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Editors Note

We have made 10 issues. Its actually been a year now. And I look forward to seeing what may come in the future. Just interact. I love the interaction with you guys.

I'm glad to announce we have a website. Its <http://imagee-magazine.yolasite.com/> . Please feel free to check it out. We also have a blog spot <http://image-emag.blogspot.com/> . Hell yeah! What I am I trying to do with all this. Honestly I'm not sure. Do I want to be activist! Do I want to let people know what is going on I Barbados? Do I want the gays to have a voice on the internet.?

YES!

It's been to long and to often I hear people ask. Where do you go to party? What do you do in Barbados? What's going on in Barbados? The proverbial stuck record. We need to see that if someone of us dose not do. NO ONE ELSE WILL!

I see Trinidad holding shows and having clubs. I see Jamaica (one of the most homophobic countries) having the cast of RuPaul's Drag Race staying and performing at Sandals. Why are we so conservative and self absorbed that was will not do better.

I want to thank the people who still contribute to this venture and say goodbye to the ones that have stopped. Congrates to the Winner for the Ms Diva World 2011. The Queen Nefertati Manzuele-Lyons. Sorry I missed carnival and the hell of the show.

As for my home land. I'm still sadden by the event still going on about the Canada mishap. I hope the girls and ladyboys and other there do not have any more negative fallout from one man's insecurities and on boy's mistrust. Truly a issues that should not be dragged out over a national forum.

Did anyone watch Black Swan? I heard its not banned anymore. Not for the gays lesbian sex is like kryptonite. We ball up and die no matter how good the dancing is and how much we can relate to the need o kill the bitch that wants my part.

Happy birthday boo bear and all the March born guys.

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Gay scam?

Minister of Foreign Affairs Maxine McClean.(FP) By: Rickey Jordan

AT LEAST NINE people, mostly gays, have applied for refugee status in Canada, claiming harassment and abuse in Barbados; and the matter is being investigated by the Barbados Consulate in Toronto, as well as the Canadian government's Immigration and Refugee Board (IRB).

The applicants, including one young woman, have sought hearings with the IRB, and at least one has been refused while another has appealed his case, reliable sources confirmed yesterday.

Minister of Foreign Affairs Maxine McClean and Barbados' Consul General in Toronto Leroy McClean both said they were aware of the present situation. The

consul general further disclosed that most of the information had come from local music business entrepreneur Dwayne Grazette and was under investigation.

"Mr Grazette has written to everybody, including the Canadian High Commission and Canada's Border Services Agency, [and] we [the consulate] have done all we are mandated to do.

"We do not know for sure if there is a scam but have taken steps to find out. We have to verify it," Consul General McClean said.

Calling it "a serious matter", he admitted to hearing previous reports of "people who try to short-circuit the immigration system and claim refugee status", but noted that Barbados was not currently on Canada's official refugee list and therefore most cases of this nature did not succeed.

When contacted, Grazette and at least



two known homosexual youths said they had first-hand knowledge of several young gay men currently trying to get into Canada as refugees. So too did head of the United Gays and Lesbians Against AIDS Barbados (UGLAAB), Darcy Dear.

“I have a gay friend, a Canadian professor, who visited Barbados recently and mentioned it to me,” Dear told the SUNDAY SUN. “The organization [UGLAAB] intends to look at it in the very near future . . . because this could affect Barbados’ standing in the international community, as well as its relationship with Canada, and can affect us as the only organization that represents gays and lesbians in Barbados.”

Dear, who has previously complained about police not responding seriously to crimes against gays, said that “although things may happen to gays here, including me, I will not be party to anything that seeks to destroy Barbados”.

But Grazette was even more critical of what he termed “a scam”, while claiming that one “refugee” had fraudulently used his name in connection with a past business arrangement.

“So I sent correspondence to clear my name and to protect Barbados’ reputation.

If I go there with artistes on a show, I could be stopped because of this scam,” said Grazette, who has worked with a number of local artistes and bands, including Jabae.

To be granted asylum in Canada as a refugee, a homosexual must have a well founded fear of persecution.

Negus Crookendale, one of the gay youths who allowed the SUNDAY SUN to use his name, said he applied for refugee status after hearing of the scheme from a Jamaican resident in Canada.

“I had a hearing and I saw the process; the benefits the Canadian government gives you every month for rent, school, food, a special diet if you have a medical condition, as well as start-up cash of CAN\$900 for six months before you are actually called for a hearing. I said negative things about Barbados, to make it look as if I was in danger. I told lies, but, I wasn’t accepted,” he said.

He also noted that one of the refugee claimants had escaped from a local correctional institution.

Bajan gays upset

By Maria Bradshaw

Barbadian gay refugees who have sought asylum in Canada say they had to flee Barbados because they were being persecuted for their lifestyle.

And they are angry that entertainer/promoter Dwayne Grazette has labelled attempts by members of the gay community to seek asylum in Canada as a “scam”.

