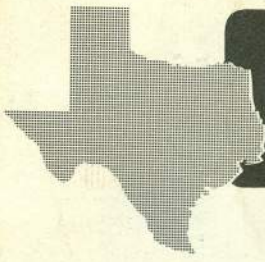


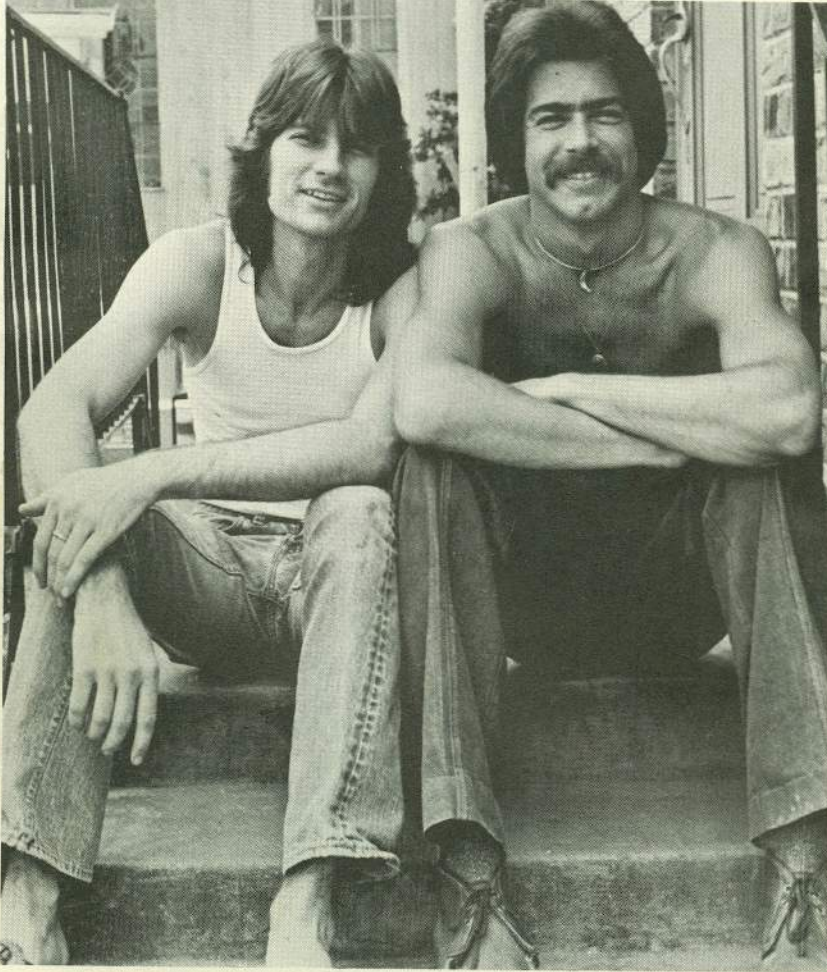
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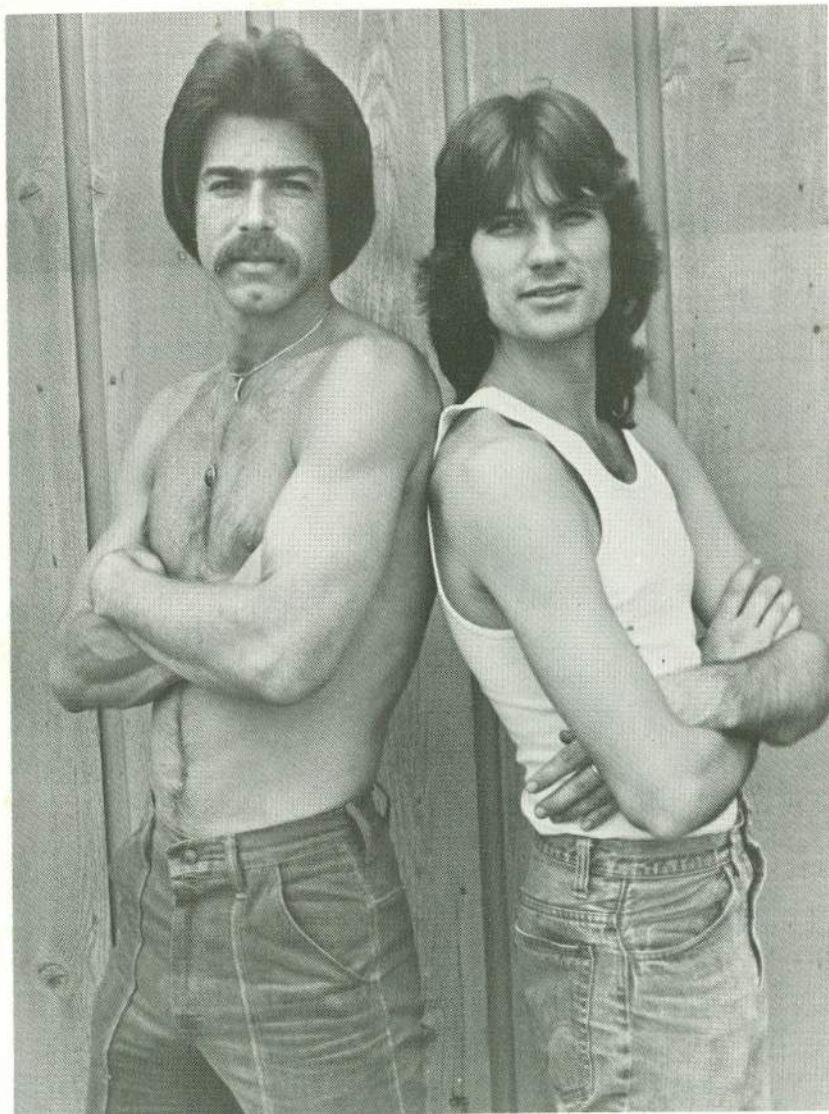


