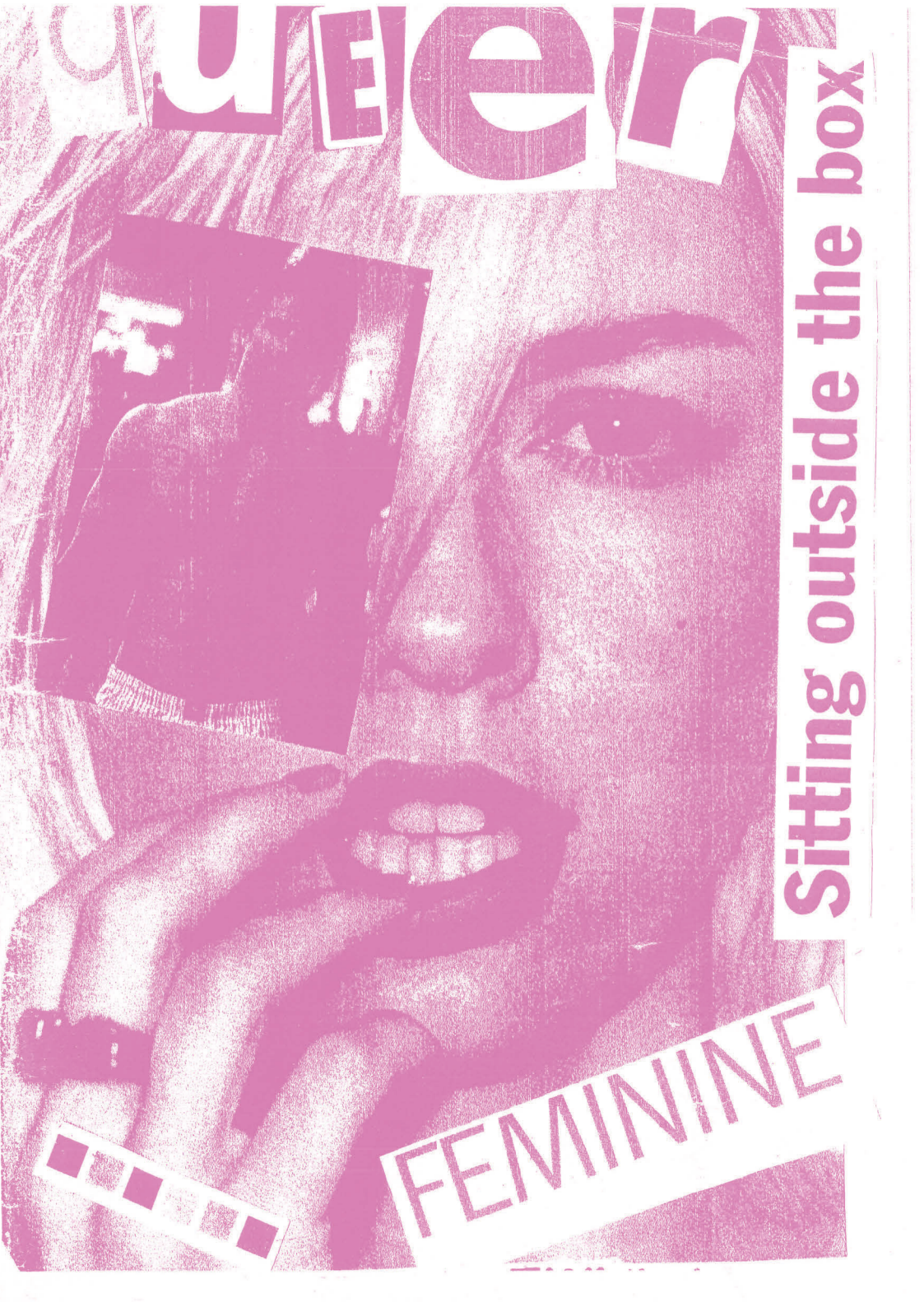


never

Sitting outside the box

FEMININE



However you identify, QuAC loves you. However you identify -

We asked the Queer Action Collective to create pages which expressed what 'queer' meant to them. We sat together with scissors and glue and shared our thoughts, feeling and ideas with each other...

and made this zine to share them with you...

we hope you enjoy ☺

Big Queer Love,

♥ Jess, Mich and QuAC '08

identify, QuAC loves you! However you identify, QuAC loves you! However you identify, QuAC loves you!

QuAC loves you! However you identify, QuAC loves you! However you identify, QuAC loves you!

my ...
a flower bud in the winter...
awaiting the first breaths
of spring...

にはづに
くやこの花
ごもり
早春と
ふしの花



changing, growing...
a living thing...
no stone engraving;
not set in
marble..



There is no box to hold this love I feel.

QUEER IS



LESBIAN
GENDER QUEER
BISexual
QUESTIONING
GAY
PANSEXUAL
TRANS
CURIOUS
HETEROFLEXIBLE
INTERSEX
BDSM
ASSEXUAL
LABEL FREE

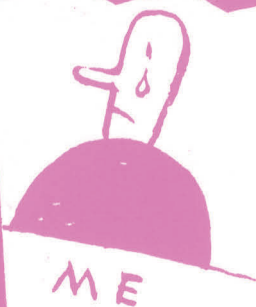


I never met a word so flexible, so.... friendly.

