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A family gathering

*Thursday, July 29–Sunday, August 1st,
1993*

DEDICATION

This yearbook is dedicated to all the people attending the 1993 motss con in Boston, July 28-31, and to soc.motss muffins, infrequent posters, and newcomers, whose contributions are greater than they know.

Here's how it all started, almost 10 years ago:

Subject: Net.motss is born!
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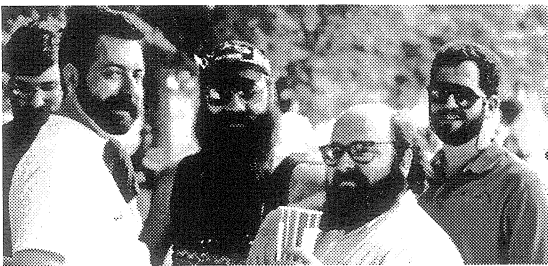
Net.motss is a forum for the discussion of gay-related issues of interest to all members of USENET. Its name is an acronym for "members of the same sex", coined by contributors to net.singles as an analogue to MOTOS--"member of the opposite sex." It is therefore, unfortunately, a euphemism of sorts--an alternative to the preferred 'net.gay'. Nevertheless, the proponents of the group have gladly passed on this minor issue so that the group should be swiftly formed.

It is designed to foster discussion on a wide variety of topics, such as health problems, parenting, relationships, clearances, job security and many others. Gay members of USENET will find this a supportive environment for the discussion of issues which have immediate impact on their everyday lives. Those who aren't gay have an opportunity to be informed by the discussion, and are encouraged to read the news items and contribute their own questions and opinions.

Net.motss is emphatically NOT a newsgroup for the discussion of whether homosexuality is good or bad, natural or unnatural. Not is it a place where conduct unsuitable for the net will be allowed or condoned. Rather, like every USENET news group, it is an opportunity for people all across the world to express their opinions, exchange ideas, and come to appreciate the diversity within the USENET membership.

/Steve Dyer
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ACTIVITIES



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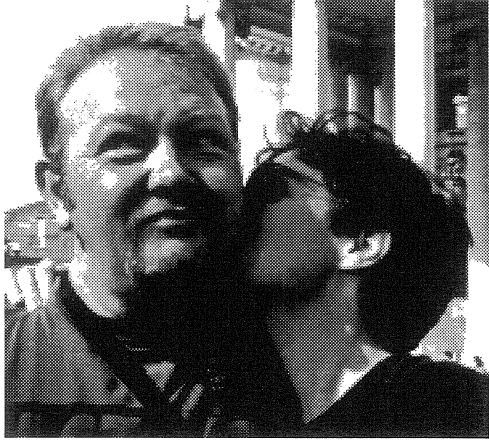


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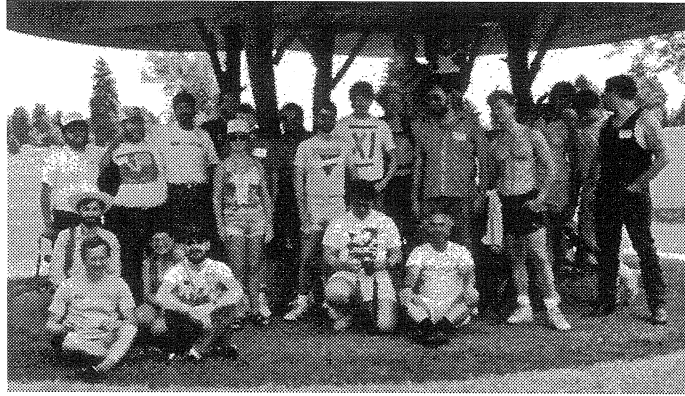


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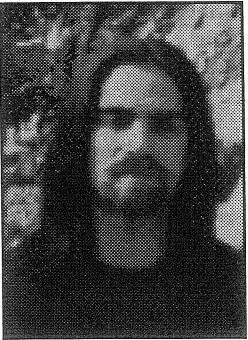


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US MOTSSERS !!



Sim David Aberson—but I hate the "David" part.
SPOUSE'S NAME: Daivd Tarryn-Grae'—9 yrs. **NICKNAME:** Conceptual Jesus. World-renowned meteorologist avant-garde poof deluxe. **ACTIVITIES:** Flying hurricanes (only male ones—so far), activism, various and sundry local cultural activities. **AMBITION:** To learn to really enjoy life. To travel around the world. To drag Bryan Norcross out of the closet. **SECRET AMBITION:** Can I say that on TV? **SECRET VICE:** Playing with teddy bears. Running naked in the warm South Florida rain. **KILL FILE:** None, although I toy with the idea constantly (It would likely have one line). **FAVORITE PLAYWRIGHTS:** Samuel Beckett, Charles Busch, Kushner **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Delicatessen; The Cook, the Thief, his Wife, and her Lover; Eating Raoul (hmmm, is there a trend here?) **FAVORITE MUSIC:** dance, rave, new wave **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** ~3000 miles to Portland **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** Hand-fed about a couple dozen naked, hungry motssers fresh mango in the Columbia River. **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Jumped in instead of lurked for a few years. **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Staring at clouds, lightning, and rain. **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** The one I get right before org...oh, you probably meant verbal. **PET PEEVE:** Lying and manipulation. **QUOTE:** (I really can't think of a good one right now)

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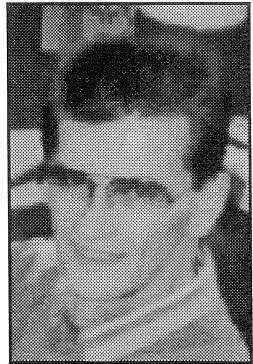
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AOML/Hurricane Research Division

Miami, FL

Arne Ole Adolphson

ACTIVITIES: soc.motss (1990-present); learning how to cook; keeping up with my voluminous correspondence; avoiding work **AMBITION:** to be a whiz in the kitchen **SECRET AMBITION:** to be an independently wealthy, jet-setting playboy **KILL FILE:** I don't have one – yet **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Oscar Wilde, Tennessee Williams **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** "Cat On a Hot Tin Roof", "Little Me", movie star autobiographies **FAVORITE MOVIES:** "Cobra Woman", "Beyond the Forest", "Mata Hari", the von Sternberg-Dietrich oeuvre, "PillowTalk", **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Bellini, Donizetti, Verdi, Puccini, anything with Maria Callas, jazz vocalists, '20s torch singers, Judy Garland **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** I got totally plastered the minute I arrived, so the evening is one hazy blur. Did I embarrass myself? **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** thought more before posting **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** relax and don't take it so personally **FAVORITE PASTIME:** logging onto the net **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** Oh dear **PET PEEVE:** assertions that everyone is really bisexual **QUOTE:** "I'll bide my time. But you just try and keep out of my way." (If you need an i.d., that's the Wicked Witch of the West to Dorothy.)



Jess Anderson

NICKNAME: Jess **ACTIVITIES:** Computing, music, books, writing, camping **AMBITION:** To remain calm **SECRET AMBITION:** To be a hawk **KILL FILE:** Four lines; since Feb 93 **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Dostoevsky, Shakespeare **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** "Crime and Punishment" **FAVORITE MUSIC:** J.S. Bach **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** up to 2500 miles **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Not bothered with trivialities **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Read first, think next, write last **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Listening to the forest **PET PEEVE:** People who say, "I'm bored." **QUOTE:** A path is formed by walking on it.

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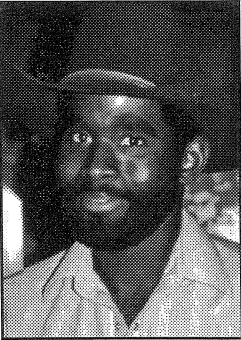
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[-----> Much learning does not teach understanding. <-----]

Terry Bartlett

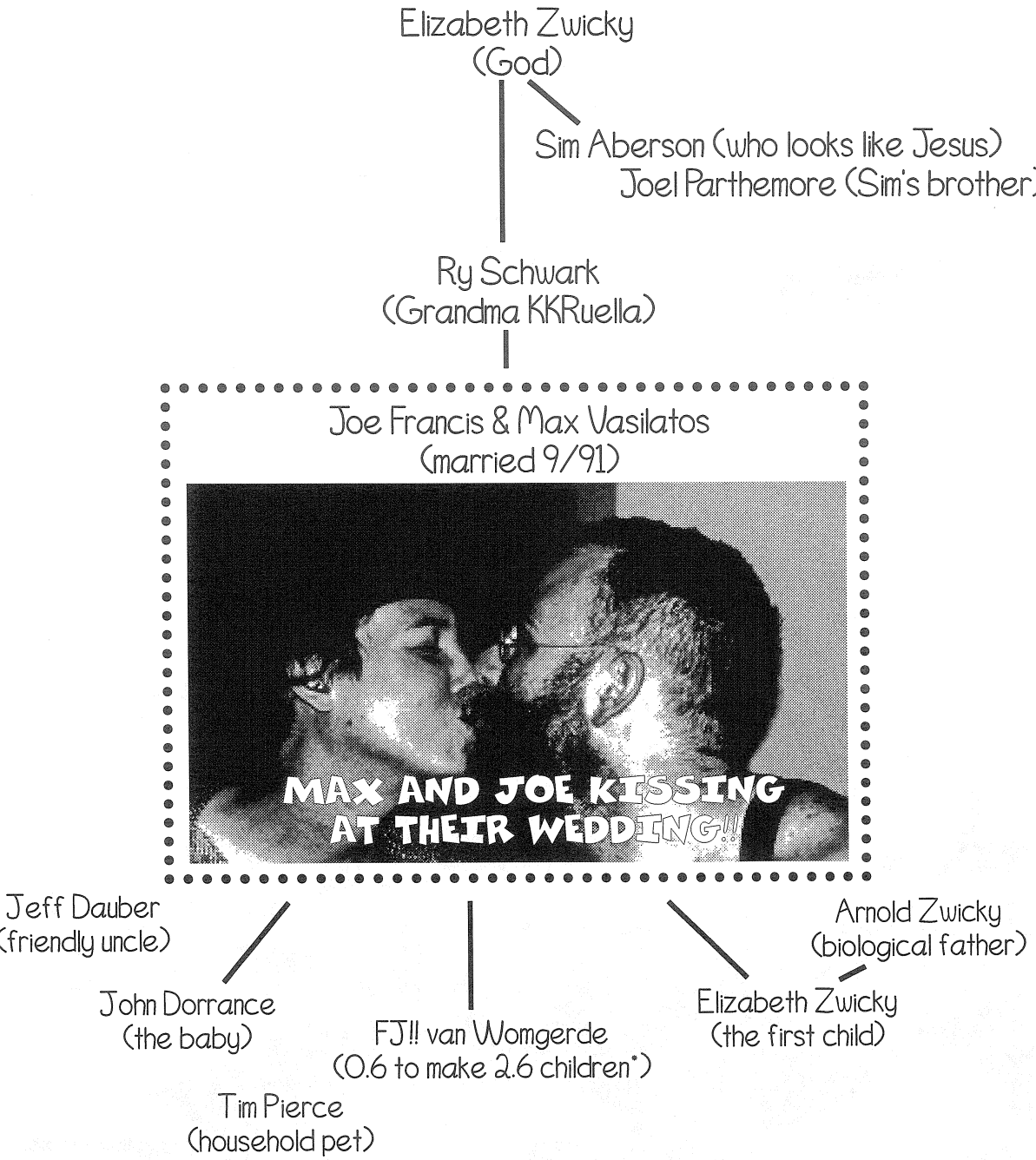
NICKNAME: none that can be used in polite company **ACTIVITIES:** rodeo, scuba diving, motorcycling, 4-wheeling **AMBITION:** to hike the length of the Rocky Mountains **SECRET AMBITION:** to destroy all human life on the planet **KILL FILE:** never had one, never will **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Virgil, Moore, most anyone dead already. **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Blue Devil Summer Fun Special **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Bride of Reanimator **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Country/Western, Bluegrass **CODE:** B4fd(v)mg+r++k **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** 1200 mi. (SF - Denver) 2000 mi. (Colo Spgs - Boston) **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** being a cog in a bear dynamo **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** joined the conceptual family **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** grow up already! **FAVORITE PASTIME:** solo hiking **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** Interesting... **PET PEEVE:** smoking

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| Terry Bartlett terry.bartlett@Sun.COM | "Gods and their examples
are not needed by those who respect themselves and, consequently, respect
others. Gods are for children, for little fearful people, for those who
would have no responsibility to themselves or their fellows."



