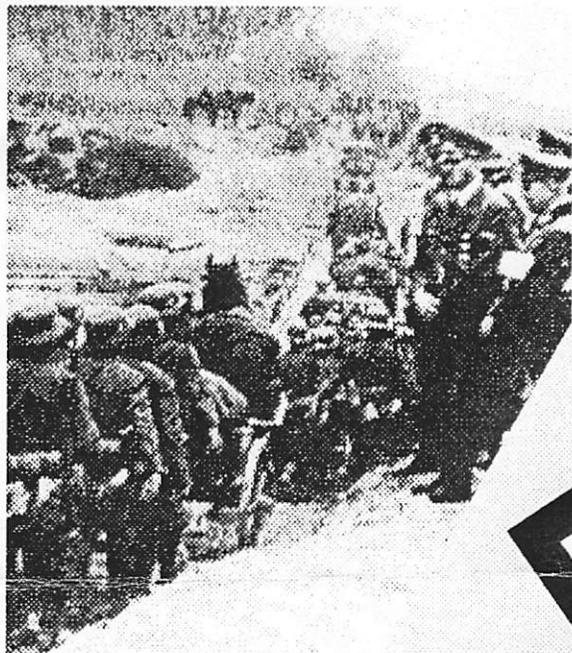


# AND NOW FOR THE PINK TRIANGLE

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Scientific superstitions die hard. Three years after the publication of our expose, KINSEY, SEX AND FRAUD (Reisman and Eichel, 1990) the press may be ready to bury the "10 percent gay" myth begun by Dr. Alfred Kinsey in 1948 (until the next federal study comes along to claim 30% or more). The newest Battelle sex survey confirms recent English and French findings that roughly 1% of men are "exclusively homosexual."

Of course, some people haven't heard the good news. In May, a popular newspaper comic strip insisted that 10% of our young people are gay while "Lesbian and Gay Veterans" unsuccessfully sought to protest Hitler's mythical mass extermination of homosexuals by placing 25,000 pink triangles on 10% of the graves in Arlington cemetery.

Besides, you kill one of these superstitions and another one springs up to take its place. Thus we read that Washington, D.C.'s Holocaust Museum has legitimized the false claims of gay rights leaders that the Nazis singled out homosexuals—like Jews—for massive persecution. This new story has grown like ragweed until it has become one of the great falsehoods of our time.

At least one historian, Steven Katz of Cornell (THE HOLOCAUST AND GENOCIDE

STUDIES), traced this tale of Nazi persecution of homosexuals to the play BENT (1979) where "the playwright has one of the two main protagonists survive by 'trading up' his pink badge worn by homosexuals for a yellow star of David." In May, Washington, D.C. homosexual Holocaust Museum historian, Klaus Muller chastised "some gay groups and researchers" for "inventing" massive numbers of Nazi homosexual victims and "misusing the Holocaust as merely a dramatic metaphor."

Other historians like Shirer (THE RISE AND FALL OF THE THIRD REICH) and Mello (HISTORY OF THE SS 1923-1945), document the pivotal role Nazi homosexuals played in the rise of Hitler and the defeat of the old conservative Prussian military. The German army, under the Versailles treaty, could have no more than 100,000 men. Hitler's "notorious" homosexual comrade, Ernst Roehm however, formed, selected and trained the Storm Troopers (aka "Brown Shirts"), a para-military goon force that spawned the SS, and which grew to at least 2.5 to 4.5 million men exhibiting a palpable undercurrent of homoeroticism, male supremacy, male body worship, and coarse brutality.

On this note, Shirer wrote that "[p]imps, murderers, homosexuals...[men of] unnatural sexual inclinations" flocked to Hitler. Homosexuals ran the Infantry School and the Storm Troopers while Rudolph Hess was known as "Fraulein Anna." Gay Roehm's Storm Trooper brutes put

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Hitler in power. Once in control of the German government, Hitler realized the second in command (Roehm) and his homosexual cadre would prove a formidable counterforce. Thus, in June of 1934, Hitler reluctantly arrested Roehm and his comrades in their lavish quarters—where the reports say, were found a bounty of homosexual paraphernalia, pornography, women's lingerie, and "two naked boys."

Kaximierz Moczarski, a Polish resistance fighter, confirmed pro-homosexual researchers who also admit that after Roehm's execution (delayed because of Hitler's affection for him), homosexuals "remained party members...got promotions...were protected by the top [Nazi] brass" and served on the battlefield and in prisons. Evidence exists that some male concentration camp inmates were forced to "entertain their guards with humiliating acts" while survivors like Elie Wiesel testified in NIGHT, "The officer[s] took an interest in...[boys] ten and twelve years old.... There was considerable traffic in children among homosexuals here."

