

- P For those unfamiliar with our new culture, I want to acknowledge you as a true Prince of our people, and from me to you on a personal note, it is my honor to be in your presence, New Generation rising yeah?
- SN You know, in my lifetime, this is the only place I've been where an entire generation hold each other in such high esteem, so the honor is mine man, New Generation rising for real. Is this the interview for the youth you was telling me about last week?
- P Yeah, I wanted to do this now, not to catch you off guard tho, I just needed this to be as organic as possible because you are someone to whom I believe the people needs to hear raw and uncut, so with your permission, can I pick your brain?
- SN Shoot.
- P So where did you grow up?
- SN I was born in the Inland Empire in Southern California, my mom moved us to Compton California when I was 8 years old, so my childhood was a Compton affair, but I'm a State Raised Baby, Yeah, that's what we call youth that was raised in the California Youth Authority Juvenile Justice System because most of my teenage years was spent in those kinds of places, starting with Foster Homes.
- P How old were you when you was arrested to come to death row?
- SN I was 26 years old.
- P Wow, that's pretty young to be on your way to death row huh? What was the energy of the youth when you was out?
- SN I mean, we talking the 1990's when Hip Hop was at its highest level in my opinion. I didn't get to death row until 1998, man, time is flying huh? So studio time, live performances, and always on one had me and my crew pretty busy, and not to mention that at that time I was still involved in ministry, as a minister of music, and working as the youth development coordinator since I was fresh out of YA, they thought I was perfect for that service.
- P So how do somebody like you end up on the row?
- SN I know this sounds cliché like, but when one becomes a part of "the system" it's a wrap. I was locked up for killing a man that raped my sister, also torturing the brother of the other man that was involved in the gang rape, so even to this day, I'm the teenage kid that sought revenge, and had a murder on my record so young, so a guilty verdict was too easy. But, I think that the cops was just going around doing sweeps on the youth at that time, because sometimes out of nowhere we would get stopped and asked questions, so my name got ran on the spot a few times. I mean after a long practice for an upcoming hip hop show we would go get burritos and snacks and try to get some sleep, and cops have pulled up to the drive thru, and made us all get out and the rest ends up being the story y'all always hear. But yeah man, your boy couldn't even eat a burrito, or go to sleep without the babylon trippin. I was having a good life out there, I know what being happy is, I'm still all good, this is a moment I need to deal with in my Life's Journey, whatever the party calls for, I'm up for it.
- P I wanted this interview to be different, and address a few things that target youth who are incarcerated who live an alternative sexual Lifestyle, so brace yourself because my plan is to present you with a topic, and just let you roll. What advice could you give Gay Youth, especially those who are incarcerated?
- SN Bottom line is to know facts. For example, on record, I'm the only person on death row with alternative sexual orientation. I'm just me, I don't pretend that I'm not, and I'm not the flamboyant type, I'm just me. But the fact is, out of over 720 men, it's impossible for it to be just me.

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P What other kind of facts do you mean?

SN We are told "in prison" that homosexuality came from white people, and books like the Isis Papers is normally used to justify discrimination amongst fellow Captives. It is obvious that nobody can find the word homosexual in history, or in the Bible because the word Homosexual wasn't created until 1868, just 3 years after the so - called abolishment of slavery in the country. We have a female pharaoh posing as a man, and openly showing affection to, and kissing another female "the pharaoh's wife" in public, the First Gay Marriage? The word was eunuch, and every culture had eunuchs including Africa, feel me? Mind you, that word doesn't always mean a castrated man, and even with that notion, the first records of eunuchs known to man are from our ancient Sumerian City of Lagash near the 21st century before the birth of Jesus. And speaking of Jesus, we find Jesus in Matthew Chapter 19:12 speaking on this issue after someone asked him about marriage. I think it was something like "If you can accept it, accept it" Yall got to look it up because I'm out here off the head because somebody didn't tell me we was going to do this today LOL; but it's all good tho. Ancient Hebrews did not practice castration, but in Isaiah 56:4 they use the word saris, also Ancient Egypt, Babylonia, the Persian Empire, Rome, Sudan, Dafur, I can go on and on. The Egyptians Royal servant Potiphar is described as Saris in Genesis 39:1. The Book of Daniel straight up says "Now God had brought Daniel into favor and tender love with the prince of the eunuchs" in Daniel 1:9. The eunuchs name was Ashpenapaz. Doesn't sound like God had a problem with Daniel and Ashpenapaz and the words tender love. It was God that caused that union, according to that book.