DON'T

hideaway

**THE GREAT
PRETENDER**



**IT'S LOVE,
ACTUALLY,**

C'est

Moi

Because I am in love with somebody who is not a man or a woman.

'lesbian', 'bisexual' and 'straight'

♥ have no space

for that love.



Noire et Blanche, 1926

L

FILM

ADORE

want

THERE'S

TEMPTATION

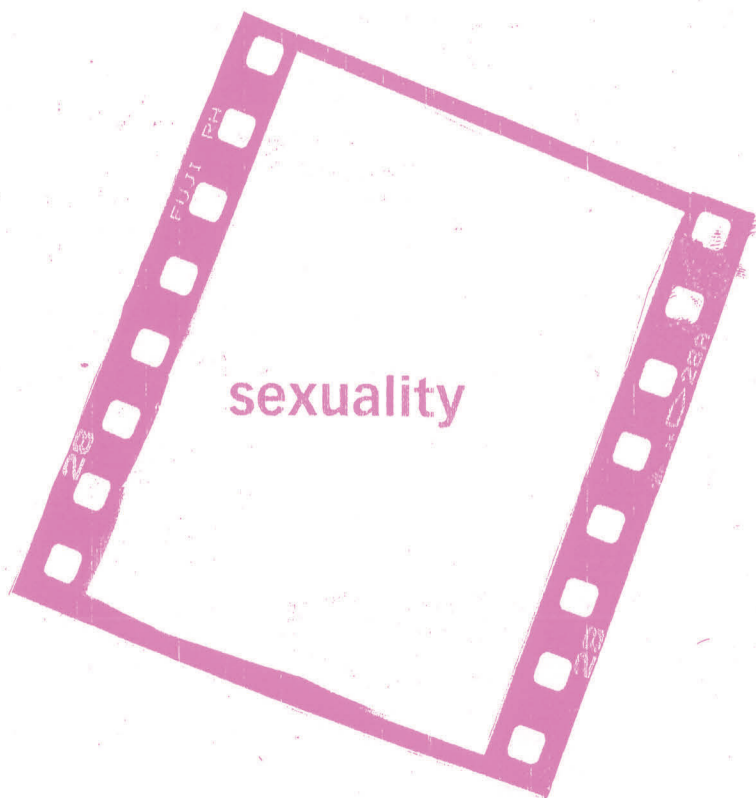
FUELLING DESIRE

IN LOVE...

touch

SEEN

SEEN



How on earth can I tell my friends about my identity?

What am I supposed to say?

"Hi, guys... nice weather, isn't it? By the

way - I'm queer!" I

faces, the laughing unconcealed shock,

"Queer?" they'll

that mean? Are

a lesbian?" "Not

really," I'll reply

"It's hard to explain..."

And in the

face of their

bewilderment,

I will fail to

make myself understood.

