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YOU ARE INVITED
TO ATTEND
A MEETING
FEMALE TO MALE TRANSEXUAL MEN ONLY*

* Significant others, girlfriends, wives are also encouraged to participate in and to attend this meeting. Sorry, meeting is NOT open to any others. No exceptions!

Last year, at a similar meeting, 32 men and 24 significant others attended. The feedback from many of you was that this was an important learning, sharing and social experience. Because of your feedback and requests, I've decided to attempt to repeat that opportunity on:

SUNDAY, JUNE 3rd
2:00 p.m. TO 7:00 p.m.
[REDACTED] WEST 9th STREET
SANTA ANA, CA 92703
PHONE: (714) [REDACTED] or (714) [REDACTED]

Because of limited space and consideration for the health concerns of others: ABSOLUTELY NO SMOKING ALLOWED INDOORS.

As with last year's meeting, there will be a videotape of female to male surgery (complete) available for viewing. There will also be photographs and drawings of other surgical techniques, as well as printed information for distribution.

However, the REAL success of this meeting is the SHARING of personal experiences and knowledge that can help each other to make informed choices and decisions about health care and the options for hormonal or surgical intervention, and for emotional and psychological support prior to, during and after completing sex-reassignment.

Please bring any literature you may have collected, or any drawings or photographs, etc. that you are willing to share with others on that day. (Also, if samples are sent to me prior to June 1st, I can xerox copies for distribution on June 3rd.)

For the social part of the meeting, you are asked to bring food and beverages to share at a "pot-luck" after the discussion. Last year, several people neglected to contribute food/beverages; please plan to share with others this year by bringing your favorite gourmet creation!

If you know of other female to male transexual men who would benefit from this meeting, please copy this flyer and distribute it to them. Many of you have met others with whom I've had no contact and this may be their only opportunity to participate in such a meeting.

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2006 North Broadway, Suite 102, Santa Ana, CA 92706

As usual, researching, planning, arranging and hosting this meeting is time-consuming and costly. Therefore, those of you who can make monetary contributions to offset the expenses incurred such as printing, postage, supplies and incidentals are asked to send contributions directly to: Jude Patton, 2006 N. Broadway, Ste. 102, Santa Ana, CA 92706

Hope to see you on June 3rd!

Jude Patton

May 24, 1984

Hi Guy!

Please advise Jude that I sent you a photocopy of these two bulletins. Mr. Patton is a member of our Board of Professional Advisors (METAMORPHOSIS MEDICAL RESEARCH FOUNDATION). I hope to be able to finally meet him, after having corresponded with him for the past six years, at the sexology conference held in Boston, in June. If he is able to attend, there is a very good chance that he and I will be sharing a (double-) room in the Park Plaza Hotel. So, I certainly do hope that he comes. I would very much enjoy our meeting. Please let me know whether you did, in fact, attend this meeting, or, the new therapy/support group.

I hope that you are in good health and spirits and are enjoying the summery weather. Have a good summer. (I hope it will be long and hot--but not too humid). Take care now. Love and Peace,

Your brother,

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ANNOUNCEMENT: NEW THERAPY/SUPPORT GROUP FORMING

Group for Guys: For pre-or post-operative female to male transsexuals only. Information and support oriented. An opportunity to share and discuss the specific problems and joys involved in living as a male in today's world. Includes perspectives on relationships, careers, leisure activities, and sexuality. Group meets twice monthly, on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of each month, from 7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Group meets at [REDACTED] N. Broadway, [REDACTED], Santa Ana, CA. Fee: \$20.00 per person. The group is limited to 10 members per session and is filled on a "first come-first served" basis. The group is open-ended and members may begin at any time. However, regular attendance is encouraged.

Note: Individual, couple or family therapy is also available for one-hour sessions, by appointment only. Fee: \$65.00/ hr.

Evaluation, psychological testing, screening and therapy is available for pre-operative transsexuals. Fees: First session: \$75.00. All other one-hour sessions, \$50.00/hr.

Please phone: (714) [REDACTED] or (714) [REDACTED] for more information. (Sorry, we are unable to accept Medi-Cal or Medi-Care. We will be happy to sign other private or group insurance forms for reimbursement to you, once fee is paid.)

The John Augustus Foundation, P.O. Box 11341, Santa Ana, CA 92711, publishes Renaissance Update, a quarterly newsletter of interest to persons exploring gender-related issues. Subscription rate: \$15.00/yr.

The John Augustus Foundation also provides information, referrals for assistance in legal issues or research on gender dysphoria. Your financial support is needed to help us continue this valuable work (donations are tax-deductible).

Gender Dysphoria Program of Orange County. The oldest ongoing and most successful group of its kind on the West Coast. Meetings on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month in San Juan Capistrano. Fee: \$100.00/mo. Group is for male to female and female to male PRE-OPERATIVE TRANSSEXUALS ONLY. Focus is on pre-hormonal and pre-operative screening and evaluation, psychological testing, as well as exploration of feelings of gender dysphoria. Provides a valuable support system during the transition phase. Group is led by William Heard, Ph.D., a Clinical Psychologist, assisted by co-therapists, Joanna Clark, H.S.W. and Jude Patton, M.F.C.C. Other professionals associated with group include a licensed clinical social worker, psychiatrist and endocrinologist. Referrals for hormone therapy and surgical intervention are provided.

To join the group, you must first go through a screening process. For more information, contact Jude Patton at (714) [REDACTED], or Joanna Clark, at (714) [REDACTED], or write GDP/OC, 31815 Camino Capistrano, Ste. L, San Juan Capistrano, CA 92675, for a descriptive brochure.