CONCEPTUAL FAMILY TREE



* 0.6 to make a total of 2.6 children, which is the average size of the American family. FJ gets to be only 0.6 because he is in Europe. He and his brother John faught for several months in 1991 (sibling rivalry)
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soc.motss remembers these contributors,
now deceased:

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Tom Shearer



Alan Batie
NICKNAME: (Actual or desired?-)) <none> **ACTIVITIES:** public access Unix (85-present), motss con (88-90,92-93), No On Hate (92), Rose City Gay Freedom Band [clarinet] (93) **AMBITION:** Have agora become worthy of peerage with world.std.com **CODE:** B0 w g kh-r,S4 b g l y-z-n o-x-a-u-v-j **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** 88: 600 miles, 89: 2500-3000? miles, 90: 1200? miles, 92: *They* came to *me*!, 93: 2500-3000? miles **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** Wore a flaming pink Gay Pride t-shirt in public when I was not quite two years out of the closet at the first motss con. After that, there was no going back. **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Managed to tolerate and wade through more of the nonsense and flamings so I'd know what people were talking about at motss cons. **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** There really are some wonderful tidbits in soc.motss; just remember -- 90% of everything is crap. Soc.motss maybe more like 99%, but that's still one or two articles/day. **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Books, Movies, Watersports (that's *swimming* [preferably skinnydipping] and *water skiing* you dirty minded person!) **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** God Damn Computer! Do what I MEANT, not what I SAID! **PET PEEVE:** Straight people telling me to "keep it in the bedroom". (I'll keep it in the bedroom when *you* can!) **QUOTE:** A life lived in fear is a life half lived (Strictly Ballroom)
.sig: Sometimes they fool you by walking upright

David Carlton

AMBITION: Prove the Riemann hypothesis **SECRET AMBITION:** Become a professional go player **KILL FILE:** 1 line long. **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Lawrence of Arabia **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Art of the Fugue, Turn of the Screw, anything by the Andrews Sisters **PET PEEVE:** Pop math (chaos theory, fractals, etc.) **X-FACE:** 2EES ^ :eyv)/jqd+ <NQ68T-Y]_ #V+VhEnRV#I%%%zeLL\$Na;Y"LmTd]luFcD:]'k\$IPj 2c#!RXB4,n0/Yn/'BL%<mU9N=RPCN.ozF7q\$4Ae:bW8 | '%v.;x2S-H ^ 6Ur[!NzOiv @ @ d9vP<zPSs8x09b=}2/ @.u'bgSl' xe?G8z}7ESH('1CB1S' JZ:&5a!8xNV_uVScTksb



Ri-Jen Chou
NICKNAME: **ACTIVITIES:** aquariums, orchids, bonsai, landscaping, music(violin), Ultimate Frisbee, cooking, Boy-watching, motss 1986- present; motss.cons: SF88, Boston89, Toronto91, Portland92, Boston93; Todd stories 1987-89 **AMBITION:** I have none **SECRET AMBITION:** To be Supreme Commander of the Universe **KILL FILE:** none **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Kagemusha, Ran **FAVORITE MUSIC:** classical, opera **CODE:** (M/S/B/N/G or other code) **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** ??? Austin to Portland or Boston (I'm not sure which is furthest). **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** outrageous? me???? **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** develop a thicker skin **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** watch **FAVORITE PASTIME:** napping **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** cool! **PET PEEVE:** people who think they know what's best for me **QUOTE:** "Nothing is permanent" —Buddha

Robert S. Coren

NICKNAME: Robert (and don't you forget it) **ACTIVITIES:** channel surfing ordering small plants to grow snuggling reading soc.motss and wishing I had time to prove how much smarter I am than everybody else **AMBITION:** To rule the world **SECRET AMBITION:** To have the world behave exactly as I want it to without my having to go to the trouble of ruling it **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** George Eliot, Mary Renault, E.M. Forster, Arnold Zwicky **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Middlemarch **FAVORITE MOVIES:** The Philadelphia Story Bergman's "Magic Flute" **FAVORITE MUSIC:** The Marriage of Figaro Just About Anything Else By Mozart or Beethoven Rite of Spring **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** 3000 miles to Portland (plus additional trips to Portland and Santa Fe as a result) **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** (You mean in public?) Licking mango juice off a fellow-motsser's thighs (I'm not making this up, you know!) **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Been sincerely flamed Gotten the last word in argument with Arne Adolphson or Jess Anderson **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Shine, don't whine **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Licking mango juice off another motsser's thighs **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** (facial) shit-eating grin (verbal) au contraire [with as strong an American as possible] **PET PEEVE:** Misuse of apostrophe's

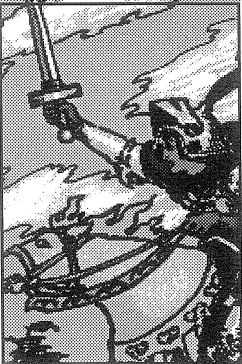




Brent Eric Davies

NICKNAME: I've never had one. Go for it. ACTIVITIES: Yes, as often as possible. AMBITION: To be a composer SECRET AMBITION: To be a GREAT composer KILL FILE: 1 person, three months FAVOURITE WRITTEN WORK: The OED FAVOURITE MUSIC: Mozart, Tom Lehrer CODE: None. I am unclassifiable. DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS: 12,000 miles. MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING: [To be completed this time next year.] WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS: Demuffed earlier. A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN: Never be false, never be mean, never be cruel, and keep your place. FAVOURITE PASTIME: Writing music (ties with cuddling) PET PEEVE: Unnecessary rudeness. QUOTE: Mens cuiusque est quisque [One is what one thinks] .sig:

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David A. Denis

NICKNAME: RaveBear ACTIVITIES: New England Bears, Cruise BBS, traveling AMBITION: little, if any SECRET AMBITION: to get out of the computer business and be a chef KILL FILE: none! what a masochist! FAVORITE AUTHORS: Paul Monette, Isaac Asimov FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS: FAVORITE MOVIES: FAVORITE MUSIC: cutting-edge, like WFNX, but dance music makes me move too. CODE: B2-4twdcvg(+)s-r-k?l DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS: varies, inches to miles. MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING: never attended one. WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS: A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN: don't let college interfere with your education FAVORITE PASTIME: snuggling, playing on computer BBS, beaches PET PEEVE: smokers QUOTE: see below

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| daved@burldnp.bur.isc-br.com         | | different every day depending on |
| Burlington, MA  (617) 238-6053        | \ / | how you slept the night before" |
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Christina Zennaro

ACTIVITIES: Activist in the Danish Gay/Lesbian organization since 86 Ambition: To have a good life SECRET AMBITION: To have a _very_ good life FAVORITE AUTHORS: Sarah Shulman, Katherine Forrest, Gert Brantenberg, Pat Califa, Jane Rule, Radclyffe Hall, Patricia Highsmith, Dostojevskij FAVORITE MOVIES: Basic Instinct FAVORITE MUSIC: 2 nice Girls, Holly Near, Clannad, Bach CODE: MDI: B TE**FB!!!H**O**M***S!!K!!L V G PC-PC**W!A SB!TB!!HF* DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS: 18 hours every way by plane from Denmark FAVORITE PASTIME: Reading good lesbian books FAVORITE EXPRESSION: You are always straight until proven

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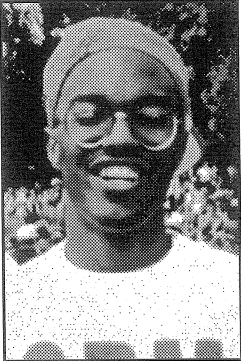
"Call me straight and I'll sue."

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Ron Buckmire

NICKNAME: Puppy ACTIVITIES: Information Disbursal AMBITION: PhD in Applied Math SECRET AMBITION: Media Activism for LGB national group FAVORITE AUTHORS: Ursula K. Leguin, Essex Hemphill, Toni Morrison, Asimov FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS: The Dispossessed, Ceremonies, Beloved, FAVORITE MOVIES: Dangerous Liaisons FAVORITE MUSIC: Mariah Carey, Aretha Franklin, Cocteau Twins, Madonna, Seal WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS: Done it! A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN: Don't be scared. Just jump in! FAVORITE PASTIME: Sex. FAVORITE EXPRESSION: "I just have 3 words to say: WHAT-EV-ER!" PET PEEVE: Apathy in our community QUOTE: anything from Urvashi Vaid

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Fabian Jacob van Wingerde

NICKNAME: FJ!! **ACTIVITIES:** motss, uk-motss, irc #gblf #GaySex, BML, Attention... (my first breakup) '92, `a boy, a bay...' '93, generally nice-with-a-bitch-underneath **AMBITION:** Design the UI for a video my mother can use. Learn to deal and reconcile my life inside with the life outside. **SECRET AMBITION:** Be a superstar for three years. Develop real writing and photography skills. Be sexually interesting. Fall in love and get swept off my feet. **FAVORITE MOVIES:** the Women, 1984, Alien 1-3 **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Kate Bush, Bryan Ferry's solo work, Eurytmics, layered techno-pop, Wendy & Lisa's first album, ABC. **CODE:** You make one for me; if I like it, I'll try to live up to it. **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Show the friendship amongst us a bit more. Write better. **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** `They' say that "you get what you give." This is not strictly true; on motss you get what you give a thousand times over, if not more. I got an electronic family spread over the globe that has welcomed me, loved me, had fun with me, harboured me, made me grow, saved my ass, and, at times, has let me return the favor. Bitch about the group what you want, but rememeber, they are real people, and should be treated as such. They'll will return the favor, I promise. **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Lie there, in the afternoon, reading a newspaper, sipping tea, getting on-line, and hug the guy in bed with me from time to time. **QUOTE:** "To me, `home' is not rooms and places. It is the people I want to be with." **FJ!! 1ST RULE TO STAY ON HIS GOOD SIDE:** As told by Harry Ugol: "*Don't* wake him up."