P The Isis Papers? Speak on that Book.

SN Man, the author of that piece of propoganda is Welsing, a female with serious issues was going on one about Flip Wilson, and cross dressers, and was implying that Black Men didn't wear earrings and stuff. Could somebody please tell our mislead sista about the Mau Mau warriors of Masai? African men kicked off wearing all sorts of jewelry in history. She says white people make Black Men Gay, then she says Black Men become Gay in prison as a result of her findings from interviewing gay men in prison. Men have been Gay way before the first prison was ever built, and for a doctor to say that racism caused homosexuality is without a doubt "Super Stupid". It's a trip how our own people begin to sound exactly like Hitler, George Wallace "Gov. of Hatred", and those that had scientific proof that we "The Black Men" was only 3/5 of a Human. Yall need to check Black on Black crime from the top down, and not from the streets. Dr. Welsing's work epitomizes what Black on Black crime is, "murder of the mind". These are the types of people that say hurricane Katrina happened because God was punishing America. So when God got hot at the government and George Bush, he sends hurricanes to kill, and smash Black people in New Orleans? People need to start checking what they say before they spread stupid ass energy. And if all that's true, some God huh? The whole God thing is no longer settling well with a large portion of our Generation due to the words and actions throughout history, specifically when the Black Man in history continues to be victimized by those pushing all that. Poison don't hurt people, it's people that use poison to hurt other people.

P What about the Zine Culture?

SN Real talk, I read an interview with Anthony Rayson who publishes all kinds of Zines, and he stated that he don't publish sexual orientation discrimination laced materials. Now we all respect Anthony, however, I read a zine by a brother up in Pelican Bay Prison in California, I love his work, however, after his mom passed, it was like his writing style for the zine he put out to the Queen was turning into an anti - homosexual rant. I was like Bra snapped. You would think that after all the brotha had studied, viewed, and experienced with the effects of discrimination, his heart would be incapable of bleeding that sort of contempt for his fellow human being. His disposition on anal sex did not include the fact that heterosexual people also participate in that act, make movies with it, and publish it in porno magazines that often are circulated behind prison walls, and moreover, he associated homosexuality with people who have more money than others, as if there was no gay people living in the projects. I want our Gay Brothers and Sisters who are incarcerated to understand that homosexuality has become the last socially acceptable thing to show contempt for without reprisal, especially behind these walls, bars, and gates,

and handcuffs. The Brotha who wrote the zine noted exactly where he grew up. I can tell all of you through my personal experience with that location that everyone in that specific community is not heterosexual. Homosexuality does not make our race weak by no means. It's ironic that when things go all bad in incarcerative situations, Gay Boys are counted as Black, but when it's all good, Gay Boys can't even get a top ramen soup, or a hello, or good morning. We have all witnessed a hetero run out on true blackness. When it comes to money, I have never met any Black person hetero, or Gay that did not want to have lots of money. There are hundreds and thousands of Black heterosexual people in this country with money. Gay people are not the only people in the Black community with money. That sounds more like some hater shit. Let me say this one thing about marriage. Death row and Pelican Bay Prison is crawling with serial rapers and child molesters that by law can marry any female on the planet right inside of the Institution in this state, while at the same time same sex couples can't get married and they never did nothing to nobody, never been to jail either. But a serial raper's sexual orientation is never an issue. Sickness has no Sexual Orientation. Isn't marriage a civil act? Normally performed by a Justice of the Peace? That's an act of government. Real talk, people just chose to use a minister. How is this a free country when marriage becomes an act of religion? What about people that are not religious period? The argument is God did not create Adam and Steve, and Adam and Eve is predicated on bearing children. Well, if that's true, name one married couple that only have sex for the sole purpose of having kids? In fact, how many heterosexual people do you know that only have sex to have kids? These tired ass arguments are still being recycled because they "sound in order, and right". Allow me a moment to sound ridiculous, lets make a law that heterosexual people should not be allowed to have children because:

- #1. They abuse their own children, and children of others.
- #2. They abandoned their children, and children of others.
- #3. They can't control their children to the point where they end up in prison complaining how Gay people shouldn't be allowed to adopt children that have been abused and abandoned by their parents who are heterosexual.
- #4. Early pregnancy, must give the child up for adoption.
- #5. Heterosexual men that impregnate rape victims, must give child up for adoption, or raise rape baby.
- #6. And don't get me started on abortion.

Trust me, I can debate this issue on multiple levels, so my insane heterosexual rant is equal to the anti Gay dumb ass position. I want us as a people to rethink our own positions that often times are the opinions of those following ideologies conducive to supremacy. Check the sexuality of yall child molester ass homies. Where was Blackness when my mom and sister got raped?

P Is there anything you want to say to prisoners that participate in open displays of disrespect towards Gay prisoners?

SN Hell no, because I only address my own people. By that I mean that I should be able to tell the difference of who's who, especially during times of war, as far as I'm concerned, I can only encourage our New Generation to know the difference between stupidity, and ignorance. Those who are ignorant at least have an opportunity to gain knowledge. Stupid people chose to be stupid, and stupidity in my view cannot be distinguished as Black or White, or Spanish or any race. It's like being the same as a Rat, Rats don't have a race, a snitch is a snitch, I've never heard of a White or Black snitch because to me their just a bunch of rats, so I view dumb asses the same way, anyone who does not want the New Generation to become better people "is my enemy". Race, and sexual orientation, creed, cultural diversity and all of the other nuances of life make us who and what we are as a species, so I embrace life in the most natural way I'm able to, and from the time of my earliest childhood, I've remained my natural self. The problem is not mine to deal with. Gay prisoners can have friends, cousins, homies, potnaz, and associated without the sexual element. Diversity is natural. My soul is not up for sale, so I can't be fooled by the use of the word redemption. I don't worship nature, I am nature. Our heterosexual community of the New Generation don't even care about all that, every topic is open for dialog, however I have not experienced any discrimination from the New Generation, when I bring it up to a new cat that don't know, most of the responses have been "so", "and you say that to say what", "I don't

get down like that but do what you do", and "fools done already got at me because they got issues and don't want me kicken it with you but I am a grown ass man". Most prisoners don't realize that just like heterosexual people, homosexual people have preferences as well, so don't too much flatter yourselves because every Gay person don't want you. If it's foul for others to be prejudice against us as a race, than prejudice is an injustice to anyone we subject to the effects of it on any level.

P Now I understand why Charlie Rose enjoys that Round Table. I've heard ya go on one before, and I know risk comes with touchy topics, but this is something that must be done whether it's on t.v. or on a prison yard, lets do some comedy, Dave Chappelle?

SN Awh hell nawh, and all the self righteous laughed. Trip, he leaves his show, and ran his narrow ass to Africa because his people wanted him to dress like a female, wear a wig, and makeup, the whole 9, he said he turned down \$50 million so not to, I guess compromise his integrity as a heterosexual man, and over all, a Black Man.

- #1. He put on a wig, a blond wig, and full white makeup to portray a white news anchorman, he always portrays the white man.
- #2. He portrayed a blind black man that was a member of the KKK, and he dressed in full sheet and hood dragg.
- #3. He portrayed a crack head, and put something on his lips to make himself have chapped lips. A black crack head? Come on.
- #4. He portrayed a slave being whipped by a white man.
- #5. His show is straight laced with every demeaning racial social and economical, mental, spiritual, and educational stereotype ever known to our race, and all the self righteous laughed. He kept that money, and didn't flee the country.

