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This year, we also have a
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Airlines have been expanding their service and now you can get here from more areas than ever before.

Delta offers direct flights from Atlanta and New York (LGA).

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United offers direct flights from Newark and Chicago.

Silver offers direct flights from Tampa, Orlando and Fort Lauderdale.

Not all of these flights are offered every day and some of these flights only operate seasonally so check with your airline.

For those on a budget, there are some low cost ways to get to Key West. Flying into Miami is very inexpensive and there is a Greyhound stop right at the airport with service to the Key West airport and the fares start at under \$30 each way. If you're traveling in a group, you could save even more by sharing the cost of a rental car one way. Just rent the car for the day and return it in Key West. Then, when you leave, rent another car one way back.

Regardless of how you get here, once you're here, enjoy everything Key West has to offer.

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What is the most important information I should know about BIKTARVY®?

BIKTARVY may cause serious side effects:

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Who should not take BIKTARVY?

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- ▶ any other medicines to treat HIV-1

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- ▶ **Too much lactic acid in your blood (lactic acidosis),** which is a serious but rare medical emergency that can lead to death. Tell your healthcare provider right away if you get these symptoms: weakness or being more tired than usual, unusual muscle pain, being short of breath or fast breathing, stomach pain with nausea and vomiting, cold or blue hands and feet, feel dizzy or lightheaded, or a fast or abnormal heartbeat.

- ▶ **Severe liver problems,** which in rare cases can lead to death. Tell your healthcare provider right away if you get these symptoms: skin or the white part of your eyes turns yellow, dark "tea-colored" urine, light-colored stools, loss of appetite for several days or longer, nausea, or stomach-area pain.

The most common side effects of BIKTARVY in clinical studies were diarrhea (6%), nausea (5%), and headache (5%). Tell your healthcare provider if you have any side effects that bother you or don't go away.

What should I tell my healthcare provider before taking BIKTARVY?

- ▶ **All your health problems.** Be sure to tell your healthcare provider if you have or have had any kidney or liver problems, including hepatitis virus infection.
- ▶ **All the medicines you take,** including prescription and over-the-counter medicines, antacids, laxatives, vitamins, and herbal supplements. BIKTARVY and other medicines may affect each other. Keep a list of all your medicines and show it to your healthcare provider and pharmacist, and ask if it is safe to take BIKTARVY with all of your other medicines.
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- ▶ **If you are breastfeeding** (nursing) or plan to breastfeed. Do not breastfeed. HIV-1 can be passed to the baby in breast milk.

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Please see Important Facts about BIKTARVY, including important warnings, on the following page.



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IMPORTANT FACTS

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BEFORE TAKING BIKTARVY

Tell your healthcare provider all your medical conditions, including if you:

- Have or have had any kidney or liver problems, including hepatitis infection.
- Are pregnant or plan to become pregnant.
- Are breastfeeding (nursing) or plan to breastfeed. Do not breastfeed if you have HIV-1 because of the risk of passing HIV-1 to your baby.

Tell your healthcare provider about all the medicines you take:

- Keep a list that includes all prescription and over-the-counter medicines, antacids, laxatives, vitamins, and herbal supplements, and show it to your healthcare provider and pharmacist.
- Ask your healthcare provider or pharmacist about medicines that interact with BIKTARVY.

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- Those in the “Most Important Information About BIKTARVY” section.
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These are not all the possible side effects of BIKTARVY. Tell your healthcare provider right away if you have any new symptoms while taking BIKTARVY.

Your healthcare provider will need to do tests to monitor your health before and during treatment with BIKTARVY.

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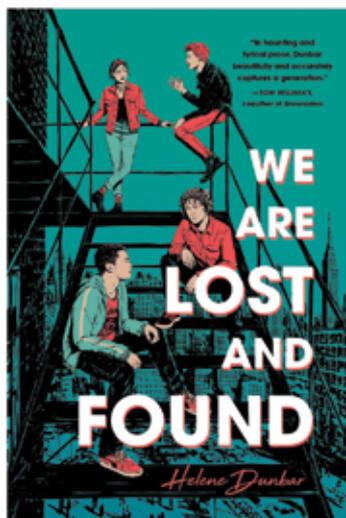
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BEACH READS

LGBT Book Reviews by *Terri Schlichenmeyer*



"WE ARE LOST AND FOUND" BY HELENE DUNBAR
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Adolescence stinks.