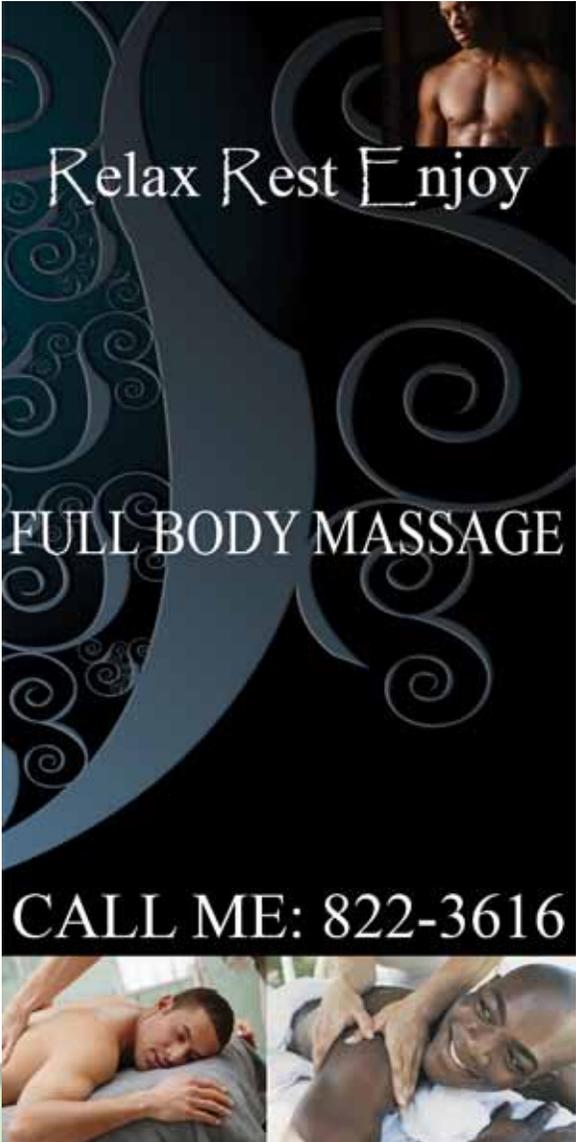
They say Grazette is only upset because his gay friend had left him to go to Canada on the refugee programme without telling him.

But Grazette, who has written to both Canadian and local Government officials claiming that his name was fraudulently used by one of the applicants, while admitting that his former gay friend was one of the refugees now resident in Canada, insisted he had not done anything out of spite.

In a lengthy email sent to the SUNDAYSUN by one of the Canadian gay refugees, who is spokesman for the group, they argue that the article appearing in last week’s SUNDAYSUN would hurt the chances of other homosexuals seeking refugee status in Canada.

“The Bajan Canadians are most upset about the article posted in the SUNDAY SUN. There are more than nine refugees up here, who are now permanent residents and citizens in Canada. This has been going on for years; but it has only come to light now and it has caused a big disturbance up here.”

The spokesman, who did not want to give



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his name, said a number of the gay men now living in Canada were dealing with personal issues that forced them to leave Barbados.

“Gay is not legal in Barbados; neither is the public gay-friendly. Barbados is small, and when your life is in danger because of lovers who don’t want out, you have to flee the country because there is nowhere to hide.”

The spokesman asked: “Can two men walk holding hands in Swan Street without being bashed, or sit in a park and kiss? Can we go into Bongo Lights, Club 360, Sheriff’s Place, Liberty, or a dub with our boyfriends and dance or kiss and enjoy ourselves like everyone else?”

He further charged that even homosexuals living in Barbados were upset about the article because “Dwayne is only making things hard for people that normally go on vacation in Canada”.

He said the gay community was making a contribution to the Canadian community, were accepted in Canada despite their sexual orientation, and were representing Barbados in a positive way.

He also stated that gay men in Barbados were forced to live double lives.

“In Barbados the men are two per cent straight, 80 per cent bisexual and 18 per cent openly gay. Most men have to hide and do gay things and live double lives, having their wives, girlfriends and kids

“We gays are humans too, and instead of gay-bashing each other, we should try to live good and help one another.”



IN THE REAL WORLD!

In the real world this was a letter sent to the editor in the nation don't think it will be published so here it is.

I commented on this. Don't know IF it will be approved. If you say Bim has changed. *shrug* The Bim I remember had a lot of rocks, bottles, machetes and threats. Most of the persecution comes from your family, then the public.

Here's what I wrote as a comment to the news story:

I was limited to 1000 characters.

"From rocks, to bottles, to being chased with machetes there's persecution of gays, lesbians, bisexuals, transmen and transwomen in Barbados. That's if the angry religious replies and comments did not give anyone a clue. I've personally witnessed it for the first 10 years of my life and during on and off visits after I moved.

What everyone fails to notice is that it is not a question of personal opinion about homosexuality,

gender identity and gender expression. All three separate things. It is about the human right for protection, equality and life that is accorded to every citizen of a nation at birth. THAT is the moral issue.

If you believe that people should be denied equality, protection and life, that is infringement of individual rights and societal persecution. You've just proven their case as valid."

On and on it goes. My response for today to the lady who brought up procreation and God. Oy vey.