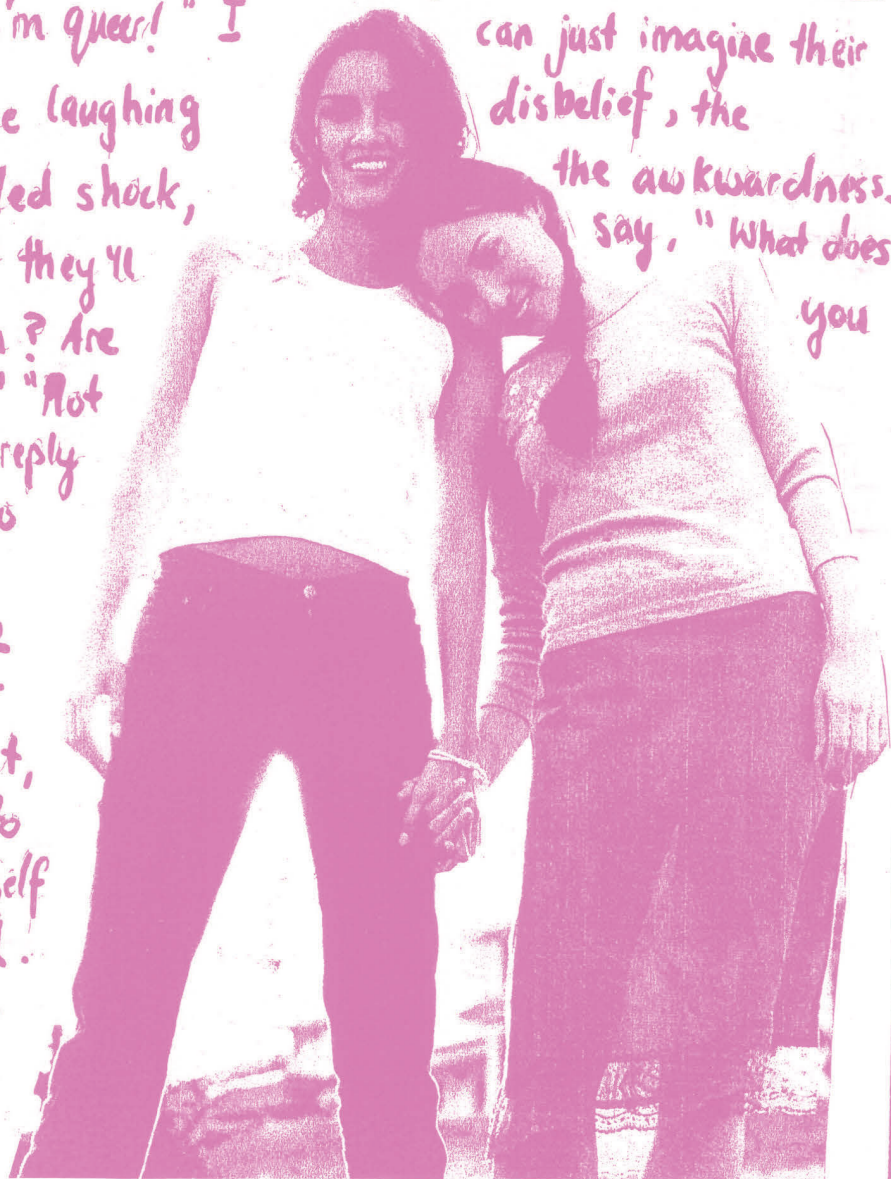
Help me -

I'm not a

freak...



can just imagine their disbelief, the the awkwardness. say, "What does you





"Campaign for Real Beauty"

The one that Dove scrapped...

(and I had my heart set on underwear modelling!)



[Don't worry, girls, I still think
you're sexy...]

gpi



Silky-smooth "goddess" legs?

Or half-an-hour more in bed with my girlfriend?

(Aee... tough choice!!!)

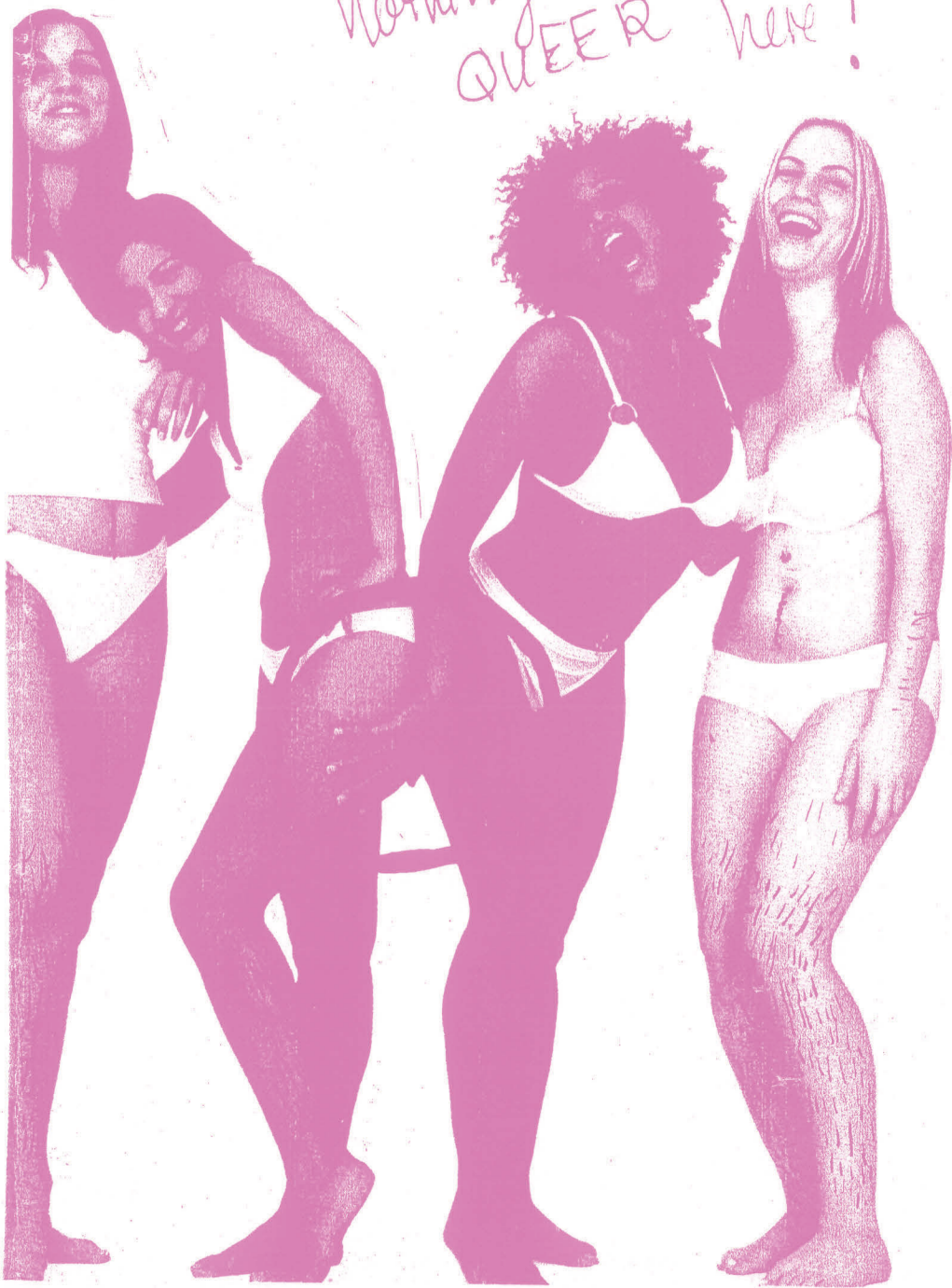


Kiera in drag...
my life is complete!!

