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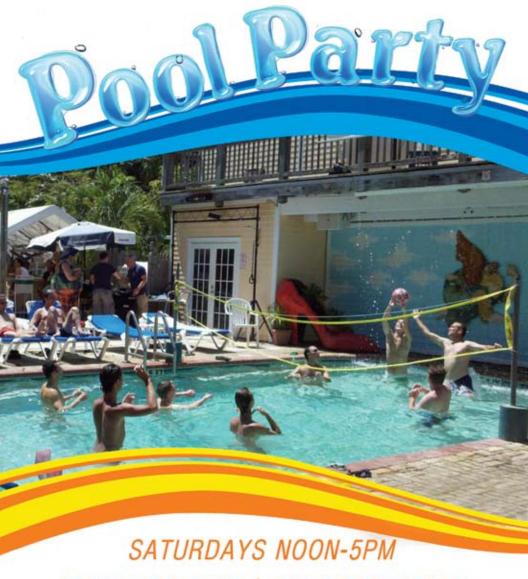
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# Ask Nana

# E-mail your questions to nana@keywestgayrag.com

Dear Nana.

Money is more than a little tight this year for both me and my guy. I'm wondering if you have any fun ideas for the holidays that don't cost a lot of money but will still make us feel jolly...

know the economy recovering slowly when they gays are still feeling the pinch! Well, my little queer Kris Cringle, don't be blue. I'm sure you and your Mrs. Claus aren't the only ones feeling the penny pinch this Christmas. And this is wonderful chance for me to remind all of you that amazing memories don't cost a thing. In fact, if you think about it, most of your favorite holiday memories probably aren't about the things you were given but about the people you were with and the good times you had with them. So focus on that sort of stuff. Also, don't underestimate the gift value of dirty sex. No really. People very rarely ask for a gift



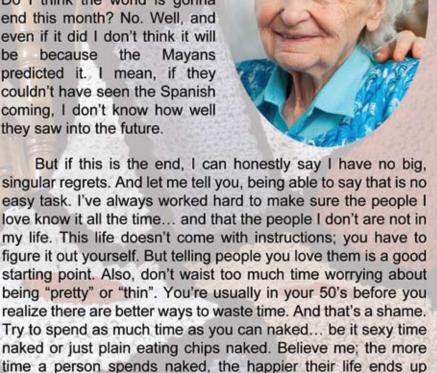
receipt when they're getting a rim job. Or try being sappy and make him a "mix tape" (CD or playlist nowadays) that lets him know how much you love him. Cooking for someone is also a fairly affordable and lovely way to show him you care. Cooking for him in the nude is better. And then eating that meal naked is best! The key is to trade in the sticker price of something expensive with a little bit of creativity and kink. And remember, if you stuff his stocking hard enough... he won't be able to walk to the tree to see what's underneath it!

Dear Nana.

Do you believe any of this stuff that the world is supposed to end this month? You know the whole Mayan thing? And if it was going to end, would you have any big

regrets??

Darling, at least once a decade the world is supposed to end. So at my age that means I've lived through more apocalypses that Liz Taylor did marriages! Do I think the world is gonna end this month? No. Well, and even if it did I don't think it will because the Mayans predicted it. I mean, if they couldn't have seen the Spanish coming, I don't know how well they saw into the future.



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being. And always make sure to laugh as much as you cry, and to cry as much as you laugh. Consider it emotional cross training. Other than that, just grab a cocktail and grab your

ankles and I'll see you on December 21st!





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# **WEEKLY EVENTS**



## MONDAY

904

Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

Bobby's

Karaoke starting at 9:30 PM

Bourbon

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

### TUESDAY

201

Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

Bourbon

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM



801-801 Duval St.



Bobby's- 900 Simonton St.



Bourbon- 724 Duval St.

### WEDNESDAY

801

Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

Bourbon

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

### SATURDAY

801

Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

Bourbon

Pool Party starting at 12 PM

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

Amateur Strip at Midnight

### THURSDAY

801

Karaoke starting at 5 PM
Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

Bobby's

Karaoke starting at 9:30 PM

Bourbon

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

### SUNDAY

801

Karaoke starting at 5 PM Gay Bingo starting at 5 PM Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