"Gays, lesbians, bisexuals and transfolks are not incapable of reproduction as they procreate very well. Everything is quite functional physically. Must we bring social infertility into this discussion? It is a most tired excuse for denying equality.

There are physically infertile couples who are happily experiencing legal marital bliss, social equality and reproductive rights; such as the elderly, sterilised, and impotent couples. Many gay, lesbian, bisexual and trans people have biological children. Whether by sex from a previous relationship, like many other socially accepted parents, or by a socially accepted reproductive method. I very rarely get upset in regards to the opinions of others. I save that energy for equal rights."

HIV sufferer confesses to infecting 90-odd men

By Rawle Nelson

ST JOHNS, Antigua, Monday February 28, 2011 - By the time Deshawn Simon was 12 years old, he had sex with four men.

By age 16 he was living a life of being gay.

And since his first gay experience the 22-year-old said he has slept with more than 90 men – the majority of whom were fellow inmates in prison between 2003 and 2008.

Deshawn is convinced that he's really a woman trapped in a man's body.

"I was a gal since I was seven and no man or gal out dey can't hold me down," a smiling Deshawn said when asked as to how long he had been a gay.

"Nobody believed me when I told them that I had strong and uncontrollable feelings for men. Every time I tried telling someone that I trusted I was rebuked and even beaten up," Deshawn said.

It was only his mother that showed him unconditional love throughout the years but not the rest of his family who openly were disgusted at his lifestyle.

"Yuh see I had to live my life as no one wanted to find out what was really happening to me. Even some guys who I thought were straight, whom I confided in, took sexual advantage of me as well," Deshawn said.

Things went downhill for him when he was 17 years old. He and his boyfriend robbed two tourists at gunpoint and were later arrested.

Asked about this he said: "I really didn't want to but I went along wid he, as he was mi man. I needed to be loyal and show love," he said.

He was sentenced to seven years and it was

behind bars that he learnt the harsh reality of the sex trade in prisons.

"Sex goes on hey everyday and even some of dem guards are involved as you see no one could ah resists me and once they see that you soft or like bud, you ass cooked," he said.

He was released two years early due to good behaviour.

Back in the community life is tougher than jail because of how people treat him. He is cussed, ridiculed, chased away, accused of being demon-possessed and in need of deliverance.

He said he has tried to get comfort from women but "it feels wrong and unclean" and he is more comfortable in the arms of a man.

"Despite what I tried nothing was working as each day my feelings increased for men not women," he said.

In prison, he had unprotected sex as condoms are not allowed and it was there that he became infected with HIV.

Since his release, he said that he has had multiple sexual partners from St Lucia, Dominica, Jamaica, St Kitts and homeland Antigua and Barbuda.

"I must confess that I have add over 90 sexual partners. The truth is that I have deliberately had unprotected sex. At any rate my partners also preferred bareback sex," he said.

"I almost got beaten up once trying to protect a man's life by telling him of the importance of using a condom, so I have decided that like them what the hell is, today is my day and tomorrow is theirs. The question now that need to be asked is whose the latest victim of HIV," he asked.

He admitted that he also lied to many men about his HIV status claiming that he was 'clean'. Apart from believing that is what they wanted to hear, he was also angry.

"I was wrongfully infected while I was in prison

so I do not see anything wrong with me infecting others. I want to stress that I do not stop anyone from wearing condoms but I do say that I don't like the and some just fall for it. They don't use condoms so I can't be responsible for their stupidity," he declared.

The drag queen who boasted of being once the hottest item in Antigua said that many of his sexual partners were one night flings adding that he enjoys one night stands for the sake of 'variety'.

He claims to have kept record of most of his sexual partners as he strongly believes that someday he would have to confront them since they will become infected.

"There are a lot of wives and girlfriends who are infected as a result of their unfaithful husbands and boyfriends. Many times people cuss us gays off but there is an important point to note and that is gays are not promiscuous but the 'straight' looking guys are the ones who brings home the disease," he declared.

Deshawn is deliberately not taking his antiretroviral medicine and he accepts that he will soon be dead.

He is angry and disappointed over his situation.

