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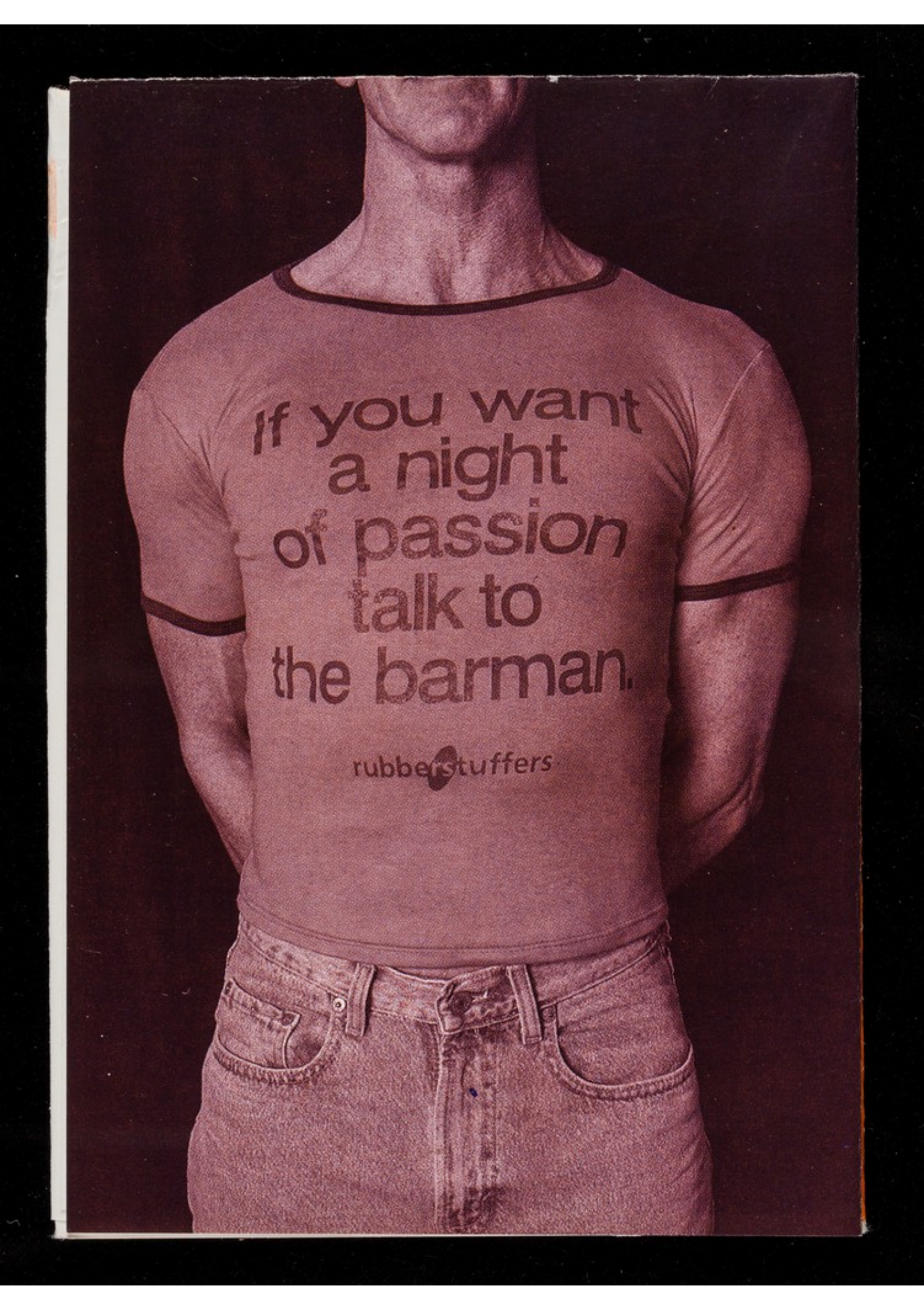


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A photograph of a man from the chest up, wearing a light-colored t-shirt and jeans. The t-shirt has a black crew neck and black bands on the sleeves. The text on the t-shirt is in a bold, sans-serif font. The background is dark and out of focus.

If you want
a night
of passion
talk to
the barman.

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what we do

Rubberstuffers prevents the further spread of HIV by distributing appropriate condoms and lubricant for gay sex all across London: in clubs, pubs, bars, restaurants, clinics, and a variety of other places where gay men meet.

Rubberstuffers packs are available free in London's favourite pubs & clubs

why we do it

Rubberstuffers is the HIV prevention charity promoting the widespread availability and appropriate use of condoms and lubricant for gay sex.

Our aim is to maximise the range of effective interventions to prevent the spread of HIV.

We work independently and in collaboration with other organisations in London and in other targeted areas.

giving you the freedom...



...to love



...to be gay



...to have sex



...to fight



...to stop aids

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giving you

freedom to stop...



aids

a disease that
generates fear
and hate, but
also care and
understanding

AIDS ❶ acquired immune deficiency syndrome :a condition caused by a virus attacking white blood cells – resulting in the body's immune system being unable to fight infections ❷ a disease that results from a virus (known as HIV) being transmitted – mainly through unprotected penetrative sex ❸ a disease that, in Europe, unfairly and disproportionately affects gay men ❹ a disease that generates fear and hate, but also care and understanding ❺ an epidemic we cannot allow to take away the pleasure from being gay and having gay sex

some recent work

- Pharmacy development project (promoting RS multipacks in community pharmacies)
- Heath Project with Gay Men Fighting AIDS (condom distribution in public sex environments)
- Condom awareness campaign with Camden & Islington Health Authority
- Distributing condom packs at Pride
- Condom research (extensive testing of various condom brands)
- Questionnaire (finding out gay men's preferences)
- Condom skills workshop
- Providing condoms in GUM & Sexual Health Clinics
- Student Safer Sex Campaign

how we pay for it all

- **Health Authorities**
- **Independent funding**
- **Fund-raising events**
- **Donations**