If it wasn't for the Flip Wilson show in those days, there would absolutely be no The Dave Chappelle Show in these days. It was Flip Wilson that provided Dave Chappelle the opportunity to reject a \$50 Mil offer. Westly Snipes, Young Brandon Jackson, Damon Wayans Sr., Damon Wayans Jr., Jamie Foxx, Martin Larence, Eddie Murphy, seem to have no problem with their sexuality, infact, all of them are known to be playas, and some great husbands and fathers. The Terminator, and Danny Divito, and Robin Williams also seem to be sexually "still intact". Dave Chappelle obviously has an issue not displayed on the screen because the old white male establishment conspiracy to keep the Black Man down is being misused in this situation. A true actor can become a rock, dirt, a tree, even the wind. It's an artistic craft that can even call up emotions and tears as needed. But the thespian craft don't apply to Mr. Chappelle because Mr. Chappelle hasn't recovered from whatever it was that made him expose inferiorities. It's the way he did it, that makes himself look weak.

P Where can your fellow Gay prisoners find facts about those eunuch people you was talking about earlier, I never heard about them either, not in that way.

SN Just have yall people go to Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia - and go to the word eunuch and printout 12 pages of interesting facts. The Bibliography is real good. The haters can get it as well to help cure the social disease called discrimination. Most people don't know that all eunuchs were not castrated and most served a gay purpose, at least what is known as gay in these times. I have an idea, before you put this interview out, can I bring you a list of notable eunuchs to print with this?, because it's alot of Gay prisoners, or as we say "The G.L.B.T. Community" that may need to know facts about who was who in history from all races and not just from the "Caucus Mountains" like we have been mislead to believe. It's a trip how cats go to jail and study history, and find everything great to come from the Black Man, and everything foul to come from the White Man, it's sad and funny because they always say that the white man stole every idea from the Black Man, but when it comes to the most secret act between humans "who by the way are wired for pleasure", got all of the things they don't agree with, or is not included in the arabized religious ideologies we often adopt that has failed to maintain its true African attributes; well, got it all from the white man. And to keep it historically real, before the Arabs, and white man's history major Herodotus stepped foot in Africa, nobody has found a shred of evidence where our ancestors

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referred to themselves as Africans. We all know the business, so you can spell it with a K, or add as many K's to the word as you like, you will never make that word "New", or ever be able to connect it to our "ancestors". The New Generation makes the point that slaves in this country did not have birth certificates, my Granfather's say he is negro, my dad's say he is colored, my birth certificate say I'm Black, and my son's say he is African American, I wonder what race my grandson will be, You feel me? So while we in jail trying to be super AFRIKAN, we still claiming to be what others name us. The world don't need another hypothesized version of the origins of what "They say about us". My intention is to empower the G.L.B.T. incarcerated by letting my family know that although the word game is not the issue, it's always good to know facts about yourself in these places filled with the self righteous, and self appointed experts of a life style they claim never to have experienced. I said all of that to say, who died and left people in charge of the sexual orientation of other people, when even in their own zines displayed the lack of knowledge of who and what they are by agreeing, and spreading old ideologies and adding the word new to it. Generations become New, ideologies are trapped in the time they are created. That's not going to stop me from being a zine reader, I love the raw talent coming from all over, especially Pelican Bay, and yes, I do understand that a loss of a parent can reflect in multiple ways in the work of one of my "favorite writers". I guess I was just disappointed after feeling a connection to his work, and then be given that zine produced for the Queens. No excuses, as a man, that writer is responsible for his own work, and I can only encourage all of my fellow Zine Community with these words. If you represent unity, you must not display ostracism, you become a contradictor of your own Spirit and energy. Contradiction is a softer word we use for liars, the New Generation can spot a liar that uses Recycled work that failed every time it raised its head in history. My name is Sniper, I'm well known on death row, I'm on group exercise yard 5 in unit East Block, and I'm a part of the New Generation of Captives that was targeted by law enforcement agents to maintain slavery in this country just like the rest of yall. Discrimination, is discrimination, even when it comes from you. If ya talk like our enemy, and you treat me in the exact same way as our enemy, guess what? The melanin in your skin, and your state of mind is in conflict, so welcome to enmity. The authors of the ideologies yall pushing came from the minds that didn't know that the world wasn't flat. They had no idea of what an airplane, computer, ipod, or xbox is. Times and people grow and move towards more growth. There was great earthquakes in the land before any prophecy, men where lovers of themselves before the end time prophecies. No man knows the day, nor the hour, but hold onto those signs and wonders to give you a heads up that the end is near. But in the meantime, go to Ephesians Chapter 7 and check out your boy saying "Slaves Obey Your Masters". From that day to this one, it's impossible for me to serve the same God as the person that gave that order. You can Arabize that God, Eurobize Him, Jewize Him, or Africanize Him. I don't believe in reform, Period.

