STRICTLY PERSONAL

LONESOME HEARTS

Professional female would like to meet sincere, understanding gentleman, 45-65, non-smoker, non-drinker or moderate drinker, who wants a sincere relationship. Preference, retired serviceman. For more, write to CC 232.

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44-year-old black female, looks ten years younger, 5'1", 160 pounds, not fat, would like to meet gentleman, in 30's for companionship. Must be employed, healthy, like fishing, taking long rides in country. North Carolina area preferred. CC 233.

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59-year-old gentleman would like to correspond with ladies, 35-56 who are honest, sincere and understanding. If possible, send photo with first letter. CC 234.

White male, engineer, 5'10", 155 pounds, would like to meet brownskinned female, not over 120 pounds and not over 50 for exploratory relationship. For more, write to CC 235.

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Non-liberated lady in late 40's looking for a new beginning. Becoming friends first a number one priority. Not interested in quickie relationships. Would like to meet a mature gentleman, 40-55 who can appreciate what a good woman has to offer. If interested, please respond with honesty. Phone number and photo would be appreciated. Can't lose - photo will be returned. For more, write to CC 236.

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Medium brownskinned, professional male, middle 40's, 5'11," 175 pounds, gainfully employed, would like to mee professional, brownskinned lady, in 40's with no hangups. I like church, movies, bowling, dining out and traveling. If possible, send photo and phone number with first response. Must live in Maryland, Virginia, Delaware or Washington, DC area. For more, write to CC 227.

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Single black female, 42, interested in meeting an understanding gentleman, 42-50 for a caring, honest and meaningful relationship. Will answer all. Send phone number with first letter. CC 228.

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Sensitive, single black male, 42, would like to meet quiet, lonely, full-figured ladies who are waiting for a gentleman to shower them with tender loving care, affection and respect. For more, write to CC 229.

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Single black female, 30, 5'4", interested in meeting single black male, 30-40, who is honest, ambitious and caring for meaningful relationship, possible marriage. CC 230.

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Black male, 49, medium build, brownskinned complexion, professionally employed and a believing Christian who is honest, sincere, dependable and a one-woman-man with varied interests and can adjust to most situations. I am interested in meeting a mature and stable lady with the same qualities. Write for more details. CC 231.

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Male actor, model, writer, 41, 5'9 1/2", 151 pounds, wishes to meet mature, sophisticated lady for weekly dinner, theatre, plays and ballets. She must be physically active and mentally alert, have proper table manners, social graces and speak well. CC 207.

Lonesome Hearts Pen Pals Searching

To have a notice published in the Strictly Personal section, write the message you want printed clearly in the space below. Enclose five dollars ($5.00), check or money order for 25-word notice. Additional words will cost 20 cents each.

I would like my Strictly Personal notice to read:

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To answer a Lonesome Hearts notice, enclose a check or money order for $1.00 for each letter you wish to have forwarded. Be sure to include the box number of the person you wish to contact. All letters, queries and notices should be sent to:

Strictly Personal • Box 1857 • Baltimore, Md. 21201

If you have a problem you feel our counselor Jan might be able to help you with, why not write to her. All letters will be answered in this column.

Write: Tell It to Jan, AFRO-AMERICAN,
P.O. Box 1857, Baltimore, Md. 21201.

Tell IT TO JAN

Dear Jan:

I am a 28-year-old member of the Moorish Science Temple of America and I'm in love with a 29-year-old Christian lady.

I fell in love with this lady while I was incarcerated. She has done more for me in two years than most women do for a man in five years.

I want to marry her, but the problem is her church members think she should not have a relationship with me because they say I am not a child of Christ.

However, without this mental block, I think we both feel the same way about one another.

I am very much in love with her and I think she is very much in love with me.

I hope you can help.

F. L.

Dear F. L.

If you want to marry her, why not ask her. Why would you be concerned about what the church members think?

The decision to marry you or anyone else is up to her alone, not the members of the church.

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Dear Jan:

I lied to my girlfriend when her boyfriend was seeing someone else for a while. She gets very self destructive when something like that happens, which is why I protected her from the truth.

The problem is now she suspects I lied to her and she keeps asking me whether or not I told her the truth.

I don't know whether to stick to my guns or admit I lied.

Puzzled

Dear Puzzled:

In the long run you can never protect anyone by lying. Tell her the truth — she's going to find out anyway. Stress the fact that you did it because you are fond of her and that you thought it was for the best.

In fact, you did her an injustice by assuming she wasn't strong enough to handle the truth. Tell her so, and don't do it again.