Look, there's no other way to say it: it's horrible. You're expected to adult but you're treated like a kid. You can see freedom but you can't have it. Everybody thinks you know your future but you barely know yourself. And in the new book "We Are Lost and Found" by Helene Dunbar, you'll see that nothing ever really changes.

Michael, James, and Becky. They'd been best friends for ages and Michael couldn't imagine it any other way. On that New Years Eve 1982, their future looked stellar, even though Becky was in an iffy relationship, James kinda-sorta crushed on Michael, and Michael was sixteen and solidly single.

On that, he was careful. Months ago, his parents had kicked his older brother out because he was gay, never suspecting that Michael was, too. Michael figured they were secretly hoping he'd find a "nice girl" like Becky but instead, he was using his friends as cover while he snuck into his favorite club to dance all night with boys.

It was there that he met Gabriel. It was there, not long after, that he fell in love.

But what was love, anyhow? Michael had never had much experience

with guys – surely not intimately – and he badgered Becky with questions. How did he know he was in love? He asked James how he'd know if Gabriel was The One.

Neither of them had any good answers.

Becky's boyfriend was a member of the Guardian Angels, and she wondered every night if he was alive. James was distracted by a play he'd written, and by a disease that seemed to be killing gay men all over New York. His sadness kept reminding Michael that AIDS was still an unknown and that, for now, safety was everything; when Michael learned one of Gabriel's secrets, he knew that James was right. But there was no use thinking they could avoid this disease. One way or another, it was going to get them all.

With that as a backdrop to this coming-of-age novel, you might think that it's a story too depressing to tackle. Nothing could be further from the truth, though: "We Are Lost and Found" absolutely sparkles.

But here's the thing: you'll have to look for this book in the teen section of your library or bookstore, although the tale itself may be halfway lost on those under 40. Readers who endured the '80s as young adults, however, might see this novel as eerily biographical: author Helene Dunbar offers sly reminders of evolving social attitudes, of the times (movie tickets: \$3.50. Preposterous!), of teen friendships and love, and of the beginning of the AIDS crisis – memories that are forgotten, or best forgotten. This, she does as she so perfectly, so evocatively captures the angst, uncertainty, and shaky self-confidence of adolescence that it might make you wince.

Give this book to a 14-to-18-year-old, but be sure to borrow it back. Better yet, read it together. "We Are Lost and Found" is for you both, and missing it would really stink.

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MY BIG GAY LIFE

Brad Loekle



I CAN'T BELIEVE IT IS BUTTER!

I was recently on a gay cruise (I know... shocker) and I had what we on the gay boats call a "vacationship". He was... well, is a lovely personal chef with a body that makes you mad he's a chef and still looks like that. But I let that slide once he slid into my Dutch oven. We had a ball together and, thankfully, I don't have some sad tale of woe or some disturbing "and then he called me by his mother's name" horror story.

But something did happen that forces me to pose this question to the class: What is it about chefs and butter? I'm not talking about in their cooking. We all know that fat is flavor. So, as a side note, if you're a cannibal and a reader of this article... look me up because I'll probably be the best meal you ever had! No, I'm talking about "off label" uses for butter.

My gorgeous chef at sea ran into one night in the late-night buffet (Again... I know, shocker) and wanted me to pop off into the handicapped stall for a quickie with him. I was game, but I didn't have lube on me. And if I was going to go all the way back to the room for it, I figured we might as well just do it there. Well, as if it were a Top Chef challenge, he said, "Not to worry" and grabbed two or three foil-wrapped butter packets and off we went to make very tasteful love in a men's room. But this was not my first run in with sexual dairy.