Bobby's

Karaoke starting at 9:30 PM

Bourbon

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

**Island House** 

Pre-Tea Pool Party starting at Noon

### FRIDAY

201

Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

Bobby's

Karaoke starting at 9:30 PM

Bourbon

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

**One Saloon** 

Cock Shock contest starting at Midnight

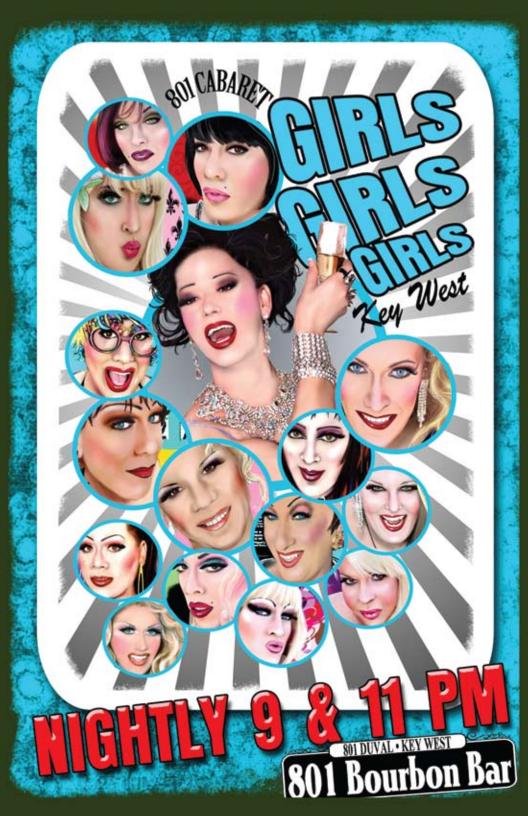




One Saloon- 514 Petronia St.

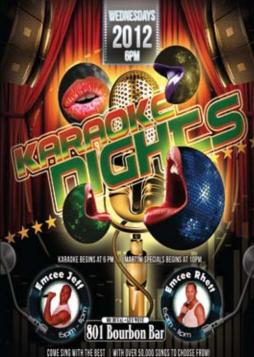


Island House- 1129 Flemingl St.





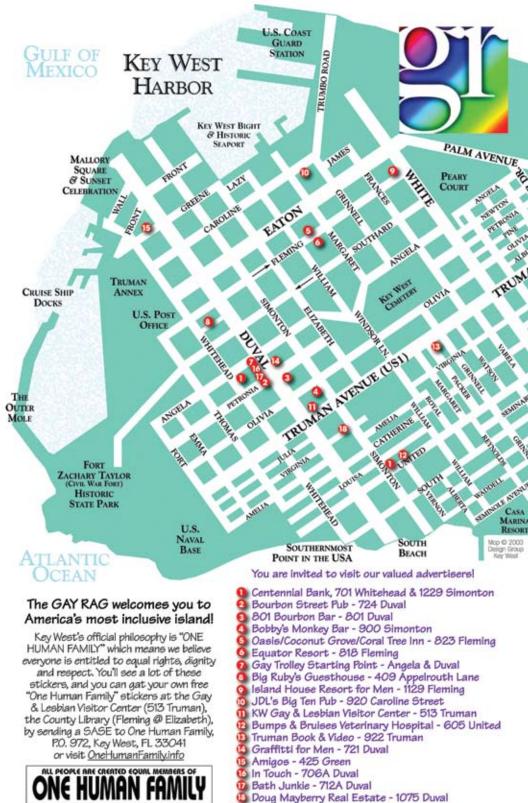




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# FELIZ APOCOLYPTO!

by: Brad Lockle



There is a real chance that by the time you read this, the Mayan apocalypse will be right around the corner. Which means this holiday season may be our very last together before zombies eat our face off or the earth opens up and lizard people start enslaving us. Though now that I mention these two things, I realize the people are already getting their faces eaten off in Florida and Ann Coulter does look a lot like an iguana... so it might already be too late. But should this be the end, I say embrace it! Don't start thinking you're going to be able to pull off some sort of "Walking Dead" or "Revolution" survival society. Be honest, does anyone on those shows look like they're having a good time? Also remember, in a post apocalyptic world, there will be very little bathing and almost assuredly no tooth paste or deodorant. Frankly, I'd rather just get my face eaten off.

So if this is our last holiday before the end, make it count! And by that I mean, really let your family have it this Christmas. Be honest, even in the stickiest sweet of families there are enough dark secrets to unspoken hatreds to make a season of "The Sopranos" look like "Little House on the Prairie". Which, by the way was a family full of problems. Every other episode someone was getting bit by a rabid badger or going blind or getting hit in the head with a rock... which was a big deal back then. So this Christmas I say really go for the gold. Start off my spiking every single beverage in the house. This will ensure that people loosen up their tongues a little faster. It will also make sure any annoying "sober" relatives fall far enough off the wagon to remind everyone why they used to hate them. Besides, no one should have to march into the Mexican end of the world sober.