Cobra Woman

NICKNAME: Cobra**ACTIVITIES:** soc.motss - 1987- present; NY motss dinners 1991- present; NY motswimmin's lunch 1993; cons: 1989, 1991, 1992 **AMBITION:** To live in Manhattan (fulfilled since 1969) **SECRET AMBITION:** To appear on Donahue as a female impersonator **KILL FILE:** 32 lines (of which 8 are either global or soc.motss related). I don't know when I established it, but it's not much more than a year old. (It coincides with my moving from rn to nn.) Most of the relevant lines are permanent selections, not eliminations. **CODES:** Area (212), Zip (10025) **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** about 3000 miles (NY-Portland) **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** stayed fully dressed at Rooster Rock **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** posted less **FAVORITE PASTIME:** making up yearbook entries for other people and not sending them to Max

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Mara Chibnik
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Life is too important to be taken seriously.
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Robert Andrew Donahue

NICKNAME: BBC (Bobby Bear Cub) **ACTIVITIES:** acoustic guitar, camping (the outdoor kind), travel **AMBITION:** To write enough papers that an entire volume of the Astronomy and Astrophysics Abstracts is dedicated to me... :-> **SECRET AMBITION:** See above -- I suppose just to be known as a very competent scientist and to make some sort of meaningful contribution to my field. (Hmmm... that's not very secret is it...) **KILL FILE:** (how long and when established, _not_ its contents) Varies--- usually <5 lines, usually all Subject: fields and rarely From: fields (although it does happen) **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Michael Crichton (Congo is my fave), Anne McCaffery, Douglas Adams. If Nicole Hollander can count, I'll add her to the list too! **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** Whatever I can manage **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** Can't think of anything *outrageous*... **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Eating. **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** My brain hurts. **QUOTE:** "Life is a peanut-butter and liverwurst sandwich" (BBC, c. 1978) [Meaning: Taken in it's component parts, it's OK, but when you mush it all together, it ain't much to write home about.]

John Dorrance

NICKNAMES: Tangent Boy, The Great Wide Open, Thaaang **ACTIVITIES:** Flirting, Flitting, Flouncing **AMBITION:** world travel, much boinking, absolute originality **SECRET AMBITION:** Citibank Gold Card **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Anne Rice, The Editors at Time-Life, Anonymous **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Mr. Popper's Penguins, Half Magic **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Adventures in Babysitting, Heathers, Beauty & the Beast **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Depressed middle-aged British singer/songwriters (Annie Lennox, Sting), chipper songstresses (Madonna, Lisa Stansfield), dance crap, lesbians **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** Sim **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** found a job **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** sodomy **FAVORITE PASTIME:** slacking **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** a big, happy smile **PET PEEVE:** people who don't kiss my butt **QUOTE:** I've shed my tears in bitter drops until the thorn trees bloomed To take the spiky fruit to crown myself the Queen of Doom. Annie Lennox, 'Legend in My Living Room'

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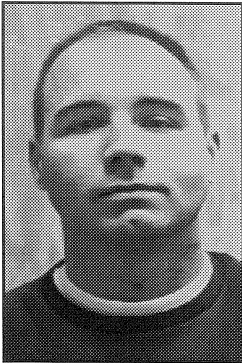
I always thought of you as my brick wall
Built like an angel, six feet tall
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James McKean Wood

NICKNAME: Jim **ACTIVITIES:** piano weight lifting 2-stepping **AMBITION:** software engineering manager **SECRET AMBITION:** to visit every continent at least once **KILL FILE:** non-existent **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Jane Austen George Eliot E. M. Forster **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** "Emma" "Gone With the Wind" "Middlemarch" **FAVORITE MOVIES:** "All About Eve" "The Miracle Worker" "To Kill a Mockingbird" **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Third symphony in E-flat, "Eroica," L. van Beethoven Second piano concerto in F minor, F. Chopin Sonata in B-flat K. 960, F. Schubert **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** enjoy the controversy and learn a lot, but don't take flaming too personally **FAVORITE PASTIME:** city walks **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** "Well, bully for you!" **PET PEEVE:** slow drivers in the left lane

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"You really should change your position on abortion, you know."
-Katharine Hepburn to George Bush, November 1990
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Jim Doyle

NICKNAME: J.D. -- and (less commonly) Jimbob **ACTIVITIES:** Skiing, tennis, any sport I can find, naked latenite kernel hacking and, of course, the relentless pursuit of excellence. **AMBITION:** To surpass my own expectations **SECRET AMBITION:** to retire at 30 and live in a quiet South Pacific hideaway **KILL FILE:** dont use one ; getting pissed off means I'm thinking **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Hemingway, Asimov, Kernighan & Ritchie **FAVORITE MOVIES:** **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Rush, Springsteen, Haendel, Bach, Beethoven **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** two hours **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** havent been a bad boy yet. **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Work hard, play hard, keep the faith. **FAVORITE PASTIME:** sports.* , power biking, shooting pool and drinking beer with the boys, all-night debugging jams in my lab **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** If it aint broke ; dont fix it. **PET PEEVE:** PC , people that lack deodorant savvy, System V **QUOTE:** Life is what happens when you're busy doing other things.

Donald Lowell Yarman

NICKNAME: DON SICKENING **NICKNAME USED BY SO:** Honey-bunch-guy-face **ACTIVITIES:** Children's librarian, folklorist, community theatre stuff **AMBITION:** Finish dissertation, Become increasingly less neurotic, Write Kid's books, Change from folklorist to folkie **SECRET AMBITION:** Play Baker's Wife in "Into the Woods" **SECRET VICE:** Acrylic scarves **KILL FILE:** deleted in October when I started dissertation research **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Ursula LeGuin, Richard Kennedy, Jane Yolen **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Wizard of Earthsea, Cat's Cradle, Neverending Story, The Handmaid's Tale, The Joy Luck Club **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Housekeeping, Philadelphia Story, Beauty and the Beast **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Contemporary Folk (John Gorka, Christine Lavin) and Broadway **CODE:** None yet. Maybe after the chapter on codes is written **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Eating compulsively while absorbed in a novel **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** "Get over yourself" or "anal-compulsive huns" **PET PEEVE:** People who walk on the wrong side of staircases **QUOTE:** "People say they want to 'save the earth' but are they hippocrates?" --from a student paper

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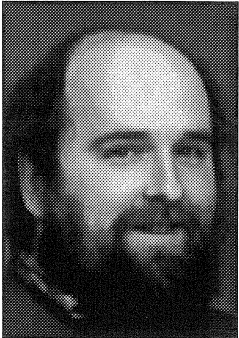
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Steve Dyer

Steve was caught in a raging storm that caused a power outage which prevented him from transmitting personal data to the editors. —eds





Thomas M. Farrell
NICKNAME: Tom, Spock, Riker (Please don't ask) **ACTIVITIES:** Reading, movies, long walks, photography, poetry, painting **AMBITION:** To get my college degree and earn lots and lots of money **SECRET AMBITION:** To be the first gay character on Star Trek **KILL FILE:** I've had a running kill file for two years or so now, but it gets longer and shorter as time goes by. It was recently up to ~300 lines, but I believe it's presently quite short. **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Clarke, Niven, McCaffrey, A.D.Foster, Shakespeare, Crichton **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Nor Crystal Tears, Oath of Fealty, Dream Park **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Star Wars (1), Star Trek VI, Prince of Tides **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Mozart, Queen **CODE:** I don't use the durn codes. :) **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** It's in my town. :) **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** danced **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Come out, come out, wherever you are... **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Reading **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** "Ug." **PET PEEVE:** Harvey hates Queen. **QUOTE:** "Ah, those figs. Happy as rats they are. They tap-dance not, neither do they fart." -Greensleeves of Frivoli
.sig: Bear Loaf. (Recipe.)

Margaret Fieland

NICKNAME: Peggy **ACTIVITIES:** Reading news, playing the flute **AMBITION:** Not to regret the things I haven't done **SECRET AMBITION:** To be a Starship pilot **SECRET VICE:** reading news **KILL FILE:** pacifist **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Lewis Carroll **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Alice in Wonderland **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Desert Hearts **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Mozart **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** Never been to one. **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Posted more. **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** "I'm working on it." **PET PEEVE:** running out of coffee, especially in the morning **QUOTE:** "Mine is a long and sad tail..."



Joseph C. Fineman
NICKNAME: Joe or F **ACTIVITIES:** Singing, reading, Internet, hugs &c **AMBITION:** None **SECRET AMBITION:** Mustn't tell **KILL FILE:** None (I use nn) **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** George Orwell, H. L. Mencken, Dwight Macdonald, G. K. Chesterton, W. V. O. Quine, Bertrand Russell, Cyril Kornbluth, R. A. Heinlein, Arthur Koestler, W. H. Auden, R. Kipling, James Agee **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Too numerous to mention **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Miracle on 34th St., Mr Smith Goes to Washington, Ace in the Hole, a Japanese movie whose name I've forgotten about a bureaucrat dying of cancer **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Folk (especially old songs); classical. **CODE:** .B2 t-w-g+ k+ s+++ r p **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** ? I live in Brookline. **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** This will be my first. **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Gotten laid **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Who are they? **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Imagining being mean **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** Owing to the accumulation of capital & the alienation of labor **PET PEEVE:** Mass entertainment, esp. since 1940 **QUOTE:** "The world goes its way past all who will not partake of its folly." -- T. Dreiser, _Sister Carrie_
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John Walter Flanagan, Jr.

NICKNAME: (Don't even think it.) **ACTIVITIES:** Physics, Japanese, Hawai`i Marriage Project, eating. **AMBITION:** It's around here somewhere. **SECRET AMBITION:** It's a secret. **SECRET VICE:** (Nice try.) **KILL FILE:** Nope. **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Gabriel Garcia Marquez, Jojo Francis. **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Good books. **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Good ones. **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Disco, opera, other. **CODE:** N...ah, maybe later. **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** N.A. **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** I wish. **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Turned into an electron and travelled the world via net. **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** No, it doesn't get any better than this. **FAVORITE PASTIME:** E-mail, apparently. **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** Shocked delight. **PET PEEVE:** Spineless State Attorney Generals. **QUOTE:** Men in their under- shorts serviced the engines, sweat pouring from their skin. [Haiku courtesy of the Pearl Harbor submarine museum.]
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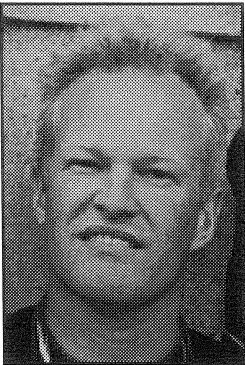


Andrew Terrance Trembley
NICKNAME: Andy, Andries (SCA name) **ACTIVITIES:** Usenetting, Writing, Medieval recreation (SCA), shopping, need I go on? **AMBITION:** To be able to wall-paper my room with diplomas (that are actually mine) **SECRET AMBITION:** If I told everyone, it wouldn't be a secret **KILL FILE:** My newsreader doesn't support kill files, and recently I've been kind of annoyed by that fact **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Mercedes Lackey, John Varley **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Milwapa (the Amateur Press Association 'zine I write for) **FAVORITE MOVIES:** The last movie I saw in a theater was Super Mario Brothers, preceded by Waynes World. Obviously, I don't get out to the theater much. Seriously, tho-The Wizard of Speed and Time, The Fisher King, and I'm not sure what else... **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Pat Metheny-"Secret Story" **CODE:** T7C2L2s h d- a- c ye+ g+ t+(4,5,6,7) k+(+) s-m1 m2 q S7 b gl- y(-) z n+ o+(+) x a++ -u-(++) j++ B3 t++ w- g k+ s- r- p **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** Well, my first con was MiniCon-a little over 300 miles. If you're talking motss-cons, I'd go to Boston if I had the money (and I live in Milwaukee) **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Wishful thinking will only get you so far. That's when it's time for conspiracy **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Just about anything when Robert is present **QUOTE:** "See Rick. See Rick Freak. Freak, Rick, Freak!"
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as always, I'm... Andy Trembley andrewt @ csd4.csd.uwm.edu
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----- Andy's new and improved tagline -----
I'm not totally shameless... But I'm working on it!

