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Quing Lily Lamé, 34D

Dr. Maybe

You Only Fool Twice



## Hello Fool!

If you're reading this, then you're a Fool.

*Quod erat demonstratum.*

You could look it up, you're online.

The Joker has made the leap - from analog to virtual, from printed to online, from paper to plastic, from sublime to ridiculous, and from soup to nuts - for numerous reasons, the most salient being money - moolah, cash, coin, cabbage, lucre, legal tender, scottie, simoleons, bread, bucks, dough, dinero - you know, the stuff from which, by tradition, we Fools are soon parted.

It costs an arm and a leg to deliver this precious pamphlet to profuse portals and even with Kneezaparte and Elbozen, we've finally run out of limbs. We also believe in embracing new technology by moving into the 21<sup>st</sup> Century, but for those Old Farts among us, you may also print this merry missive to pore over and peruse in solitary splendor while passing stools and emitting gas perched upon your personal porcelain pondering pedestal.

We'd also mail it to you if you so command, but you must contact us to let us know that is your wish, and it wouldn't hurt to cross our palm with silver.

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Of course, you'd have to be a Fool to pay for what you can get for free, but we proved that in the first paragraph.

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The Fool who Loved Me

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Blunderball

Diamonds Are

current reigning...

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From RenFair with love

# 2013 HALLOWEEN PARTY REVIEW COWBOYS ALIENS BY ROVING REPORTER *ROVER*

Kings are hard-pressed to find party venues these days. Hall rentals are expensive and there's not much of a crew to decorate for days like we used to. So KUDOS to King 007 & Quing 34D for their annexing the back room of Viva Cantina near the Burbank Equestrian Center for a rowdy night of dead Cowboys, sexy Aliens, and everything in between. Craig's effort to draft a detailed agreement had been thwarted by the restaurant owner's insistence that the handshake deal be deliberately vague. So be it! Let the universe wink at the perennially foolish Fools Guild. Isn't it fun being Kings, Craig and Chris? (Answer: um, sometimes.)

The tacky room was Halloween'd up by Sioux Ashe, Dianne Longdo and the Quing. Debi Cable's donation from her Altvision show turned the adjacent patio into a black-light outer-space wonderland, which made a magical chill zone when the overloud house band with its growling, insane lead singer sent us running from the dance floor. Otherwise, DJ (Conehead) Delecta's always-fun and eclectic music mix had us bouncing during the house band's welcomed breaks, and Viva's delicious burritos, margarita pitchers and excellent service kept our bellies warm. Also thanks to Hippy Bear Terry Nassoiy for his dazzling special effects lights and to Dianne Longdo for her adorable tribbles (contact her if you need some of these cuties CHEAP).

The large turnout was crashed by other restaurant patrons ("Hey, this is a private party! – Oh that's right, no written contract, dammit") but a grand time was had by all, including a record number of ex-rexes in attendance (18!). The evening's highlight was a HILARIOUS dance number performed by Paula, Gary, Tuba, Christine and Tom, to the almost-forgotten "Gangnam Style." BRAVO, FOOLS! See you at New Years. --Rover



Auric Goldfinger

Xenia Onatopp

Pussy Galore

Fatima Blush



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Cyanide shooting flower



landestination Invitation

Mister Bond loves martinis  
and girls in bikinis  
and gadgets that shoot or explode,  
He wears a tuxedo,  
or wet-suit and Speedo,  
his e-mail is written in code.

James Bond had his Q,  
and we Fools had one too  
but both have departed this sphere,  
They're queued up in heaven  
while double-0-seven  
is having a party down here.

Now Lily and James  
(those aren't their real names)  
have planted a bug in your ear  
To reveal you're invited a  
(I hope you're excited!)  
to infiltrate this fête of the Year.

You guys who are wise  
Might don a disguise  
or offer up fictitious names,  
Like Pussy Galore,  
Odd Job, or what's more  
the abovementioned, Lily and James.

Just be surreptitious  
but don't act suspicious -  
sub rosa's the word of the day -  
They've invited you here  
to ring in the New Year,  
incognito you should be OK.  
JPK 12/5/2013



The Spy Who Came In From the Safety Meeting



Clownshoe phone

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## Fool's' Guild Application d' Membership, Duh.

**For consideration as a full throated member of the world famous Fools Guild or Fools' Guild or Fool's Guild, or Foles Guild or Foles' Guild or Foole's Guild, please respond to the following prompts, trick questions, probing queries and random admonitions as honestly as foolishly possible. Honestly.**

ARE YOU OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A MEMBER OF ANY ORGANIZATION THAT WOULD HAVE YOU AS A MEMBER, AS FAR AS YOU KNOW?

HOW MANY WHOOPIE CUSHIONS DO YOU CURRENTLY OWN?

