

Mondo Homo: Your Essential Guide to Queer Pop Culture

So what is contemporary queer culture? And has its evolution been overlooked at the same time that it is being felt in ways stronger than before? *Mondo Homo*, from Alyson Publications, charts the queer sensibility as it is reflected in pop culture and in the lives of the gay men who experience it.

Mondo Homo, edited by **Richard Andreoli**, is not only a hilarious and brilliant pop culture analysis in its own right, but its 'best of' lists are a virtual shopping guides for anyone who wants their gifts to not only be well received, but also to reflect their own brilliant taste!

The book is a hilarious, irreverent, and eye-opening journey into the big gay world of pop culture as **Richard Andreoli**, **Tom Atwood**, **Kevin**

Aviance, **Pete Burns**, **Ted Casablanca**, **Joe Phillips** and others explain why **Aaron Spelling**, **Alias**, **Brad Davis**, **Buffy the Vampire Slayer**,

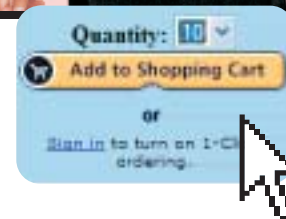


Grace Jones, **Grease**, **The Smiths**, and **Wonder Woman** (to name just a few) have more to do with the formation of the contemporary queer consciousness than **Judy Garland**, **Barbra Streisand** and **Bette Davis** could ever hope to.

Chapters on film, TV, music, books, theatre, art, fashion, media, fitness, gay neighborhoods, travel, club culture, gay gatherings, porn and sex include essays by top journalists on the formation of their individual queer sensibility. Sidebars on topics such as first celebrity crushes, Rules for Displaying Gay Pride in the Gay Ghettos, What Drinks Every Gay Man Should Know How to Make (and what each one says about the drinker)



everything else you need to know to make fan-f*cking-tastic queer life even better!



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Queer Life Enhancer!**

Singers **Lesbians Love** (And Whose Work Every Gay Man Should Own) and lists on everything from **Wilson Cruz's** Top 11 List of TV Shows Every Gay Man Should Watch and **Christopher Rice's** Top 10 Books That Every Gay Man Should Own to **Jay Manuel's** Five Worst Male Fashion Trends and **John Rutherford's** Top 5 Funniest Moments on a Porn Set round out what is, without question, the most complete explanation of why gay men are the way they are (and why straight America wants to be them!).

So bump and twirl onto the dance floor with a host of hotties, witness the death of cutoffs and Timberland boots, genuflect before the altar of *Showgirls*, *Mean Girls*, and the Spice Girls, traverse the globe to the naughtiest sex spots, score a porn-star boyfriend, pounce on Pansy Division and sizzle with the Scissor Sisters and understand why it's your duty to go out and get laid right now!

Mondo Homo... it's a new world. Boldly go!



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