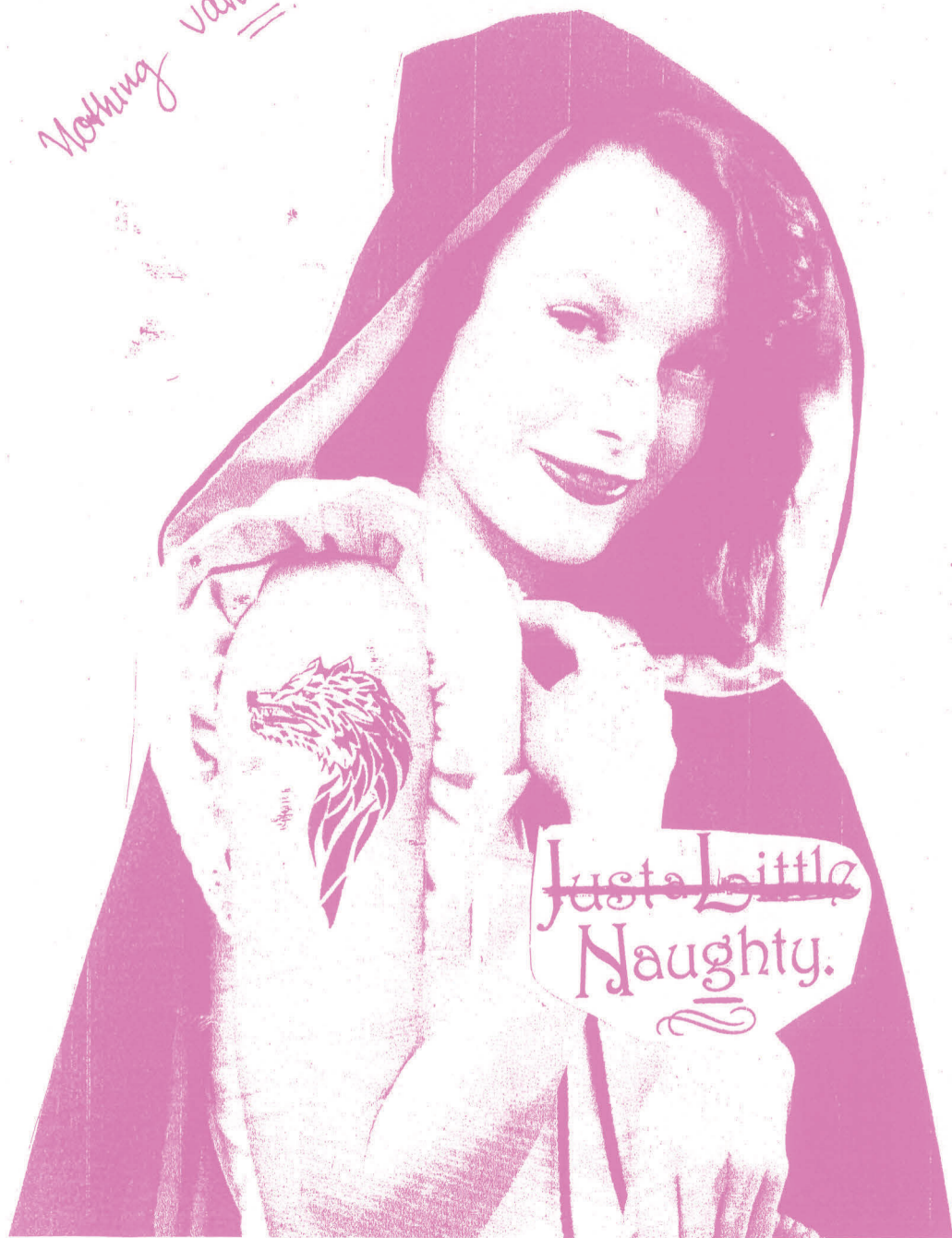
Do you wanna hear a secret? Do you promise not to tell?



Nothing
QUEER here!



Nothing vanilla here...



~~Just a Little~~
Naughty.