P That was heavy Snipe, real talk, you are either crazy as hell, or, you got heart.

SN Call it whatever, I'm just saying, all of us need to know that they are not alone behind these walls in prisons all over the world. We try to out struggle each other all the time, when the fact is we all up against the same demons, and energies that's killing us all real slow. This planet belongs to the entire universe, and homosexual people are members of the family of the living and progress, and expansion, that's not a debatable issue. I don't like slimy okra, and smothered liver, but I have no standing to demonize those that have a more divers interest in food. I do however have standing to debate what is human and spiritual, and not religious. New Generation Rising. Our AMI brothers should also be aware that in this country, it was the Native American Indian Culture that was the first to expose the Gay life style as natural. They call it "Two Spirited", people can also check those facts, so a shot out to all of our two spirit brothers and sisters. Love is not what others say it is, love was love before man developed an opinion.

P I like that, speak on that some more?

SN I'd have to speak on what love is not. I wanted to touch on the biblical story of Sodom and Gomorah. The people outside of Lot's house thought those were men inside of Lot's house. The fact is, they were angels, and we have all heard about how dazzling and attractive angels are. Gen. chapter 19 says "Now two angels came to Sodom", so get the facts of the story straight. Those angels are not men. Also verse

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4 is clear to state that "the men of Sodom, both old and young, and all the people from every quarter, surrounded the house. Anti - Gay religious movements push this verse, but they always fail to include the entire verse. It says "and all the people from every quarter surrounded the house". We also forget that in those days the word men, and man also included the entire human race, hence, "The Son of Man". Anyway, the God in the Bible has displayed a history of not approving sexual act between humans and Gods. One of the main reasons for the Flood is in Gen. 6 stating "Sons of God and the Daughter of Man had sex and had children". Son's of God is one species, Daughters of Man is another species, and their Children make up a 3rd species. Mind you the Flood was before the Sodom and Gomorah story. And if God destroyed Sodom and Gomorah just to kill off homosexuals, how then was I born? Keep in mind that even the word God becomes the word Lord in Genesis, and history tells us that men called each other Lord, especially in those times. In verse 13, the angels speak and say "for we will destroy this place", also "and the Lord has sent us to destroy it". In verse 18 Lot calls the angels "my Lords". The "S" means plural, more than one Lord, so the use of the word Lord in those days also applied to angels as well. Verse 24 says "the Lord, not God". Now you can see what I'm doing? Real talk, this is exactly what they do.

P I get it, you just did what others do to make the bible fit your way of thinking.