Max Meredith Vasilatos

ACTIVITIES: motss, 83-present; rape debate with Gene Smith, '91; motss.con 91; conceptual wedding (bride) 91; motss.con 93 **AMBITION:** to do something worth going to prison over **SECRET AMBITION:** to be very large and manipulate gigantic machinery **KILL FILE:** est. 93, one line **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Sarah Schulman, Pat Califa **FAVORITE MOVIES:** all the MacBeths **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** 34 hours, there and back to Toronto **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** reassured Arnold Zwicky more **PET PEEVE:** people who gripe about the cabal **QUOTE:** "Dress for success; wear a white penis."



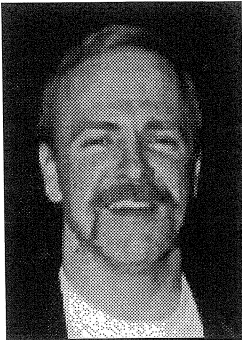
Roderic Joseph Williams
NICKNAME(S): Rod, Roddy Joe **ACTIVITIES:** soc.motss '83-present; board member of PacBell's GALEEMAS (Gay & Lesbian Employee Association); steering committee member of "Out And Equal In The '90s: Lesbian/Gay/Bisexual Workplace Issues Conference" **AMBITION:** learn how to schmooze **SECRET AMBITION:** to get arrested real soon **KILL FILE:** still empty, but I use the dynamic 'k' with great abandon **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Jeannette Winterson, Gabriel Garcia Marquez, Gore Vidal, Muriel Spark, Paul Monette, T. Coraghessan Boyle, P.D. James, Alice Walker, Christopher Isherwood, Anita Brookner, Vikram Seth, Kazuo Ishiguro, Steven Saylor... **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** "Myra Breckenridge" (Vidal), "My Guru and His Disciple" (Isherwood), "Zen and the Art of Motorcycle Maintenance" (Pirsig)... **FAVORITE MOVIES:** "Nashville," "A Room with a View," "The Miracle," "Parting Glances," "The Dead"... **FAVORITE MUSIC:** String quartets, Chopin, Bach's Mass in B-Minor, Durufle Requiem, Sondheim, Sarah Vaughan, Sinatra, Betty Carter, Ella, Blossom Dearie, Mabel Mercer, Sylvia Sims, k.d. lang, Marian McPartland, Annie Lennox... **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** failed to get a reservation for 30 for dimsum at the Golden Dragon, USENIX '92, SF **PET PEEVE(S):** Reagan Youth, cars, suburbs, fear... **QUOTE:** There ain't no sin, ain't no virtue—just stuff people do (Steinbeck, "The Grapes Of Wrath")
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Timothy Alan Wilson

NICKNAME: Tim **ACTIVITIES:** soc.motss: '93, motss con '93: Scribe, 2nd Runner Up: Mr. Boston Leather 1991 **AMBITION:** International Mr. Leather, 1994 **SECRET AMBITION:** Adopt a child **KILL FILE:** None (for soc.motss) **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Joseph Conrad; William Faulkner; Hunter S. Thompson; Albert Camus; Eric Hoffer **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Heart of Darkness; The Hamlet, The Town, The Mansion (Snopes trilogy); Fear and Loathing in Las Vegas; The Fall **FAVORITE MOVIES:** 2001: A Space Odyssey; Babette's Feast; The Empire Strikes Back; Tampopo; The Bride of Frankenstein **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Charles Ives: Symphony #1; Minutemen: Double Nickels on the Dime; Yes: Tales from Topographic Oceans; Miles Davis: A Tribute to Jack Johnson; Pere Ubu: Dub Housing **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** 0 km. **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** Has yet to be done **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Been less serious **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Be civil **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Cruising **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** blech **PET PEEVE:** Unsupported arguments **QUOTE:** Smart people and dumb people are equally stupid compared to what there is to know.
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Tane' Tachyon

NICKNAME: Tachyon **FAVORITE MOVIES:** It's been many years since my days of seeing lots of movies; I should probably beg off with "The Wizard of Oz" and leave it at that! **FAVORITE MUSIC:** I like all types of music, though it seems like the only concerts I go to any more are the "women's/queer top 40" ala the Indigo Girls and the Flirtations. **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Listen to what other people have to tell you about their experiences. Try to have some compassion. Try not to confuse your personal tastes with objective reality. If you make some thoughtless bigoted remark, apologize for it instead of making yourself look like an jerk posting fifty messages attacking people for calling you on it. Make a big kill file and don't flame Melinda!

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Season Marie Taylor

ACTIVITIES: motss oct 1992-present, flirting, posting whatever pops into my head **AMBITION:** to become a world famous lawyer **SECRET AMBITION:** to sleep with a famous (and attractive) straight woman **KILL FILE:** 2 lines, est. feb 1993 **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Wendy Wasserstein, Kurt Vonnegut, A.A. Mline **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** The Heidi Chronicles, Winnie the Pooh, Demian **FAVORITE MOVIES:** The Wizard of Oz, Basic Instinct, North By Northwest **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Indigo Girls, disappear fear, Suzanne Vega, Madonna, anysort ofrave and techno **CODE:** code? what code? i don't need a code...i'm just me! **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** 1000 mi **FAVORITE PASTIME:** stealing signs that say things like, "foam rubber...cut to size...apply in rear" **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** "diva!" or "she is fierce!" **QUOTE:** "well you've followed me this far did you find out what's inside? can you tell me what i'm doing? is it something i should hide? i don't know for sure i don't want to find out what i left there for." --indigo girls .sig: well, the quote changes all the time, but right now it's:

Season Marie Taylor |"GIRL is not menstruating...GIRL is nonorgasmic...
czmt@gibbs.oit.unc.edu \ |GIRL is naive, cute, bratty, unthreatening in her
finger me for Seasonal info|clumsiness and incompetence...GIRL is most of all
(yes, it is my real name) |young, vanity in extremis." --courtney love



Michael Allen Thomas

NICKNAME: Mike **ACTIVITIES:** skiing, sail boat racing, camping. **AMBITION:** to be a bum. **SECRET AMBITION:** hoping that the above ambition isn't permanent. **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Rand, currently Paglia. Read a lot of SciFi a while back, Niven was probably my.fave. **FAVORITEWRITTENWORKS:** Atlas Shrugged on the heavy side. Robert Asprin's _Myth_ series on the inane side. **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Classical. Sibelius is my fave. **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** Portland: 1000 miles. **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** Or eavesdropping on Brett and Tim at the Ramrod? Well, there was Mod Bob's hot tub... **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Motss is an ego building thing and should be looked at in that light. If your ego and esteem are beaten back initially, persevere; you will find your nitch. **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** *Disguuusting* **PET PEEVE:** Backseat drivers. .sig:

Michael Thomas (mike@gordian.com)
"I don't think Bambi Eyes will get you that flame thrower..."
-- Hobbes to Calvin
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Wendy Ann Thrash

NICKNAME: Wendy T., Mistress Thrash (plus several used only by The Cupcake) **AMBITION:** 1) finish Ph.D. before eligible for Social Security (possible) 2) make weight less than IQ (not bloody likely) **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Thomas Pynchon, James Joyce, W.B. Yeats, Norman Mailer, and John Updike **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Pynchon - V **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Anything by Sondheim. You can _too_hum the tunes! (OK, "Everybody Says Don't" is tough, but anyone can whistle "Anyone Can Whistle." Aside from that, mostly jazz. Jazz at the Pawnshop is a good sample of the soft jazz I like. Also jazz violin (e.g., Grappelli). As for classical, I'm partial to Shostakovich and Prokofiev; my idiosyncratic favorites are Khachaturian and Kabalevsky, particularly their piano works. May as well throw in Debussy, as long as we're talking piano. **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** Met the Cupcake! Thanks to David Preston (and his sis). **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Something to keep Arnold Z. around. **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Never _ever_ get involved in a flame war, unless you feel like it. **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** Duh! **PET PEEVE:** Trendy sadomasochism **QUOTE:** "Does the word 'Duh' mean anything to you?" (Buffy the Vampire Slayer) **HANKY COLORS:** Red and Black, left. Grey, right. White lace, anywhere! (maybe that last one should be under favorite fantasy) **PERSON I MOST LOVED TO FLAME:** Ray Frank, who thought I should be home, baking cookies .sig: Varies



Marc A. Frajola

ACTIVITIES: Classical Music, Stereo, Weight Lifting, Fast Cars, Flying, 34.5*2 **AMBITION:** Play piano as well as Horowitz and violin as well as Heiftz **SECRET AMBITION:** Turn straight **KILL FILE:** /dev/null **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Isaac Asimov, James Thurber, Scott Peck, Gary Larsen [-:)] **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** UNIX man pages. -:) **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Return of the Pink Panther, Whats up doc, Attack of the killer tomatoes **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Classical: Mozart, Bach, Beethoven, Tchaikowsky, Vivaldi, Corelli Rock: Yes Jazz: Flim & the BB's Pop: David Foster, Alan Parsons, Peter Cetera New age: Enya Folk: Indigo Girls, Traci Chapman **CODE:** S GWM **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** Portland, OR -> Boston (~2500 mi?) **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** Lick whipping cream off another cute motsser at public picnic **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Posted an article. -:) **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Life is a shit sandwich; the more bread you've got, the less shit you have to eat. -:) **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Figuring out how to make a stereo system flat down to 10Hz **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** "The only thing I hate worse than tailgaters is people that drive slow in front of me." **PET PEEVE:** I don't own any pets. -:) **QUOTE:** "Graduation signifies the time when you start working to get paid instead of paying to get work." --Marc Frajola .sig: "Hardware n. The parts of a computer system that can be kicked."

