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SPRING FEVER

SWPF early 50s, 5'4", HWP, cute, fit, positive attitude, great sense of humor. ISO reliable, tolerant, liberal, affectionate, monogamous guy for romance, walks, conversation, music, movies, the coast. NS. # 2467

BEAUTIFUL BRUNETTE

Athletic, occasionally silly, eco-minded, biodegradable. ISO SM 35-45 fit in body and mind, open, well read, interested in Buddhism, camping, hiking, walks on the beach. Looking for a good fit, imperfections gladly accepted. # 2417

MAKE HOUSE A HOME

Generous sized lady would like to be your live in homemaker, cook, walking partner, sweetie, hopefully long term. I'm 50 something, loving, responsible, trustworthy, cute, fun. Will be there for you. # 2409

MY NEST EGG

Short, voluptuous DWF, 42, seeks WM 40+, NS, ND. Added benefits for professional salesman to help sell my web skills to build nest egg to retire on. # 2346

MOUNTAIN DREAMS

Petite professional SWF 43. Looking to share the outdoors, organic food, spirituality, energy work, romance, fine food, open healthy communication, and slow dancing. Must be kind, caring, compassionate, a gentle soul. Namaste. # 2401

TASTEFULLY TWISTED

SWF, 25, seeking SM 25-35 who enjoys nature, movies, reading, music, walks. I'm honest, open, kind, tastefully twisted. You be too. Seeking friendship, companionship, more? NA, ND, NS, not boring. # 2382

LADY WITH CHUTZPAH

I'm poetic, empathetic and energetic; petite, neat and complete; Asking fate for a date that leads to my soulmate. # 2355

CUTE MOMMY

My mom is in search of a 26-35 yo man who likes family outings, kids, and animals. Must be respectful, polite, NS, ND, and likes to have fun with me. # 2347

CREATIVITY DRIVEN

DFC, spunky, romance/clumsy, dedicated musician, seeks artistic musemate/lover, 47-55 yo., we are gifted, observant, giving, sturdy, sentimental, determined, communicative, wiley, and endlessly kissable. No abusers or pretenders. # 2344

NEWLY SINGLE

I'm newly single. Blonde, Blue eyed, and sexy. Let's get together. # 2312

PRETTY HONEST

Fun, pretty and honest to a fault. Early 20s, just too lazy to actively search for someone. Shy guys may get flustered by my flamboyance. # 2266

TALL

Pretty SWF, 6'2", 22 yo OSU student seeks tall and handsome SWM, 21-30. Corvallis. For fun and laughs. NS/ND. Coffee? # 2263

GYPSY DANCER

Relatively conservative, NS, Christian, semi-veggie ISO LTR. Under 40 ok, over 40 better. Have no credit card to answer ads, so answer mine! Smart, faithful, honest, employed only. # 2260

VOLUPTUOUSLY FIT

Girly seeks Burly. Need one snowboard, ski, hiking partner. Rugged woody type, attentive and conscious. Loves the outdoors and maybe me? NS, 33. Hopefully you're 30ish or maybe 40 something. # 2256

ARE YOU THE ONE?

SWF, 22, honest, caring, hard worker, good sense of humor. ISO SM, 22-27. Friends first, possible LTR. No drugs. # 2255

FREEHEELERS UNITE

I'm organizing an email listserve, similar to VNC, so fellow telemark skiers can collaborate to ski the backcountry together! Call with your name, email, phone number please. # 2308

OVER HERE!

SWF 44 seeks a steady beau to share moonlight dances and across the room glances, Saturday Market, the Bijou, hiking, sleeping late on Sunday and laughing out loud! # 2254



COMPANIONSHIP

You are mature, bright, active, loyal. LTR? I am 6', 200 lbs. Above all, love the Oregon coast, interesting, don't mind coming inland. Let's talk. Florence. # 2472

WM 43, 5'10"

brown hair, blue eyes, hardworking, outdoorsy, weightlifter, seeks dinner, movie date with very busy, affectionate female, age and race unimportant. # 2458

2 SMASHING FRIENDS

With time to please. Don't worry we already quit our day jobs. Both brown hair, dark skin, 5'7" and 5'10". We are loyal, with own style. We need the sweetest sugar mama. Join our fun. It's like nothing to us, smashing in the sun. # 2418

ONE LOVE WANTED

I was just looking for a girl to love. SWM 41, 5'11", 180, blonde, brown, farm boy. Just looking to find a love one. # 2415

