



Olympus Bar

TUESDAY: Happy Hour All Day
WEDNESDAY: Karaoke
THURSDAY: Service Industry Night
FRIDAY: Drink Specials
SATURDAY: Drag Shows & Special Events
SUNDAY: Weekend Recovery

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The Ladies of Olympus

Every Saturday Night

Showtime

11:30pm

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Talent Night

The Last Saturday in January
Winner \$50 Cash Prize
& Guaranteed Booking

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 Hours: Tuesday-Sunday 6pm-3am



Olympus Staff



Angelina, Henry, Felix & friend



DJ Santa

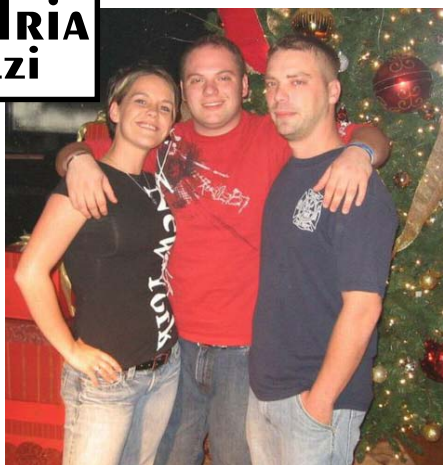


Brian & Dustin

ALEXANDRIA
PAPARAZZI



Jason, Mika & Lucinda



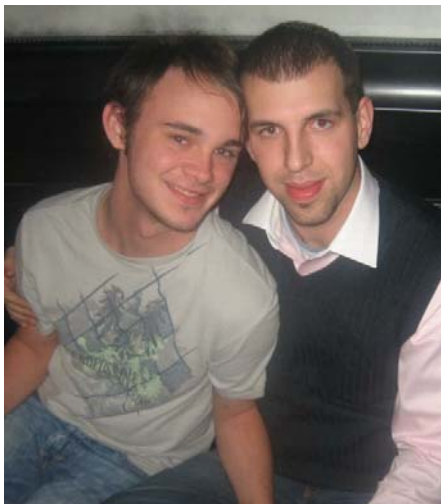
Renee, Mika & DJ Guinea



The Christmas Queens & Company



Dan & Eric



Austin & Brett



Marsheya - always on time!!!!

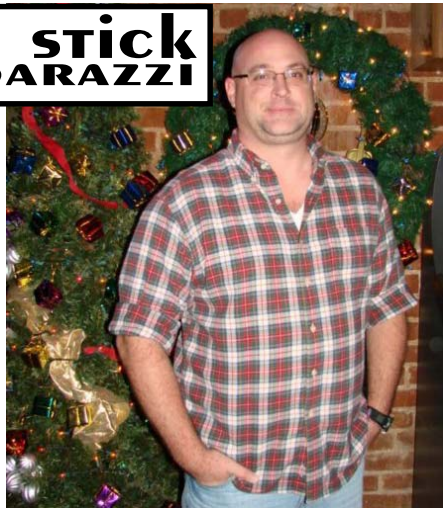
OVER THE HOLIDAYS @ Olympus ~ ALEXANDRIA, LOUISIANA



Henry & Jeremy



Paula & Jeannie @ Hound Dogs



Jeb @ Hound Dogs



Andy performing @ turnabout



Sexy Christmas karaoke



Chansley & Richard



Turnabout beauties Philip & Jeremy



Michael & a gorgeous Luther



Luther, Chansley & Jared



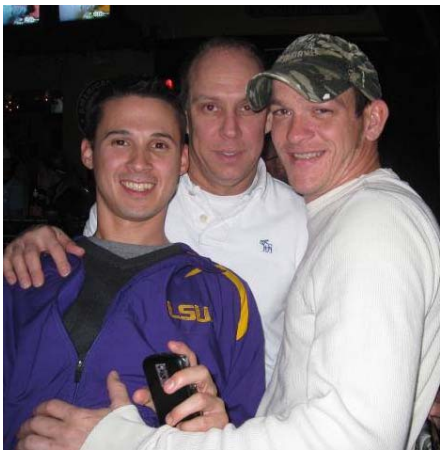
Having fun @ George's



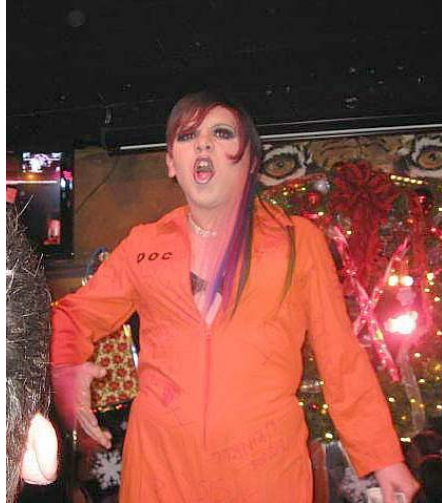
Could this be Jared?



