month of love! Well kind of the month for love. Either way you have to spend money on crap and we will talk about the best thing to buy your special someone. . . PIERCINGS!

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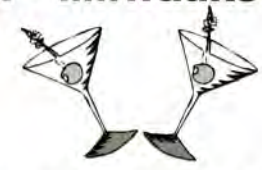
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Cordially Yours

by Michael Johnston

Welcome 2008 and welcome to Cordially Yours. A New Year, and a New Month, and a New Column.

It's been an incredibly busy time for all of us -- and now as we settle into the normalcy of post-Holiday let's play catch up!

First off, I am wondering if The Shepherd Express reads me? Reason being, the Best of 2007 is out, and I have been promoting the following Winners for ever! **The Best Gay Bar – Boom, The Best Mexican Restaurant – Botanas, The Best Italian Restaurant – The Pasta Tree, The Best Diner – Miss Katie's, The Best Real Estate Firm – Shorewest Realtors**

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Last time we connected, I was in HIT Land, 2007. Congratulations David Burney, Executive Director and Rick Carlson for being elected to the HIT Hall Of Fame. Kudos to the HIT Board on yet another hit, with HIT -- a "strike" of a tournament.

Cindy Olsheske & Debi Vance out did themselves with the Banquet at Discovery World. The Bartalotta food, the Hall, the sound of Mark "Trixie" Luko on the piano, and Jay Reinke of Singsational Productions with the anthems all elegantly executed.

I look forward to HIT-XXX it should be red hot! I had quite the time with The Welcome Show held once again at, Boom/The Room.

Dan and Joel, the beverage coordinators got in the spirit of the theme -- "It's A Jungle Out There" by donning animal pelts. Candy Stick, David & Mark and Cordially Yours had a wild time swinging vine to vine, our own version of "Survival".

M's hosted the Farewell Brunch -- Britty did our town proud and Debi and ChiChi kept the cock-a-lock-a-tails flowing ever so.

Over the HIT Holiday Weekend, Messy Bessy celebrated a B-Day to remember, at Switch. Who else could do an Underwear/Pajama Party

with lots of toasts (of the liquid variety -- naturally) Bowlers, and Strippers... Ooh my!!!

Congratulations to Jerry & Serge on their First Anniversary of their hugely successful emporium of pleasure, Kruz. I have been a fan of Jerry since his Wreck Room days.

The Staff always treat my friends and me ever so graciously when we come a calling.

The night before their Anniversary Party-which coincided with the HIT Banquet, I met Shawn -- my favorite pool player -- he was quite impressive with his balls... David, was on kicking-off the party the following day and what a Bloody Mary maker he is!

Congratulations to Patrick Flaherty on his decision to enter the world of politics, formally. The celebrated columnist and director of Center Advocates is now running for 3rd District Alderman. I have been a Flaherty Fan of both he and his sibling Kevin -- ever since meeting them. Recently, I got to work with Patrick on the Pabst Panel for local concerns/interests I find him refreshing, above reproach, and just what this city, make that this state, make that this country needs! Where is Oprah!!!!

This month marks the 24th Anniversary of the Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday Celebration at The Marcus Center For The Performing Arts Sunday, January 20th, 2008 always a fascinating presentation.

B.J. has returned to Fluid, after a brief Green Bay sojourn. Drop by and make his day -- and yours as well.

Coast's couple with the most, Troy and Gina are a two-some that always adds a dash when out and about. What a time we all had at This Is It recently.

Jolly, Holly Folly was outstanding this year! Soooooo tres popular this event -- people literally everywhere! The Main Lobby in The Milwaukee Center was the scene, with over 30 eateries tempting our taste buds to the nth degree. Grey Goose vodka to down your feast was the drink du jour. So happening is this Gala that many restaurants have offered their services next year -- without even being asked.

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By Brent

Well we are back; I hope that you all remember New Year's Eve! But of course then again I am talking about my readers so I really can't hope for much. There is one thing I could do though! Knowing what kind of people who read this and actually think I know what I am talking about I can say this. Rather than hope you remember what happened new year's eve, I just hope you remembered to grab all of your clothes before you left whoever's house it was you went home with on new year's day. And of course I hope you at the very least kept it wrapped up, and for those women out there I hope you either protected that cucumber or at least threw it away. Lord knows I refuse to eat a salad made by any of my friends!

Well I think I have bored you enough this month lets get on with it. Last month I was talking with a friend and he wanted to know why people get pierced. So I figured any idea was a good idea for this column so I ran with it, so here we go.

People get pierced for tons of different reasons! Some people like them just for the look of it, wanting to separate themselves from the rest of our modern world.

They just want to stand out, so they die their hair and get pierced so all the little ladies at Pick'n Save freak out as soon as they walk into the dairy section.

Yet other people get pierced because of the social groups that they hang around with. For instance in the Leather/Kink community it has always been expected of the bottoms to get their nipples and genitalia pierced. (Gee, no wonder I like the leather community!)