WEEK DAY FRIEND

For wildflower walks, sensual massage, tantric exploring, supportive cuddling. Let's be attractive, fit, spiritually inclined, open heart, open mind. LTR preferred, S. Eugene a +. Daytime only. Letter and photo, will get same in reply. Write Blind Box: "Namaste." # 2408

SOMEONE TO CHILL

Cute talented 25 year old looking for a girl to help take advantage of a lazy weekends. # 2408

HIR MELLOW, BORED

SWM early 20s. I like sitting around, Anticon, PBR, Portishead, the Bijou. Bored, educated indie boy seeking cute indiegirl to get me out of the apartment for shows, drinks, indielove. # 2407

DARE TO CALL

Tall SBM seeks SWF, 40-60, who likes movies, picnics, dancing, HWP. If we were to get together, I would treat you the same way I treat my mom and two sisters, loving and caring. # 2403

SHARE TIME

Love to share some time, music, dance and joy from time to time with someone who loves creativity. Mid 50s, very fit, conscious, clean. Good listener, communicator, conversationalist. You be too. # 2381

CATCH OF THE WEEK:

ATTN SOCCER MOMS

Searching for soccer moms 35-50, HWP, who are attracted to younger men. Large soccer balls preferred. Sense of humor and drive mandatory. Discreet and sane, expect same. # 2265

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FRIENDS FIRST

Mature man seeking country type woman, likes long walks, beach walking, mountain hikes, intelligent, outspoken, attractive, sensitive, humorous, SWM, no mind games ND, NS, ISO woman 38-51 yo. # 2401

CASTLE AND CARRIAGE

Semi retirement would be better with you. DWM. Time, stability and a huge heart. ISO significant other for fun, frolic, feelings and friendship. NS. Love laughing, 61, HWP. # 2296

HIPPIE HEART

surviving in yuppie world. Hardworking 50-ish, music bohemian, financially stable, tall, pleasant looking, silver streaked guitar man. Seeks humorous, pagan working girl. HWP, into music, films, dance, travel. # 2295

CURABLE ROMANTIC

DWM, 50 YO, tall, dark, and handsome, financially and emotionally secure, with no addictions, very charismatic, optimistic, and easy going. ISO woman who enjoys good cooking, dancing, and traveling, friend, and good lover. # 2290

LET'S HAVE FUN!

I'm 54, fit and attractive with time and money to travel and enjoy life. Looking for a lover and social partner who has money, time, and freedom to do the same. Monogamy a must, however, I'm not interested in financial or domestic consolidations. # 2289

HOT LOVER

Hot, sophisticated lover, radical humanitarian. Seeks hot female. We're honest, healthy, stable, fun! Uninhibited, vegetarian, herb friendly, eclectic adventurers. Motivated by loving communication (the best lubrication), massage, music, nature, smiling. # 2288

ARE YOU SUPERFINE?

Bright, cute, curvy, voluminous, 35-53, any height, weight. Open, searching, well read, bored with day to day. Likes walks, talks, video, cooking, attention? Me: hardbodied, equivalent, and extra superfine. # 2287

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Searching for soccer moms 35-50, HWP, who are attracted to younger men. Large soccer balls preferred. Sense of humor and drive mandatory. Discreet and sane, expect same. # 2265

SMILES

Handsome SWM, 36, 6' 3". Athletic, student, employed, brown hair, blue eyes, fun, energetic, optimistic and smiles. Wanting a woman who is beautiful inside, wanting adventure and fun in her life. # 2264

TRAVELING, NEW

experiences. Dancing, attractive, cheerful, independent, happy SWM, 53 yo. Passion for fitness, travel, pillow talk, arts, exploring life, outdoor adventures. ISO SWF, 40-50, NS, happy, sincere, spiritual, sassy. LTR? # 2257

SEEK GIRL SCOUT

With archery badge and great aim. Honest, determined alpha male blonde with brains seeks fire starter. Into smoke, drugs, losers, shopping, power, idiots with attitudes. Hike on! # 2252

SUBMISSIVE WOMAN

Not seeking cook or maid. Me: attractive SWM, 6', nicely built, nonbalding dark hair, financially independent, health conscious, nonsmoker, experienced, safe, gentle, creative, good conversationalist. You: single, unattached, feminine, sensuous, healthy, childless. Write "Resident" POB 25160, Portland 97298. Phone number needed.