About a decade ago I had a torrid relationship with a pastry chef. He would just fuck me and feed me and fuck me and feed me. I wasn't complaining. Trust me, eventually his violent nature and tendency to stray was more than enough for me to 86 him for good. But one thing he loved to do was have sex in the kitchen. Well, sex anywhere, really. But since we spent a lot of time in the kitchen, the kitchen became the

bedroom many nights. For some reason we never thought to keep extra lube in the kitchen. He comes from a big Catholic family and I think he was always a little nervous about company finding out we weren't some sort of non-sexual Burt and Ernie couple. So, most times, he would just end up using extra virgin olive oil as lube. For of all, I can't promote enough the benefits of this Italian lubricant. It's great for the skin and a great source of Omega 3's!

However, on one evening, we were getting ready for a dinner party and running very low on the good olive oil. My angry chef came sneaking up on me with his baguette at full mast. When he went to grab the olive oil, I reminded him that we needed that for the salad tonight. So, he would just have to wait until after the dinner to ham slam me. Well he had another plan. The butter plan. Oh, it's probably worth mentioning this should only be attempted with unsalted butter. For obviously reasons. No one wants a salt cured asshole, no matter how much you love prosciutto.

Now this chef had a tendency to fuck with a real fervor. And so, as butter heated up from the camp fire he was starting in my ass, the whole kitchen began to smell like warm butter.

"It smells like biscuits when I fuck you, baby", he said. And we both laughed.

He then began calling me Biscuit, as a pet name. Which his family found adorable and so they started calling me Biscuit too. And they had no idea it was because of how delicious of a pervert their loving little chef was.

Brad Loekle was a semi-finalist on NBC's "Last Comic Standing". He can be seen every week on TruTV's "World's Dumbest", has written for Joan Rivers on E! "Fashion Police" & tours internationally. His book, "My Big Gay Life" is available on Amazon and at www.bradloekle.com