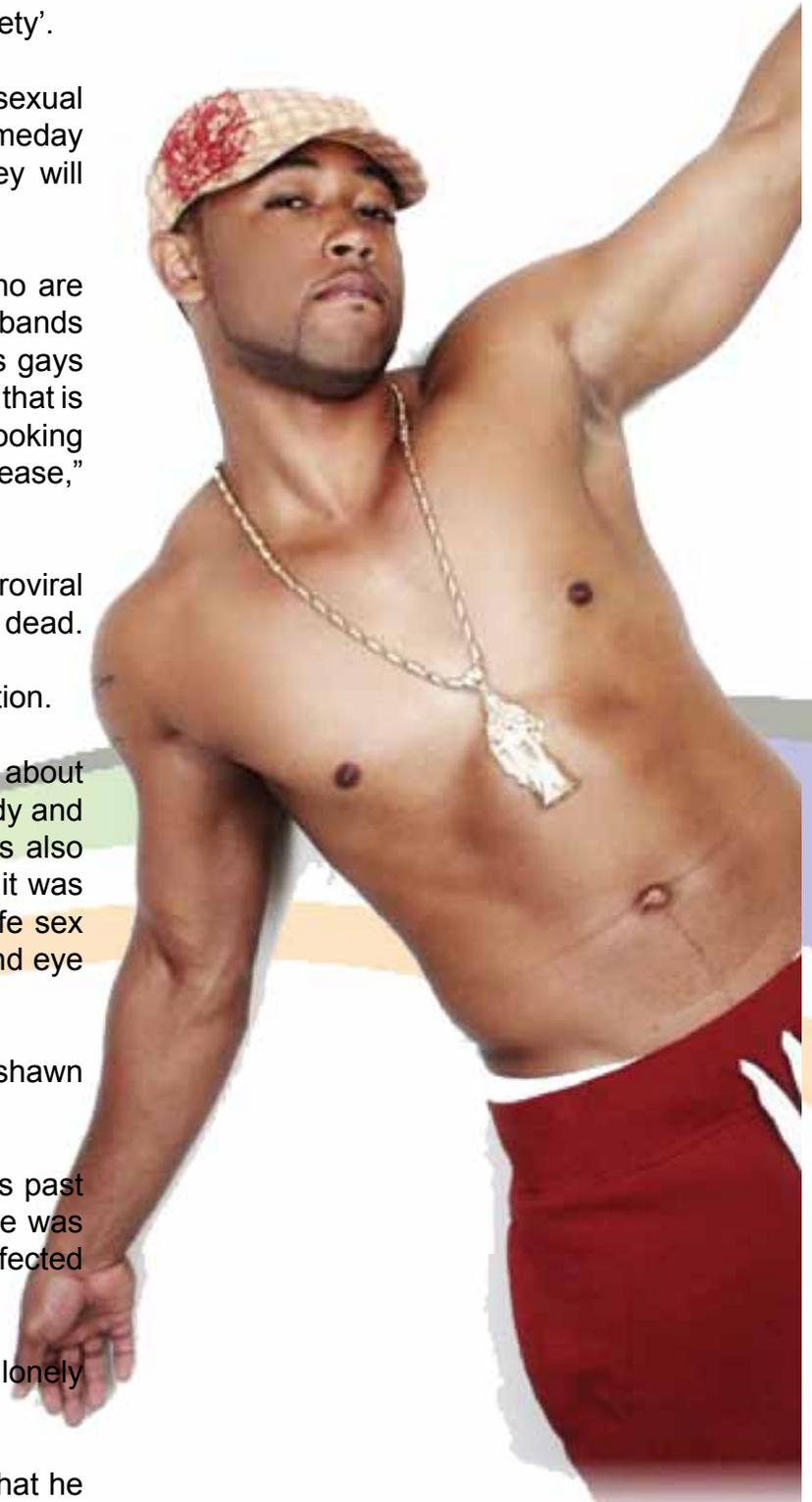
No one listened to him when he was younger about feeling like a woman trapped in a man's body and then when he was sentenced to jail he was also sentenced to death through AIDS because it was in jail that he became infected because safe sex was not permitted. The system turned a blind eye and would not allow condoms to be used.

"The legal system contributed to this," Deshawn said.

He was evidently upset while recounting his past but calmed down shortly after to say that he was really hurting after discovering that he was infected with the dreaded disease.

Deshawn, from Bolland's, Antigua, lives a lonely life in the yard of his parents by himself.

He choked up during the interview stating that he



had not deliberately ventured to infect other men but stressed that they were infected because of their failure to protect themselves.

Throughout the interview he changed between saying he deliberately infected them to then saying it was unintentional, that he was just playing the hand that he believed life dealt him in conjunction with the failure of family and friends to help him when he cried out for assistance.

The year 2008 is one he remembers clearly because that was the year that he was released from prison and also when he found out that he was HIV positive. He said that when the doctor revealed the dreaded news to him he was completely shocked.

“I was very devastated, not that I was afraid of dying but to know that the many negative things that mi family and others had told me was coming to truth as dey di say that mi ah gon get AIDS,” he said.

Deshawn has become a vibrant member of the MSM community in Antigua where he served as an executive member of the organisation.

He said that discrimination and stigmatisation is rife on the streets and this is stopping them getting help but he is confident that someday it will end stressing that the root of the problem lies with education.

“If people are properly educated on HIV then we would not have this level of problem that we are encountering today as fear and uncertainty is what is causing the challenges,” he stressed.

Upon leaving jail, he has become re-infected with different strains of the virus – once in Dominica then again in St Lucia.

Since this interview was completed, Deshawn lost his battle with AIDS. He died in the early hours of Sunday 13 December 2009 in hospital in Antigua and Barbuda.

He asked that his real name be used only after his death.

This is the first edition in a series of interviews with people living with HIV AIDS in an effort to reduce stigma and discrimination while giving the public an insight as to how people living with HIVAIDS are coping with the difficulties and challenges of life.(Me, You and HIV)



Hooking up

- General Safety Tips:

* Mix your own drinks/Don't leave drinks unattended. Getting you drunk or giving you knockout drops is an easy way to cloud your judgment.