Joseph D. Francis

NICKNAME: Jojo **ACTIVITIES:** Anything not requiring moving more than one body part at once. **AMBITION:** To be too much. **SECRET AMBITION:** To be anonymous! **KILL FILE:** Can't kill a thing! **FAVORITEAUTHORS:** Petrarch, Nabokov, Hawthorne, Borges **CODE:** Ask steve...! Lives in Amsterdam. **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** Grill Aubergines while dressed in skintight purple lycra shorts and metallic gold skintite tanktop and DM boots while on very good acid and chatting away convivially with steve's guests, not long before the mass JO orgy in the kitchen. Only outrageous if you don't know me. **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS MADE A DIFFERENCE TO SOMEONE:** to bring a moment's pleasure. **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Read. Discriminately. Thoughtfully. Question Authority. Put yourself in other's shoes. **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Talking, writing, snooping. **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** Fresh and Clean! **PET PEEVE:** Condom sizes. **QUOTE:** I like a look of Agony, because I know it's true. Emily Dickinson.



Rica Ashby Fredrickson

NICKNAME: want to give me one? -:) I've been called an otter and a puppy, but nothing's stuck to me as a handle yet. **AMBITION:** To see the world become a safer place for all of us, and know that I made a positive difference at some point along the way (sounds trite, but it's only in the last year that I've really believed I *do* make a difference -- it's a good feeling and I wish for everyone to have this experience) **SECRET AMBITION:** A good night's sleep **KILL FILE:** none (I select manually what messages to read) **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Stone butch blues _by Feinberg, _The door into fire _tetralogy by Duane, _The lord of the rings . Same caveat applies. **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Hmm... anything with Sigourney Weaver -:) **FAVORITE MUSIC:** "Waterfall", "Song of the soul", and anything else by Cris Williamson. **CODE:** MDIv1.00 b**te*fb_h_o(*)m_s_kill!pc-v(m)!!v(s)**v(a)!v(o)_g*!! NBCS h-f-tw(-)c?s+(+)k+p++g+r- **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** -:) [Second favorite: <hugs>] **QUOTE:** ... silence can be an extremely high price to pay for acceptance. --Sandy Stone .sig: Varies. One of my more serious ones: Rica Ashby Fredrickson <rica@cellar.org> (X) MDIv1.00 b**te*fb_h_o(*)m_s_kill!pc--v(m)!!v(s)**v(a)!v(o)_g*/*!! It's been a shock for me to realize that even I make assumptions about sex and gender that aren't true. --Ruth, character in Leslie Feinberg's _Stone butch blues-

Charles David Fulton

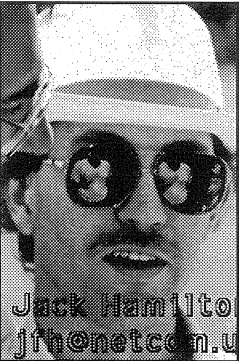
NICKNAME: Charlie **ACTIVITIES:** Baiting, Puerile sniping **AMBITION:** Maybe tomorrow **SECRET AMBITION:** Manson family member **KILL FILE:** Kill file? I'm a Nuntius-using lamo. **FAVORITEAUTHORS:** Kafka, Goethe (yawn, but true) **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORK:** "Die Wahlverwandschaften" (Elective Affinities) **FAVORITE MOVIES:** "Shadow of a Doubt" "The Honeymoon Killers" "The Gang's All Here" **FAVORITE SONGS:** "Sister Ray", "Windy" **FAVORITE FLAME WAR:** Adolphson vs. Shore: The Ithaca/Pittsburgh debates **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** several hundred yards **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** Drunken torpor (yawn again) **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Sent Matthew and Melinda to bed w/o supper **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Drugs are nice **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Reciprocal fellatio **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** Tight-lipped, baleful glare **PET PEEVES:** "anyways", "sakes" and "moron" **QUOTE:** "It's not who you know, it's whom you know" (me) .sig: "Charlie"





Daniel Gilly

SIGNIFICANT OTHER: Bob Griffith NICKNAME: -- ACTIVITIES: soc.motss reader since Nov. '90; de-muffled in July '91, after attending Toronto motss.con; High Tech Gays; Silicon Valley Gay Men's Chorus, Secretary and bass singer SECRET AMBITION: To model skimpy outfits in International Male, etc. CODE: Bear Code, me: B0 h- f- r- s- t- w- m c+ g+ Bear Code, Bob: B0 h- fr s- w m d+ g- k DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS: Toronto.con '91: came from Boston Boston.con, '93: came from San Francisco (~3500 miles) MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING: met a 5'3" Asian guy at a Toronto bathhouse, went steamroom-hopping together, then back to his place WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS: -- A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN: -- A WORD TO MUFFINS: "Don't let the bastards (homophobic flamers) wear you down." FAVORITE PASTIME: playing bridge; Star Trek FAVORITE EXPRESSION: Slippery When Wet (usually in response to the rapid question, "What's your sign?") PET PEEVE: People who re-post or cross-post homophobic rantings to soc.motss. QUOTE: "Pick on somebody your own age." -- My mother, as one of the first things she ever said to my partner Bob .sig: Daniel Gilly dgilly@us.oracle.com Oracle Corporation Redwood Shores, CA



Robert Adamson-Scott Hansen

NICKNAME: Officer Bob ACTIVITIES: Working excessively, reading, hiking, tennis, politicking, trash TV (soc.motss AMBITION: President of these United States SECRET AMBITION: Something involving Geraldo Rivera, Reddy Whip, and maraschino cherries. FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS: Our personnel manual, Atlas Shrugged, The Fountainhead, The Gulag Archipelago, any of the Making of the President series FAVORITE MOVIES: Gone with the Wind, Adam's Rib, Cleopatra (Elizabeth Taylor version), Citizen Kane, The Trip to Bountiful, Sophie's Choice, Fail-Safe, Dr. Strangelove. FAVORITE MUSIC: Aretha Franklin, early Motown (before Supremes became "Diana Ross *and*...", light jazz, big band, top 40. CODE: None. No code comes remotely close to describing me. WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS: Found a husband (I'm not giving up yet, though...) AWORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN: I would be talking to myself if I did that... FAVORITE PASTIME: Driving people insane FAVORITE EXPRESSION: No. PET PEEVE: The Insufferably Politically Correct Sig/Quote:

***** ROBERT HANSEN * "I'm like the little boy who knew how to OR Health Sciences University * spell banana, but never knew when to stop." Portland, Oregon USA * Hubert H. Humphrey *****

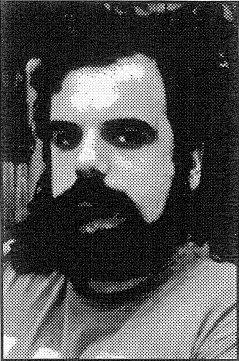
Randall J Futor

NICKNAME: Randy ACTIVITIES: *.motss - '85 to present; motss.con.1 AMBITION: very little SECRET AMBITION: crucifying Jesse Helms & 2 or 3 of his ilk -- it'd make such a lovely display, their crosses all in a row CODE: Niebelung Second Class DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS: 50km (but I'd've gone to LV!) WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS: contributed more in the early days A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN: You don't *have* to respond to everything! FAVORITE PASTIME: textile crafts to music FAVORITE EXPRESSION: Hmmm... PET PEEVE: stupid QUOTE: Not because I do not feel with the oppressed, the disinherited of the earth; not because I do not know the shame, the horror, the indignity of the lives the people lead, do I repudiate the majority as a creative force for good. Oh, no, no! But because I know so well that as a compact mass it has never stood for justice or equality. It has suppressed the human voice, subdued the human spirit, chained the human body. As a mass its aim has always been to make life uniform, gray, and monotonous as the desert. As a mass it will always be the annihilator of individuality, of free initiative, of originality. Emma Goldman .sig: \ / --+ randy --+ all generalizations are flawed --+ futor@llnl.gov



Adam Peter Stein

NICKNAME: hugin ACTIVITIES: critical theory, gallery hopping, club hopping, eating out AMBITION: Ph.D. in Microbiology, a professorship somewhere FAVORITE AUTHORS: John Banville, John M. Ford, Umberto Eco, Gary Indiana, Mark Leyner, Julian Barnes FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS: Flaubert's Parrot (Barnes), London Fields (Martin Amis), Enigma (Hodges? Hodgeson? He teaches at Cambridge), The Dragon Waiting (Ford) FAVORITE MOVIES: Merry Christmas Mr. Lawrence, Dreamchild, Like Water For Chocolate, A Short History of Time, A Lion in Winter, 1984 (1984 remake), Prospero's Books, Poison, Swoon, Swimming to Cambodia, Monster in a Box CODE: B4 f w++ g++ s+ kv p MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING: It happened in '91 in Toronto, Friday night...no, no, I can't. A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN: Steady... FAVORITE PASTIME: Savage movie postmortems with good friends FAVORITE EXPRESSION: Oh, _crikey_! QUOTE: Art is "I". Science is "we". -- Claude Bernard .sig: @-'-,-- Neurotoxicology Laboratories Adam Stein I'net: hugin@pilot.njin.net College of Pharmacy, Rutgers University UUCP: . . .rutgers!njin!pilot!hugin 41 Gordon Rd., 908-932-6907, -6912 Home: 153 George St., New Brunswick, NJ 08901 908-249-2442 Nature is a language Can't you read? -- Morrissey



Gerry Swetsky

NICKNAME: Gerry (as opposed to those who think it's "Hey You!") ACTIVITIES: Bicycling and vpnet AMBITION: To have Arnold Gum sit on my face SECRET AMBITION: To sit on Arnold's KILL FILE: What's a KILL file? :) FAVORITE MOVIES: Anything with Matthew Broderick and most stuff by Ralph Bakshi FAVORITE MUSIC: Mood music, cool jazz—I like most everything CODE: B4 f+g++ d t w k+ S4/7 b++ g l/- y+ z o x- a j+ v DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS: As long as they're on this planet... I've been to Denver and Portland MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING: I'm not the outrageous type WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS: I'm not telling, but it involves Dan Greening A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN: For a good time, call (708)833-8.... FAVORITE PASTIME: I thought we'd already answered this FAVORITE EXPRESSION: Ever see a 10" dick up close? PET PEEVE: Those who answer "yes" to the above question

Sylvia

NICKNAME: She-of-Many-Names ACTIVITIES: Birth, School, Work, Death.... AMBITION: Inner peace, abolition of cellulite SECRET AMBITION: To play bass for the Rolling Stones KILL FILE: No entries. I read it all.... FAVORITE AUTHORS: Charles Dickens FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS: industry magazines, liberal columnists, celebrity bios, and alt.tasteless FAVORITE MOVIES: Clockwork Orange, Beyond Therapy FAVORITE MUSIC: Stones, Prince, U2, X, Lou Reed CODE: Je *refuse* WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS: Gotten *all* the assholes to ignore me. A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN: Don't waste your time, or ours, preaching to the choir... FAVORITE PASTIME: smug superiority FAVORITE EXPRESSION: Anything the het-culture steals and fucks up PET PEEVE: being broke QUOTE: "You get the same effect watching TV too close. But, no hat." (Buddy Cole, character, Kids In the Hall, on virtual reality) .sig: +-- Sylvia ----- sylvia@cvi.hahнемann.edu --+