*GIL FARRAR AND CHRIS HOLCOMBE, HOUSTON, TEXAS*

**MAY 24 — MAY 30**

**THE OFFICIAL GAY GUIDE TO TEXAS**

## PERSONALITIES OF THE WEEK



*Gil Farrar and Chris Holcombe, Bartenders at J. Starbucks, Houston, Texas*

This Week: May 24 - May 30

# AROUND THE STATE THIS WEEK

A SELECTIVE GUIDE TO ENTERTAINMENT AND EVENTS OF UNUSUAL INTEREST

## SATURDAY, MAY 24

### BEAUMONT

**Off Main** presents the Fruit Jar Review from Galveston. Showtime, 10:00 PM.

### CORPUS CHRISTI

The new **Chez Paris** at 1718 S. Staples, will host the 4th Annual Miss Corpus Christi Pageant at 10:00 PM.

### WICHITA FALLS

The **Sand Box** is the setting for a union ceremony of two favorite, female customers.

### ODESSA

**The Gap** features a drag show at 11:30 PM. No cover.

## SUNDAY, MAY 25

### DALLAS

**Bayou Landing's** annual picnic at "Queen's Point" on Lake Dallas is today. Beer Bust and food.

A "beer chug" contest at the **Olive Branch Saloon**. Entry fee, 50¢.

### EL PASO

The Ceilo Wilson Sisters, talented female impersonators from Albuquerque will perform at the **Pet Shop**, at 9:00 PM.

### HOUSTON

**Lazy J's** hungry cow-poke buffet from 2 til 5 PM. Bring covered dish, and join the fun.

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## ODESSA

A free beer bust at **The Gap** this afternoon from 2 to 6 PM. Ken, your host.

### WICHITA FALLS

Miss Gay and Mr. Gay Wichita Falls will perform at the **Sand Box** tonight, starting at 8:30. Cover is \$2.00; one free drink included.

## MONDAY, MAY 26

### HOUSTON

Gloria Gaynor, MGM recording star, in concert tonight at the **Farmhouse**, main ballroom. Two dynamic shows at 9:00 PM and 11:00 PM. **Don't Miss This One.**

Spend Memorial Day at **Dirty Sally's**. Happy hour prices (Bar Drinks 75¢ • Beer 55¢) all day from 7:00 AM until 2:00 AM.

## TUESDAY, MAY 27

### SAN ANTONIO

Gloria Gaynor sings her hits — including "Honeybee" and "Never Can Say Good-bye" — at **San Antonio Country** tonight. One 2 hour show, starting at 9:00 PM.

## THURSDAY, MAY 29

### DALLAS

Terry and Bill's first anniversary party at **Terry's Ranch**, 9:00 PM. Free punch and buffet.

### GALVESTON

Cover dish supper at the **Fruit Jar**. Bring your own dish.