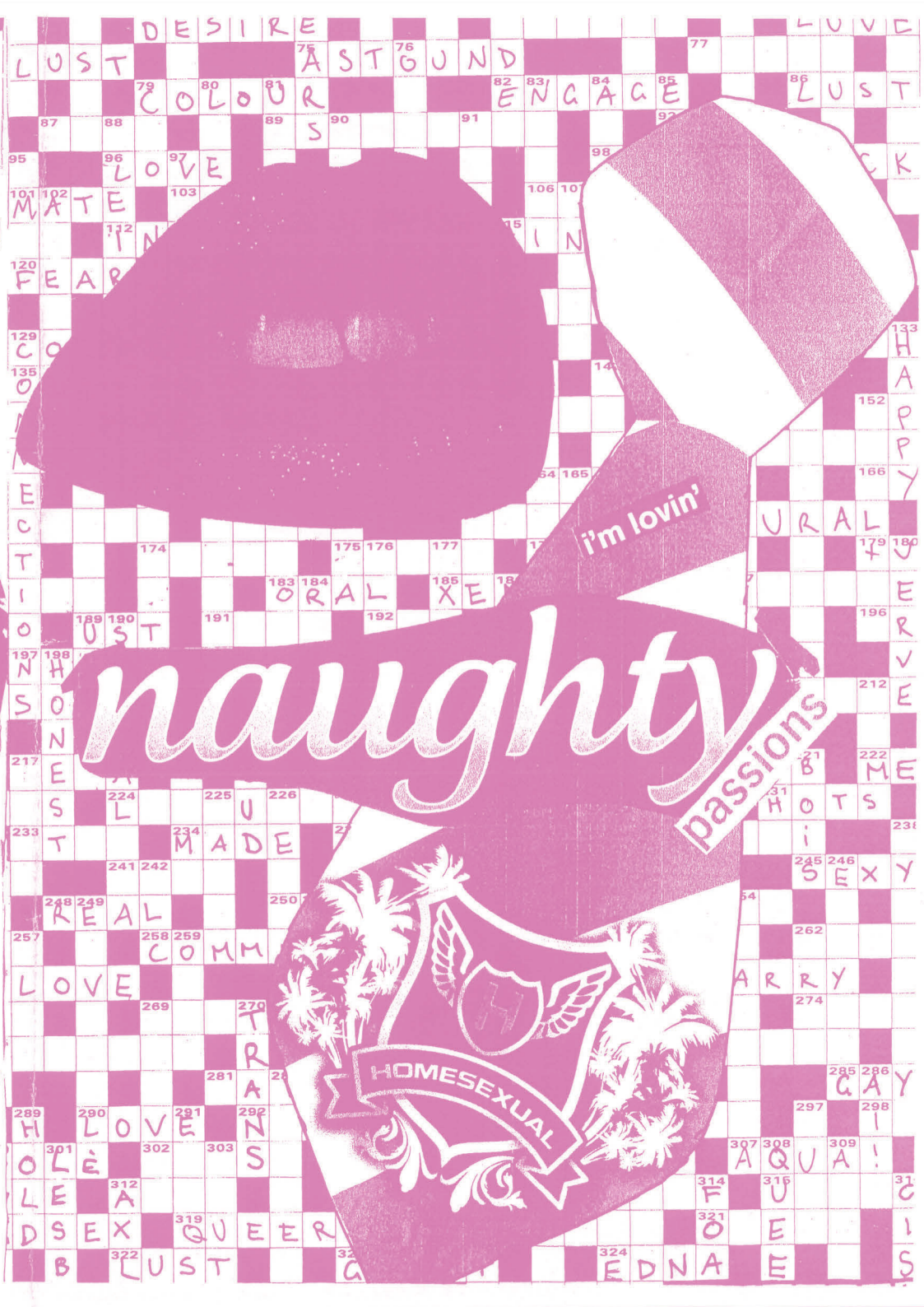
cuz i know there is strength
in the differences between us
and i know there is comfort
where we overlap

- Ani Di Franco, 'overlap'



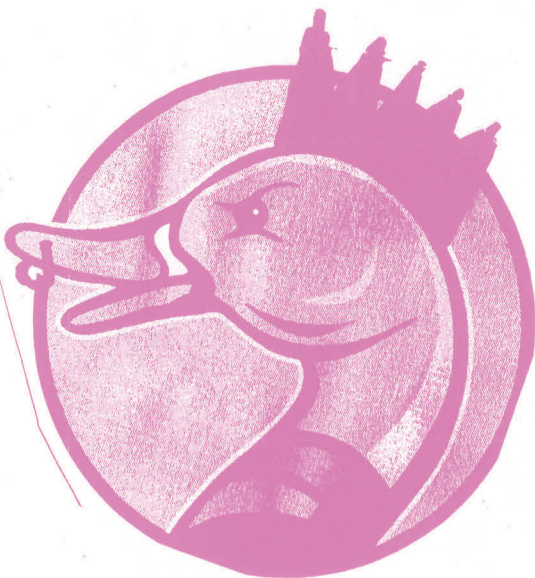


Stand out in a **STORM**



Diversity Duck

says QuAC



Basic Information

Birthday: July 28

Political Views: QuActivism

Religious Views: QuACtology

Personal Information

Activities: Fighting Queerphobia, Attending QuAC,
Writing for Queer Honi... you know, the usual

Interests: Badgemaking, Dancing, Alliteration,
Puns, Swimming around duck ponds on a lazy Sunday afternoon

About Me: By day a mild mannered pond duck, by night DIVERSITY DUCK!
Together with the power of QuAC I fight queerphobia in all its forms
and make the world a better place for Queers everywhere!

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Look out, world...
Diversity Duck has Feedback!



SURFING CLASS OF 1975

↑
"THAT'S WHERE WE
FIRST MET ...
AND WE'RE
STILL TOGETHER
NOW." →





against homophobia



tion.
for the ladies.

Defend
Same Sex
Marriage And

NO 2
VIOLENCE
YES
TO LOVE
NO VIOLENCE

YES
TO LOVE
NO VIOLENCE



**I'M QUEER, AND I
WANT KIDS. LOT'S
AND LOT'S OF
KIDS...**

romantic.