Early on in the day, remember to get all the facts out there.

But you can't do it all at once. So each hour, when there is a lull in the conversation, remember to throw in a truth. And be sure to act as though you thought that truth was common knowledge. So, for instance, turn to your sister and say "Hey, remember in high school when you made me drive you to get an abortion and we convinced mom and dad you just had a stomach flu?! Good times...". Trust me; grandma will never forget this Christmas!

Now, this works well whether you're married or single. Hire a rough trade hustler to pose as your boyfriend for the day. If you're already partnered, you two can introduce him as your sister-wife or brother husband. Whichever shoe fits best. It's sure to add a wonderful layer of homosexual hijinx to the day's events! Then there's the added bonus that if you hire a low-rent-rent-boy he'll most likely steal some silver, raid the bathroom for pills and maybe even pick a few pockets! And who won't remember the holiday party where your bitchy, religious, self righteous aunt found her husband sucking off your rent-boyfriend in the pantry?!

Now there is, of course the chance that the Mexicans were wrong and the world won't end this holiday season. But even if it doesn't you'll still be sure to give your family a holiday that they'll never forget and that at least half of them deserve. And look on the bright side, it will make them thankful for all the less apocalyptic holidays they'd had before you and Miguel ruined Christmas. And thus, maybe next year they'll be a little more humble and a little better behaved.

Sometimes you have to burn a Christmas village to the ground to save it.

Feliz Apocolypto, Amigos!

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Beginning Friday, November 30th

Royal Furniture, Key West 3326 North Roosevelt Blvd., Searstown Plaza

















# WE ARE ALL THAT SOMEONE, SO READ THIS.

"HIV and AIDS has personally impacted everyone," according to Derrick Traylor, Education Director of AIDS Help, "whether we know it or not, leaving no one unscathed -- family, neighbor, co-worker, friend."

Toward that, the Education department has innovated an especiallylocalized way to acknowledge World AIDS Day, which is December 1st. A 2012 grant from the Florida Department of Health has empowered staffers to assemble and create a personalized series of black-and-white studio sittings and video testimonials detailing how the worldwide pandemic uniquely altered their lives.

All 8 individuals (technically 9, since one is a husband-and-wife) reside in Key West, many notable and immediately recognizable. Each person echoes a common and very personal refrain:

"I am that someone."

And those four words supplied the title of this interactive video and photo exhibition:'I Am That Someone.'

First up: an invitation-only debut reception will be held at Royal Furniture, 3326 North Roosevelt Boulevardon Friday, November 30th, 5:30 – 7:00 p.m.Acclaimed UK (and part-time local resident) photographer Annabel Williams, who donated her services for the oversized portraitures, will be on-hand for this preview, as well as local participants, AIDS Help staff and local Health department personnel.

Christopher Elwell immediately volunteered to donate space not only for this gathering but also for the week-long, facing-outward window mountings.

"As soon as I heard about the concept, we at Royal Furniture were on-board," Elwell stated. "The pairing of the portraits with immediately-accessible narratives is so relevant to the social networking world we live in, and the Searstown Plaza is so heavily-traveled, 'I Am That Someone' is guaranteed maximum exposure."

"Putting a literal face to HIV/AIDS this compelling is storytelling at its purest," added photographer Williams.

The 8 videos, shot and edited by Rodney Ross, will be accessible on various social networking platforms, including:

AIDS Help Facebook pages(www.facebook.com/AIDSHelp, or

www.facebook.com/groups/AHIMonroeCounty, or

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and

via Quick Response Code (QRC)scanning ability. Download this free app to your iPhone, iPad or other smart PDA, aim it at the QRC code assigned close to the portrait itself and you will be linked to the real-life anecdote of that person approached for participation by Traylor and other Education department.

Then, the next day, Saturday December 1, please join the Friends of the AIDS Memorial, AIDS Help, city and county officials and town residents in front of the historic Glynn Archer School on White Street at 5 p.m. There will be a short candlelight march to the only official AIDS Memorial in the United States, atWhite Street Pier on the Atlantic Ocean. The Memorial, an arrangement of flat black granite monuments, was dedicated on World AIDS Day, December 1, 1997. A brief ceremony will commence at approximately 5:30pm.

The acknowledgement of lives lost, changed or illuminated by HIV/AIDS will continue until the subsequent Friday, December 7th, as the portraitures dominate Royal Furniture windows.

"We hope everyone makes a point of pausing by Royal Furniture's exterior," Traylor observed, "to appreciate the stark and simple beauty during their stay."