FRIDAY, MAY 30

HOUSTON

The Locker's first anniversary party to-night, starting at 9:30 PM. Free food and beer, carnival games; plus, Mr. Locker Contest. See detail on page 5.

SAMPLING TEXAS

We goofed twice last week. Michael Andrew's pictures were not from Primus; and Larry Hutcheson, owner of the Tonsorium in Dallas, is formally (not family) of the Gazebo. . . El Bimbo is the number one hit of the week at Houston's Farmhouse. Bill Lewallen has promised to keep us posted on the current disco sounds. . . The Galleon's new manager is Richard Banker. . . Steak nights are back again this summer at the Inside Outside on Tuesdays and the Detour on Thursdays. They tell us

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Tooter's



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Tooter's Restaurant

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MAY, 30 - 9:30

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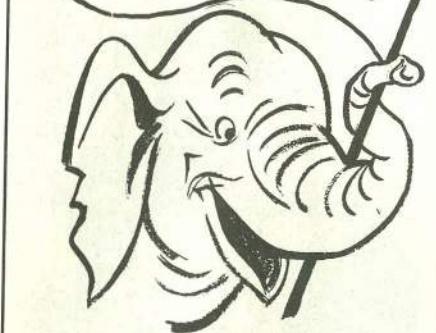
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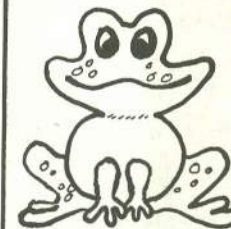
Sunday 6 - 10  
Amateur Night - Wed  
Cash Prize 9 - 11

4 til 2

Tuesday 4 - 10  
2 Drinks for \$1.00

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Bayou Landing Pageant  
PAUL LEWIS, MANAGER

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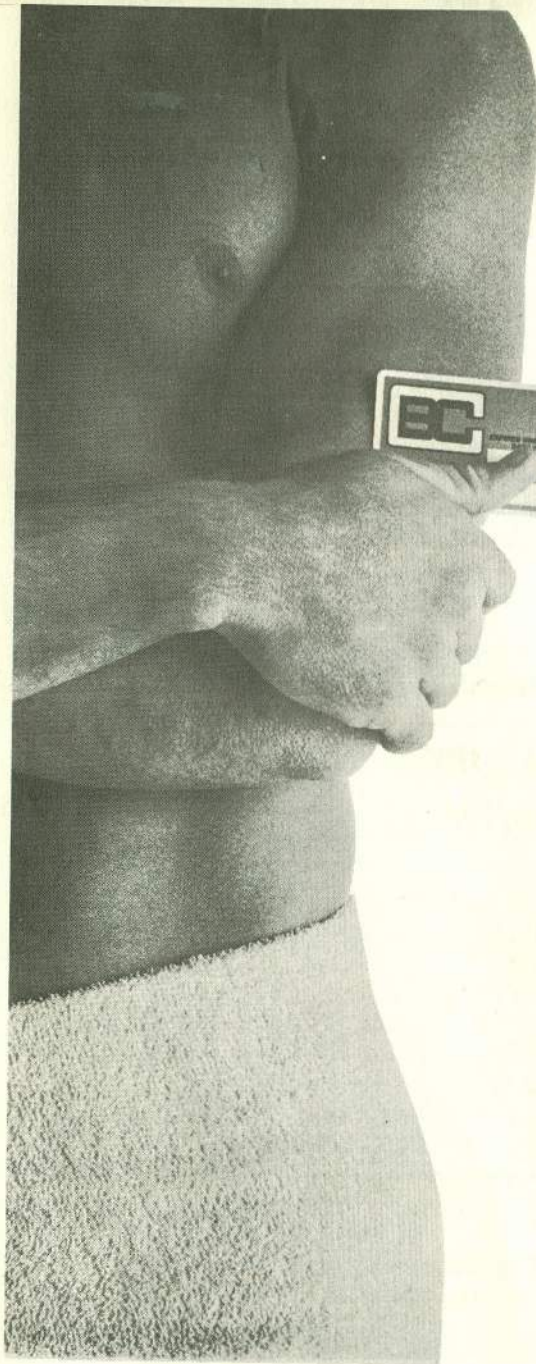
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**Pool Tournaments**  
**Doubles Wed 7:30** **Singles Sun 4**