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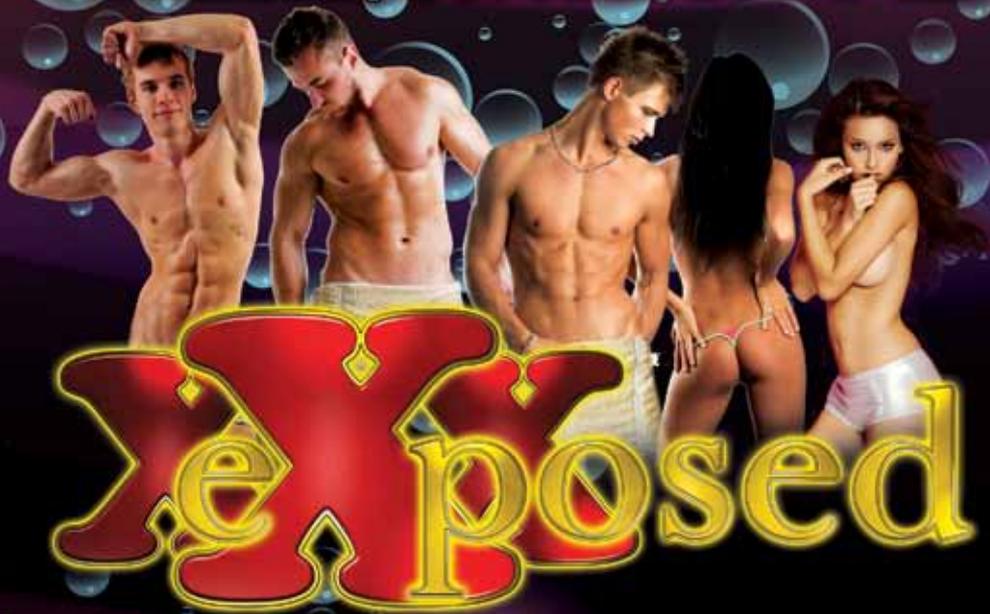
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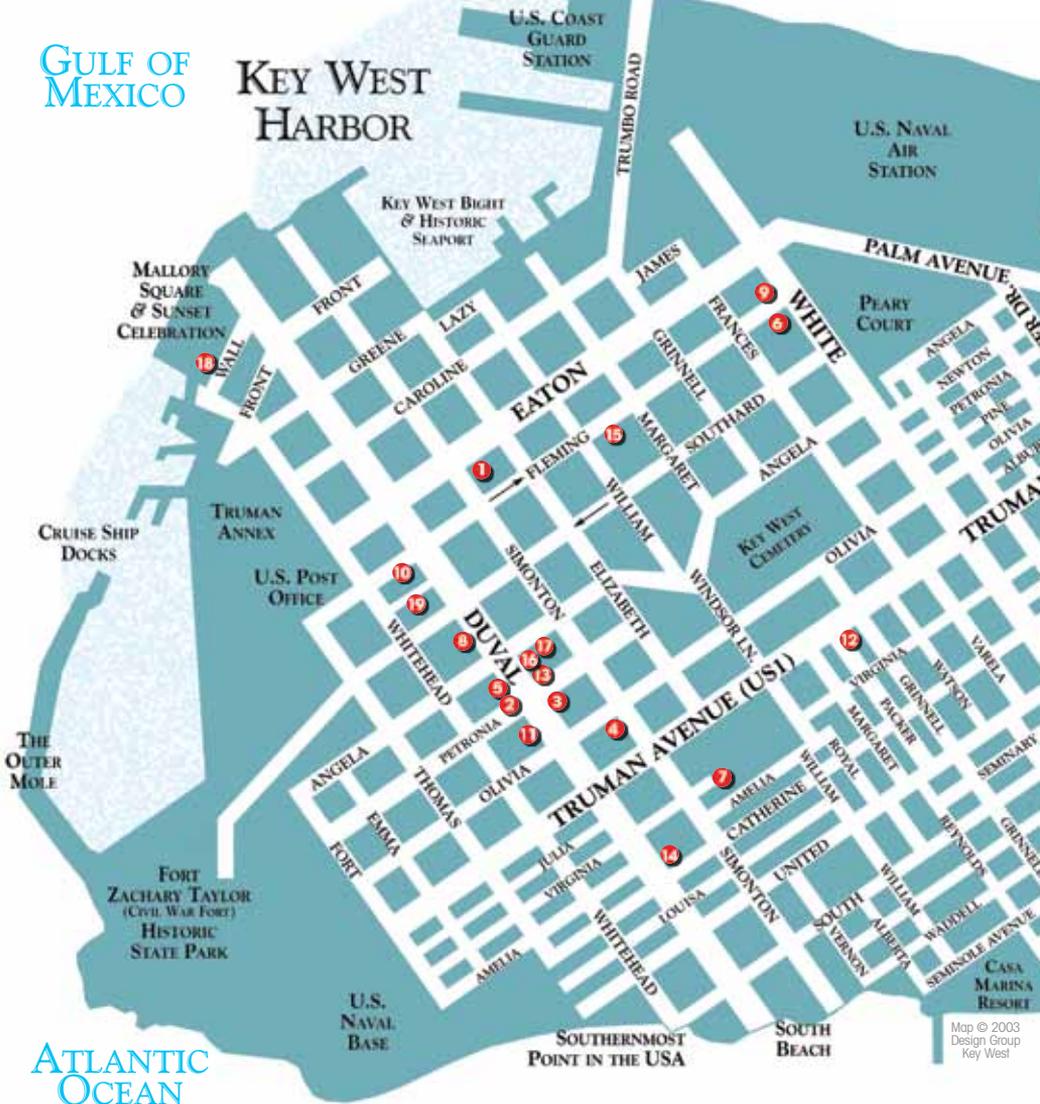
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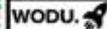
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MONDAY