The real Philip, Luther & Jeremy



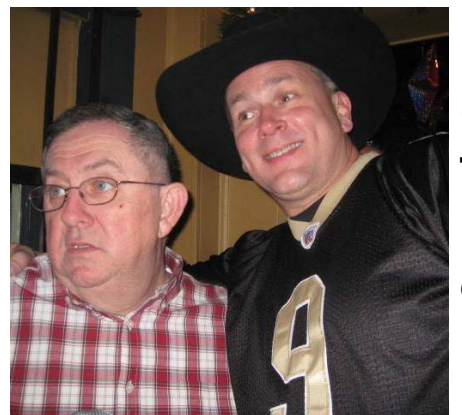
Little Corey, Big Cory & a friend



Philip turns up the heat



Dolly (Michael) with Santa



Richard & Dwayne



Andy, Ken & Philip



Cody corners a cute stud



Jeremy as Lady Gaga



Three studs out on the town

OUT ON THE TOWN ~ BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA ~ PHOTOS BY BRAD BENEDICT

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Business Hours:
Mon - Fri 3pm-2am
Sat 5pm-2am

Happy Hour:
Mon - Fri 3pm-7pm
Sat 5pm-7pm
\$2.50 Well Drinks & Domestic Beer

Upcoming Events:
Sat Jan 9th
Krewe of Divas 11 pm

Every Monday
\$2.00 Test Tube Shots!

"Hump Day Happy Hour"
Hot Male Dancer!
Every Wednesday 5pm-9pm

Karaoke every Tues, Wed,& Thurs
Hosted by Cody King
10pm-2am

"Drinking With The Divas"
Every Tuesday Happy Hour
6pm-9pm Free Food!

Male Dancers Every Friday Night!
9pm-2am



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lives and plans, I can say with complete accuracy that I was in the presence of a very sincere, grateful, and wonderful young man. Even though he hasn't achieved the goals he would like, he still has the determination to achieve, and achievements in life are very important. This means that he is ready to meet the challenges of life and experience new things alone or with his companion Henry (who I feel as if I know but have never met). Certainly the fact that he has such a positive attitude about life will carry him forward toward his quests for future pleasures and goals.

Jeremy is really a wonderful human being, and I look forward to more time with him - more sharing of good thoughts, plans, maybe dinners, or just great conversations. He is a fine, considerate, and loving young man, and I thoroughly enjoyed my time with him. He is truly a rare gem of outstanding and magnificent manhood. Diamonds are forever, and I think that this can be said of him. He is just that - really, really superb.

Nooner Tuesday

Some of us were unable to be with Sam at his annual viewing of his Christmas trees. I lost count, but he adds to his collection each year. Of course, my favorite was the blue one, but that's nothing new since I'm a collector of cobalt blue items. This second party saw a gathering of J. Stallings, Jules, Patrick, Sam, and me enjoying a nice brunch, viewing the decorations, and talking about things past and present.

It is always a wonderful feeling to be among friends and enjoying times together, and it was very thoughtful of Sam to do this twice so that we could be included in the magic of the season. Our conversation didn't get too far from the food table so you know we all went away happy.

In fact, I invaded Sam's garden afterwards to collect peppers for next year's seeds to use in my own garden. I was especially interested in all those Peter Peppers, so colorful, so perfect, and certainly having the proper name. It looked as if his garden was filled with nice, beautiful, cut peckers. What a treat on such a cool but beautiful winter day!

Stallings and Jules were both looking great. I hadn't seen them for over a year. When Hibiscus Bookstore was around, the meetings with them and so many others were frequent in nature. Jules says that he and Todd are doing great and looking forward to some time on the coast and even a vacation over near Atlanta. Stallings was more open and friendly than I've ever seen him. It was as if he had taken a happy pill before coming over. It was great seeing him so cheerful. Patrick used to manage Hibiscus Bookstore, so it was espe-

cially nice to see him again. He had just returned from some quality time spent in Alexandria, and he is actually the designer/decorator of all those beautiful trees. He volunteered to decorate them, and Sam told him to "have at it." They turned out

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And after a long vacation they still remembered us @ Sound Factory