NICKNAME: El, E. **SECRET VICE:** eating (crisp) chicken skin. **KILL FILE:** one year (out of a decade on Usenet); one to five names at any time. **FAVORITE MUSIC:** In the words of my supposed friends, "mellow shit." **CODE:** MDI (v 1.00): b te*f'h!o*m*s*k! **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** 18007 miles (Chicago to Portland, OR) **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** "Moose." **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Publicly supported Jess and Arnold. **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** A Usenet maxim: "Be conservative in what you send, liberal in what you accept." **PET PEEVE:** Any use of the acronym "PC" in a political discussion. **QUOTE:** "I practice bisexuality while I debug newsreaders. While I wash the dishes. While I chop celery." --Tim Pierce

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Ellen Keyne Seebacher ✓ elle@midway.uchicago.edu
[ Plus three lines of quoted material, from an extensive quotes file,
tailored to each specific article in some devastatingly witty fashion,
or perhaps not....]
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NICKNAME: Go by Jeff; some people have had the nerve to call me Jeffie and live; only one person calls me SweetieBear. **ACTIVITIES:** Reading, writing, listening, shopping, gardening, sex. **AMBITION:** To stay creative until I die. **SECRET AMBITION:** To be a bestselling author; to grow a better beard; others which wouldn't be secret if I told. **KILL FILE:** One item; established February 1992. **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Ruth Rendell, Michael Innes, Muriel Spark, August Strindberg, Karl Popper, Jane Austen **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings -Maya Angelou, Conjectures and Refutations -Karl Popper, Mapp & Lucia -E.F. Benson **FAVORITE MOVIES:** All About Eve, Bringing up Baby, Brazil, The Fourth Man, LA Toot & Die **FAVORITE MUSIC:** "classical"; favorite composers vary with time. **CODE:** B3 f+ t w dcy g+ e k+ sv **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONs:** none yet; depends more on arranging the time **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** but I'm not an outrageous person! **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** written Jojo's Christmas gift list **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** trust yourself **FAVORITE PASTIME:** bear watching **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** "fakt isk!" **PET PEEVE:** whistling **QUOTE:** "It's supposed to be automatic but actually you have to press this button."--John Brunner

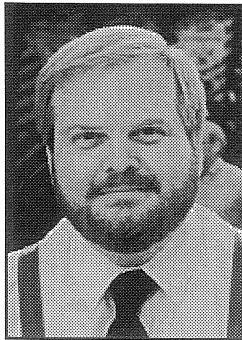


ACTIVITIES: horses, weeding, operating systems for scalable massively parallel high-performance large-scale numerically-intensi ve distributed shared-memory scientific computing **AMBITION:** getting my farm fully operational **SECRET AMBITION:** being mistaken for Nancy Kissinger **KILL FILE:** one entry **FAVORITE CONTEMPORARY AUTHORS:** T.R. Pearson, Lee Smith **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** 'Alice' books, Mencken's history of American English **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Housekeeping, The Women, Kiss Me Deadly **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Emmylou Harris, Nashville Bluegrass Band, Nanci Griffith **FAVORITE VISUAL ARTISTS:** Bonnard, Vermeer, Bernini, De Kooning **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** panted Bil Snodgrass **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** perspective **FAVORITE PASTIME:** horseback riding **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** smirk **PET PEEVE:** winter **PETS' PEEVES:** summer **THINGS ABOUT PETS THAT MAKE ME PEEVISH:** leaving mouse carcasses in unexpected places **QUOTE:** "I quite agree with you," said the Duchess, "and the moral of that is -- 'Be what you would seem to be' -- or, if you'd like it put more simply -- 'Never imagine yourself not to be otherwise than what it might appear to others that what you were or might have been was not otherwise than what you had been would have appeared to them to be otherwise.'"

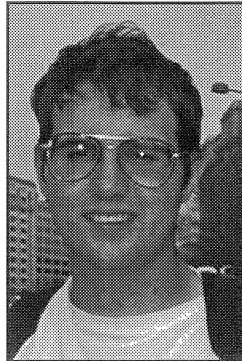
NICKNAME: Vole **ACTIVITIES:** music, theology, history, English Country Dance, cooking **AMBITION:** little **SECRET AMBITION:** to be Alexander's Persian Boy **KILL FILE:** none; but I'm considering one **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Auden, Joyce, Shakespeare, Le Guinn, Jack Vance [sic] **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** King Lear , _ Tao Teh Ching , _ City of Illusions **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Alexander Nevsky, Casablanca, Bugs Bunny cartoons (< 1955) **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Josquin des Pres, (late) Beethoven, Javanese gamelan **CODE:** genetic **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** what, me travel? **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** attended **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** exhibited my sense of humor **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** This too shall pass (quoting Lee Hayes) **FAVORITE PASTIME:** reading history **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** "Wrong!" **PET PEEVE:** confident pronouncements about history by the ignorant
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.sig: well, my usual one is from Auden, here's my favorite alternate:

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We must know the truth, and we must
love the truth we know, and we must
act according to the measure of our love.
-- Thomas Merton



NICKNAME: BlondeBear **ACTIVITIES:** motss: '87-present, motss.con 89, motss.con 90 **AMBITION:** Survive working for the university until retirement age **SECRET AMBITION:** Make enough money to quit before retirement age **KILL FILE:** est. late spring '93, 3 lines **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Usually naughty ones :) **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Classical or New Age **CODE:** B4 dc -f w+ k+ s- rv **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** Milwaukee to Boston or Denver: 900+ miles **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** The Ursine Dynamo at the Bear-B-Que in Denver (motss.con 90) **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Posted more **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Family history research **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** "Harumph!" **PET PEEVE:** Flame wars with homophobes **QUOTE:** "Support Your Local Planetarium"



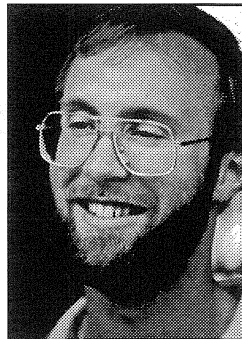
NICKNAME: Trey **ACTIVITIES:** Fencing, politics, system administration **AMBITION:** To make it into grad school **SECRET AMBITION:** For my name to be in the same sentence with Melinda Shore's and Tim Pierce's in a post on soc.motss **KILL FILE:** (how long and when established, _not_ its contents) None. I read (at least the first paragraph of) EVERY post! (Really!) **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Mara Chibnik, Max Vasilatos **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** To Sail Beyond the Sunset (R.A. Heinlein), Who is that young sinner (A.H. Houseman) **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Omohide Poro Poro (Memories of Yesterday), Torch Song Trilogy **FAVORITE MUSIC:** weird crazy eclectic mix, Bach to Beatles to jazz to metal CODE: Enigma **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** 1000 mi. **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** Glued my face to Joel Parthemore's **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Posted more **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Hey! I *am* an underclassman! **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Teasing Season **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** Yowsers! **QUOTE:** Independence is never granted. Equality is never a gift. It must be fought for. We must take it, on our own terms.

.sig: Stranger in a Strange Thread!



ACTIVITIES: work, theater, reading, work, travel, work, crochet, TV, work **AMBITION:** to move to a better apartment **SECRET AMBITION:** to make the next edition of Bartlett's **KILL FILE:** none (not for motss, anyhow) **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Dorothy Dunnett, plus too many to list **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** too many to list **FAVORITE MOVIES:** TO KILL A MOCKINGBIRD, plus too many to list **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Brahms DEUTSCHES REQUIEM, plus [all together now] too... **CODE:** I only believe in the Common Code (have they found a cure yet?) **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** LA to Boston, motss.con.2 **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS: skewer some of the skewerables more often **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSEN:** How 'bout 4 words -- This too shall pass **FAVORITE PASTIME:** travel **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** PET PEEVE: I have no pets, I'm allergic... oh, wait..._now_ I get it... **QUOTE:** "I'd rather have a bigot mistake me for a lesbian than a lesbian mistake me for a bigot." (Mara thinks my quote should be "Love me, love my quote.")
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ACTIVITIES: motss, 1987-present, co-ordinator motss.con.iv 1991, creator can.motss.misc. minor debates **AMBITION:** to leave a mark in the history of LGB rights in Canada, further abroad if I can; to finish my ASL interpreter certification; to finish my BSc; to learn at least a foundation of Italian, Latin, Russian and Japanese before the end of the decade; to earn my pilot's license; to call an A-2 level square dance; to dance with a precision clogging demo team; to return to my piano studies; to learn how to play a violin. **SECRET** **AMBITION:** elected Member of Parliament and/or Senator **KILL FILE:** 1 line; March, 1993. **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Stephen Jay Gould **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Any country & western excluding Billy Rae Cyrus **CODE:** B4g+ k+s+ **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** 0km; one came to me, I've never been able to attend the others. **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** damn close to having sex with David Hopkins in a restaurant **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** told others just how much I love them. **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSEMEN:** "It's a big world out there, full of danger and wonder. Enjoy it, explore it, experience it. Hold my hand if you need to, but don't run away from it." **FAVORITE PASTIME:** writing my journals and short stories **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** "Oh, bloody hell." **PET PEEVE:** obvious inefficiency, whatever form it takes **QUOTE:** "We are all worthwhile human beings, no one less valuable than another. Remember this and hold your head high."





Richard W. Johnson
NICKNAME: a flying squirrel **ACTIVITIES:** airplanes, twink's, Bordeaux, electric guitar, laughing **AMBITION:** (a) bush pilot in Alaska, (b) Keanu Reeves' personal asst. **SECRET AMBITION:** become famous blues guitarist **KILL FILE:** established years ago against the homophobes **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Dennis Cooper, Bukowski, Ask Beth **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** periodicals. Fresh reading every month. **FAVORITE MOVIES:** "Blue Velvet", "Repo Man", anything by Van Sant **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Robin Trower, Billie, Ella, Porno for Pyros, Debussy, Satie **CODE:** (none) **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** I'm in SF. **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** unspeakable (London) **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** no regrets! **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** be yourself -- ignore all flames **FAVORITE PASTIME:** travel, eating out with friends **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** "Lovely." **PET PEEVE:** Whining
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a flying squirrel is: richard@ecureuil.apple.com Apple Computer, Inc.

ami b. kaplan

NICKNAME: bopper **ACTIVITIES:** stuff like biking and working on my msw part time... guitar piano, going to barbeques in park slope, reading the sappho list.. **AMBITION:** to finally finish school **SECRET AMBITION:** to join the indigo girls **KILL FILE:** nope, don't have one. **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** charles shultz, mary renaudt, freud, ram das, robert service **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** a prayer for owen meany, green eggs and ham, the cremation of sam mabee. **FAVORITE MOVIES:** harrold and maude (the one with ruth gordon), the king and i, mobey dick ("it's a white whale i say"), desert hearts, **FAVORITE MUSIC:** arrested development, indigo babes, grateful dead, pearl jam, peter and the wolf **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** don't eat the anchovies. **FAVORITE PASTIME:** when i was 12 **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** don't worry, this won't hurt a bit **PET PEEVE:** clients who call me and interrupt my e-mail reading, machines without spell checkers. **QUOTE:** heard in the lunch room yesterday: "soon we will have wireless cable"
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Bob Koenig