* Find out who your date is. Ask for your date's first name, where they work and live, what they like and do not like. Ask around if anyone knows the person.

* Introduce your date to others. Introduce your date to your friends or the bartender. Tell a friend where you are going. Make sure your date knows you spread the word about them.

* Protect your valuables. Do not carry extra cash. If you bring someone home, do not leave your wallet, cash or valuables in sight. Your possessions and the person you brought home could all be gone while you are in the shower or sleeping.

* Ask about his health status. Find out his HIV and STD status so that you can act appropriately. We strongly recommend that you use protection. Whether you choose to use protection or not is up to you but at least know what you are getting into. Also remember that not everyone is honest and some will not tell you their real status. Review our Health Resource page.

Online Safety Tips:

* Protect your security. Never give anyone your password no matter why they say they need it or who they say they are. If someone asks you for your password, report them here. If you think someone knows your password, change it. For more security you may also want to change your account email address password where the system sends you login info.

* Protect your privacy. If you want to give someone your real name, e-mail address, phone number, etc you should get to know him a little and also ask him to provide you with the same info. Email him and call him to check that he gave you his real email and phone number and get to know him more. Never give out any financial information, your social security number or things like your passport number, bank ac-

count numbers.

* Be cautious about revealing information that could identify you. For example, if you give someone your listed phone number, they can get your real name and street address.

* Remember that when you meet someone you've chatted with online, you're really meeting them for the first time. When you're online you don't have non-verbal cues such as voice inflection or body language to guide your judgement of their honesty or intentions.

* For your first meeting, pick a place that's public and neutral. If you're traveling to visit them in their town or neighborhood, you should pick a place you're comfortable with when you arrive. Take a cell phone with you and let others know where you are going.





Movies:

By Carol Martindale

The movie *Black Swan* has been banned in Barbados, at least for now.

The Barbados Film Censorship Board, which originally banned the award winning film, says it will take another look at the movie and give a decision this week.

People have already been speaking out on the original decision by the board which deemed the film inappropriate for viewing because of offensive sexual behaviour. The movie, which contains homo-erotic scenes, was expected to start in Barbados last week.

Here are some of the views shared on the decision to ban the movie by some Nation online readers.

Stacy said: "Barbados really needs to wake up. Accept the film because of the artist value. Why is it that Barbadians always feel the need to judge everything but yet we speak of the gospel that says not to judge? See things as they are and stop jumping at "homo-erotic" content. We have bigger issues to deal with.

Jules Bowen: I wasn't interested in watching this

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movie until it was banned here and I am currently watching the ending of it as I write this. I've seen much worse shown on CBC as a late night movie and much worse was shown in our cinemas before. We truly have double standards here in Bim.

Heidi Anita Stigen: "A very good movie that the Bajan people will miss out on".

Sue Holder: "This is a crazy decision. So we can watch *Broke-back Mountain* but not this? We can watch people being murdered/chopped up/shot but not this? Barbados needs to wake up and fast!!

Dawn Rollins: "They can ban all they want to ban, but there is nothing they can do to stop the general public from watching it in the privacy of their homes. I do not see what they are trying to achieve anyway"

Al Wright said: "Why don't the board let the viewing public have the advantage of watching and discussing one of the many topics of interest available to it. In this day of the Internet and satellite access to movies and entertainment, people no longer have to get to the movies to watch and see what's going on in the world, and this censorship only makes people all the more curious.

The original decision to ban the movie is already being petitioned by the group *Against the Affront to Freedom of Expression in Barbados* by the

Barbados Board of Film Censors.

In its petition to the Censorship Board, it wants the decision on the banning of Black Swan reversed.

The petition also includes the provision to have a limited screening of films to unbiased members of the public and consider their input before pronouncing a ban.

Black Swan is a psychological thriller about a talented young ballerina who is awarded the prized dual role of the White Swan/Black Swan in a production of "Swan Lake".



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Brutality against MoBay gays

MAURICE TOMLINSON
Montego Bay, St James

Just after midnight on Sunday, February 20, 2011, four police pickups and a van normally used to transport prisoners descended on the only gay club along the Hip Strip in Montego Bay. About 20 heavily armed policemen jumped from the vehicles, aggressively accosting patrons, kicking in doors, beating and pistol-whipping indiscriminately, and chasing everyone from the venue.

All the while, the officers hurled homophobic slurs which encouraged patrons of other clubs nearby to join in the melee by throwing bottles, stones and other missiles as individuals fled for their lives.

One patron described it as a mob scene, and another who asked a policeman, "If this is how you, as a law-enforcement officer, treat us, how do you expect other people to behave?" was rewarded with several kicks for his effrontery. He later took refuge for several hours in an abandoned building.

At least 10 persons were reported to have been treated at hospital for injuries sustained during the raid, while others decided to nurse their wounds at home.

This latest attack follows a similar one in Kingston in early February when police, not wearing badges, raided a gay club, pointing guns at patrons and shining powerful flashlights in their faces. On neither occasion did police disclose the purpose of the raids, but they clearly have one intent, namely, to intimidate and remind lesbians, gays, bisexuals, transgender and intersex individuals that their kind is not welcome in Jamaica, and they certainly don't have the right to assemble and socialise peacefully.