801

Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

Aqua

Dueling Bartenders at 5:30 PM

Drag Show at 9:00 PM

Karaoke starting at 11:00 PM

Bobby's

Karaoke starting at 9:30 PM

Bourbon

Bria singing live at 8:00 PM

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

Sidebar

Dancing with live DJ at 9 PM

TUESDAY

801

Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

Aqua

Aqua Idol at 6:30 PM

Drag Show at 9:00 PM

Karaoke starting at 11:00 PM

Bobby's

Karaoke starting at 9:30 PM

Bourbon

Bria singing live at 8:00 PM

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

Sidebar

Dancing with live DJ at 9 PM

W E D N E S D A Y**801**

Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

Aqua

Drag Show at 9:00 PM

Karaoke starting at 11:00 PM

Bobby's

Karaoke starting at 9:30 PM

Bourbon

Bria singing live at 8:00 PM

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

Island House

Hot Naked Humpdays starting at 5 PM

Sidebar

Drag Queen Trivia at 5:30 PM

Dancing with live DJ at 9 PM

T H U R S D A Y**801**

Karaoke starting at 5 PM

Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

Aqua

Drag Shows at 7 PM and 9 PM

Karaoke starting at 11:00 PM

Bobby's

Karaoke starting at 9:30 PM

Bourbon

Jeff Moss singing live at 8 PM

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

Sidebar

Dancing with live DJ at 9 PM

F R I D A Y**801**

Drag Shows at 5, 9, & 11 PM

Aqua

Happy Hour & Trivia at 5:00 PM

Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

Dance Party starting at 11:30 PM

Bobby's

Karaoke starting at 9:30 PM

Bourbon

Tea Dance starting at 5 PM

Jeff Moss singing live at 8 PM

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

One Saloon

Cock Shock contest at Midnight

Sidebar

Dancing with live DJ at 9 PM

S A T U R D A Y**801**

Drag Shows at 5, 9, & 11 PM

Aqua

Drag Shows at 7 PM, 9 PM & 11 PM

Dance Party starting at 11:30 PM

Bobby's

Karaoke starting at 9:30 PM

Bourbon

Jeff Moss singing live at 8 PM

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

Sidebar

Dancing with live DJ at 9 PM

S U N D A Y**801**

Karaoke starting at 5 PM

Gay Bingo starting at 5 PM

Drag Shows at 9 PM and 11 PM

SIN night starts at 10 PM

Aqua

No Limit Texas Hold 'Em Poker

at 2:30 PM and 4:30 PM

Drag Show at 9:00 PM

Back Bar

Hotdog Church starting at 3PM

Bobby's

Karaoke starting at 9:30 PM

Bourbon

Jeff Moss singing live at 7 PM

Dancers on the bar starting at 10 PM

Island House

Pre-Tea Pool Party starting at Noon

La Te Da

Tea Dance starting at 4 PM

Sidebar

Dancing with live DJ at 9 PM

L O C A T I O N S

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Aqua - 711 Duval Street

Back Bar - 711 Duval Street

Bobby's - 900 Simonton Street

Bourbon - 724 Duval Street

Island House - 1129 Fleming St

La Te Da - 1125 Duval Street

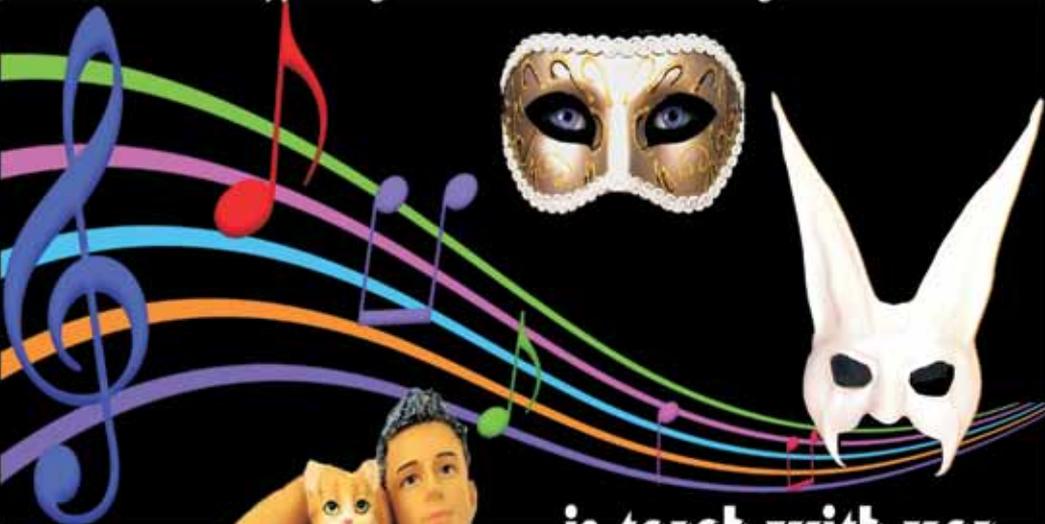
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Dear Nana,

