

## AZANDE Press (B)

Now that Azande Zine issues have been Beta-tested within the Condemned population for the chosen few, also select SQSP mainline inmates in North Block, Reception Center Housing areas, Donner Section and Alpine units, Mule Creek Facility, and other Zinester Community Activist, I trust that we have a product ready for further distribution throughout The Country, and beyond.

Through intense inquiry, I discovered there existed ZERO African American Perspective LGBTQI+ Programming for the Educational, Medical, Spiritual, and Mental Health and wellbeing in NO American Prison Facility, NONE.

I have found several Amazing Inmate Created Self-Help Groups for The LGBTQI+ Community, and even with these groups, the primary focus design is Transgender based, and Minimal to No African American Awareness and Studies.

For clarity, here, I will use the San Quentin Model. What most people don't know is SQ is actually several different Custody Level Prisons located in one Facility.

1. The Mainline population which is primarily a LEVEL II Facility, and in order for inmates to be on this Campus and Participate in Rehabilitative programs, They "All" Must Sign a written agreement with the CDCR to not engage in any Gang Activity, OR acts of violence.

On the Prison Culture side of this NON-Designated program, the ignorant, institutionalized, Gang mentality inmates, view all NON-Designated program institutions as

- a) P.C.
- b) Sensitive Needs
- c) Dropout
- d) Snitches
- e) Rapist
- f) Homosexuals

In any other Custody Level like Level FOUR, and Level Three institutions, in the event that other inmates discover that a fellow inmate was housed in a NON-Designated prison, that inmate will be physically attacked and not allowed to return.

Therefore, it becomes a very fraudulent claim of any program for LGBTQIT, to intend to end violence against LGBTQIT inmates at SQSP

Because that type of program is only offered to a portion of the prison population that are not under direct threat of violence, and have already signed an agreement with CDCR to not forfeit program status through Gang activity and violence.

San Quentin's other inmate population programs have ZERO inter-existence with each other, for example:

1. San Quentin is also a Northern Reception Center for inmates who are recently committed, and are awaiting endorsement for housing within the states multiple institutions

1. Donner Section
2. Badger Section
3. Alpine Unit
4. Carson Section

In the event that an inmate openly identifies to any degree as LGBTQIT in these Units, that inmate is subjected to brutal assaults and beatings, that include being spit on, having water, URIN, ~~Feces~~, and Dirty Condoms doused on them, and forced to be rehoused in Alpine Unit which is primarily a P.C. Protective Custody program, with Reception Center Over-Flow-tiers

There are NO LGBTQIT Programming and Services in Donner, Badger, and Carson Sections, also ZERO in Alpine, where no inmate has signed the agreement with the Department to Non Designated Status programming, as LGBTQIT inmates have no place to land, ZERO resources.

2. San Quentin is also a prison that houses death row inmate population

1. Unit East Block
2. Unit North-SEG
3. Adjustment Center
4. 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Tiers - DONNER Section

Through further research, I also found ZERO Reports, or District Attorney Referrals for the prosecution of any inmate for Hate Crimes against another inmate based on Sexual Orientation, and Identity, as far back as 30 years.

Surprisingly most Gangs and Subcultural groups was up front to state that after a recent struggle against The Department to be released from years of Solitary Confinement, and back into the CDCR General Population, The Department moved to change to a different Prison model called

Non-Designated programs that would mix The 5050 versions of the programs in all California Prisons with Gang Dropouts, SNYS, Rapist, Child Molesters, Everyone in the same program.

In an attempt to stop CDCR from moving forward with this Model, The Gangs made an agreement amongst themselves to End all of The Hostilities Between the Races, which turned out to be a clandestine shell game that was really an Agreement to End The Hostilities Between Active Gangs, Prison Gangs, and Street Gangs.

This Agreement had a second prong for the forced, violent physical removal of all of the so-called "Undesirable" inmates.

Some Gangmembers relayed to me that they was Not involved in said action and agreement with other Gangs.

I expressed to them that there is a contradiction of Blackness when we as a people hold the White Silence's violence disposition over white people, and Police officers that call themselves good, yet do, and say nothing about fellow white people and Police Brutality and Murder of our Black Youth, and yet, fellow Gang Members, of all races spit on, and toss urine and feces on Black Gay inmates in Gang Silence?

Other Gangmembers say, "Well, we got tired of The Homies fighting each other over pussy niggas, so they all had to go. I said, Females have caused The Homies to fight and kill each other in Jails, Prisons, The Streets, and in the Hood, and nobody has agreed to get rid of all females."

another Gangmember said, "Well Homosexuals be Snitchin, and using prison yards as a hunting ground to turn out The Homies."



I said "Snitchin is a regular Component to criminal life, and for decades Gangmembers have been notorious for Snitchin, moreover, when a Gangmember Snitches, nobody agrees to get rid of all Gangmembers, and Gangmembers are still Snitchin to this day, in fact, to your other point, Gangs are also known to use prison yards as a hunting ground to "turn others out" into being gangmembers, and nobody has called for an agreement to get rid of those that do what you speak of.

Another Gangmember said "Well, 9 times out of 10, Fags are in prison for being pedophile Childmolesters, Raping little boys, so they had to go".

I replied that the stats show that most pedophiles, Rapist, and Childmolesters identify and present as Heterosexual, and there are more sex offenders who identify as Heterosexual Gangmembers who are Black and on so-called Deathrow solid yards than Blacks assigned to so-called SNY yards put together, to this very second.

In fact, the very Gangs that are involved in the agreement, made the agreement with, and are still on the yard with, Rednecks, Child Molesters, Serial Rapist with Medic given nicknames and other sex related offenses, and nobody is "Getting rid of them because they are the Homies?"

The last Gangmember said, "Well, Governor Gavin Newsome supports Gay shit, so at some point, especially if a few fags get smoked (killed), then he will force CDCR to stop that 5050 program merger bullshit, and the white man brought that Homosexual shit to Africa anyway, Fuck all Fags, and You're an Atomination

My spit became, IF my Black adversary, with His Brilliant Book writing ass was this ignorant to the facts, then how much more ignorant was my fellow Black Gay Family?, So with love, I created Azande Press Line Issue Series  
- F. Smith