Strictly Personal

Lonesome Hearts

Attractive, slim, Black male, 36, 5'8, 120 pounds, employed, sincere and understanding, would like to meet Christian lady, 30-40, 5'2," - 5'8" around 126 to 155 pounds, who is interested in long-term relationship, possible marriage. Must be affectionate, good natured, love to be loved. Absolutely no drug users. Only serious replies. If possible, send photo and phone number with first response. CC 360.

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Interesting, sincere, Christian lady, 76, would like to meet gentleman, around same age, with like qualities. I am understanding and interested in nice things of life. Absolutely no drug users. For more, write to CC 361.

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Small, light-skinned lady, 49, would like to meet older, dark-skinned gentleman who is decent and honest. No substance abusers or inmates. CC 362.

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Attractive, ginger complexion, 35-year-old, 5'4,'', compassionate, not hard to please, single, independent, very feminine Black Christian lady, pleasantly proportioned, delightfully intelligent and career oriented, whose interests are varied and cover full range of activities, would desire to meet and correspond with single, financially secure, Black Christian gentleman, 35-45, 5'7" or over. Sincere, honest, mature, in good physical condition, interested in establishing a monogamous, long, lasting relationship with a lady who enjoys being a woman. No drug users, inmates or heavy drinkers need respond. If possible, send photo and telephone number with first response. D.C., Maryland and Virginia area requested. CC 363.

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53-year-old professional, Black lady, possesses both inner and outer beauty. Caring, kind, loving, supportive, honest and sincere. A one-man woman who enjoys music, theatre, candlelight dinners, conversation, sports, and travel. Not interested in what you have but in who you are. Seek Black male, 45-63 with similar qualities. No drug users or smokers. You must be adventurous because I live in California! If possible, send photo and phone number with first letter. CC 364.

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Intelligent, honest, sincere, quiet gentleman would like to meet lady with same qualities. CC 353.

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Very active 60-year-old widow who loves church, travel, theatre, sports, would like to meet gentleman, 55-65 with similar interests. I do not smoke, use drugs or drink. Would like to exchange photos, if possible. CC 354.

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Black gentleman would like to meet interesting, sincere lady, 45-55 for friendship. Write to learn more. Will answer all. CC 355.

43-year-old gentleman, 6'1," sincere, non-drug user, would like to meet lady, 34-47 who is down to earth, sincere, understanding and has large hips for lasting relationship. If possible, send phone number with first response. CC 356.

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Single Black male, 47, who has never been married, would like to meet sincere lady, 40-50. Will answer all. For more, write to CC 357.

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Attractive, heavy-set Black lady, 50's, would like to meet a nice, Black gentleman who is honest, sincere, understanding and "for real," for a meaningful relationship. If possible, send phone number and photo with first response. CC 358.

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D.C., Maryland, Virginia area gentleman, non-smoker, would like to meet a Christian lady who is sincere, affectionate and enjoys togetherness, meaningful relationship, for possible marriage. Send photo, phone number if possible. CC 359.

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.

Pen Pals

Attractive Black male, 30, presently incarcerated, seeks female companion, friendship. Write to: Mr. Curtis Williams, C-16890, Post Office Box 1902-A (3B-202L), Tehachapi, CA.

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The loneliness is so hard on me because I have no desire to remain just a faint echo of a hidden soul in prison. I'm Terrence, 31, 6'1," 160 pounds, born and raised in Pittsburgh, PA. Without your help, I stand a chance of becoming cold, callous and insensitive, which you know happens when a person lives behind walls. Please hear my cry and understand my plight. Come on sisters! Get your pen and paper and write to: Mr. Mark Terrence Rhodes, 183692, MCIH. 18601 Roxbury Road, D-1-14, Hagerstown, MD 21740.

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Incarcerated, lonely, Black male, 26, 5'7," 165 pounds, well-built, clean, educated, good sense of humor, financially secure, seeking well-built female for friendship. Race, age, not important. If possible, send photo with first response. Write to: Mr. Maurice Robinson, 75276, 4-Dorm, 4-13, Lock Bag R., Rahway, NJ 07065.

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Incarcerated White male, tall and handsome, romantic, compassionate, sincere, varied interests, would like to meet Black females for friendship, and or correspondence. Mr. John Edgar, 164-623, VSP, 500 Spring St., Richmond, VA 23219.