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BY ROB BREZSNY

ARIES

(March 21-April 19): For too long, grace has eluded you; you have had to fight your way through life. But now your luck is about to turn; your soul will get the refreshment it needs. To celebrate, imagine you're the one speaking in this poem by Theodore Roethke: "Near the rose, in this grove of sun-parched, wind-warped madrones/ Among the half-dead trees, I came upon the true ease of myself,/ As if another person appeared out of the depths of my being,/ And I stood outside myself,/ Beyond becoming and perishing,/ A something wholly other,/ As if I swayed out on the wildest wave alive,/ And yet was still,/ And I rejoiced in being what I was."

TAURUS

(April 20-May 20): In the first Matrix movie, the central character, Thomas "Neo" Anderson, gradually begins to suspect that his entire understanding of reality is a delusion. At a key moment, a mysterious ally named Morpheus offers him a choice between two pills. If Neo takes the red pill, Morpheus tells him, he will be able to see the truth he has been blind to. If he swallows the blue pill, he will sink comfortably back into the lie he has been living. I see the coming weeks as a comparable turning point for you, Taurus. Which will it be, the red pill or the blue pill?

GEMINI

(May 21-June 20): I'll tell you a little cosmic secret, Gemini. One of the best ways to stay on top — which is where you are now, right? — is to keep paying homage to the bottom. So as you harvest your good fortune in the coming weeks, I suggest you express your gratitude for the painful experiences that have taught you how to thrive. While basking in the glow of people's praise and attention, recall the parts of you that are still unripe. When you come home after a day of radiant success, take out the garbage.

CANCER

(June 21-July 22): Last century, Walt Disney coined a word for the inventive engineers who designed the rides and attractions for Disneyland: *imagineers*. In anticipation of the creativity I expect will flow through you this week, Cancerian, I'm going to describe you, too, as an *imagineer*. It's not that I expect you to literally invent a radical new variation on a roller coaster or anything. But there's a good chance you'll come up with brilliant innovations in the way you have fun.

LEO

(July 23-Aug. 22): What's the best way to get yourself in sync with the plans that the Goddess has for you? Follow poet Robert Bly's admonition to "poke holes in your habits." Here are a few suggestions to get you started. Strike up a conversation with a person you'd normally ignore. Write with your non-dominant hand. Try a food you've never tasted. Sprinkle seldom-used words like "sublime," "curiosity" and "reverence" into your conversation. Walk backwards now and then. Slap a crafty grin on your face and wish for something impossible.

VIRGO

(Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Don't sit there passively, Virgo, hoping that fate will be nice to you. Be aggressive about cultivating good fortune. Drum up and track down the lucky breaks you need. To get you in the mood, I've infused the rest of this horoscope with subliminal suggestions that are scientifically formulated to make you a magnet for favors and synchronicities. (Combustion luster verve blaze.) They will set in motion shifts in your inner chemistry that will help other people see how beautiful you are. (Luminous flourish lucid mojo.) Soon you'll be tuning in to evidence that life is actually conspiring for you to succeed. (Lightning splendor wake-up fuel.)

LIBRA

(Sept. 23-Oct. 22): I'm always on the lookout for *real* heroes. Not the celebrities, athletes, and other fake heroes endlessly hyped by the mainstream media, but brave innovators who show courageous flair in standing up for what's right. The good news is that I recently located an actual hero, and he's a Libra. It's Gavin Newsom, mayor of San Francisco, a Rosa Parks-like figure in the crusade to extend a full array of civil liberties to gays. In his calm fight for fairness, in his skillful use of logic to deal with emotionally charged issues, and in his artful approach to breaking an absurd taboo against joy and passion, he has embodied the highest expression of your sign's potentials. I recommend that you imitate his approach in your own sphere during the coming weeks.

SCORPIO

(Oct. 23-Nov. 21): In his book, *America As Empire: Global Leader or Rogue Power?*, Jim Garrison says America has changed from being a republic to an imperial empire. If you're liberal, you hate this development, and if you're conservative, you like it; but in any case, the deed is done. The genie won't go back into the bottle. The question now is, how will America wield its global power? Will it be a bully using brute force to serve its narrow economic aims? Or will it be a gracious sovereign, leading a movement to bring democracy and freedom to every corner of the globe? In my view, Scorpio, you're facing a small-scale version of this dilemma in your personal sphere. How will you handle the weighty responsibilities that accompany your increasing clout? Will you mostly indulge your selfish interests, or will you work for the good of all?