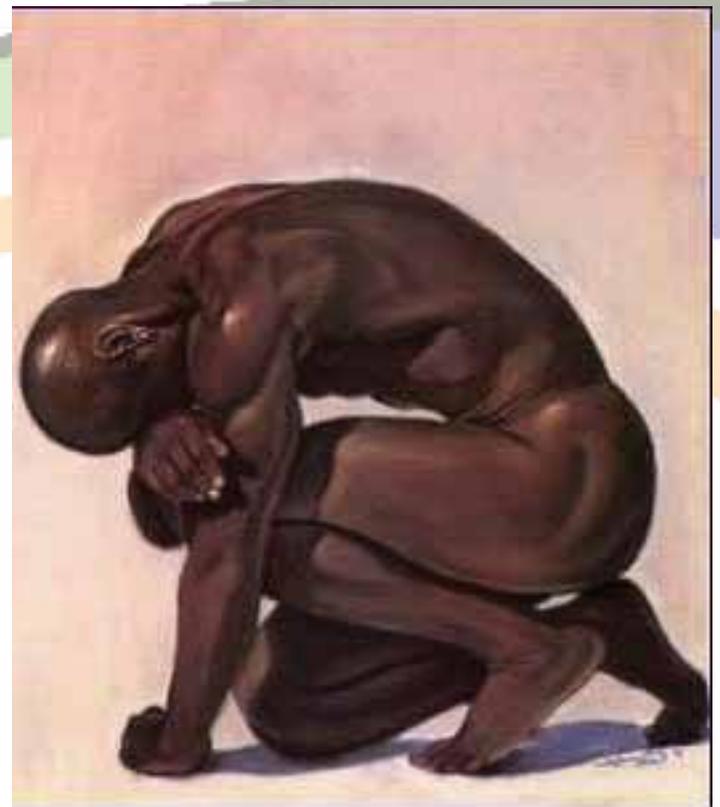
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RESPONCE from a good friend. I think i needed to add.

"I always hearing when you think your situation is bad someone else got it worse and this story highlights that.

Living in Bim & the Caribbean and being gay, bi or anything other than hetero is not the easiest but we should still give thanks that we're not hunted down like dogs like some others in the world are.

Makes me wonder how many applications for refugee status in Canada have the Jamaican gays submitted...."



Homophobia that grips our island

By Derek Gale

On February 14, the documentary *The World's Worst Place To Be Gay* was aired on BBC – which I watched with intriguing interest. The programme examined the demise and murder of gay rights activist David Kato and the expulsion case of lesbian Brenda Namigadde in Uganda.

In this critical documentary, Radio 1 DJ Scott Mills goes to Uganda, risks being detained, and as he journeys through the country he realizes the harshness of the circumstances.

In the programme Scott Mills admits he had never encountered any problems of being gay in Britain. Contrary to his statement on the programme, it is made known the intensities of odium and narrow-mindedness, and misleading attitudes on homosexuality he encounters on the streets of Kampala which becomes an austere aide memoire of how fortunate he is.

Young children are brainwashed into believing that homosexuality is a sin by the church and schools.

It was a challenging undertaking for Mills. However, he heroically meets head-on the Ugandan MP who proposes a bill where homosexuality should become illegal, punishable by life imprisonment or the death penalty.

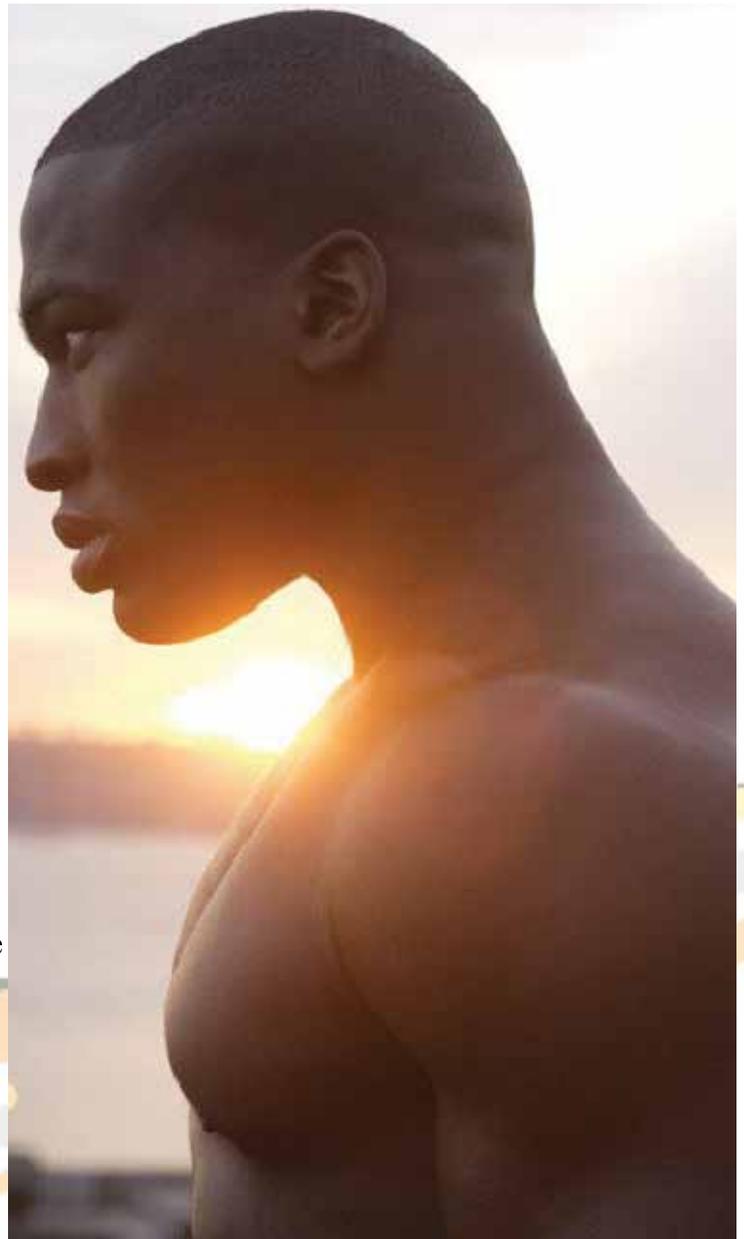
At one time of the programme Mills meets a witch-doctor who can cast a spell to cure homosexuality.