SN You sharp Baby Boy, that's the easy part, that's why people get away with being spokes persons for whatever God they're pushing. My experience in ministry has taught me that mind control is only useful at belief. The human brain is wired for belief, and it's very difficult to no longer believe a thing to be true. Some people die believing things that are not true. It's a hard pill for most to swallow, seriously, but I got past being betrayed, mislead and lied to. It wasn't easy, however I had to become the best me I could be, and growth is a process. I believe in the difference between Religion and Spirituality, Man developed religion, spirituality is a development of nature that is out of man's control. Because religion is a choice, like I say, my soul is not up for sale, or as it's always known as "Redemption". We as a human species can now see a movement to collect the souls of man, and the collection of negative energy at confessions, and conversions. Call me crazy, but all of that has never sat well with my spirit, so as an adult, I'm going to ride with my ancestors on this one. Now I understand why some religions was embraced as a means for survival of multitudes of our ancestors so that our Generation, and people could continue. It was a risky move, but well worth our love for each other. We forget as a people, but not our generation, we get it and we say thank you to our ancestors for being smarter than their captors and enslavers, absolutely brilliant.

P Yeah, remember me when you come into Your Kingdom.

SN Paradise is a Journey, not a destination, it is I that reign with you.

LOCATION: California Death Row, San Quentin State Prison
Golgotha, The Place of the Skull

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Chief Eunuch of Ottoman Sultan Abdul Hamid II at the Imperial Palace, 1912.

Notable eunuchs

Eunuchs

- Aspamistres or Mithridates (5th century BC): bodyguard of Xerxes I of Persia, and (with Artabanus) his murderer.
- Artoxares: an envoy of Artaxerxes I and Darius II of Persia.
- Bagoas (4th century BC): prime minister of king Artaxerxes III of Persia, and his assassin. (Bagoas is an old Persian word meaning *eunuch*.)
- Bagoas (4th century BC): a favorite of Alexander the Great. Influential in changing Alexander's attitude toward Persians and therefore in the king's policy decision to try to integrate the conquered peoples fully into his Empire as loyal subjects. He thereby paved the way for the relative success of Alexander's Seleucid successors and greatly enhanced the penetration of Greek culture to the East.
- Philetaerus (4th/3rd century BC): founder of the Attalid dynasty of Pergamum
- Sima Qian (old romanization Ssu-ma Chi'en; 2nd/1st century BC): the first person to have practiced modern historiography – gathering and analyzing both primary and secondary sources in order to write his monumental history of the Chinese empire.
- Ganymedes (1st century BC): highly capable adviser and general of Cleopatra VII's sister and rival, Princess Arsinoe. Unsuccessfully attacked Julius Caesar three times at Alexandria.
- Pothinus (1st century BC): regent for pharaoh Ptolemy XII.
- Unidentified eunuch of the Ethiopian court (1st century AD), described in The Acts of the Apostles (chapter 8). Philip the Evangelist, one of the original seven deacons, is directed by the Holy Spirit to catch up to the eunuch's chariot and hears him reading from the Book of Isaiah (chapter 53). It's a section, which prophesies Jesus' crucifixion, and Philip witnesses to the eunuch about the fulfillment of the prophecy. The eunuch is baptized shortly thereafter. It's the first recorded case of the conversion of someone who had possibly been marginalized for gender reasons.
- Cai Lun (old romanization Ts'ai Lun; 1st/2nd century AD): reasonable evidence exists to suggest that he was truly the inventor of paper. At the very least, he established the importance of paper and standardized its manufacture in the Chinese empire.
- Origen: early Christian theologian, allegedly castrated himself based on his reading of the Gospel of Matthew 19:12 (*For there are eunuchs, who were born so from their mother's womb: and there are eunuchs, who were made so by men: and there are eunuchs, who have made themselves eunuchs for the kingdom of heaven. He that can take, let him take it.*). Despite the fact that the early Christian theologian Tertullian wrote that Jesus was a eunuch, there is no corroboration in any other early source. (The Skoptsy did, however, believe it to be true.) Tertullian also wrote that he knew, personally, the author^[citation needed] of the Gospel of Matthew, and that he was a eunuch. Again, this is not attested elsewhere, nor is the account of Origen's self-castration.
- Eutropius (5th century AD): only eunuch known to have attained the highly distinguished and very influential position of Roman Consul.
- Chrysaphius: chief minister of Eastern Roman Emperor Theodosius II, architect of imperial policy towards the Huns.

