

Dear Nick

11-6-80

I was surprised to hear you were surprised to hear about my chgs. I wrote you in June (at 584 Concord) but possib you never got the ltr. Yes I had my chest surg 7/15. He did a beautiful job altho Im still swollen and/or the internal scarring is adhering to the muscle. I only have a 2" scar going from each nipple to the underarm, the front completely smooth & flat. What a thrill--I feel so sensual Im making myself crazy. I was rejected by Stanford becuz of my gay male identity so I went to one of the top plastic surgs here as a private patient & he took me w/no hassle. Cost me 4300\$ tho Ive been on Depo-Test for a yr now. Altho I have very little facial hair I am passing w/absolutely no problem at all for a long time now. A mo. after my surg I began a new job as an Admin Asst in an enrgy firm & they know nothing of my past gender. What about the genital surg indeed! YOU tell ME! Im not so hot on a hysterectomy. Part of the female orgasm is the contracting of the uterus & I dont like the possib of jeopardizing having the great orgasms Ive been having lately to remove something no one sees anyhow. As for a cock. Sure. But fat chance. I know of nothing that works. The other F-M I know here (Steve Dain) had what he calls "freeing the clitoris" where he just uses his clit enlarged by the hormones (its about 3-4") & had surg to remove the "hood" of skin & cut loose the underside to make it hang free & stick out, then had testicle implants & the labia sutured tog. He is beautifully passable, tho small & of course unable to function for urination or intercourse. Know of anything better?? (Also no scarring) So you have birds too. I have 2 zebra finches that I enjoy a lot. The sounds those birds make are really funny. Woody Woodpecker. No didnt see Dressed to Kill & didnt even know it was about a TS. Im surprised there wasnt a big stink about that in the transgender community. Ive resigned as Ed of the Gway & have more or less backed out

of GGG. At present Im doing volunteer work for PW & JIF. We get a lot of ltrs from Canadians seeking counselors & doctors sympathetic to gender dysphorics but we havent many referrals in Canada. Have you? Is FACT still functioning & if so whats the new address? Id appreciate any info on docs to whom we could refer people. Janus gets a surprising amt of F-M ltrs. So Ive been doing very well Nick. My sex life could be more so but since my surg I did have 2 separate rendezvous w/gay men who never asked me a single question (neither of them about my body, tho we had wonderful sex & never treated me as anything other than another gay man. And after nearly 2 yrs of separation Ive been getting tog "as friends w/my ex-lover (the one Id been w/10 yrs) Well Nick awaiting your input on Canadian referrals & on any news you know re: genital surg. Glad to hear things are going well for you.