SAGITTARIUS

(Nov. 22-Dec. 21): It took six years for Mark Salzman to write his novel, *Lying Awake*. When it was done, he told the "New Yorker" about the tortures he'd put himself through as he fought against writer's block. During one stretch, he shut out distracting sounds by wrapping a towel around his head. To discourage his cats from crawling on his lap as he wrote, he covered his lower body with aluminum foil. But nothing worked until he fled to a quiet cabin in the woods. "It was like waking from a bad dream," he said, "the removal of all the reminders of art as a profession, as a way of making money or gaining a reputation. The book wrote itself in five weeks." I suspect that after enduring a period akin to Salzman's arduous warm-up, Sagittarius, you're about to have a cathartic five-week breakthrough of your own.

CAPRICORN

(Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Your imminent future reminds me of the archaeologists in Scotland who celebrated when they thought they found the remains of a ninth-century Viking village. Upon further review, however, they realized it was actually the site of a suburban patio from the 1940s. Like them, Capricorn, you will probably be disappointed in your initial forays into the mysterious depths; what you unearth will rouse hopes that are quickly dashed. Unlike the archaeologists, though, you will eventually locate treasure lying *beneath* the discredited discovery — if you keep digging, that is.

AQUARIUS

(Jan. 20-Feb. 18): "Be born into the right family. Choose your chromosomes wisely." So begins a list in which Aquarian heiress Paris Hilton details her secrets of success. "Develop a way of entering a room that looks almost royal — but NOT snobby," she continues. "Never have only one cell phone when you can have many. Eat only the worst junk food or the most fabulous food there is, but nothing in between. Only sleep in Egyptian cotton sheets with a 400 to 600 thread count." I offer you these definitions, Aquarius, in the hope that they'll inspire you to compose your own list. It's an ideal time for you to get very specific about how you plan to achieve happiness and fulfillment.

PISCES

(Feb. 19-March 20): It's check-in time, Pisces. What progress have you been making in your work on this year's major assignment? As I suggested last December, 2004 will be prime time for learning much, much more about the arts of intimacy. So have you been shedding bad habits and unripe attitudes that in the past interfered with your ability to get the closeness you want? Have you sought teaching from experts who are wise about relationships? Have you vowed to seek unions only with emotionally intelligent people who take responsibility for their own darkness?

Homework: If you became ruler of the world, what three decrees would you issue immediately to begin the mass healing? Write: www.freewillastrology.com

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COOL PEOPLE

Looking for some cool people, 40-55, who like to come to the coast to play. I'm into most sports, taking my dog on hikes, swimming, kayaking, tennis. I'm a fun introvert. # 2466

NO COMMITMENTS

Knock, knock. Who wants to have fun? The weather is breaking, time to enjoy. No commitments, just someone to hang out with. # 2464

GOT PERSPECTIVE?

20 yo fem student loves running, dance, art. Looking for a 20-30 yo lady with a beautiful perspective on life to enjoy the beautiful sunshine with. No expectations. # 2421

EQUAL BALANCE

Nice to be with friends and I enjoy a great date, but I'm still looking for the one who rocks my world. ISO secure, playful, peaceful, outdoorsy type. Leave message. # 2411

ISO A FRIEND

39 yo MWF ISO single female to develop an open minded friendship. # 2369

DREAMER HERE

Just looking for a fun, outgoing chick. 21 yo Mexican hottie, 5'7", 140 lbs. in the City of Springfield. Love my black F-Bird! # 2298

SASSY CHICK

Witty, outgoing, intelligent 21 yo looking for motivated, but chill, funny extrovert 21-29 for PBRs, cigs, music and clever conversation. No drama dramas. # 2286

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JUST FOR FUN

Looking for guy who want to have a good time with. You must be clean and let play it safe. Bi, gay, married, and straight. # 2471

PARTY AND PLAY

GWC seeks other men for similar interests. Albany. # 2463

CASUAL OR DATING

GWM, 27 yo, HWP, very attractive, seeking same 18-30 yo, masculine men preferred for casual or dating. # 2374

WANT MORE

SWM, 30 ISO same, who has a life and friends, but wants more. # 2348

SHY ADVENTURE

Looking for fun no strings or headgames. I'm WM, 37 young. Open minded, try anything once, creative and lots more. # 2293

GREAT DIVERSITY

GWM, 5'11", 150 lbs, attractive, 55 yo with younger appearance, attitude. ISO younger man, HWP for friendship with possible LTR. Diversity is great! Prefer Asian, but any race is OK. # 2291

SLENDER MIDDLE AGE

Young guy, 5'10", 139 lbs., easy, positive, long, and herb friendly. Medford, Grants Pass area, or Eugene once a month. # 2284

I'M CURIOUS?

I am 18, seeking 18-21 yo for first time fun. Clean a must. # 2268

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