My boyfriend is a total candy junky. But October really kicks it up a notch. From the time Halloween candy hits the shelves he's buying it like it's bread or bananas. I end up having to hide it so he doesn't eat fifty pieces a day. I know that sugar isn't good for him and I want him to cut back or better yet stop eating candy all together. But I also don't want to be some big nag that he resents. What do I do?

Well, gummy bear, it seems like you and your pre-diabetic lover have a bit of a problem. First of all, he's a grown-ass man and it's legal to face fuck yourself with an Oh Henry bar. And look around you, there are a lot of worse things for him to use as a crutch: meth, coke, opioids, box wine. Not to say you shouldn't have health concerns for him. Sugar is shit for you. But everyone's gotta have something. Be it dick or drugs or diet coke, everyone picks a poison in this life. So, I don't really think you can do much other than continue your shitty little Easter egg hunt with him. And if it doesn't piss either of you off too much, it might become a cute little "quirk" in your relationship. Or it will drive you both mad until you're living in your own sugar fueled production of *Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?* If you wanted a health nut, you should have fallen for one of the CrossFit clan. But the heart (and the hole) wants what it wants. So maybe it's not the most important thing in the world to you after all? Also, don't call him a "candy junky". Until you find him sucking off truckers for a Mounds bar, he's just a queen with a sweet tooth.

Dear Nana,

My nephew wants to go to school as one of the drag queens from Drag Race for Halloween. His parents are totally cool with it but are worried he might get beat up or even bullied by some of the worse teachers in that school. They've been asking me my take and it's a lot of pressure as the gay uncle because I feel like whatever I say they'll go with. And then I'll be partially blamed if it doesn't go well either way. Help!

First of all... which drag race queen. That could mean all the difference! How phishy is your nephew? Is he going all out or are we talking booger drag here? Sorry, I got off topic. Listen, hats and wigs off to your awesome nephew for wanting this. No matter how old and no matter what his sexuality may or may not be. If he wants this, and you all prepare him for the kinds of bullshit he might face, then I think he's ready for it. Let him be him. He may love it. He may hate it. But he'll certainly look back and know he knew more about himself and the world around him afterwards. And to specifically address the idea that teachers might join in on the bullying. I encourage you to destroy the career of any teacher who openly bullies a child. And if you can't get them fired... you can sure as hell shit on their windshield on October 31st. Trick or Treat, bitch!



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you have to be smart. Otherwise
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GEMINI MAY 21 - JUN 20

You should wear a condom on
your head because if you're going
act like a dick, you might as well
dress like one

CANCER JUN 21 - JUL 22

You're so dumb, your brain cell
died of loneliness.

LEO JUL 23 - AUG 22

I could say nice things about you,
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VIRGO AUG 23 - SEP 22

Talking with you is about as
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LIBRA SEP 23 - OCT 22

Were you always this stupid or did
you take lessons

SCORPIO OCT 23 - NOV 21

You shouldn't let your mind
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Someone got up on the wrong side
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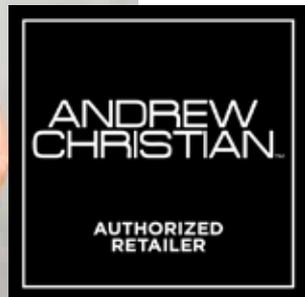
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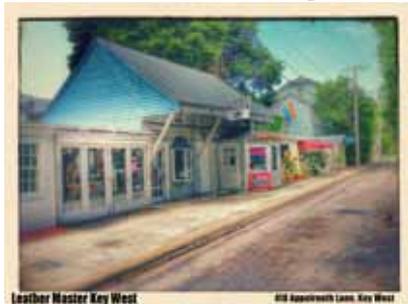


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