Some of the people who get pierced do it for a deeper and more sentimental or emotional reason. Therefore are some people who obtain piercings and tattoos do so mainly because they feel some sort of a connection to the roots of tattooing and piercing. These people will usually get tribal piercings and/or tattoos, and usually there will be a deep spiritual meaning for these people with regard to their piercings and tattoos.

So in conclusion it really does depend on each individual person to find out the reason people get pierced or tattooed. So in my opinion if you want to know why people do it, then ask them! Don't sit there and assume that you can figure it

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"A Christmas Carol" with the Milwaukee Rep was performed to a SRO house in the palatial Pabst Theatre. Mic Mantis was featured in this Dickens classic. I had the pleasure to work with Mic in "Revenger's Tragedy" eons ago. What a great bon voyage for departing Joseph Brooks, who is off and running, to run Lawrence University.

Dan Reidl shared with me the thrill of welcoming the throng of JHF-ers from the stage of the Pabst. I know that feeling, way back in 1977 when the Pabst was restored and reopened. Kitty Carlisle Hart performed her one-woman show, afterwards the grand dame welcomed fans on stage for a meet and greet. Needless to type, I was first, and Mrs. Hart shared with me how impressed she was with this architectural jewel.

The Glitterati helping to raise much needed support for ARCW were: International artist Ram Rojas, hairdresser to the stars Joe Kender, internationally known artist Patrick Farrell & Jim Schroeder, Dr. Robert Starshak & Ross Draegert, Joseph Pabst, Paul Milakovich, Tony Rhodes, Skylight's Richard Carsey, Paul Berens, Food fan Willard Romantini, Ed & Claudia Egan, Ron, Northshore Funeral Home's Jody & Bill, Rick Stabler, Dr. Beto & D.J. Tim, Potawatomi's Raejean Kanter, Jeff O'Donnell, and Monica Glowacki, Shorewest's Jack Smith and Rona, Cliff Heise and Brian, Drs. Michael Bernklau & Craig Larabee, Todd Siefert, Ian and James from The Triangle, Paul from This Is It and of course the Agency's Doug Nelson, Dan Mueller, Susan, Chad and Amanda, among many, many others ... Great job, well done!

The following Saturday evening brought the World AIDS Day gathering and our first snow-mess of the season. Never say die, I with good friend Jerry D. guiding the sleigh got to the Hyatt on time for The Wisconsin AIDS Board Recognition Reception.

In spite of the weather, Tamara Martinsek, Director shined – as did her Board: Sarah Blackwell, Jeff O'Donnell, Julie Bock, Kenny Gabel, Mary Hoerig, Yuri Keegstra, Jeff Leypoldy, James Marks, Charlotte Mayfield, Karl Raaum, Daniel D. Schmidt, Paul Vornholt and my table host Paul Milakovich. Our table was the table of fun and best attended with only two open slots! The hearty party-ers: Col. Ed, Kate Venne & Chris Lourent, Tony Heller, Jerry D., and Dianne Fitting totally a four-star time of it!

Speaking of Paul Milakovich – congratz to him and his new career choice. Aurora HealthCare's loss is Growth Design's gain.

A fantastic farewell party was held in the heart of Walker's Point at Chez Jacques. And it was – tres magnifique!

The Milwaukee Gay Arts Center has run the gamut A to Z last month offering something for everyone. From Wine Tasting, Hafla Belly Dancing Party, Shoreline Country Dance Club, Billy Kirchen's Elegant Christmas, Fetish Gear Drop-In Talk with Brent of

Avant Garde and OutBound Magazine, a Holiday Illusion Show with Beja, Kya Brooks, Bryanna Banxs, Madison Brooks, and Jackie Christine as well as Yoga Lates – certainly as diverse as our Community!

Have you been to the Wicked Hop lately? Flawless Bloody Marys and Burgers, yum!

This past Christmas, I had the indescribable fun of portraying Mrs. Claus and taking Brady Street by storm! Anomaly Design Shop (816 East Brady Street) owners Dan and Sarah joined me, promoting their boutique, as well as Bosley's On Brady their neighbor, and the good will of this unpredictable eastside hood.

Bosley's on Brady is a must – especially during this cold snap, snip the Winter blues away by visiting beautiful Eric and his beautiful bistro, truly a bit of Key West on Brady.

It was simply delightful commemorating the season in carols at The Room last month with a bit of a "Holidaze Show And Sing-A-Long!" David was fortunate enough to secure the monumental talents of: Alexis Winter, Dear Ruthie, Maple, Jan Antoine, Viki Liberty, Tony R. – THEE Piano Man, who appears alternating Fridays 6:30-8:30, Jerry Gin&Tonic, and oh yes, I helped out as femcee. Very grateful to all my dear rein-dears whose gift of song and style added to the fabulous festivities.