**Cocktails Always Fun Dancing**

that we can either bring or buy our meat. Serious "cruising" has increased at the **Odds & Ends** since the meat racks has been completed. . . **Tooter's Restaurant** has remodeled. Word has it that Jack and Norm are busily planning daily specials to begin soon. . . Remember, our advertisers deserve a Thanks for bringing you This Week In Texas, and take advantage of the advertised specials. . . In Odessa, VFW Midland vs VFW Odessa on Monday; Chargers vs Cook's Engine on Tuesday; and Chargers vs VFW Midland on Thursday. All games are played at Slator Park, 7:00 PM. . . **Swamp Trash** in Dallas has taken to movies every Wednesday at 8:00 PM. The running feature is "Perils of Pauline", with a different feature each week. This week's special film is Madame X. . . Longing gazes have been fixed on the **Encore's** new

bartender, Phil. Understand he is definitely an asset to business. . . **Sundance Kids** and **Terry's Ranch** have spent bundles of bucks to install vapor lights to make the Maple area safe at night. . . We understand the new owners of the **Swamptrash Magazine** are Joe and Tex of the **Encore**, Bob Strange, and Bob Cappell. . . A new bar taking form in Galveston is called **Granny's**. Michael Joseph now heads the new **Fruit Jar Review**. The lively shows are every Wednesday and Friday night. . . The **Harbor Inn Restaurant** in the Mayflower Hotel is now catering to the Corpus Christi gay crowd. . . Disco and beer bust every Sunday (5:00 PM - Midnight) and Wednesday (9:00 PM - 1:00 AM) at the **Jolly Jack Lounge**. . . Keep your eyes on This Week In Texas for Faces and Places next week.



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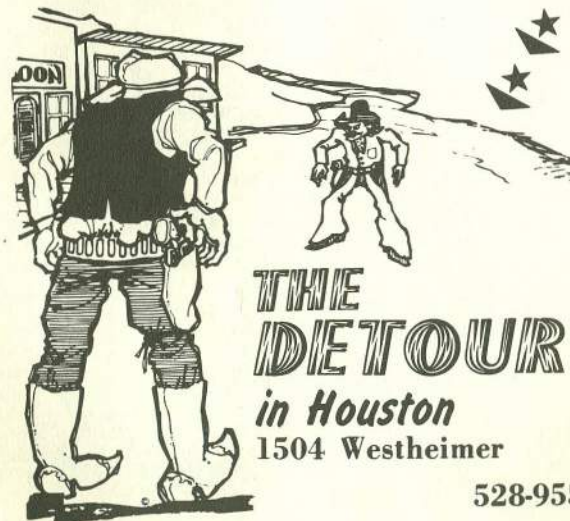
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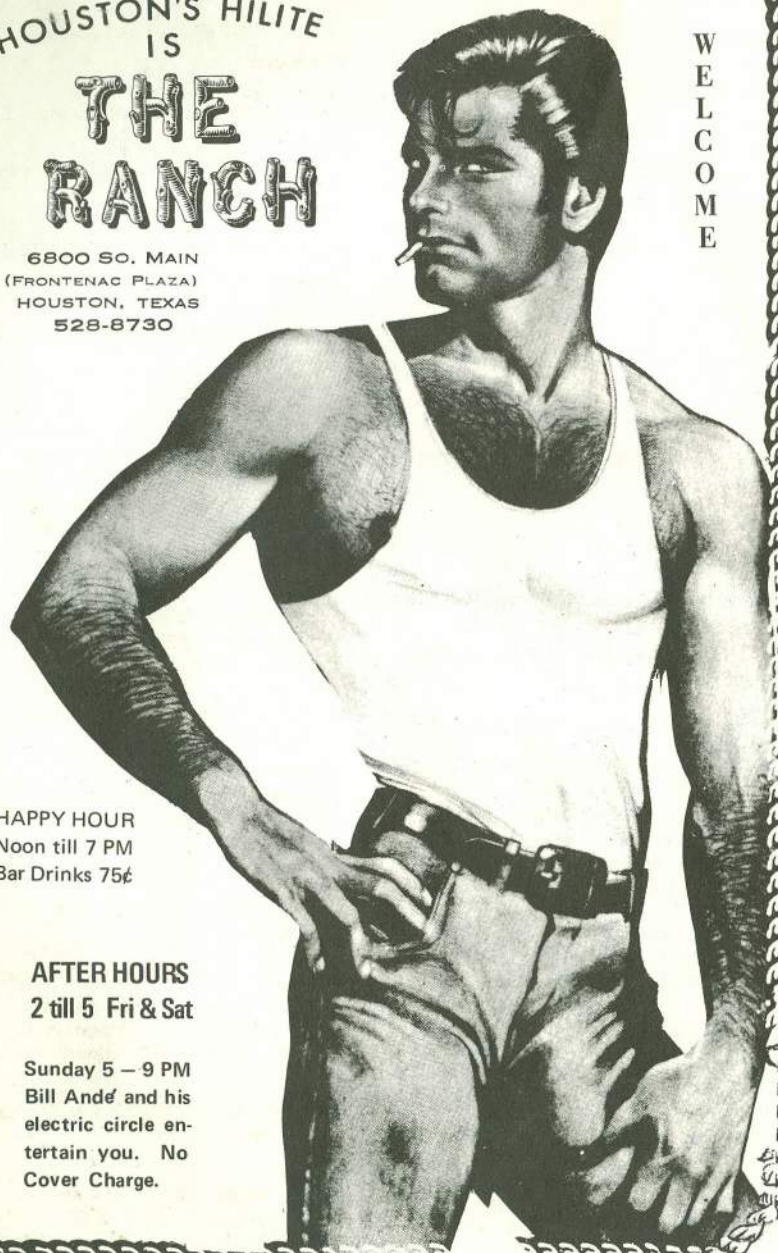
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### Abilene