# SNAP

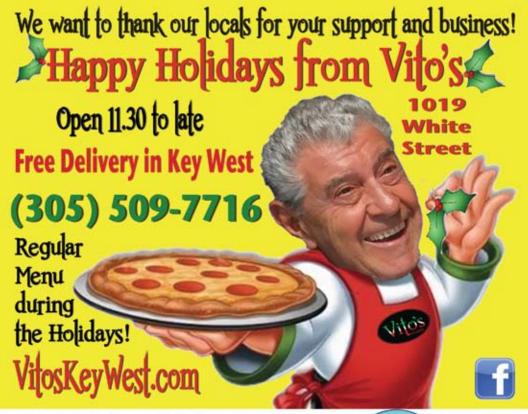


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### Schedule of Events

Events in ORANGE are "clothing not permitted" events.

# Thursday, November 29

12PM – 5PM - REGISTRATION AND POOL PARTY Island House for Men, 1129 Fleming Street

5PM - 7PM - GREET THE MEAT HAPPY HOUR Island House for Men, 1129 Fleming Street

10PM - Until - SNOW BALLS WHITE PARTY Bourbon St. Pub, 724 Duval Street

LATE NIGHT - HAPPY ENDING PARTY Island House for Men, 1129 Fleming Street

# Friday, November 30

10:30AM – 3:30PM - NAKED OCEAN COMMOTION Blu Q, Key West Seaport

12PM - 5PM - SUN YOUR BUNS POOL PARTY Bourbon St. Pub, 724 Duval Street

> 9PM - 10:30PM - DRAG CABARET 801 Bourbon, 801 Duval Street

10PM - 2AM - BLACK BALL LEATHER PARTY Saloon One, 504 Petronia Street at Duval Street

2AM - Until - MANHUNT'S TOY PARTY Island House for Men, 1129 Fleming Street

# Saturday, December 1

10AM - 1PM - NAKED RETAIL THERAPY Graffitti, 721 Duval Street

11AM – 2PM - PANTLESS PADDLING Paddle Island Stand Up Paddleboard Tours

12PM - 5PM - MANHUNT'S BONE ISLAND NAKED POOL PARTY Island House for Men, 1129 Fleming Street

4PM - GAY KEY WEST TROLLEY TOUR
HTA Angela Depot (corner of Duval and Angela Streets)

4:30PM – 6:30PM - SUNSET SAIL Blu Q, Key West Seaport

10PM - 4AM - MASKED BALL & MR NAKED KEY WEST PARTY
Bourbon St. Pub, 724 Duval Street

LATE NIGHT - HAPPY ENDING PARTY Island House for Men, 1129 Fleming Street

# Sunday, December 2

10:30AM - 3:30PM - NAKED SUNDAY SANDBOX Blu Q, Key West Seaport

12PM – 5PM - HOT NAKED SUNDAYS AT ISLAND HOUSE Island House for Men, 1129 Fleming Street

5PM - BINGO 801 Bourbon, 801 Duval Street

7PM – 9PM - KARAOKE 801 Bourbon, 801 Duval Street

9PM – Until - NO CLOTHES CLOSING BEER BUST Saloon One, 504 Petronia Street at Duval Street

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Aquarius Jan 20 – Feb 18

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Pisces Feb 19 – Mar 20

You should consider putting your wardrobe on Ebay. People pay a lot for vintage clothes from the 70's.

Aries Mar 21 – Apr 19

Your complexion could really use some help. You don't even need to use bike reflectors at night since your face is so shiny.

Taurus Apr 20 – May 20

You could save a lot on your electric bill if you install some solar panels on your roof. You could also get a boyfriend and stop using your "personal devices."

Gemini May 21 – Jun 20

You're late for everything! The one time you were actually on time for work was when you forgot to change your clock for daylight savings time and even then you were only 5 minutes early!

Cancer Jun 21 – Jul 22

As the days get shorter, darkness comes earlier. This will benefit you as you only look good when it's pitch dark.

Leo Jul 23 – Aug 22

Oh dear Leo, things are not looking good for you this month. It may be best to avoid society for the entire month. Come to think of it, maybe that should just be how you face the rest of your life.

Virgo Aug 23 – Sep 22

You are taking water conservation to a new level. Standing out in the rain is not the same as taking a shower and please, please start flushing the toilet!

Libra Sep 23 – Oct 22

It's time to think about moving. Moving some of that hair on your back to your head!

Scorpio Oct 23 – Nov 21

With the end of the Twinkie, maybe you'll finally lose some weight!

Sagittarius Nov 22 – Dec 21

Your breath is so bad that even dogs turn away when you pet them.

Capricorn Dec 22 – Jan 19

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