DO YOU REGULARLY GET PIED ON YOUR BIRTHDAY? WOULD YOU CONSIDER IT AN HONOUR?

DO YOU FEEL AT HOME WITH PEOPLE WHO SPELL WEIRDS WORDLY, UH, WORDS WEIRDLY?

DO YOU BREAK INTO SONG AND OR DANCE IN PUBLIC FOR NO APPARENT REASON, WHATSOEVER?

DO YOU LIKE TO PLAY DRESS-UP?

WHAT IS YOUR AVERAGE ANNUAL BUDGET FOR MOTLEY?

DO YOU FEEL COMFORTABLE IN THE COMPANY OF PEOPLE WHO ANSWER TO AT LEAST THREE DIFFERENT NAMES?

WHO WOULD WIN IN A FIGHT PINK PANTHER OR SUPER ANT? SUPPORT YOUR ASSERTION.

HOW MANY SLAPSTICKS DO YOU OWN?

HAVE YOU EVER PERFORMED A IO8?

DO YOU ENJOY ORAL PUN-ISHMENT?

WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE HAT?

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING PHRASE: "GOOBLE GOBBLE GOOBLE GOBBLE... \_\_\_\_\_! \_\_\_\_\_! \_\_\_\_\_....."

DO YOU AGREE WITH THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT? "A FOOL AND HIS MONEY ARE SOON PARTYING."

DO YOU CONSIDER BURP SINGING AN ART FORM?

DO YOU NEED A GRANT TO DEVELOP YOUR FUNNY WALK?

DO I LOOK LIKE A FOOL?

WHAT IS YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF FOOL/CLOWN EDUCATION?

WHEN WAS THE LAST TIME YOUR WALKED STILTS, RODE UNICYCLE, JUGGLED, OR WALKED TIGHTROPE? WOULD YOU LIKE TO?

WHO WOULD WIN IN A FIGHT BUGS BUNNY OR ROGER RABBIT? SUPPORT YOUR ASSERTION.

DO YOU KNOW WHO THE BANANA MAN WAS?

HAVE YOU EVER MADE LOVE ON, IN, OR AROUND A HAY BALE? WOULD YOU LIKE TO?

FAVORITE STOOGE? MARX BROTHER? NOT READY FOR PRIME TIME PLAYER?

WHEN YOU FIRST SUBSCRIBED TO MAD MAGAZINE, WHAT WAS THE SINGLE ISSUE PRICE?

DO YOU KNOW THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN A SANDWICH AND A BLOWJOB? WOULD YOU LIKE TO HAVE LUNCH?



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Why Spy

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The Fools Guild & The Mayflower Club Celebrate

# Casino Royale

New Year's in James Bond Style *007*

Tuesday, December 31, 2013 8 PM- Midnight+

There will be a photo taken of all the X-Rex's.

This invitation goes on forever, forever, forever.



You can bring your own Party Hats and Noise Makers.

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***The Fictional Life of the Real James Bond***

***You may think you know the Real James Bond; you've read all the books, seen all the movies, read all the marginalia, but then again, you know there's more to the story. You're just inquisitive that way. And you'd be right. As Paul Harvey would say, "And now for the rest of the story...." I'll let you in on a secret: there's a fictional James Bond.***

***Really. It's true. The Real James Bond you've read about and seen in the movies isn't real at all, he's fictional. Let me prove it.***

***But first we must set the stage for Danny Garland's sake. With the guitar and brass section Bond music theme playing in the background, fade up to a remote desert hideaway for the evil villain with the requisite lit-up globe of the earth to depict the villain's certain world domination! And the shark tank below to torture the soon-to-be-captured James Bond, only to find out too late that Bond escaped from your dim-witted red shirt guys, er, I mean evil henchmen.***

***But, back to show you that the Real James Bond is truly fictional.***

***See, you think that he's real because Sean Connery, Roger Moore, Timothy Dalton, Pierce Brosnan and Daniel Craig don a tux, kiss a girl, get some cool gadgets from Q, kiss a girl, flirt with Monte penny, kiss a girl, learn about the bad guy from M, kiss a girl, fly to a Caribbean island, kiss a girl, take the boat to Greece, kiss a girl, speed off to Austria in an Austin Martin, kiss a girl, swoosh down a ski slope dodging bullets, kiss a girl, knock over a few cafe umbrellas placed there by our favorite alcoholic advertiser, kiss a girl, jump into a speeding cigarette boat, kiss a girl, drop to the depths in scuba gear to disarm a nuclear bomb in a sunken submarine, kiss a girl, and then sail off into the sunset with another girl altogether.***