Lounge:  
Bar H - 4001 Pine

### Amarillo

Lounge:  
Skyline Lounge - 1507 W. 10th - 372-0182

### Austin

Lounges:  
Apartment - 2828 Rio Grande - 478-0224  
Austin Country - E. 7th & Red River  
472-0418  
Pearl Street Warehouse - 1720 Lavaca -  
478-0176

### Beaumont

Lounges:  
Four Palms - Port Arthur Hwy 69 (at Beaumont  
Garden Road Exit) - 722-9827  
Foxes Den - 304 Orleans  
Off Main - 201 Liberty - 835-9084  
Spice Company - 890 Gulf St. - 435-9705

### Corpus Christi

Lounges:  
Chez Paris - 2207 Ayers - 884-0063  
Jolly Jack - 411 Peoples - 882-0254  
Odd Couple - 4604 Ayers - 852-9236

### Cleaning Service:

O. K. Sanitation Service - 1220 S. Staples,  
Suite 104

### Dallas

Lounges:  
Act III - 3115 Live Oak - 824-9043  
Bayou Landing - 2609 N. Pearl - 742-3269  
Bon Soir - 4527 Cole - 526-9432  
Crews Inn - 3220 N. Fitzhugh - 526-9320  
Encore - 4516 McKinney - 526-9328  
Entre Nuit - 3116 Live Oak - 823-0423  
Highland - 3018 Monticello - 526-9551  
Joe's Is The Place - 3019½ Haskell -  
526-9329  
Marlboro - 4100 Maple - 526-9487  
Old Plantation - 3717 Rawlins - 528-6550  
Olive Branch Saloon - 2822 McKinney -  
823-0921  
One Way In - 2509 N. Fitzhugh - 824-9227  
Ramrod - 3224 N. Fitzhugh - 526-9110  
Sundance Kids - 4025 Maple - 526-9173  
Swamp Trash - 3014 Throckmorton -  
526-9184  
Terry's Ranch - 4117 Maple - 526-9302  
T. J.'s - 3307 McKinney - 526-9368  
Valla Fontana - 1315 Skiles - 823-0372

### Baths:

Bachelor Quarters - 1225 Skiles - 823-0432  
Club Dallas - 2616 Swiss - 821-1990

### Theaters:

Coronet Theater - 2420 N. Fitzhugh -  
821-9489  
Studio 9 - 4817 Bryan - 823-0447

### Clothiers:

Fifteen Grand - 2611 N. Pearl  
Union Jack - 3918 Cedar Springs - 528-9600

### Florist:

Flowers by Charles Inc. 4201 Gaston Ave. -  
827-7496

### Church:

MCC - 3834 Ross - 826-0291, 823-6279

### Donna

Lounge:  
The Ocean - 3001 E. Highway - 464-9007

### El Paso

Lounges:  
Apartment - 804 Myrtle - 544-7175  
Diamond Lil - 708 E. San Antonio  
LeMilord - 606 Magoffin - 532-0830  
Pet Shop - 800 E. San Antonio - 532-9721  
Pigalle - 411 E. Franklin - 532-9018

