

April 18, 1982

Dear Louis,

Please excuse the handwritten letter.

Thank you for your subscription and also, for your "Letter To The Editor" which I shall publish in the next (June) issue of the newsletter as space limitations and the late date of receipt precluded its inclusion in the April issue. I trust you are not too disappointed.

I appreciate your remarks on gay f-m
+s men and in fact, I know of two others besides yourself - one in Lakewood, Ohio (whom I hope to be able to meet / visit this summer) and, the other is, of course, your friend, David ^(? name) in Southern California. (Could you please send me his address or alternatively, please ask him to write to me for a complimentary copy of the newsletter).

I wish to request a favour which I do
so hope you will grant me. It is this:

Would you and / or David consent to write and submit a short article (equivalent of one single-spaced,

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typed page) on the subject of pre- and post-op female-to-male transsexuals who are also, gay men - for publication in a future issue of Metamorphosis? I would truly ^(and upcoming) appreciate such an effort on your (and for David's) part.

Additionally, may I send your name and address to the pre-op f-m ts/gay men in Lakewood, Ohio, as he wishes to correspond with others the same?

I would like to correspond with you - and with David - on a personal basis if possible, and would also like to exchange photographs.

I hope to be able to visit and meet with you (and also, David, Emmon, Jude, ~~Emmon~~ Matty, Steve) in Southern California probably the summer of 1983. I have never been to California ^{"supping"} although I have been wanting to go for several years now.

This summer, I plan to visit several f-m men in 5 states: Spring Valley, N.Y.; Baltimore, Md.; Cleveland + Lakewood, Ohio, ~~Blackstone~~ Blackstone, Va., + Hartford, Conn.

Dennis
Take it easy + please write.
(and tell David to write too!)

Your "soul brother"
Rupert Raj