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Dear Jan:

My boyfriend and I have been going steady for nine months. Lately we have stopped communicating. The only time that we speak and see one another is during the change of classes.

He stopped coming over to see me and he doesn't want me to come to his home. He has put his friends before me and he doesn't want to go anywhere with me — parties, movies, etc.

He says he doesn't want anyone else to take me away from him. Jan, I am 15 and he is 16.

Do you think this is a sign that we are about to end our relationship?

What can we do to save it?

Tina

Dear Tina:

It's just a sign that you are both too young for serious involvement. You are not ready to go steady with anyone at this point, and I suggest you just become good friends.

There is plenty of time for both. Dating one guy exclusively at your age is self-defeating. Play the field!

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Dear Jan:

I have a teenage daughter who will be graduating from high school soon. I have told her that I am not able to send her to a college away from home. She must go to college close to home as well as get a part-time job. She got hysterical and told me, "No way."

Jan, I cannot finance her college education and I'm unable to get a loan. After all, I am a single parent who has struggled to get her out of high school. I don't receive any assistance from her father and I'm just not able to do everything without any help.

However, I want her to further her education, but a little help from her would be great. There is no way for her to attend a college elsewhere.

Your suggestion.

May

Dear May:

I don't really think your daughter is interested in attending college. There is no reason for you to make excuses — you've done a wonderful job in supporting her all these years.

If she was a grateful daughter and interested in her mother's welfare, she would, indeed, welcome the opportunity to help finance her education. However, she is ungrateful and therefore would have to learn the hard way.

There is no choice — she either helps or there would be no further education.

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Dear Jan:

I have a friend who is very nice to me and wants to marry me. I think I love him very much and think he loves me, however, he

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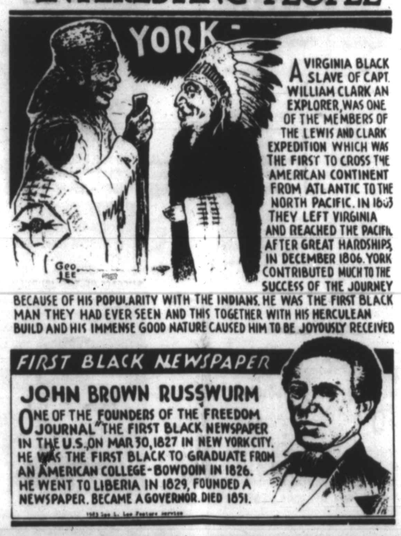
The Infamous AMOS

/by Saysha George

INTERESTING PEOPLE



IN THE STARS ★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Your activity during this period concerns itself with creative interaction with children and lovers. As Monday ends your vigorous weekend activity, you may need to think about what you are doing and control your temper with self and others. If you need to talk, talk to a person with an older, experienced mind and do not get upset with the truth, for you must deal with it.

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TAURUS (April 20-May 21): Saturday sees you active in the marketplace seeking to bring some material joy to the home front. Monday will find you actively prodding children and or lovers to live up to your material desires or efficiency. Be careful dealing with others when dealing with your money. Now is the time to regenerate your money as well as mind and body.

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GEMINI (May 22-June 21): Short trips and increased communication with brothers and sisters activate your weekend. Control of the mind will be needed for many of you. Remember there are two dominant personalities present, both needing plenty of control. This weekend will find you in a cleaning role, creating greater efficiency in home or office.

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CANCER (June 22-July 22): You have a sensitive personality, in order for you to live a positive life you must be in control of your mind, both within yourself and the outer world. The moon will be in conjunction with Venus, making the vibrations very harmonious around you. Analytical abilities increase as you help neighbors, brothers and sisters.

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LEO (July 23-August 22): As life energies renew your presence, you feel joy return as you mount center stage executing your every demand. By late Monday, your efficiency and frugality with resources, allows you to extend a helping hand to the less fortunate. A powerful communicator, you make your desires known to siblings as well as the local neighborhood.

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VIRGO (August 23-September 22): Your mind will begin to drift to places far from home and on family members that you may need to see. This is a good time to deal with the higher side of your mind and make plans to go back to school. Deep analysis and practical efficiency increase your resource potential by midweek.

LIBRA (September 23-October 22): Your desire for beauty and social graces transforms your presence into a place of social gatherings as loyal and beautiful friends pay homage to your presence. Weekend ends with thoughts of personal illness and inadequacies. If you feel like a weight has been placed on your shoulders, look deep inside and find out what you need to get rid of. Life is too short to waste time with things and matters that are negative.