### Fort Worth

Lounges:  
Other Place - 2308 W. 7th - 335-0586  
Purple Lady - 3029 S. Main - 927-9881  
Regency - 1812 Hemphill - 927-9416  
651 - 651 S. Jennings. - 332-0745  
T. J.'s Backdoor - 5536 Jacksboro Hwy. -  
624-0603

### Churches:

Friends of Jesus - 1417 8th Ave. - 838-9564  
MCC - 2800 Purington - 626-1767

### Galveston

Lounges:  
Dolphin Room - Seawall Hotel - 1711 Ave. Q½ -  
765-7738  
Fruit Jar - 2214 Mechanic - 763-6319  
Kon Tiki - 214 23rd Tremont - 763-9031  
Mary's Number II - 2502 Ave. Q½  
New Paradise - 213 Kempner & 22nd - 763-9880  
Robert's Lafitte - 409 Rosenberg - 763-9507

### Bath:

Kon Tiki Baths - 220 23rd & Tremont -  
763-9314

### Lodging:

Lafitte Hotel - 409 Rosenberg - 763-9507  
Seawall Hotel - 1711 Ave. Q½ - 765-7738

### Houston

Lounges:  
Bayou Landing - 2020 Kipling - 526-8951

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Briar Patch - 2294 W. Holcombe Blvd.  
665-9678  
Daily Double - 507 Westheimer - 528-9996  
Detour - 1504 Westheimer - 528-9552  
Dirty Sally's - 900 Lovett - 528-8900  
Farmhouse - 2710 Albany - 528-8864  
Galleon - 2720 Richmond - 528-8787  
Gold Room - 2802 Austin - 226-9940  
Hi Kamp - 3400 Travis - 528-9772  
Hi Lite Ranch - Frontenac Plaza, 6800  
Main - 528-8730  
Hi There - 5607 Morningside - 528-8738  
Inside Outside - 1318 Westheimer - 528-8049  
J. Starbucks - 907 Westheimer - 528-9901  
Just Marion's & Lynn's - 817 Fairview -  
528-9110  
La Caja - 1104 Tuam - 226-9125  
Lamp Post - 2417 Times Blvd. - 528-8921  
Lazy J - 302 Tuam - 522-5080  
Locker - 1732 Westheimer - 528-8844  
Mary's - 1022 Westheimer - 528-8851  
Numbers - 1005 California - 528-8460  
Odds & Ends - 612 Hadley - 226-7542  
Pacific Street Station - 805 Pacific -  
526-7291  
Pink Elephant - 1218 Leeland - 226-8871  
Second Sun - 534 Westheimer - 528-9514  
Surf - 2909 Main - 528-9337  
Wonders - 3207 Montrose - 528-8236

**Baths:**  
Club Houston - 2205 Fannin - 229-0156  
Fritzby's - 3401 Milam - 523-8840

**Book Stores:**  
Action Adult Book Store - 4613 Mt. Vernon -  
522-5609  
Diners News - 240 Westheimer - 528-8950  
Salty Dog Book Mart - 2005 S. Shepherd -  
524-8425

**Clothiers:**  
Adon's Swinger Shop - 2032 West Gray -  
523-4022  
Ah Men - 805 Westheimer - 524-9337  
Clothes Circuit - 900 Lovett - 523-6131  
The Man Hole - 1983 West Gray - 522-1089

**Restaurants:**  
Hi Kamp - 3400 Travis - 528-9772  
Inside Outside - 1318 Westheimer - 528-8049  
Tooter's - 2203 Westheimer - 524-9327

**Printing:**  
That Printing Place - 3963 Kirby Drive -  
526-0542  
Print-It - 3821 Farnham - 522-5556

**Theater:**  
Mini Park - 2907 Main - 528-5881

**Photo Studio:**  
Primus - 2110 Lexington - 529-1934

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**Cleaning Service:**  
O. K. Service - 524-1564  
Sparkle Plenty - 107 S. Friendswood -  
482-2434