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giving you

freedom to...



love

love ❶ to have a great affection for ❷ to have a passionate desire and feelings for

❸ an intense emotion of affection and tenderness towards someone ❹ a deep feeling of

sexual attraction and desire ❺ longing to kiss his lips and touch his body, letting his

warmth ache into you ❻ waking up the next morning in his arms and not feeling guilty,

dirty or scared ❼ knowing that your feelings are natural and right

longing to
kiss his lips
and touch
his body

giving you
freedom
to be...

gay

enjoy the
freedom

gay ① homosexual ② to have feelings of attraction towards

other men ③ to be bold enough to explore these feelings ④ to

be part of a culture that has produced some of the best writers

the best actors and the best music ⑤ to live under the shadow

of an epidemic that may kill friends, steal lovers and destroy

innocence ⑥ to constantly display an immeasurable degree of

bravery gained from confronting feelings and using this inner

strength to enjoy the freedom of a rich existence that can be

beautiful

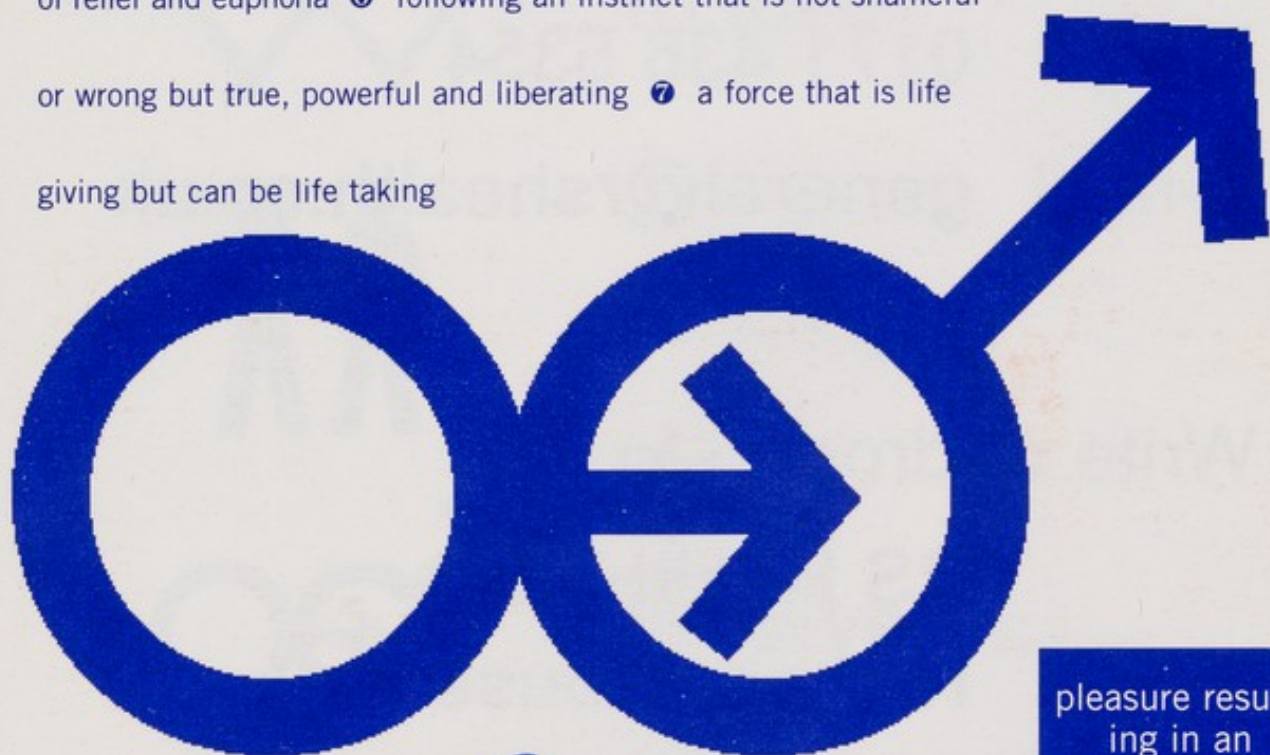
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how you can help

- Keep up to date about safer sex for Gay men and have the kind of sex you want
- Talk truthfully with your friends and sexual partners about sex
- Become a volunteer for RS or any other organisation that is working to stop the spread of HIV
- Tell us if your venue in London runs out of Rubberstuffers condoms or lubricant

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condoms and lubricant

sex ① short for sexual intercourse ② the insertion of one male's penis into another male's rectum which is followed by rhythmic thrusting usually resulting in orgasm ③ feelings and behaviour resulting from the urge to gratify the sexual instinct ④ stimulation of your or your partner's erogenous zones ⑤ any act of mutual pleasure resulting in an intense feeling of relief and euphoria ⑥ following an instinct that is not shameful or wrong but true, powerful and liberating ⑦ a force that is life giving but can be life taking



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giving you freedom to have...

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ing in an
intense feeling
of relief
and euphoria

sex

fight ❶ to oppose or struggle against something

or someone for the ultimate aim of freedom ❷ to

develop powers of resistance and preservation ❸

to channel your energy constructively and

imaginatively ❹ to work with each other to

eliminate something detrimental (like HIV and

AIDS) ❺ to sometimes feel you are never going

to win. eg. when you go into a back room and

everyone is having sex without a condom ❻ to

have the resilience to overcome this

disappointment and engage

yourself again, knowing

that this battle

can and will

be won

this battle
can and will
be won

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fight



who we are

- **8 Staff**
- **12 Board**
- **200 Volunteers**

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