NICKNAME: BearCub, BearBoy, Stimpy, Quisp, or Bossman. **ACTIVITIES:** Listening to music, drawing, listening to music, shopping, listening to music, work, school, listening to music and so on and so.... **AMBITION:** To find a major/career I really want to do for the rest of my life. **SECRET AMBITION:** To take over for Freddie Mercury as the lead singer of Queen. **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Queen, KISS, Yes, disco, some techno, and more **QUEEN!** Freddie Mercury is my idol! **CODE:** B1/B2 w f g c+(+) m s-k(+) **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Have time to post more often. **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Join the f*cking club! **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Playing my favorite Queen songs in my room and singing along with them at the top of my lungs while prancing around the room as if it were a stage. **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** "Parrn-tay", "Fresh! Exciting!" **QUOTE:** "And contrary to popular belief, that's not a hose in my pants. That's my own hose." --Freddie Mercury
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> B1/B2 g f m k(+) c+(+) s- | "I've fallen in love....I've fallen in <
> Daddybear and Bearcub..... | love for the first time, this time I <
>it just fits. | know it's for real." -Freddie Mercury <

Maria I. Lasaga

NICKNAME: For quite a few years now, my friends tend to call me either by my full first name or simply as "M." When I was in grade school, my nickname (schoolwide) was "soggy." **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** The high-brow stuff? Albert Camus. All of his works, but particularly The Stranger. Sartre's Myth of Sysyphus. Hesse's Demian. Martin and Luther Across America (I forget the author). **FAVORITE MOVIES:** F/X, Witness for the Prosecution, Starman, The Return of Martin Guerre, Silence of the Lambs, The Color Purple, Fried Green Tomatoes, and Wayne's World (I can't believe I saw it 4 times!) **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Chris Williamson, Honey 'n the Rock, Disappear Fear, Heather Bishop. **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** "Get a clue," and, "Chill out, Bucko."
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Emily Rizzo

ACTIVITIES: Typing in articles from New York Times **ORGANIZATIONS:** P-FLAG, Brooklyn Lambda Indep. Democrats **AMBITION:** educate the world on glb issues **SECRET AMBITION:** retire before I am 50 **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Paul Monnette, David Leavitt, Eric Marcus **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Jimmy Buffett, Mike Cross, Robert Earl Kean Jr. **CODE:** (M/S/B/N/G or other code) none **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** ignore Walter Smith **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Practice safe sex and don't forget to study **FAVORITE PASTIME:** reading, walking, baking
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Department of Economics
New York University

"If God had meant for there to be penguin lust, he wouldn't have made Adam and Eve, but rather, Penny and Poppy the Penguin."

-- Berke Breathed, "Bloom County: Tales Too Ticklish to Tell"

Ron Rizzo

NICKNAME: Gorgonzola Smurf, aka "Blue N' Creamy", *not* Ratso or Frank **ACTIVITIES:** Lunar golf, sex, duck-dredging (don't ask!) **BEST EXPERIENCE:** for my 8th birthday my parents gave me a bicameral legislature to play with **WORST EXPERIENCE:** the moment I realized I wasn't the Heir Apparent to anything **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** my phone number plus the ANSI standard "Ron Rizzo Personal Data Sheet" are available on request **PET PEEVE:** Life is too meaningful. **PERSONALITY DESCRIPTORS:** sublime, awesome, majestic, incomparable, dread, fey **SEXUAL PROWESS---TESTIMONIALS:** NYReview of Books, 4/16/89, Letter to the Editor from Ned Rorem Science, Sept. 15-21, 1991, "Panel discussion of plate tectonics," pp. 1403-9 London Illustrated News, October 16, 1977, "Interview with the Royal Family" Team Venezuela, XIXth Olympiad, Los Angeles, 1984 Hommes Aujourdhui, 27 Janvier 1989, "Plaudit: M. Ronald Rizzo" par Henri, Duc de Clermont-Ferrand Carl Lewis, as quoted in the 6/30/88 issue of Sports Trainer News Cahiers du Cinema, v. XXXIV #3, "Portraite: Bruce Lee" par Andre Malraux Robert Redford, cited in Architectural Digest, August, 1984 Richard Chamberlain's lengthy remarks in the December, 1975 issue of Outback: The Magazine of Australian Living **QUOTE:** "Better you than me."
.sig: "I just *love* to squander the tax-payer's hard-earned lucre."



D. Owen Rowley

NICKNAME: owen **ACTIVITIES:** Science club, nerd scouts **AMBITION:** live life in the style to which I'd like to be accostomed **KILL FILE:** ~25 entrys, established in 1992 **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Robert Anton Wilson, Rudy rucker, Aleister Crowley **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Magick in theory and practice (AC) Quantum Psychology (RAW), The Hacker and the Ants (RR) **FAVORITE MOVIES:** "The everlasting secret Family" "Grief" **FAVORITE MUSIC:** GONG-"YOU", All by the ORB and or System 7 **CODE:** S9 b g+ l- y?sb z++/- o++ x+ a- u* j++ | B2 f t w d+ g++ k+ s+ m(+) r- a= p **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** photographed Jeff Daubers dick at HEDONIST 1 Dim Sum gathering **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** I have no regrets **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** "don't take any of this stuff seriously" **FAVORITE PASTIME:** getting euphoric **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** (flame) eat my shorts (non-flame) in an evolving universe those who stand still are really moving backwards **PET PEEVE:** forgers and people who hide behind anonymity **QUOTE:** Every man and every woman is a star (Liber AL vel Legis)

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D. Owen Rowley onr@netcom.com (also owen@autodesk.com)
[EU-PHORIA: A STATE OF WELL BEING] Euphoria is my natural state, I do what I

enjoy and an abundance of all good fortune comes to me for it.

Ryerson Edward Schwark

NICKNAME: KKruella, "hey you", others to non-motssers **ACTIVITIES:** PBM, RPG, combing my kitty, secret stuff. **AMBITION:** To be propositioned by Hunk-ra, He-man of the Universe. **SECRET AMBITION:** To turn him down. **SECRET VICE:** I *like* sappy romantic stuff. **KILL FILE:** couple of years, between 4 and 10 names **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** NC **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** You mean, like books and stuff? Oh, I'm not telling you that! **FAVORITE MOVIES:** The Hunger **FAVORITE MUSIC:** none. **CODE:** Hate them. **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** cross country. **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** The Eclairs. **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** I already did him. George Reilly. Tastier than the Eclairs. Getting home delivery is a bitch though. **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Shut up and take it like men, especially you women! -KK **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Beating horses. **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** you *AWFUL* *WICKED* *SINFUL* Boy! **PET PEEVE:** people who have nothing to say, but still take three pages to do it. People with long.sigs. Stupid people. people. Dogs. parking tickets. The way those stupid sealy plastic bags won't open unless you tear them with your teeth. Cheap champagne. cheap men. expensive men. men. just a few little things. **QUOTE:** NC
.sig: Hate them.





Joel Edward Parthemore (I almost never use the "Edward" however.)
NICKNAME: Chuck (I used this for a while when I moved to New Hampshire, because I wanted a different name to go by.) **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** from 6 a.m. one day till 5 p.m. of the second day going from Manchester, UK, to Portland, OR, with an overnight in the Delta Terminal in New York and a total of five airports **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** fall off a waterfall **QUOTE:** This idea (of not noticing the identity of certain repetitive events) is interesting when we apply it to ourselves. Are there highly repetitive events which occur in our lives time and time again, and which we handle in the identical stupid way each time, because we don't have enough of an overview to perceive their sameness? Douglas Hofstadter

Timothy William Lord Pierce

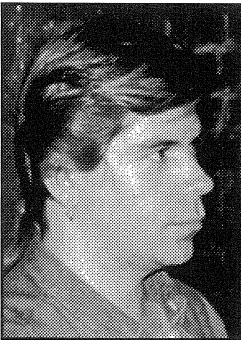
NICKNAME: None, really--grammar school classmates called me Carrot-Top, and lovers call me things far too embarrassing to mention. **ACTIVITIES:** Fascist system administration, militant bi supremacism, e-sluttishness **AMBITION:** to collect net.lov3rs; to e-fenestrate Bruce Becker **SECRET AMBITION:** to have a vagina **KILL FILE:** est. 1993; fourteen lines (all but one auto-selection) **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Anne Tyler, John Cheever, Italo Calvino **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Calvino's COSMICOMICS, assorted short stories **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Almodovar's WOMEN ON THE VERGE OF A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN, the Coens' RAISING ARIZONA, most Lumet **FAVORITE MUSIC:** miscellaneous blues, jazz, Motown: most recently Cole Porter and Billie Holliday **CODE:** N5/6 l-+ /++ a- + f+- n e-- d-- m+ b+ g- v-+ (and fuck you, too) u w- **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** this one is about twenty-five miles **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** kissed a *girl* **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** talked to Rob Bernardo more **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** "They call television a medium. That is because it is neither rare nor well done." - Ernie Kovacs **QUOTE:** "I don't care if answering violence with violence is the Answer. I just know it's better than answering violence with nothing."
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Michael Howard Reaser
NICKNAME: Mike **ACTIVITIES:** net.stuff: post, lurk, post, lurk -- in several groups non-net: Books, bowling, science fiction **AMBITION:** To someday "grow up" -- but _not_ _yet_ **SECRET AMBITION:** To never grow up **KILL FILE:** (how long and when established, _not_ _its contents) **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Michael Kube-McDowell, Isaac Asimov, Erma Bombeck **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Kube-McDowell's "E" Trilogy (The Trigon Disunity) Pretty much any pseudo-documentary about any facet of the entertainment industry. **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Cyndi Lauper, Alison Moyet, Billy Joel, Level 42, anything "classical" but especially wind ensemble or band music **CODE:** B5 f t w g+ k s **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** I'm not telling... **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Shut up, occasionally **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Think before you post **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Reading, sex (it's a tie ;-)
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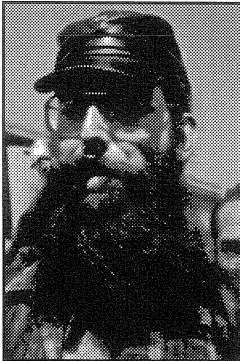
NICKNAME: ro **ACTIVITIES:** motss since 87, NY/NJ Gender Gang for duration, arguing with Ron Rizzo about transsexuality without ever discovering what he personally brought to the discussion, composed the music for the tape "Big Red Pump" **AMBITION: SECRET AMBITION:** not telling **KILL FILE:** 1990-1993 (abandoned it when I switched to tm) **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** dyer, shore, mara, wallich, jojo, self, plus others **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** "Being Red" (Howard Fast), "Androgyny" (June Singer) **FAVORITE MOVIES:** **FAVORITE MUSIC:** mine, Harry Partch, Voice Farm, G.Dead(live), LaMonte Young **CODE:** C **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** still ano hitter, except in NYC **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** being carried through the cafe by Henry? Tried (failed) to flirt with Greg? I dunno, I tend to be rather reserved at these things. **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Did it. **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** no **FAVORITE PASTIME:** sex **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** Twelth root of 2? No thank you! **PET PEEVE:** 50% of what's in motss **QUOTE:** "Why should you imagine that the people who rule my country are less stupid than the people who rule yours?"
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Steven J. Levine
ACTIVITIES: Lesbian and Gay Bands of America, shape-note singing, contra-dancing **AMBITION:** To know every single member of every lesbian/gay community band in the world (nearly achieved in 1988). **SECRET AMBITION:** To work as a "jobber" in the professional wrestling independent circuit. **KILL FILE:** Theoretical only **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Rebecca West, Antonia White **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Changes hourly. Just now it is the "Patty Fairfield" series of unbearably treacly pre-WWI children's books. **FAVORITE MOVIES:** The Music Man, Return of the Secaucus 7, I Know Where I'm Going **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Traditional (Amer. & Brit.) acoustic stuff, Boswell sisters, early pre-stylized Bing Crosby, sentimental Victorian claptrap **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** Bumped up against Tim Wilson and had inappropriate thoughts. **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** You define the gay community. **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Strapping a big heavy drum around my neck and pounding away without letup for several hours. **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** Boy, does my neck hurt. **PET PEEVE:** Opinions without knowledge, experience, or context **QUOTE:** "The roller coaster ride we took is nearly at an end I bought my ticket with my tears, that's all I'm gonna 'spend"