Be that as it may, during the poignant programme I realized there were similar situations of homophobia in Uganda and Barbados, such as how the church plays a major part in spreading homophobic propaganda in the countries, harassments and assaults on homosexuals and lesbians, of which I have personally encountered being harassed and assaulted while living in Barbados, and lastly killings of gay men.

In Barbados, it is heart-rending that homosexuality is illegal and the penalty is life imprisonment, not to

mention there have been cases of homicidal deaths of homosexuals and some have gone unsolved.

It is especially discouraging because with homophobic homicides in Britain they are without doubt solved and justice brought against the perpetrators who have committed the horrendous offences.





Personal Grooming

10 Worst Handjob Mistakes

A handjob should be one of life's simple pleasures, but it often ends up as little more than a chafed disaster. Here are some tips to avoid common handjob pitfalls. Print out this list and keep it next to the sofa or tape it to the dashboard of your car.

Doing it dry

If you don't want a sore, red, inflamed cock after all is said and done, use some lube. Unless you have extraordinarily soft skin or are a maestro of the cock fiddle, rubbing a dry cock will just make it raw. If you don't have any KY Jelly or hand lotion handy, you can at least use the natural bodily fluid most readily available: saliva. As long as you can work up a mouthful of spit, there's no excuse for a dry handjob.

Unrelated chatter

Focus on the task at hand! No chatting on the cell phone with your friends or musing about dinner plans. Permissible topics of discussion include: how huge his cock feels in your hand, how wet he is making you, and how desperately you want him to come all over your face.

Fingernails

Long, pointy, or roughly cut fingernails present a handjob hazard. They can poke, scrape, pinch, and gouge if you're not careful. Accidents are most likely to happen when you're moving too fast, so if you have long nails, take it slow and be careful. Fingernails can be used to good effect if you use them very lightly to caress or tickle his cock and balls. Using the backs, not the tips or edges, is recommended. If you're not sure what you're doing, don't try, just keep them out of the way.

No rhythm

In order to be pleasurable and build arousal to a climax, a handjob should have rhythm and continuity. It's best to start slow and then steadily increase the pace till he pops off. Don't stop and start or speed up and slow down randomly or for no reason. Once you start a handjob, you really have to keep at it until it's over, or you lose the momentum (and he'll lose his erection). Keep your hands on his dick, and keep them moving till he comes.



Limp grip

When you shake hands with someone and their hand feels like a limp, dead fish, it's creepy and unpleasant. Now imagine how it would feel to have that hand on your dick. Definitely not a turn on. A weak grip conveys lack of confidence, lack of enthusiasm for the job, or just downright distaste about touching a cock. It's even worse if your hands are also cold and clammy. A weak grip combined with lackluster movement is the kiss of death for a handjob. Grasp his cock firmly (but not too firmly – see our next item) and stroke vigorously (but not too vigorously).

Vise grip

longthicknfat: A good look at the head. Grabbing his cock in a death-grip is also a huge handjob mistake. A light but firm grasp is adequate. Remember, "choking the chicken" is just an expression. Putting a stranglehold on his cock is counterproductive. Also, while it can feel good to have the outer skin of the dick pulled back and forth over the shaft, you really need to move your hands over the surface too - don't just grab one spot and start jerking up and down.

Wearing rings

This is a no-brainer. You need to take off your rings before you give a hand job. They don't "add sensation" – or they do, but the wrong kind. Rings can scratch and bump the delicate skin of the cock. They're distracting. And they can get caught in his pubic hair. Needless to say, if you're wearing a wedding or engagement ring, this goes double.

