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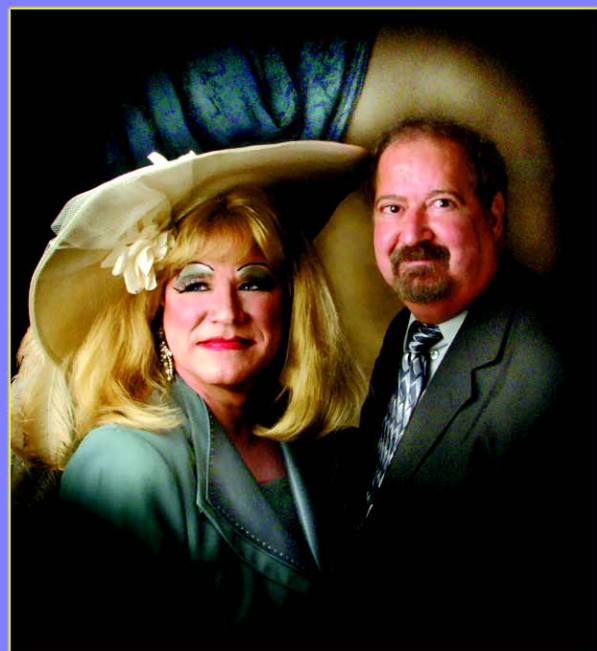
# 9th ANNUAL Purple Party

## Easter Grand Marshals Reception

Sat., March 8th • 8-10pm • \$5 Donation  
benefiting Food For Friends

Buffet • Raffles • Prizes • Auction

Honoring EGMs IX  
Safonda Peters & Orlando Aloe  
Photo: Larry Graham



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Mon., March 17th 1pm

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### 7th Annual Super Star Studded Drag Extravaganza & Auction March 1; 9th annual Purple Party March 8; benefit Gay Easter Parade & Food For Friends

The 7th annual Super Star Studded Drag Extravaganza & Easter Basket, Sterling Silver Necklace, Nude Ash Wednesday Poster Auctions is set for Saturday, March 1, 8-10pm, at Cowpokes, 2240 St. Claude Avenue. Door donation is \$10. Celebrity emcee/auctioneers include Easter Grand Marshal V and King Cake Queen XIV Princesse Stephaney, and Easter Grand Marshal VII and Queen Amon Ra XLIII Opal Masters. The dynamic duo will lead an all star cast of Easter Grand Marshals, Carnival queens and major title holders.

Special guests include EGM I, King Cake Queen XV & Ms. LSGRA Marsha Naquin-Delain, EGM IX & Queen Amon Ra XLI Safonda Peters, Queen Satyricon VI Carl Mack, Lifetime Achievement Award Recipient Marcy Marcell, Southern Decadence Grand Marshal XXXIII Regina Adams, Southern Decadence Grand Marshal XXXII Donnie Jay, Miss America Rhonda Roget, Miss Louisiana Leatherette Solitaire, Prom Queen Countess C. Alice, Miss Ho Down Amanda Straddle, Miss Gay Pride '06 Elizabeth Bouvier, Miss Gay Pride '05 Tami Tarmac, and The Betties' Raven Dubay.

The live auction features three separate auctions. The first will be for renowned photographer Larry Graham's famed nude Ash Wednesday poster. This one is signed and is #2 of 1000 in the series with a minimum bid of \$200. The second auction is for a pair of sterling silver chain necklaces from The QuarterSmith with a minimum bid of \$250.

The third auction is for A Day in Old N'awlins Easter Basket valued at over \$1,000 with a minimum bid of \$300. The basket includes a night's stay in the **Ambush** mansion patio guest quarters, an Oz VIP Card (value \$200) which gains free admittance to the dance club through the end of the year, breakfast for two with coffee at Clover Grill, lunch for two at Bywater Bar.B.Que, dinner for two at Petunias, a black and white polka dot purse decorative lamp from EGM VIII Rona Conners and Bob Boler, \$25 bar tab from Big Daddy's, DVD created by Cafe Lafitte's DJ Michael Kolb, \$25 bar tab from Corner Pocket, bottle of Maker's Mark from Cowpokes, bottle of Herradura Tequila from Cutter's, \$25 bar tab from Friendly Bar, \$25 bar tab from Golden Lantern, 2 large Separators at Good Friends, \$25 bar tab from JohnPaul's, bottle of Myers Dark Rum from Ninth Circle, \$25 bar tab from Phoenix, t-shirt and Wife Beater Shirt from Rawhide, bottle of Grey Goose from Society Page, \$25 bar tab and hat from Starlight By The Park, lace pride tank and t-shirt from Gay Pride.