Thomas Anthony Limoncelli

NICKNAME: Tom **ACTIVITIES:** activism, playing with Unix, telling people how wonderful New Jersey is **AMBITION:** to change the world **KILL FILE:** more than 600 lines and very old **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Bruce Springstein before Tunnel Of Love **CODE:** B0 f+ t w c d g k+ s+ m- e++ h r- p; S7/2 b+ g l+ y z- n++ o++ x++ a- u+ v+ j+; PIG8/5 **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** '92: 3000 miles; '93: 300 miles **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** '92 (Oregon) Taught a safe sex techniques workshop to about 40 people and "buzzed" Ry with my Hitachi vibrator. **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** Ignored the flaming, encouraged more bisexual visibility. **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** Why are you reading the net? There is a activist group near you that needs volunteers! Change the world! Life is not a spectator sport! **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Teaching workshops on safer-sex techniques. **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** Two words: Mechanical Lizards! **PET PEEVE:** The fact that the radical right is able to raise \$100 for every \$1 that we raise, and they don't pay taxes. **QUOTE:** "ALERT! The right wing is planning to take away our rights! Become an activist... or get to like your closet... again!"
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George Dalton Madison
NICKNAME: Furr **ACTIVITIES:** motss.con 92, Eternal Ursine Flamewars **AMBITION:** To become the sex toy of a Hell's Angels chapter. **SECRET AMBITION:** To discover EverQueer in order to have a 3-way with Dan Haggerty and Richard Karns. **KILL FILE:** None **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Isaac Asimov, Mark Twain, David Brin, Arthur C. Clarke **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Ecotopia, Letters From The Earth **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Bedazzled, RHPS. **FAVORITE MUSIC:** ABBA to ZZ Top, Madonna to Metallica, Jean-Luc Ponty to Klaus Nomi. **CODE:** B8 f+ t+ e+ s+ k+ cv a! **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** Not so much "distance" as "region." West Coast preferred; distance east depends on the city. **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** *NOT* boink a fellow attendee. **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** SPAM. **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Writing ursine pomography, researching same. **PET PEEVE:** People who feel a complaint about the domination of the gay media by twinx is a personal assault. **QUOTE:** "Be Bear Or Nowhere!"
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Laurie Mann

ACTIVITIES: been on and off of motss several times since April 1988, attended motss.con in Boston in 1989, attended Gaylaxicon in 1990 and 1991, went to MOW this spring, picketed Anita Bryant in Pittsburgh, May 1978, **AMBITION:** To write a best-selling novel. **SECRET AMBITION:** Now, then it wouldn't be a secret anymore, would it? ;-> **KILL FILE:** 1990, started in soc.motss, but it's mostly full of people from soc.women. **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Ursula K. LeGuin, Pat Murphy, Pat Cadigan **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** The Left Hand of Darkness, To Kill a Mockingbird, Johnny Tremaine, The Waite Group's C Primer **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Aliens, Howards End, Julia, Thelma & Louise **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Tracy Chapman, Billy Joel, Tina Turner, Sinead O'Connor, Phil Collins, Paula Abdul (guilty pleasure) **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Contributing to computer nets, travel, movies, reading, singing





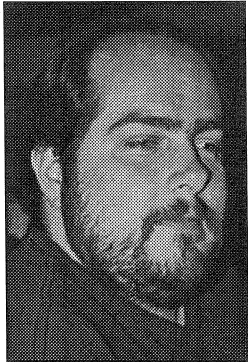
Kenji Andrew Matsuoka

NICKNAME: Ken (mostly for my family) **ACTIVITIES:** Computing, physics, singing, philosophy, meditation **AMBITION:** To sing "Still Somehow Thrives This Love" in a Karaoke bar **SECRET AMBITION:** hmm... **KILL FILE:** none **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Emerson, Vivekananda **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Zen Mind, Beginner's Mind_ by S. Suzuki **FAVORITE MUSIC:** k.d. lang, late Beethoven string quartets **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** It's about four hours from Long Island to Boston **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** skipped some silly flame threads **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** I am one. **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Hiking is fun. I like singing. Meditation is up there. **PET PEEVE:** blind materialism
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Rykcharde Creig McDow (Ryk) (say "Rick")

NICKNAME: OPAL (Open Pussy At Large) **ACTIVITIES:** reading, horses, political activism **AMBITION:** Only after coffee **SECRET AMBITION:** to have an _intimate_ chat with Jojo **AUTHORS:** Jean Auel, Steven King, Margaret Atwood, Tolkein **MOVIES:** Gone With The Wind, Tootsie, anything fag-orientated **MUSIC:** C+W, Show Tunes, Jazz **CODES:** B2h c+ s-g k r **DISTANCE:** 14 hours, low altitude transport **WHAT I WISH:** Jojo **WORD TO THE UNDERCLASSMEN:** Look out for the sillies **PASTIME:** cocksucking **EXPRESSION:** "Been there, Done that -- Dusty!" **PEEVE:** unsafe sex **QUOTE:** "Make me an offer, Mr Stryker"

henry charles mensch



Doron Eli Meyer

ACTIVITIES: motss since Jan93, graduated The Lawrenceville School Jun93 **AMBITION:** Make the top 30 list **SECRET AMBITION:** Revolution **KILL FILE:** Opposed on moral grounds. **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** J. D. Salinger, David Mamet **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Six Degrees of Separation, Catcher in the Rye **FAVORITE MUSIC:** Horizons of Rock Developing Everywhere (esp. Phish, Samples) **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** The 110m Parental Homophobia Hurdles **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** I *AM* an underclassman **FAVORITE PASTIME:** Sailing (when I can do it), cycling, geeking out. **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** Pat **PET PEEVE:** Pointless namecalling on motss **QUOTE:** "I hate quotations." -- Ralph Waldo Emerson



Nelson Minar

ACTIVITIES: Studying, trying to avoid the real world. motss: 90-, being earnest. **AMBITION:** to be remembered **SECRET AMBITION:** spending my life whiling away days and nights drinking coffee, reading, having a good time. Gay abandon. **KILL FILE:** est. 93, one person, one newsgroup. **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Burroughs, Hofstadter, **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** The Tao te Ching, Step by Step in Sex Education **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Peter Greenaway, Ridley Scott **FAVORITE MUSIC:** things without melody. **CODE:** \y.(x.(y)(x)x)x.(y)(x)x **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** 4 mile bike ride **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** serve mango to naked people **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** made a historical archive **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** pursue decadence **FAVORITE PASTIME:** conversation **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** "an unerstanding" **PET PEEVE:** people who are "into cyberpunk" **QUOTE:** All things are true
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NICKNAME: none! **ACTIVITIES:** cooking, swimming, creating things **AMBITION:** to retire from the rat race and make furniture **SECRET AMBITION:** well, THAT would be telling, wouldn't it? **DISTANCE TO ATTEND CONS:** 45 minutes on the commuter rail to this one! B) **MOST OUTRAGEOUS THING I DID AT A MOTSS GATHERING:** not telling! *grin* **FAVORITE PASTIME:** reading, eating, sleeping, swimming, preferably no more than two at once, tho... a long hot HEAVILY scented bath with about six sticks of sandalwood incense burning, some nice atmospheric new age music playing, a pint of ben & jerry's, and a pile of good books is the ultimate creature comfort. **PET PEEVE:** shift keys and editors with no spellcheckers
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"Rabbit's clever," said Pooh thoughtfully. Silence \ / Action
"Yes," said Piglet, "Rabbit's clever." =
"And he has Brain." Death \ / Life
"Yes," said Piglet, "Rabbit has Brain."
There was a long silence.
"I suppose," said Pooh, "that's why he never understands anything."



Francisco Ojeda-González

NICKNAME: Paco **ACTIVITIES:** cooking, bike riding, origami, laserdiscs/audio, Warner Brothers cartoons enthusiast/collector, shortwave radio, racquetball, collecting CD's, MIDI, Macintosh, electronic publishing, Boston Symphony Hall historian/tour guide, music/jingle composition and production, music, photography, chasing my cat "BG" around the apartment with a remote-controlled furry dog that barks on command **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Thoroughly Modern Millie, 1941, Victor Victoria, Allegro Non-Troppo, Star Trek Series, Beetlejuice **FAVORITE MUSIC:** jazz and rhythm & blues vocalists (Dianne Reeves *RULES*), classical (like Chopin as played by Pollini, or Stravinsky as conducted by Rattle), pop **FAVORITE READING:** science fiction and medical/hi-tech thrillers **CODE:** DDD (digital, digital, digital) **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** funga!
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Gregory Parkinson

NICKNAME: Bus, GregBear **ACTIVITIES:** motss, 90-present, singer, The Tikigods, 77-80, NYC meat 91-present **AMBITION:** To see the millenium **LARGEST CAMERA:** Pentax 67 **MOST CONFUSED BY:** blue cheese **KILL FILE:** est 93, two lines **FAVORITE AUTHORS:** Philip K. Dick, García Marquez, Jane Austin **FAVORITE WRITTEN WORKS:** Confederacy of Dunces, Emma, Quincunx **FAVORITE MOVIES:** Joanna, Curse of the Cat People, Female Trouble **FAVORITE MUSIC:** <rhythm-monkey>, PJ Harvey, The Cramps **FAVORITE MOTSS GATHERINGS:** Conceptual wedding '91, Gay Pride NYC '92 **WHAT I WISH I HAD DONE ON SOC.MOTSS:** ignored the ignorable **A WORD TO UNDERCLASSMEN:** promote quality **FAVORITE PASTIMES:** Bodysurfing in tropical waters, sailing, scuba **FAVORITE EXPRESSION:** fuck monkey **PET PEEVE:** people who whine about their own illusions **QUOTES:** "People who don't wake up are food for the moon" —Lisa Black "I don't want to be famous, I just want to be wonderful" — Marilyn Monroe