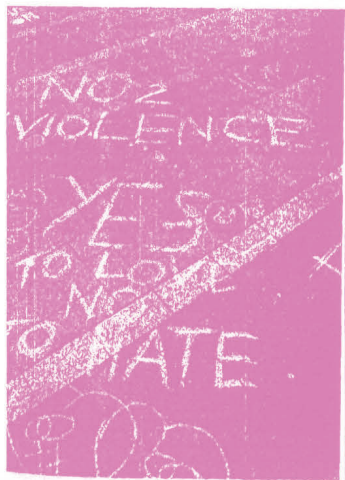
YES,
I'M A
LESBIAN

GLOWING.



THE SYSTEM

Walk in the
other direction...



SOLIDARITY





Dear, dear! How queer everything is!



LLOYD

WHEN UNEXPECTED FRIENDS JUST DROP IN.



no



She walked with style. She was worth a stare.
The only question was... is she or isn't she?

Queer is an acknowledgement that difference is everywhere.
Difference exists between people,
and is not something any one person owns.
It is a way of saying 'you and i are not the same'
and knowing that different isn't just something gay people are.
Everyone is different. Fuck that's fun.



Sometimes I look around the
'queer' venues, in the 'queer' magazines,
in the 'queer' movies and T.V. shows
and I wonder ... where did all the
women go? Where did all the women
like me go? Sometimes 'queer' seems
like just another word for
white, hairless, gay men...



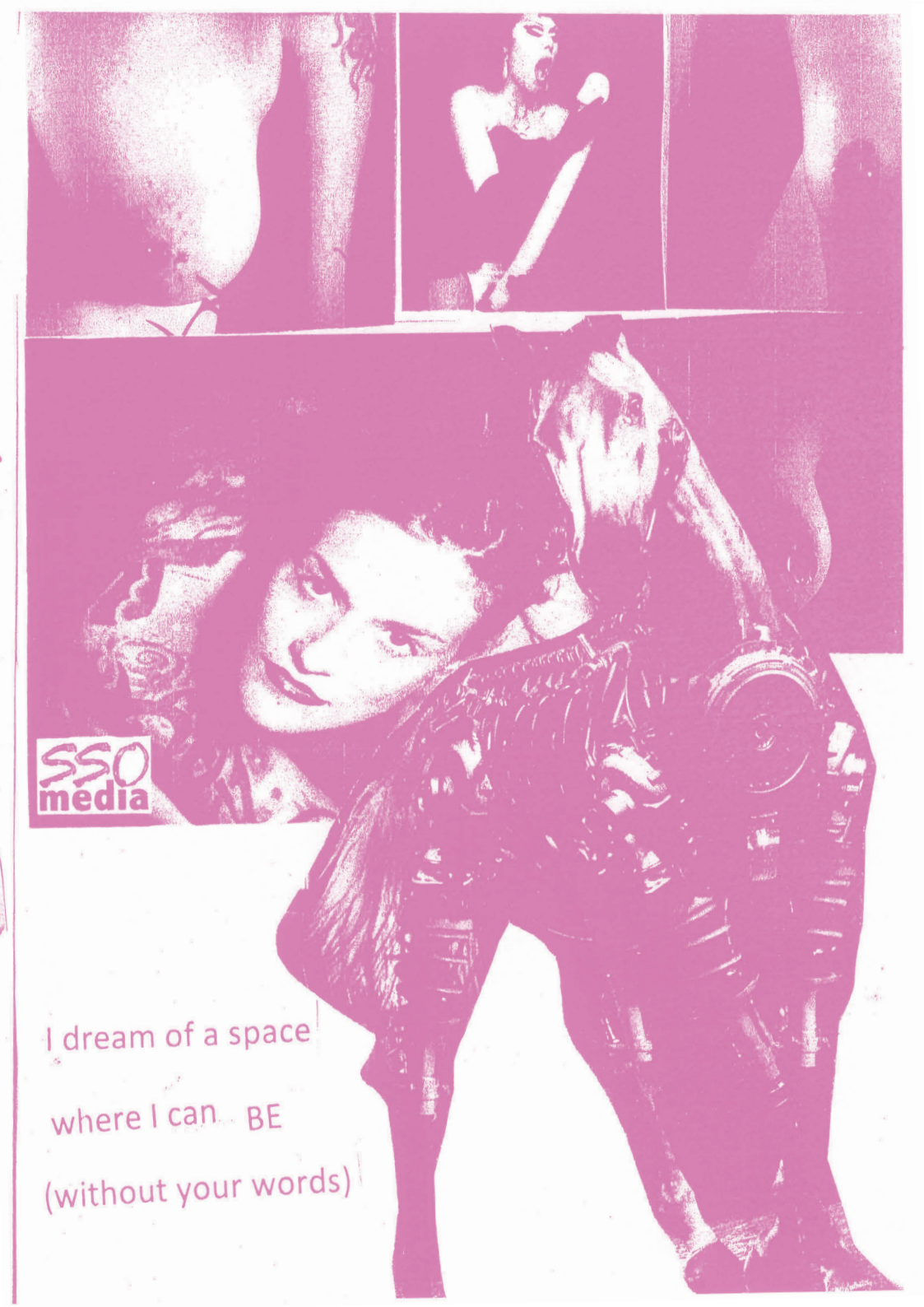


~~If only you could~~
just take a pill to

sometimes your body
does all sorts of questionable
things...