The 9th annual Purple Party Grand Marshals Reception & Auction hails once again from the Double Play, 439 Dauphine Street, on Saturday, March 8 from 8-10pm, with a \$5 door donation. Participants can look for an auction, prizes and the famous Double Play Buffet courtesy of Chuck Turner and Bill Miller.

The 9th annual Gay Easter Pre-Parade Party & Buffet is Sunday, March 23rd, 3pm, at Starlight By The Park, 834 N. Rampart Street. Parade lineup passes for participants will be available here from 3:30-4pm. See Steve Patrick inside the front door.

The 9th annual Gay Easter Parade is Sunday, March 23 beginning at 4:30pm sharp and will be led by Easter Grand Marshals IX Orlando Aloe and Safonda Peters. The Board of Directors would like to thank the Official Photographer of the Gay Easter Parade, Larry Graham, for his outstanding portraits of the grand marshals. The parade minus expenses benefits Food For Friends, a vital service of the NO/AIDS Task Force. Past parades have raised over \$35,700 for charity.

The 9th annual Gay Easter Post-Parade Party & Buffet is Sunday, March 23rd, 6pm, at Orlando's Society Page, 542 N. Rampart Street, home of Easter Grand Marshal IX Orlando Aloe. This is the official after party and the parade will end here.



Easter Grand Marshals IX  
Safonda Peters & Orlando Aloe  
(Photo by Larry Graham)

Past Grand Marshals include EGMs I Rip and Marsha Naquin-Delain, EGMs II Larry Bagneris and the late Miss Do Moreland, EGMs III Timm Holt and Teryl- Lynn Foxx, EGMs IV George Simons and Electra City, EGMs V Brett Messmer and Princesse Stephaney, EGMs VI James Swire and Lisa Beaumann, EGMs VII Doc Reed and Opal Masters, and EGMs VIII Michael Elias and Tom "Rona" Conners.

The parade is presented by **Ambush Mag** and Queen Fashions. Sponsorships are available at \$1,000-Platinum, \$500-Gold, \$250-Silver and \$100-Bronze.

Sponsors joining fund-raising efforts include:

Platinum-Steve Mettner/Quartermaster: The Nellie Deli, Stephen Murrell & Elizabeth Bouvier;

Gold-Krewe of Amon Ra;

Silver-David Aranda & Countess C. Alice, David & Rhonda Roget, EGM VIII Rona Conners & Bob Boler, Krewe of Petronius, Wood Enterprises, Gary Vandeventer, EGM IX Safonda Peters & Stuart Nettles; and

Bronze-King Satyricon V Tony Leggio, Bourgoyne Guest House.

Carriages for the parade are almost all gone. There are only two 4 passengers left at \$285; two 8 and one 10 passenger left at \$350. All of the rest have been sold. Prices include parade entry fee.

Entry Fee for car, truck, float, bike club or marching/walking group is \$15. Proof of insurance must be provided on each car, truck, float, motorcycle or motorized vehicle with parade application. Deadline for entering the parade is Friday, March 14. You can get your entry form on-line at **GayEasterParade.COM** or by contacting Rip Naquin-Delain, 504.522.8047.

The Board of Directors of the Gay Easter Parade include Electra City, Rona Conners, Opal Masters, Rip and Marsha Naquin-Delain, and Tittie Toulouse.

### Crack Whore Ball 9 set for March 10 at Hostel

The 9th Crack Whore Ball: **Lives of the Lavish, Lucid and Lascivious** is set for Monday, March 10, 9pm-1am, at Hostel, 329 Decatur Street in New Orleans. Tickets are \$30 per person which includes open bar. The event benefits In This Together (ITT).

The annual ball gives service industry personnel and their friends the opportunity to relax and party since most worked through Carnival. The highlight of the evening is the announcement of Crack Whore Queen voted on by those attending the ball. Crack Whore 8 Wendy will become a has been at the stroke of midnight

when the new queen is announced.

Past Crack Whore Queens include 1 Unknown, 2 Kabrina Watson, 3 Genevieve, 4 Janice Goodbee, 5 Wade Burnham, 6 Rip and Marsha Naquin-Delain, 7 Aletha Bryant, and 8 Wendy.

Tickets are limited to 250 and are going fast.



Crack Whore Queen VIII Wendy

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