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SCORPIO (October 23-November 22): Leadership abilities cause an increase in fame and power as professional successes mount and goals are met. Greater friendship with co-workers affects the achievement of hopes and desires. The moon is in your sign today, you must control your emotions with others. Those born the last five days of Scorpio, must make positive changes.

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SAGITTARIUS (November 23-December 21): Energetic seeking culminates in fixed opinions concerning religion, philosophy and politics. Early week finds you working hard for the public good without thought of recompense. Your ruling planet, Jupiter, is doing good things to your sign. There will be many opportunities coming to you at this time; be ready.

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CAPRICORN (December 22-January 19): As partner showers you with his or her presence, and gifts of joy, your sense of pride in self increases. If you are having problems in your personal life, you must work it out of your life or continue to suffer needlessly. You are a very powerful sign and you must work with your life to stay strong and keep negative people out of your life.

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AQUARIUS (January 20-February 19): Your weekend unfolds in the presence of an involved relationship and your partner's desire for freedom. Many of you will be running into many friends that you have not seen for years. If you have made the changes that you should have made you will have nothing to hide from the past. Your life will be filled with many blessings.

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PISCES (February 20-March 20): Life is what you make it; make it a good one for yourself and the people around you. You are the sign that has a tendency to wear rose-colored glasses. Control your intake of drugs and alcohol. You must take care of business this week and you cannot take care of business if your head is clouded with mental blocks.

PEN PALS

Christian Dating Service, a unique and personalized introduction service designed and geared toward the Biblically oriented, serious-minded, Christian singles. More information call or write CDS, Post Office Box 25147, Baltimore, MD 21119 (301) 792-3874.

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32-year-old single male, presently confined, would like to correspond with mature adults for honest friendship. Washington Swan, K-8424, Post Office Box 200, Camp Hill, PA 17011.

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Incarcerated black male, 26, seeks friendship through correspondence. James Pearson, M-5605, Drawer K, Dallas, PA 18612-0286.

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Lonely, confined male, 34, would like to correspond with interested females. Age, race no factor. Will answer. Lester Eaddy, F-9396, Drawer K, Dallas, PA 18612-0286.

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26-year-old female, presently incarcerated, seeks friendship through correspondence. Will answer. Crystal McKinney, 21232, 1479 Collins Ave., Marysville, OH 43040.

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35-year-old confined male would like to correspond with interested females 25-45 who are sincere and honest. Will exchange photos. Henry Scales, 181-894, Post Office Box 5500, Chillicothe, OH 45601.

Lonely confined male, 29, seeks friendship through correspondence. Kevin Williams, 211367, Box 150, Delmont, NJ 08314.

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Incarcerated male, very lonely, seeks friendship through correspondence. James F. Taylor, 182-417, Post Office Box 56, Lebanon, OH 45036.

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Confined male, 39, would like to correspond with interested, sincere females for friendship. Edward A. Kizzie, Y-9531, Drawer K, Dallas, PA 18612-0286.

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Confined male seeks friendship through correspondence. Richard R. Canady, M-4092, Drawer R, Huntingdon, PA 16652.

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30-year-old male, incarcerated, seeks sincere correspondence from interested people. Jerry Anderson, 184-332, Post Office Box 57, Marion, OH 43302.

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Incarcerated male, 25, would like to establish friendship through correspondence. Lemrick Thomas, Y-8797, Drawer K, Dallas, PA 18612-0286.

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Lonely, confined male would like to correspond with black females for friendship. Joseph Bowen, M-4272, Drawer K, Dallas, PA 18612-0286.

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Lonely, confined 26-year-old male would like to correspond with interested females for friendship. Will answer. Clyde L. Jarrell, Post Office Box 137, Tillery, NC 27887.

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Single black male, 29, incarcerated, seeks friendship through correspondence. James Richardson, Y-5482, Drawer K, Dallas, PA 18612-0286.

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Lonely male, confined, would like to correspond with people 18 and older for friendship. James Oiler, 188260, H-2A, Post Office Box 7010, Chillicothe, OH 45601.

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Incarcerated male would like to correspond with any sincere person who would like to establish friendship with a lonely man. Will answer all. James Jordan, 192-083, Post Office Box 5500, Chillicothe, OH 45601.

Tell JAN

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is very jealous and sometimes seems to be a bit nervous and irritable.

In your way of judging, do you think he would make me a good husband?

Sadie

Dear Sadie:

No one can predict how a marriage will turn out, but as a guide, just bear in mind that the temperament and habits a man has before he marries continue after the wedding.