STILL GOING STRONG



SSO
media

I dream of a space
where I can BE
(without your words)



Try something different.



What does a queer woman look like?

THE ART OF

NO DEFINING

FACE OF MIND

G

ORGEOUS

FACE it

ANDROGYNOUS SENSUALITY

shades

sophisticated

AUSTRALIA

turns

ALTERNATIVE

LIFE

INSPIRATION

living

ROAD

NATION

question the MONOPOLISED person

proud.

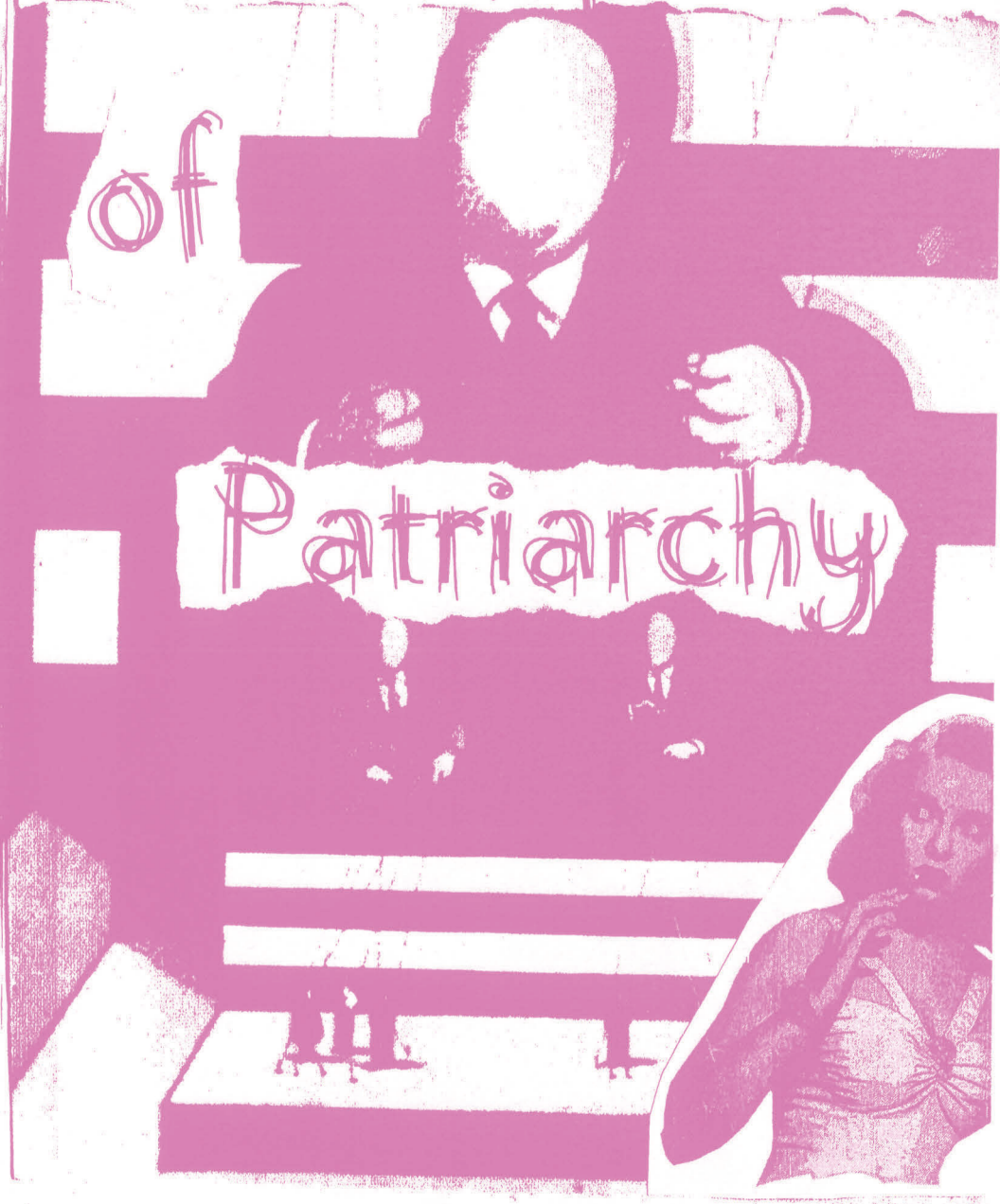
CULTURE

CHARISMATIC

A Manifestation

of

Patriarchy



SEXISM EXISTS WITHIN QUEER COMMUNITIES

Queer allows me the space to

APPRECIATE, EMBRACE, RESPECT, UPHOLD, MAINTAIN and ENJOY

COMPLEXITY

in how i LIKE, LOVE, FEEL and FUCK.