Joel and Paul kept the cheer flowing in The Room, as Lance did the like in Boom. David on sound, Tod with one D coordinating everything from three different rooms, the talents of Goldie Adams, Joe Kender and Dan Musha and of course You the audience, who we do these doings for. It was great reintroducing this retro activity in a new Room and with a very fun, young, fresh group of friends/fans.

A special thanks to The Boot Camp Saloon's Sy for including me as one of his guest for MVM's Holiday fare – "The Most Wonderful

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Time Of The Year". No false advertising here! The Show, The Men of Men's Voices Milwaukee, the Music, the new Director John Schaefer, the weather, in a word wonderful! I can't wait for their Spring effort!

Craig from Switch checks in with an announcement that he will be throwing a "Muscle Beach Party" on Saturday, January 19th. A great way to rid cabin fever! The beach will come to you, with a Physique Contest, Tropical Drink Specials, Raffles, Prizes, a Bounty of \$100. Come and share your tan lines...

SINful Sundays are a staple at Switch. \$1.00 off Rail, \$1.00 Off Tap Beer, Shot Specials, Strippers... why be bored on Sundays? Service Industry Night (SIN) no desperate housewives here.

Kris & Michael of LaCage report that their favorite Diva, Beja, had the honor of starring as Lady Ginger in The Milwaukee Ballet's production of "Nutty Nutcracker" last month.

Tuesday, January 22 Beja will give you the same thrill sort of, with the "4th Gender Bender Contest" in ETC @ 11PM. Ms. Beja and her gal pals will paint you, dress you, rehearse with you and make you a star! Come on down all you Cinderella(s)-in-waiting and take center stage and shine!

LaCage's Transformation Cast will present "Legends" on Friday, January 18th 11PM. Enjoy the Legends of our time: Cher, Madonna, and the Stars we all gaze upon.

"LaCage's White Party" takes place on Friday, January 25th 10 PM - a Versage Production of Chicago will do this must-do To-Do. D.J. Dragon Fly will be soaring as well as Dancers, Surprises, and a night in white satin to bask in.

February 2, 2008 the mighty roar of "The Lion King" will take over our jungle known as The Milwaukee Theatre - Bob Amaral and Michael Dean Morgan return in the cast, running through March 2nd get Disney-ized!

"Avenue Q." will be the address gracing The Marcus Center February 26-March 2.

So we really will have Broadway in our backyard. Remember; by attending that insure their return and the return of like Productions.

My favorite memory of 2007 - - a question as of late I have been asked countless times would have to be the gig at The City Hall, with Rona, celebrating The Cream City Foundation's

Silver Anniversary. I got to be a bride and in white! F.XI. the lady in the photo in last month's effort is State Senator Lena Taylor, now running for County Executive, adding beauty to Mayor Tom Barrett and me, and the entire evening as well.

Being apart of RSVF Production's of the Clare Booth Luce classic "The Women" was noteworthy too. Even though, it only lasted a weekend, and I had but a cameo climax of an appearance - working the boards with Dear Ruthie and a stable of fine fillies made this play reading monumental to me and will be cherished always.

Sad to share the passing of some lovely local legends: Robert Guenther a noted designer/artist who added a special touch to any room he entered, will be sorely missed. Fred "Casey" Reilly, R.N. Director/C.E.O. - STD Specialties Clinic, doing so much for the health and safety of our community on a grass roots level, where it is most needed. Lory Patin a talented chef from The M&M Club and Timothy York's Bistro-Racine, President of the Milwaukee Chapter for Victims for Victims, and Social Advocate.

Save the date - no, it's not too early Pride-Fest, June 6, 7 and 8, 2008.

Dr. Slippy who "operates" at Boom/The Room says: "Straight is a relative term."

It's the glamour, not the grammar - welcome back and welcome to 2008, As I remain STILL Cordially Yours.

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Outbound Magazine is always very grateful when someone else is willing to do the work, such as shoot the cover for us for the December issue featuring the guys from Triangle Bar. Then do some re-touching when the ever fussy editor wants a few extra changes.

Unfortunately I had a brain fart and missed giving proper photo credit to a new photographer who is just starting to go commercial and could have really used the plug!

The photo guy is:
M.J. Goertz
www.osoimages.com

You can reach him there if you like his work and want to give him a try yourself!

--Editor Za

GUESS WHO IS ON MYSPACE



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Back in November, Quest reported on Ryan Jay, a metro Milwaukee native who was doing an innovative chatty talk show with gal pal Caroline Hand called Pride Radio.

Ryan reports back the show has expanded to a foursome including Melissa Carter, a lesbian hailing from Atlanta and Dennis Hensley, a gay man from LA. The show now available in 14 markets has been renamed Radio with a Twist!

Ryan is especially pleased that the show is now on a local FM channel in New York where the show is taped. Previously the nations largest gay market featured Pride Radio on one of the new digital channels meaning few people could actually listen in.

No word on when the Clear Channel offering will hit the Milwaukee market, although you can hear them in Madison and Chicago.

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