- Narses (478–573): general of Byzantine emperor Justinian I, responsible for destroying the Ostrogoths in 552 at the Battle of Taginae in Italy and saving Rome for the empire.
- Ignatius of Constantinople (799–877): twice Patriarch of Constantinople during troubled political times [847–858 and 867–877]. First absolutely unquestioned eunuch saint, recognized by both the Orthodox and Roman Churches. (There are a great many early saints who were probably eunuchs, though few either as influential nor unquestioned as to their castration.)
- Jia Xian (c. 1010- c. 1070): Chinese mathematician, Invented the *Jia Xian triangle* for the calculation of square roots and cube roots.
- Ly Thuong Kiet (1019–1105): general during the Lý Dynasty in Vietnam. Penned what is considered the first Vietnamese declaration of independence. Regarded as a Vietnamese national hero.
- Pierre Abélard (1079–1142): French scholastic philosopher and theologian. Forcibly castrated while in bed by his girlfriend's uncle.
- Malik Kafur (fl. 1296–1316): a eunuch slave who became a general in the army of Alauddin Khilji, ruler of the Delhi sultanate.
- Zheng He (1371–1433): famous admiral who led huge Chinese fleets of exploration around the Indian Ocean.
- Judar Pasha (late 16th century): a Spanish eunuch who became the head of the Moroccan invasion force into the Songhai Empire.
- Carlo Broschi, called Farinelli (1705–82): renowned Italian castrato.
- Kim Cheo-seon: one of the most famous eunuchs in Korean Joseon Dynasty, ably served kings in the Joseon dynasty. His life is now the subject of a historical drama in South Korea.
- Mohammad Khan Qajar: chief of the Qajar tribe. He became the King/Shah of Persia in 1794 and established the Qajar dynasty.
- Shu Diao: intrigant eunuch who was responsible of a successor civil war in the feudal state of Qi
- Zhao Gao: favourite of Qin Shihuangdi, who plotted against Li Si (died 210 BC)
- Zhang Rang: head of the infamous "10 Changshi" (Ten attendants) of Eastern Han Dynasty
- Huang Hao: eunuch in the state of Shu; also appears in the *Romance of the Three Kingdoms*
- Cen Hun: eunuch in the state of Wu during the Three Kingdoms Period
- Gao Lishi: a loyal and trusted friend of Tang emperor Xuanzong
- Le Van Duyet: famous 18th century Vietnamese eunuch, military strategist and government official (not a true eunuch, he was born a hermaphrodite)
- Li Fuguo: The Tang eunuch who began another era of eunuch rule
- Yu Chao'en: Tang eunuch who began his "career" as army supervisor
- Wang Zhen: first Ming eunuch with much power, see Tumu Crisis
- Gang Bing: patron saint of eunuchs in China who castrated himself to demonstrate his loyalty to emperor Yongle
- Yishiha: admiral in charge of expeditions down the Amur River under the Yongle and Xuande Emperors
- Liu Jin: a well-known eunuch despot
- Wei Zhongxian: most infamous eunuch in Chinese history
- An Dehai: corrupt eunuch of Qing Dynasty – favorite of Empress Dowager Cixi
- Li Lianying: a despotic eunuch of the Qing Dynasty
- Boston Corbett (1832 – presumed dead 1894): who killed John Wilkes Booth, castrated himself to avoid temptation from prostitutes
- Sun Yaoting (1902–1996): last surviving imperial eunuch of Chinese history

Ancient Middle East

Eunuchs were familiar figures in the Assyrian Empire (ca. 850 till 622 BC) in the court of the Egyptian Pharaohs (down to the Lagid dynasty known as Ptolemies, ending with Cleopatra). Political eunuchism became a fully established institution among the Achamenide Persians^[4]