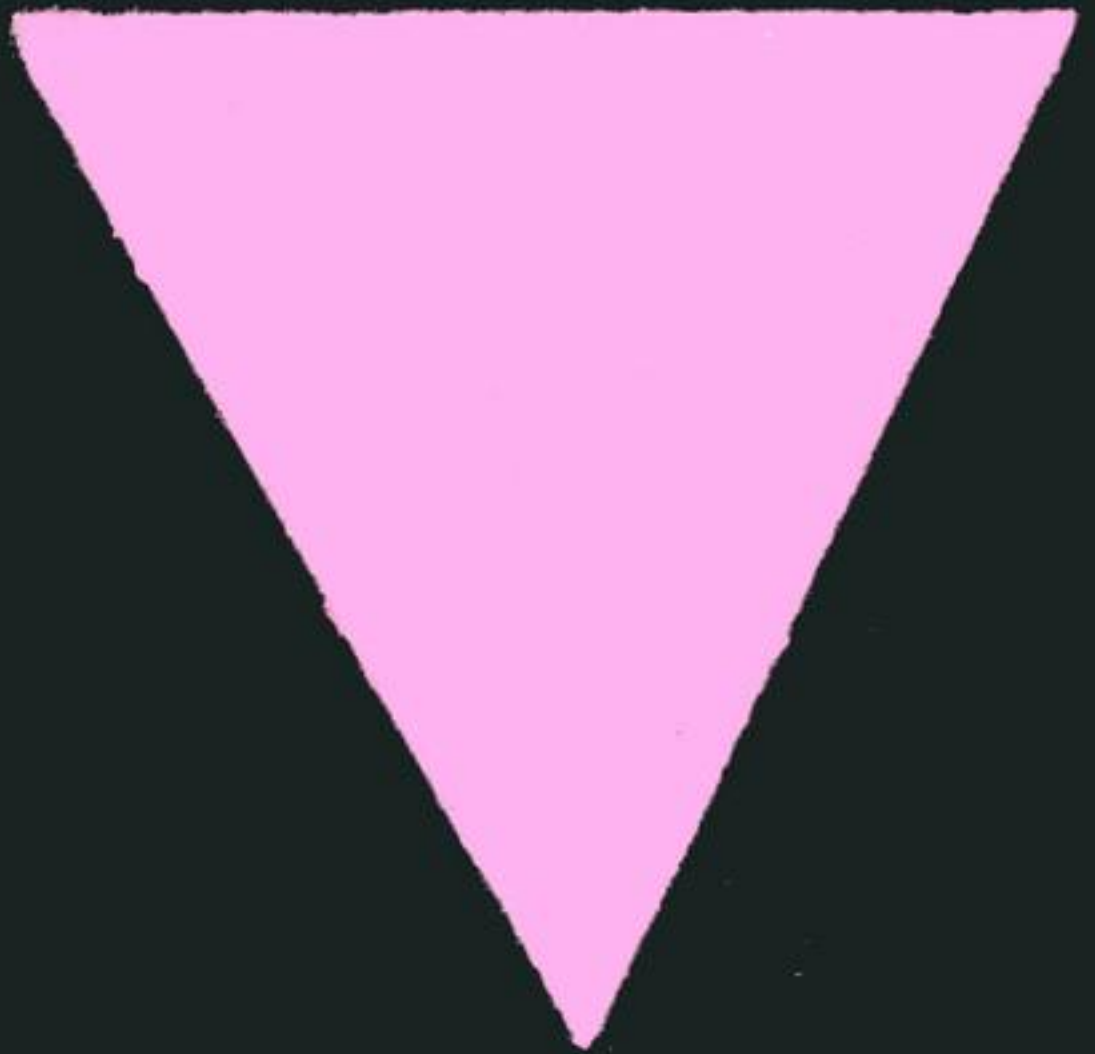


Getting Better

I posted this call
on the outside of this cell
for all of PRIDE Month 21
to honor everyone who was
executed, imprisoned, and abused
for simply being themselves,
around the World. We just
don't have the luxury not to
become better people and
although it took me awhile
to catch up, I'm finally
bettering myself.

- XYZST



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On the very last day of PRIDE 21, San Quentin State Prison Administration finally allowed for The Condemned LGBTQIA+ Spirituality Group to session in the Walk Alone Yard Caged area outside of the Upper Yard.

LT. ARMAS made all of this happen, after an almost 2 year struggle that got beyond ugly at times. We played a few CDs on a Boombox of Hidden Beach Unwrapped HipHop/Jazz Instrumentals to set the tone of reunion, and a goodbye to our last tgirl Skyler, who is set to transfer to Chowchilla Womens Campus, as we all signed a copy of the ATANDE Press Line Issue #11 for Her to Journey with.

Me, Sky, Pelone, Reynard and Randy held a special moment of Silence for the COVID-19 virus caused passing of our former Member Johnny Boy, as Reynard Read the Names of all tgirls that was murdered in 2020, and 2021. We then provided clarity to Admins for the forthcoming 2 DVD-R's submissions of Our Sound Mind Streamer program to SQTV Media Center, as a re-launch to provide LGBTQIA+ affirming content for LGBTQIA+ identifying Residents.

Ending War is one thing, however, providing a safe place to land is now in order, Join us as we continue to serve, each other. Happy PRIDE 2021
— XYZZST