I will love

Women

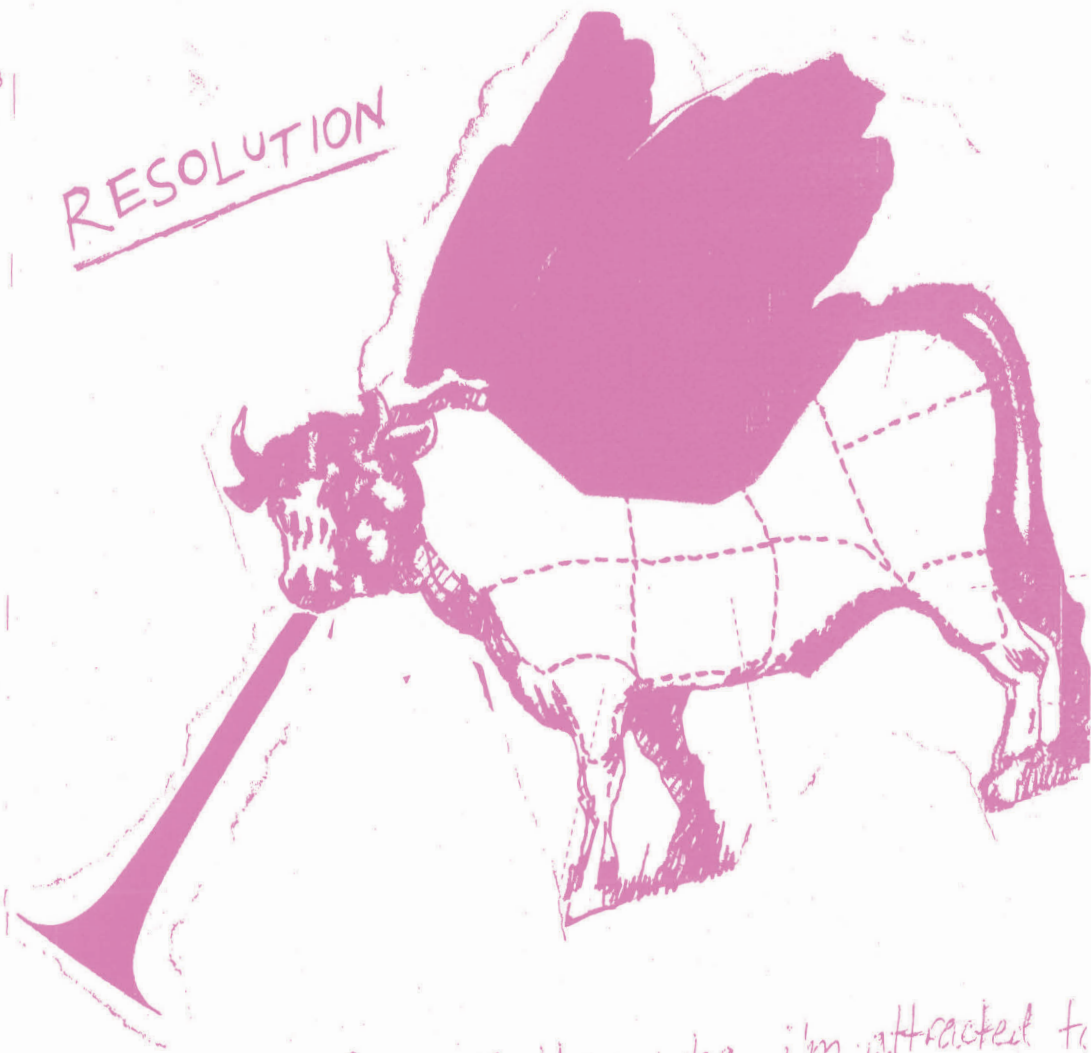
and

Celebrate

how sweet it is

When I adopt a label...
is it for my sake...
or for yours?

RESOLUTION



my queerness is more than who i'm attracted to
it's how i relate to them
communicating hopes, needs, fears, desires
seeking real, active consent with every ste
instead of seeing them as objects to consume
even if it's for a single night.



QuAC



Queer Action Collective

The queer action collective holds weekly meetings to discuss and organise campaigns, events and workshops to fight queerphobia and to support queer students.

QuAC is now meeting on Tuesdays, 1pm in the QueerSpace [in the bottom of the Holme building].

Email the Queer Officers [Jess and Michael]:

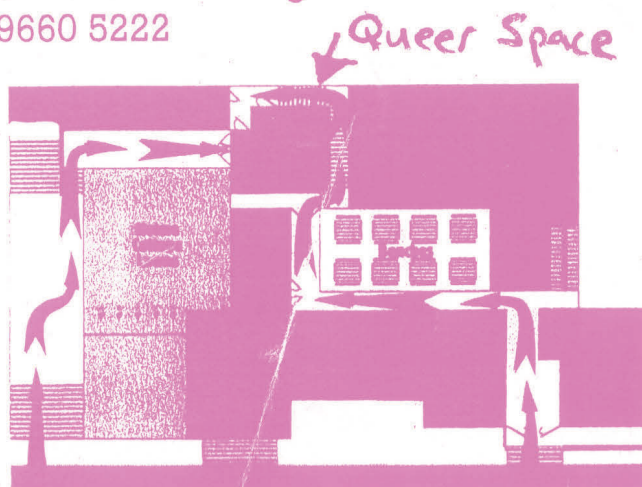
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Join our e-list [where everything is posted]:

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/usydqueer/>

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