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Incarcerated male, young and attractive, seeking for fun loving friendship through correspondence. Photo appreciated. Write to Mr. Melvin McDougald, 190-313, 18601 Roxbury Road, Hagerstown, MD 21740.

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Single Black male, 37, confined, seeks friendship through correspondence. Mr. Ahmad Abdur Rahmaan, 185-611, Post Office Box 57, Marion, OH 43302.

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Incarcerated Black male, sincere and caring, would like to correspond with females, 25-37 for friendship. Mr. George Payne, AY-5868, M-1, Drawer K, Dallas, PA 18612-0286.

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Black male, 25, confined, seeks friendship through correspondence. Mr. Shawn Reed, 183-170, Post Office Box 45699, Lucasville, OH 45699-0001.

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Black male, 23, single, confined and sincere, would like to correspond with interested females 18 and older. Mr. Mark A. Washington, 197112, Post Office Box 45699, Lucasville, OH 45699-0001.

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35-year-old incarcerated male, sincere, seeks friendship through correspondence. Hobbies are reading, playing chess and taking long walks. Mr. Robert Dixon, 195-295, Post Office Box 57, Marion, OH 43302.

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Incarcerated male seeks friendship through correspondence. Mr. G. R. Peterson, Post Office Box 215, Maury, NC 28554.

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African-American male, 39, 5'9," 163 pounds, sincere, but lonely seeks friendship through correspondence. Hobbies are movies, art, sports and home cooking. Mr. Allen Whitner, F-8437, State Correctional Institution, Post Office Box 244, Graterford, PA 19426-0244.

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African American male, 46, looks 37, 5'7," 154 pounds, presently confined, would like to meet and correspond with sincere females, for meaningful relationship, possible marriage. Age, nationality not important. For more write to Mr. Shaheed Amin, 206154, CN-861, Trenton, NJ 08625.

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Single Black male, 29, confined military prisoner, currently enrolled in college, majoring in Business Management, also skilled as welder, painter and in computers, would like to establish sincere relationship with sincere, understanding females of any race between 18-35, who are not confined. Write to find out more. Mr. Melvin Walker, Drawer A, Fort Leavenworth, KN 66027.

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African American male, 29, incarcerated, would like to correspond with interested females who are sincere. Mr. Cedric

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In The Stars

VIRGO (August 21-September 21): Saturday and Sunday should be the only flaw for you during this entire cosmic period. Other than that, every day is stamped as positive and productive. Wednesday through Friday gives you an opportunity to advance financially as well as initiate things on your own with ongoing results.

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LIBRA (September 22-October 20): Cosmically, this week should be a piece of cake as far as activities go. Between now and Friday, there's no barrier to tamper with personal and business plans. In fact, Saturday and Sunday suggest a lot of headway can be made. But it's best to keep a low profile entirely on Monday and Tuesday of next week.

SCORPIO (October 21-November 21): Put a grin on your face. You are the "Best Sign of the Week." Five out of seven days are mostly favorable for anything worthy of your time. Wednesday through Friday, followed by Monday and Tuesday of next week, are the days in particular. Your weekend is entirely spotless. If you don't succeed under these great conditions, take a look in the mirror.

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SAGITTARIUS (November 22-December 21): Your planetary aspects are very favorable now for any level of accomplishment. You should find Saturday and Sunday especially so, related to making important moves that could lead to financial independence. What makes it nice is that others are ready to assist you in your efforts.

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CAPRICORN (December 22-January 20): You almost made "Best Sign of the Week," coming in right behind Scorpio. The possibilities look favorable for some type of financial break or raise coming your way between Wednesday and Friday. The same holds true for Monday and Tuesday, with an emphasis on travel, public activity and romance.

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AQUARIUS (January 21-February 19): Excessive worry, coupled with careless spending, would be ill-advised from Wednesday to Friday. Forgo events until after this period, if possible. The weekend is an entirely different matter. It should be fruitful if you keep your eyes and ears open. Tuesday is good for laying the groundwork for anything worthwhile.

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PISCES (February 20-March 20): You have more than a fighting chance this week, with most of the days much in your favor. This is a good time to get away, if you can. Finances look great as well. The week also offers you a chance to catch up on all things. Balancing out the week with reality are Saturday and Sunday. It's not likely to be your best weekend.