Cartier showin' some love @ Sound Factory



Justin & Sam showin' off their whites @ Jules Downtown



Aren't they just adorable @ Jules Downtown



Boys, boys, boys, having a grand time on Backside



Macky having fun with the Christmas hat that dances...lol @ Sound Factory



Steven bein' the center of attention @ Jules Downtown



Havin' a few drinks & just a good time is what it's all about @ Jules Downtown



Aren't they just havin' a blast @ Sound Factory



Mark showin' these lovely gals Sound Factory



And again with Ms. Collins at her side @ Jules Downtown



Steven & Jimmy being themselves with or without the camera in sight @ Jules Downtown



Party in groups is the only way to party @ Sound Factory



Todd havin' some hair issues @ Sound Factory



They just felt like tellin' you guys hey @ Jules Downtown



Well Joey, what do you have to say for yourself now... @ Jules Downtown



Ms. Gaspard, always up in the mix @ Sound Factory



The lovely, the talented, Ms. ShaKira @ Sound Factory

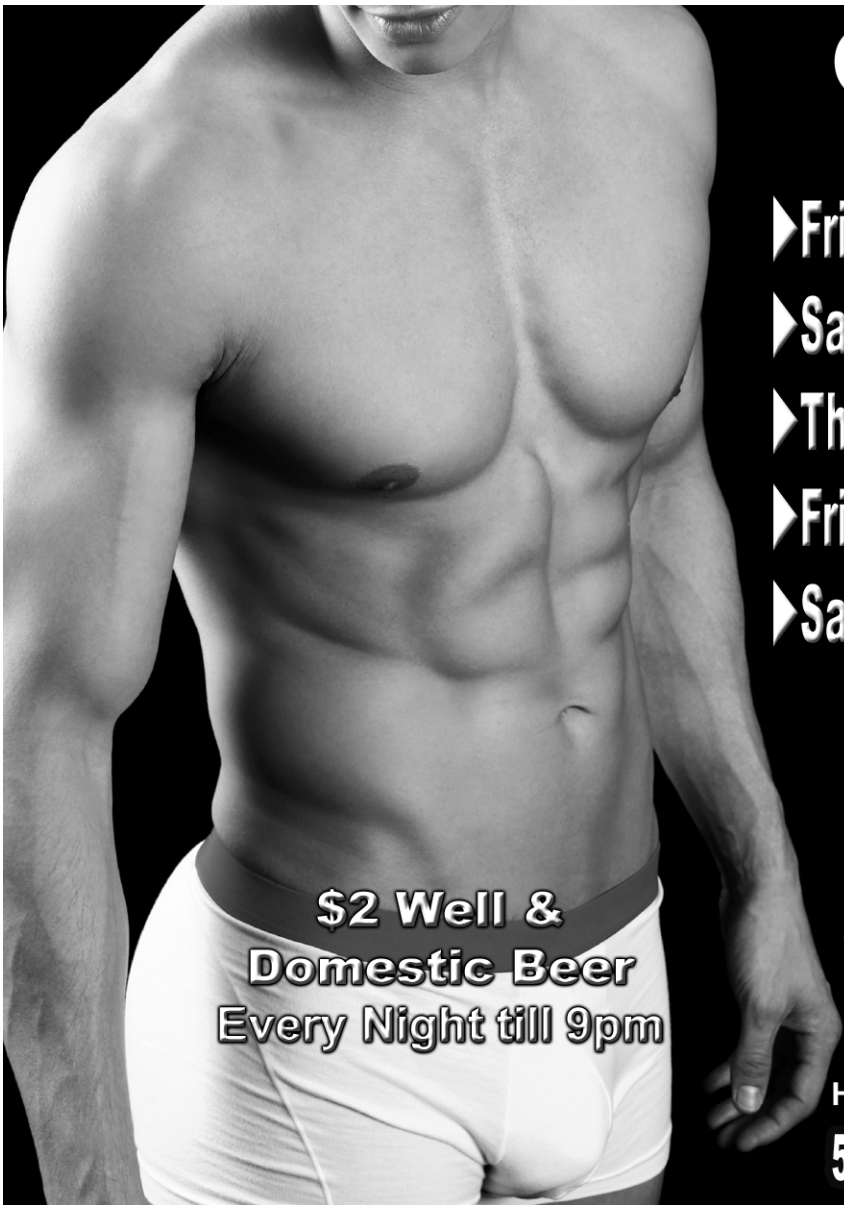


Spreadin' some Christmas joy throughout the South @ Jules Downtown



Bryan & his peeps just chillin' @ Jules Downtown

Holiday Cheer in Acadiana ~ Lafayette, Louisiana ~ Photos by Chris Perkins



Get your Jules on!!!