***Well, he's not. Here's why.***

***See, I've done all those things. Well, ok, maybe not the thing about the bullets. Or the nuclear bomb thing. And people with alphabet names, nope. But pretty much everything else, yep. Even been down to 750 feet in a submarine. Scuba diving in wrecks, check. Swooshing down European ski slopes, check. Even the tux thing; multiple times, white, black and smoking jackets included. And the girl part, well, I've kissed the one that I'm sailing off into the sunset with, and she's the best-looking Bond girl of them all.***

***There are others. My first name is even James. Well, ok, it used to be; now legally it's just "J." But on the other hand, my name sign in ASL is "007," but you have to know how to sign it for you to say it right. It's a deaf thing, I've learned.***

***But Bond? Not even close. Never been in one of the movies and as best I can tell, no one's knocking down my door to look at the next Bond movie script. Daniel Craig seems to be doing just fine, thank you very much.***

***And MI6, the British Secret Service thing, nope. Closest I got was the Coast Guard. Not even a Navy Lieutenant like our man James Bond, the fictional one. Sailing on a Tall Ship in a snappy military uniform, though, that's a check. The experience was pretty cool, too: I was on a race of tall ships from Newport, Rhode Island to Portsmouth, England, then to the Bahamas and finally back up to Newport to end the race. We next sailed into the history books, sailing into New York***





*harbor on July 4, 1976, in full dress, standing on the yardarms with all flags flying. That's where the scuba diving thing came from, too. Academy instructors who toss your gear to the bottom of the deep end of the pool and then go down there and put it on. You learn quickly.*

*The yellow sub was in Honduras, homemade by a 24-four year old from Florida. A hundred bucks later and down we went, but less an engine that sputtered out at 450 feet. There's my real story about it here: <http://tinyurl.com/mj59z9z>.*

*Then there was that time at an actual James Bond-themed party - complete with a goldfinger-painted woman for my old law partner's 60th birthday. That night, all three tux jackets showed up as costume changes for me throughout the night. The next morning, I flew from LAX to ATH, then a quick boat ride on the hovercraft to the crescent-shaped volcanic island, Santorini, and once there a quick cab ride to the white stucco and bright blue cliffside restaurant, and slid in under the white, draped canvas canopy next to the bride-to-be, who I was to walk down the aisle the following morning and give her away to her husband-to-be.*

*As the sunset fell into the horizon that night at dinner, many champagne toasts were raised as we watched the brilliant sunset light up the clouds in a virtual rainbow of colors. The next evening, that storybook wedding was likewise backdropped by the crescent edges of the island as the sunset once again fell gracefully into the ocean on a flagstone patio at the cliffside hotel. Picture perfect. The next day, a catamaran whisked us off to the hot springs where the water bubbled up orange, so orange that my white swim trunks have never recovered.*

*Maybe not so fictional after all. Well, at least that's how I tell the story now.*

*King James Charming, the 007th.*

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*Yours in foolishness,*

***King James Charming the 007th  
and Quing Lily Lamé, 34D***

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Silly Marginalia to go here don't forget to be clever

The Man From Uncle / The Woman from Aunt



New marginalia to go here, can't think of any at the moment..... hmmm

Joanie is glamorous, generous,  
 grand  
 Elegant, Intelligent, and she has  
 at her command  
 A most impressive resume, ac-  
 complishments and such...

And for all that Joanie does for  
 us, we thank her very much.

The place reserved for the Marginalia

OUR Lady of Perpetual Storage:



This is the margin and we must fill it.....



# Foolish 2013/14 Calendar

LOOK FOR THE NEXT CYBER JOKER IN MARCH  
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Marginalia space to be held for something clever

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210 Freeway to Lake Exit, North 3 miles, Right on Altadena Dr.**

**Admission Gratis  
Donations will go to the church in gratitude for their space.**

**A PERFECT LIKENESS: CARROLL PHOTOGRAPHS DICKENS  
BY DANIEL ROVER SINGER**

Did authors Charles Dickens and Lewis Carroll ever meet? No. But after seeing my play "A Perfect Likeness," you'll believe that they did. Following the first staged reading at the Moose Lodge in 2012 and 2 fully-produced workshops, the show will now run for at least 6 weeks at the lovely Fremont Centre Theatre in South Pasadena from Nov 7 to Dec 22.

It's an entertaining mix of comedy, history, literature, and photography, about two wildly different men – an irreverent extrovert and a prickly introvert – whose imagined meeting in 1866 makes for a wildly fun drama. I've loved these gents my whole life. Come see why! They're both fascinating theatrical characters. It was a joy to write their juicy repartee. And you'll love the cast; Bruce Ladd and Daniel J. Roberts are terrific. Use the code ROVER on the ticket website to get \$5 off tickets on Friday, Saturday or Sunday matinee. (Thursday night prices are already discounted.) Tickets make great Christmas gifts! Fremont Centre Theatre  
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