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ARIES (March 21-April 20): You should have time to yourself to assess what needs to be done over the next day or two. The weekend itself is the only favorable period on your cosmic map as it stands. The opposite is the case for this coming Monday and Tuesday. Watch yourself a bit to avoid any booby traps.

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TAURUS (April 21-May 20): Wednesday through Friday of this week is cosmically listed as ominous for anything of a secret or enterprising nature. It's not that important concerns can't be addressed - it is that they may be met with opposition. The only bright spot is Tuesday of next week. It's a good time for legal and social matters with excellent results.

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GEMINI (May 21-June 20): This is the time where careful planning pays off in dividends. Otherwise things could be costly as well as distracting. In fact, Saturday and Sunday are indicated as tense in the extreme if you are not careful. Refrain from starting anything now or misunderstandings may be the outcome. Late Tuesday, things will begin to brighten up.

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CANCER (June 21-July 21): Between now and Friday, cosmic settings look favorable for boosting self-confidence and possibly, some type of financial blessing. It depends on what you make of it. Your weekend looks nice and quiet, but the same can't be said for the approaching Monday and Tuesday. You definitely have to be on the mark.

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LEO (July 22-August 20): Between Wednesday and Friday, it's crucial you stay alert to misguided opinions, get rich-quick gimmicks and those folks who like to stir up a fuss. Unhappiness may come if you do. The only ample time for any activities are probably Saturday and Sunday. Monday and Tuesday should go according to your choosing.

Tell it to Jan

Dear Jan:

My husband and I have been married over three months. I do not work at all and we are expecting our first child.

The other night he came home and told me he wants me to leave him and he is going to another state.

I asked why and he said that he was no good and was cheating on me. He claims he has a girlfriend and it is not fair to me.

I am still in love with him and don't want to leave him. Since I'm expecting a child, I want both of us to be together. It isn't right to raise a child without both parents.

What can I do?

R

Dear R:

You might try to find out whether he still claims to love you. If so, then ask him to be a man, face up to his responsibilities, give up this so-called girl friend and start acting like a husband and father-to-be.

It wouldn't hurt to try to get help from his parents. You haven't been married long enough to really know what it is all about.

You can't do this alone. Maybe your parents or his, whomever he will listen to, can talk some sense into him. Of course, I wouldn't make it easy for him to shun his responsibilities by leaving.

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Confidential to Martha:

Why not get a job and become independent!

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Confidential to Lewis

The decision is her's, not yours.

Pen Pals

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Wynn, 207-633, Post Office Box 57, Marion, OH 43302.

Young, attractive, Black lady, 37, petite, lonely, separated because of spousal violence, mother of three daughters, and one of Jehovah's Witnesses since 1974, seeks sincere correspondence from anyone who is strong in the faith or striving to be strong in the faith. If possible, would like to exchange photos. Write to Ms. Carolyn J. Rogers, 1025 - 13th Street, SE., Apt. 11, Washington, DC 20003.

Confined Black male, 39, would like to correspond with interested females, 28-42, who are open minded, sincere and honest for meaningful, genuine friendship. Write to: Mr. Jeffrey Kersey, 129-372. 18601 Roxbury Road, Hagerstown, MD 21740.

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Young, educated, African American male, native New Yorker, a Christian is looking for a good positive friend for socialization. Contact: Morales at (301) 944-3303.

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Very lonely, 31-year-old Black male, who is tired of being single, would like to meet sincere ladies, 26-40 who are interested in serious relationship. Call me anytime - Walter (301) 434-5164.

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Christian Dating Service is a unique, personalized service, geared toward the Biblically oriented, serious-minded, Christian singles. Information call (301) 792-3874 or write to CDS, Post Office Box 25147, Baltimore, MD 21229.

Searching

Sister would like to find brother whom she hasn't seen for a long time. Mrs. Marie Thomas Smith is looking for Mr. Nathan Edward Thomas, son of Tom and Murdis Gary Thomas of Lynchburg, VA. Last known address in 1973 was: 1323 Argyle Ave., Baltimore, MD. If anyone knows his whereabouts, please contact his sister, Mrs. Smith (804) 846-6398.