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<http://freebeacon.com/issues/feds-holding-summits-lesbian-farmers/> FEDS HOLDING SUMMITS FOR LESBIAN FARMERS 16 August, 2016 – This LGBTIQ issue seems to be gaining steam and acceptance at an alarming rate. NOW, “The U.S. Department of Agriculture is holding summits to promote the role of lesbian farmers as a part of its ‘Rural Pride’ campaign.

The agency is working with singer and LGBT activist Cyndi Lauper for a ‘day of conversation’ about the struggles of gay and transgender individuals in rural America. The agency says it wants to change the perception of what it means to be a farmer in America away from the ‘white, rich male’.

The latest summit, first reported by the [College Fix](#), will be held on August 18 at Drake University in Iowa.”

<http://news.drake.edu/2016/08/05/drake-law-school-to-co-sponsor-iowa-lgbt-rural-summit/>

Once conservative Iowa isn’t so conservative today as, “Many LGBT people choose to live, work, and raise their families in rural areas. To highlight the unique needs of this community, the U.S. Department of Agriculture has partnered with Drake Law School, One Iowa, the National Center for Lesbian Rights, and True Colors Fund to organize the Iowa LGBT Rural Summit.”

<http://blacklivesmatter.com/guiding-principles/> - This is taken directly from the Black Lives Matter web site and it can readily be seen that the movement is wrapped around this LGBTIQ issue. “We are committed to fostering a queer-affirming network. When we gather, we do so with the intention of freeing ourselves from the tight grip of heteronormative thinking or, rather, the belief that all in the world are heterosexual unless s/he or they disclose otherwise.” “We are committed to embracing and making space for trans brothers and sisters to participate and lead. We are committed to being self-reflexive and doing the work required to dismantle cis-gender privilege and uplift Black trans folk, especially Black trans women who continue to be disproportionately impacted by trans-antagonistic violence.”

<https://www.the-pool.com/health/wombs-etc/2016/33/melissa-madera-the-abortion-diary-podcast>

THE PODCASTER ENCOURAGING WOMEN EVERYWHERE TO TALK ABOUT THEIR ABORTIONS 16 August, 2016 – Even though abortion is murder “When Melissa Madera sticks out her hand to shake mine I notice her wristbands straight away. ‘I had an abortion,’ they say – a slogan that is also printed on the tote bag slung across her shoulder.



The 36-year-old New Yorker is determined to normalise talking openly about our experiences of abortion, and over the last two years has recorded the stories of almost 200 women for her website theabortiondiary.com.”

<http://www.premier.org.uk/News/UK/Twelve-vicars-defy-Church-and-enter-gay-marriages>

22 August, 2016 - TWELVE VICARS DEFY CHURCH AND ENTER GAY MARRIAGES Now “A dozen Church of England clergy plan to reveal that they have defied the Church by marrying their same-sex partners. The group are set to go public in an open letter where they will also urge the Church to bless same-sex weddings.

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Half of the signatories had already declared themselves to be in a same-sex marriage but it's understood officials had no idea about the other half. The letter will be sent to the House of Bishops in September when all of the signatories will be revealed.”

“The Church of England has responded to the letter, saying: ‘The Shared Conversations process over the last two years included the participation of over 1300 members of the church in regional and national settings. Through those conversations, deep convictions have been shared and profound differences better understood.’ C of E = apostasy.

<http://www.lifenews.com/2016/08/22/mother-files-wrongful-birth-lawsuit-after-botched-abortion-didnt-kill-her-son/> 22 August, 2016 - MOTHER FILES WRONGFUL BIRTH

LAWSUIT AFTER BOTCHED ABORTION DIDN'T KILL HER SON – This is almost unbelievable but “In August 2013, his 20-year-old mother from Victoria, Australia had an abortion, but it did not kill him; almost eight months later, she gave birth to him alive, [Eyewitness 10 News in Australia reports.](#)” Now “The woman, who is unnamed, recently filed a lawsuit against the abortion



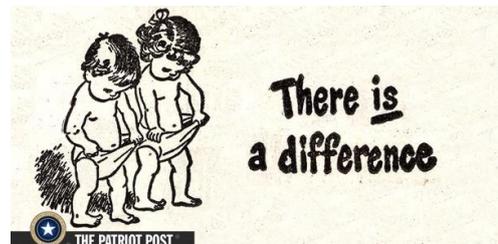
doctor and the public health sector because of the botched abortion. The woman claims she has suffered immense psychological trauma and financial burdens because her son is alive today, according to the report.” Titus 2:4 says that the older women ought to “...teach the young women to be sober, to love their husbands, to love their children”.

<http://www.news.com.au/lifestyle/relationships/marriage/what-same-sex-marriage-plebiscite-did-to-tasmania-is-a-warning-to-rest-of-australia/news-story/1fd306f4836323137aafdde43dd97494> WHAT SAME SEX MARRIAGE PLEBISCITE

DID TO TASMANIA IS A WARNING TO REST OF AUSTRALIA 25/08/2016 - Sodomy is sin, but in spite of that fact, “AN Australian comedian’s message about a future same sex marriage plebiscite has gone viral. Hannah Gadsby [took to Facebook on Wednesday](#) to share her thoughts on the vote, one she called a ‘very bad idea’ that has the potential ‘to ruin young lives’.” The plebiscite will, according to Gadsby, be used by those who oppose sodomy as an “open season for hate”. Gadsby said “...the debate surrounding the question would be hurtful and hate-filled.” She went on to say she was fearful “... for those, particularly in regional Australia, who are isolated from positive voices.” For “If this plebiscite has to happen then lets try and drown out the hate filled commentators” she said.

<http://www.news.com.au/lifestyle/gay-marriage/is-the-plebiscite-dead-in-the-water/news-story/b95e7138825cf34068ff85ff9d3412a1> IS THE PLEBISCITE DEAD IN THE WATER?

29/08/2016 – “THE fate of the government’s planned plebiscite on same-sex marriage could be doomed after Nick Xenophon and his two Senate colleagues announced they would vote against the public poll.” The Labor leader who doesn’t support a plebiscite either said, “Why should teenagers and young people determining their sexuality be forced to have to undergo a public campaign of vilification?” It doesn’t take much to determine one’s gender!



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