Remember, these were Weimar's "Cabaret" days. Germany was "decadence haven." Drugs, gay "bath houses," homosexual and "straight" pornography desensitized jaded Berliners, while homosexual, bisexual and transvestite nightclubs regularly served up naked sex acts sprinkled with sadism (S&M) and a whole panorama of debauched entertainments. Homosexual writers and researchers generally concede that during the 1920s homosexuals flocked to Berlin—known as the most hospitable city for homo- and bisexuals worldwide. Dr. Magnus Hirschfeld (the exiled homosexual and originator of the first "sex science" institute, precursor to the Kinsey Institute) cited 20,000 Berlin boy prostitutes servicing this multi-national homosexual population while Heinrich Himmler claimed 2 million homosexuals were registered in gay organizations in 1933. Of these, 6,000 died in concentration camps. The record shows these men were largely political enemies—Marxists, Roehmists and the like.

The data do not sustain claims of homosexual martyrdom. On the contrary, in June 1935, two years after Hitler's victory, the term "Unnatural" was purged from the definition of homosexuality in the German Criminal Code. Katz reports that without Himmler's express permission—even if police repeatedly apprehended homosexual actors and artists engaged in sodomy—they were not to be arrested. Again in 1940 Himmler reiterated that only homosexual "multiple offenders" could be jailed, while a pledge of abstinence could result in their freedom. No laws penalized non-practicing homosexuals. No "gay ghettos" were plundered and wiped from the face of the earth, their populations hauled off to be gassed—while 6 million Jews lost their "civic rights," jobs, education, and lives.

While tens of thousands of homosexuals were Nazis—both pre- and post Roehm—eighty-five percent of European Jewry, 23.5% of Gypsies, 10% of the Poles, 12% of the Ukrainians, 13% of Byelorussians, and thousands of "Righteous Gentiles" and their families were tortured and gassed. It is unconscionable for radical homosexuals to wrest "Nazi victim status" from the bones of millions of exterminated Jewish men, women and children. History—a true guide to the future—cannot be fictionalized to suit the interests of a modern "superman" class.

In the latest affront on the memory of the Holocaust dead, the May 4, 1993, homosexual news magazine, THE ADVOCATE, announced a chic new gay product line. The magazine jovially cites "personalized [pink] checks, emblazoned with an in-your-face pink triangle—in effect, gay currency." It appears that another "10%" superstition is to walk the land. However, for the Holocaust to be misused as

Klaus Muller said, as a "dramatic metaphor," to serve as "gay currency" suggests to some that a homosexual sub-culture is striving to recreate America in its own image—and that includes digging up Holocaust currency from the shallow graves of Nazi victims.

## ABSTRACT

While much of the motivation for the speedy publication of A CONTENT ANALYSIS OF PERSONAL CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS SOLICITING FOR SEX PARTNERS FROM 1972-1993 in THE ADVOCATE ("The National Gay and Lesbian news magazine") was triggered by the military debate on homosexual exclusion, these ADVOCATE data should be part of the nationwide decision making process regarding homosexual rights for judges and lawyers, the clergy, law enforcement, school officials, educators and parents, and the policy in general.

Recently, homosexual leaders have urged that Americans redraft our laws and public policies to honor homosexual values and conduct. However, neither sex survey nor self-report data have produced the hard (replicable, verifiable) behavioral science measures of what are homosexual values. These study data represent a 21 year random sample (n = 64 [estimated 500,000 universe] July 1972 to May 1993) of sex advertisements in THE ADVOCATE, the oldest, most costly establishment homosexual (biweekly) national publication. Six key homosexual courting & mating behavior variables emerged from this study, which, for heuristic interest were compared to similar "In Search Of" ads in the costly, upscale, WASHINGTONIAN magazine (n = 1 [413 universe; 255 males, 158 females] April 1993).

Due to changes in the socio-sexual process of partner selection, singles frequently turn to "In Search Of" (ISO) ads in respectable magazines which are read by their special group. THE ADVOCATE reflects mainstream—not fringe—political and social "gayness," and its consumers reflect its leadership—degreed, well-off, politically active leaders. One such leader, Randy Shilts (AND THE BAND PLAYED ON), called THE ADVOCATE "the only national gay news magazine." As the model for the national homosexual community, THE ADVOCATE ISO data open a window into the homosexual heart and mind. Objectively analyzing these singles ads reveals an accepted "lifestyle" (confirmed both by pro-homosexual research and literature and by "ex-gay" evidence) fitting to homosexuals, that would become law and public policy for mainstream American men, women and children.

### SIX KEY "In-SEARCH-OF" (ISO) ADVOCATE MATING ADS (1972-1993)

Percent of -500,000, Rank-Ordered by Rate of Occurrence

1. ISO Straight looking ("masculine") men/teens.....99% ('72-93)
2. ISO Casual, AIDS-efficient sex.....97% ('93).....99% ('72-92)
3. ISO Prostitution Services.....77% ('93).....58% ('72-92)
4. ISO Body parts sex/phallus .....65% ('93).....32% ('72-92)
5. ISO Teen-adult sex.....31% ('93).....20% ('72-92)
6. ISO Sadism/humiliation .....14% ('93).....20% ('72-92)

Frank Browning (THE CULTURE OF DESIRE) said, "Only...THE ADVOCATE, has built any substantial national circulation....[and] established itself as a serious magazine." With due respect for the relevance of this news magazine to homosexual life these findings on THE ADVOCATE should be entered into the wider debate on homosexuality and "straight" America.

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