Nut crunching

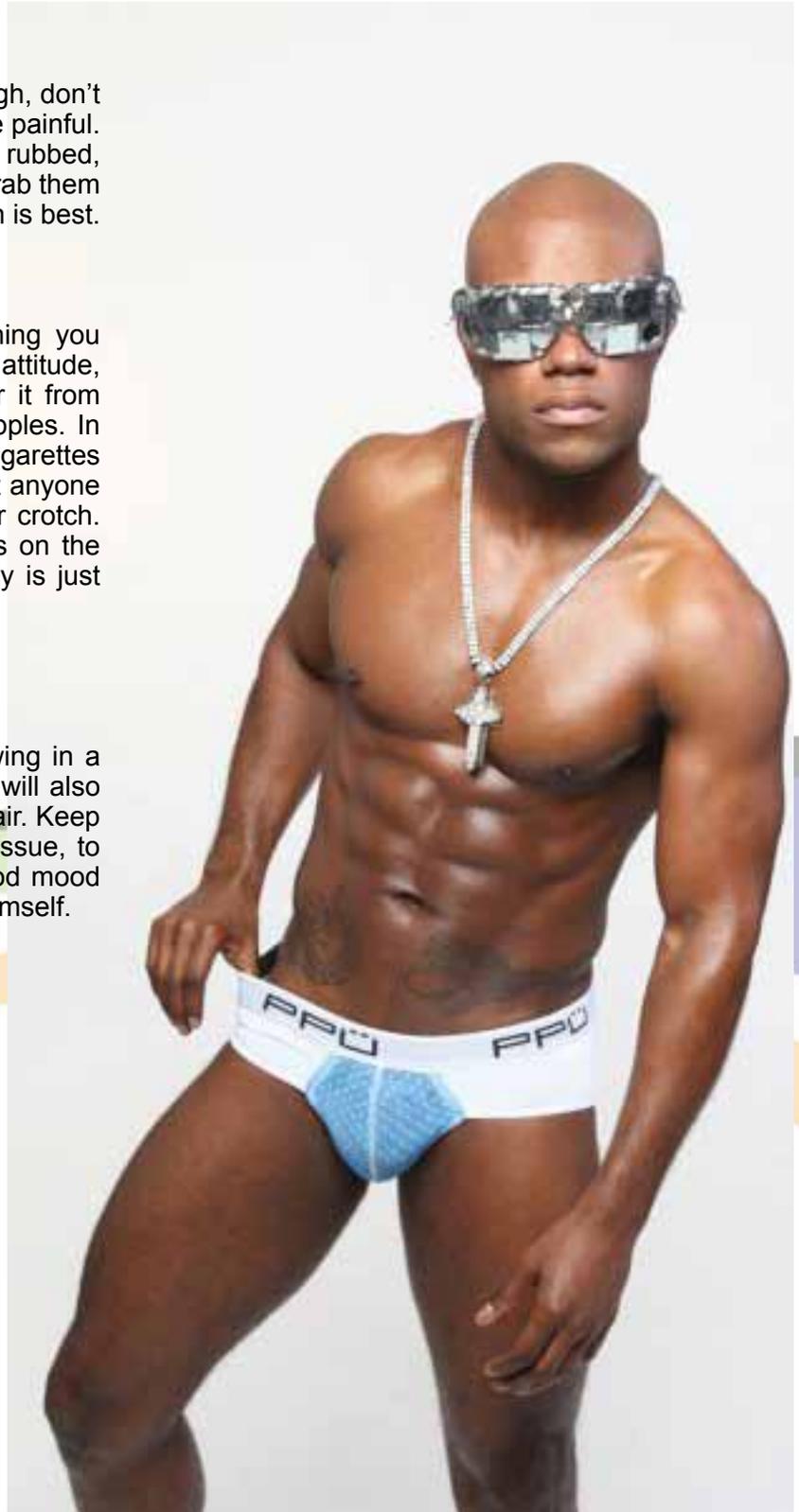
Unless he specifically says that he likes it rough, don't squeeze, pull, or twist his nutsack. This can be painful. Many guys like to have their balls massaged, rubbed, or gently tugged during a handjob. But don't grab them and knead them like a stress-ball. A light touch is best.

Smoking

Smoking during a handjob is the kind of thing you might expect from a cheap hooker with a bad attitude, but don't be surprised if you also encounter it from a party girl wasted on too many Slippery Nipples. In any case, we can't emphasize this enough: Cigarettes and handjobs do not mix. Guys, don't ever let anyone holding a burning object anywhere near your crotch. Smoldering ashes in the groin, scorch marks on the dick, blazing pubes - the potential for tragedy is just too great.

Not Cleaning Up After

A good handjob should leave your man glowing in a state of relaxed post-ejaculatory bliss. And it will also leave a mess, gobs of jism, lube, and pubic hair. Keep a hot, wet towel at the ready, or at least a tissue, to clean up afterwards. Nothing will ruin his good mood more than having to deal with the aftermath himself.





HIV Discrimination

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now he acts like I don't exist!"*

Doing and saying nothing makes **YOU**
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