**Modeling:**  
Male Models in Action - 301 Polk at Taft -  
529-6566

**Newspaper:**  
Contact - P. O. Box 70282 - 529-1934

**Church:**  
MCC - 2020 Waugh Dr. - 522-4446

**Lubbock**  
**Lounge:**  
David's Warehouse - 2403 Marshall - 762-9165

**McAllen**  
**Lounge:**  
Duffy's - 5 South 16th - 686-9144

**Odessa**  
**Lounges:**  
Ebb Tide - 6315 Andrews Hwy. - 366-9057  
Fisherman's Wharf - 2425 W. Murphy St. -  
337-9503  
The Gap - 205 East 8th St. - 337-9433

**Book Store:**  
B & L - 214 N. Grant - 337-6871

**Theater:**  
Lyric - 218 N. Grant - 337-0803

**San Antonio**  
**Lounges:**  
El Jardin - 106 Navarro - 223-7177  
El Safari - 13194 S. Hwy. 81 - 623-9812  
Frisco - 147 East Travis - 223-0858  
Gay Silhouette - 2522 Culebra - 432-9336  
Hypothesis - 2012 Broadway - 225-0693  
Hideaway - 826 San Pedro - 223-7700  
Mary Ellen's - 815 Federicksburg  
Me Tarzan - 425 E. Commerce - 223-0411  
Peter's Play Pen - 309 Market - 223-0866  
San Antonio Country 1122 N. St. Marys -  
222-8273  
Spanish Harlem - 349 W. Josephine - 732-0110

**Lodging:**  
Quality Inn - 10811 1-35, North - 655-4220

**Waco**  
**Lounge:**  
The Other End - N. 19th St. & Waco  
753-9195

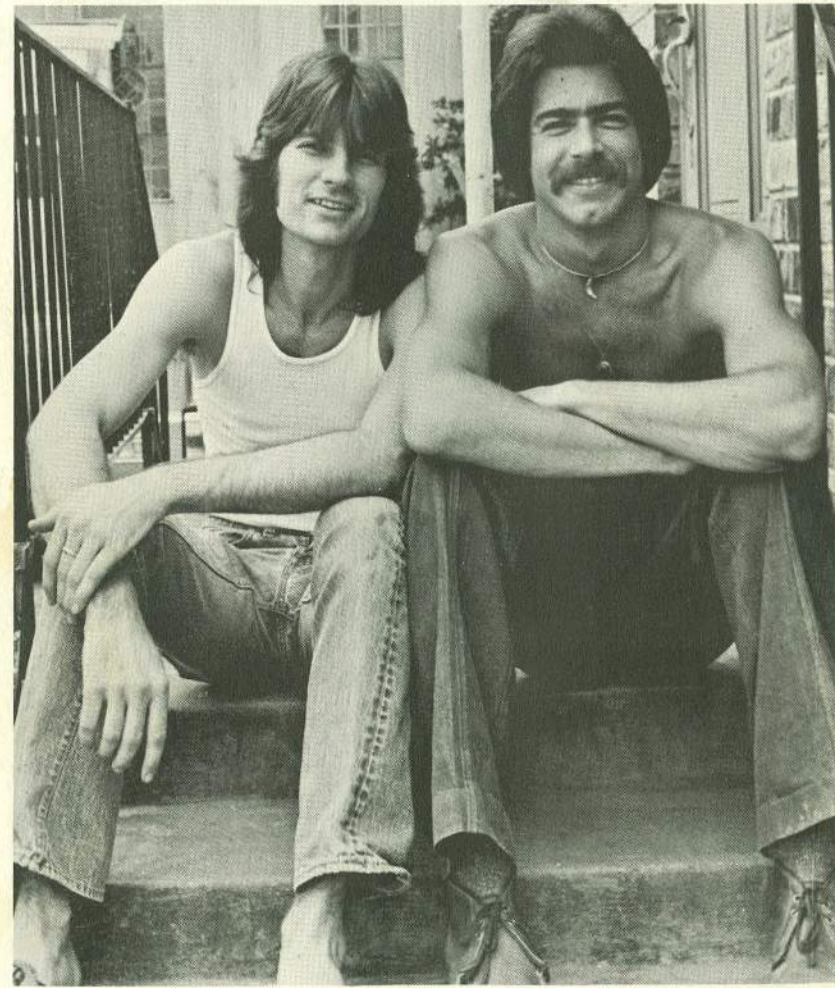
**Wichita Falls**  
**Lounges:**  
Carousel - 703 Travis - 322-0832  
Sand Box - 3151 Seymour Hwy. 322-0866

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