- Fri., Jan. 8 Drag Show with Valerie Sugarbaker
- Sat., Jan. 9 Post Holiday Depression Party
- Thurs., Jan. 14th Savana Lee Drag-One Night Only
- Fri., Jan. 15th Drink & Drown special on Well Drinks
- Sat., Jan. 23rd STUDIO 54 PARTY with DJ Tim Pflueger

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So now we embark on a new year, and what does that mean to us exactly? Is it just another year that we have and will live our lives as we have been day after day, or does it mean that with the dawn of a new coming, we now have a chance to begin fresh, change the way that we did things previously, learn from the mistakes that we have made over the course of 2009. Some of us, however, will never do that. For some, day after day is the same, and according to them, they are always right. Sorry to those of you with your heads stuck so far up your you know what that you fail to see the other side of life, for it is the other side of life that the answers to your ridiculous questions lie.

Yes, sadly enough, no matter what you tell people, nor the opinions, advice you may give, some just listen through one and let it go out of the other. It is people that have their mind set that they know everything, and that everybody is out to steal from them, or lie to them that never get to fully enjoy the meaning of life and what it feels like to just be. They are never happy with the way anything turns out in life and are always scared of rejection, so they never do what they want to do, they just let other people tell them what they need to

do. Some are so blind and ignorant that they quickly fail to see what is right under their nose, and will instantly pass judgement. Well for those reading this that may feel this has to do with you, you are probably correct, but now we start a new year, now we start new ways, so get off your butt and change your life and the way you live it, no matter who you are, we ALL need to change something about us. Only one person can answer that, so get with it, don't let another year pass you by and still be where you are in another year. How pathetic it is if you are!

We also need to open up and let people into our lives. There is too much hatred in the world around us, and against us to be hating our own people just because you think one thing and feel less important because they are around. People are dying in the world from starvation, war just to name a couple, and here you are, trying to be something that you probably are not. Is it because of jealousy, that is so childish if it is and in that case we need to grow up and act our age, not our shoe size. We have all gone through life's difficult moments and learned from it, so we should all be able to act like adults and on an adult level.

Here is to a great new start this new

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beautifully – all of them, almost a dozen, I'm sure. There were several sizes and located in two rooms of Sam's home. It was such a pleasure to see them and my friends in such a colorful setting.

Sam and I took a quick trip up to North Louisiana last week to check on my property there and to carry more books I'm donating to my research library in DeSoto Parish. Of course, it was time to decorate the old family cemetery with new flowers for the winter, and a stop at my cousin's home showed how she did some outstanding decorating for the holiday. Her home was beautiful – inside and out, and this is just one of her projects for decorating during the year. Her home and gardens are colorful at Easter and Halloween too. I don't know how she manages to do all this, but it is truly a beautiful sight - over 15 acres of a park-like design surrounding the country home. I even treated Sam to a ride down the State Line Road - in the middle for a time, so that means I was in Louisiana while he was in Texas. It was something fun to experience.

Another beautiful sight along the way was the brightly decorated water displays between Port Barre and Krotz Springs. All

year, to doing what I need to do and not just saying this is what I need to do. Getting rid of the people and things in my life that stop me from accomplishing my goals and realizing who my true friends are, and saying f**k the rest!

See you all downtown at either Sound Factory or Jules Downtown!! Be safe and until next time...

the homes and the docks came alive with magnificent colors that caused such wonderful reflections in the waterways. Overall, I think people everywhere decorated more this year than ever before. It was as if this was needed to bring about more cheer in such difficult times. Whatever the case may be, it was certainly nice to see and to experience.

Ball Time Again

It is Mardi Gras time again! My goodness! The time just flies by. With 12th Night, king cakes, and the excitement that has been generated around the New Orleans Saints, it is a period of celebration once more, even more so this year. I can't think of a better way to start off 2010.

Whatever you do, just make sure it is something you enjoy and can appreciate forever. Last year, I tried to do more parades and parties, and I skipped all the bal masques, but I think a mixture is the best way to go. That means breaking out the tux to see if it still fits, planning for some parties and party gifts, and noting all this on a calendar so every day can be enjoyed to the max with no conflicts of duplicate schedules.

Congratulations go out now to all those kings, queens, and ball participants for all the expense and hard work that is going into the balls this season. Having been there myself on many occasions, I can certainly appreciate all the planning that goes into presenting such wonderful bal masques.

And I look forward to another great year of "hot tails" and beautiful friendships. Cheers!