

Dear Abby

## Truth About Homosexuals—A Quiz

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DEAR ABBY: Several years ago you ran a "Test Your Knowledge of Homosexuality" quiz. Will you please run it again? Thank you.

R.M.G., HOUSTON

DEAR R.M.G.: Here it is:

DEAR READERS: How much do you know about homosexuality? Mark the following statements "True" or "False."

—Homosexuals commit more crimes than straight people.

—Everyone is born straight, but some become gay

because they have been seduced by a gay person early in life.

—You can always tell homosexuals and lesbians by the way they act, dress and talk.

—If a person is gay, no amount of therapy or motivation can change him.

—Boys raised by domineering mothers and weak (or absent) fathers usually turn into homosexuals.

—Gay people can never become mothers or fathers.

—Homosexuals are more inclined to molest children sexually than heterosexuals.

—If a person has one or two sexual experiences with someone of the same sex, he is gay.

—The American Psychiatric Assn. classifies homosexuals as "sick."

—Homosexuals can be legally married to each other under the law in the United States.

—Most homosexuals try to convert young people into becoming gay also.

—Children raised by gay parents (or gay people) usually become homosexuals themselves.

How did you score?

If you marked all 12 statements "False," you are very well informed.

If you marked nine or more statements "False," you are fairly well informed.

If you marked four or more statements "True," you have a great deal to learn about homosexuality, because *all* of the above statements are false!

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DEAR ABBY: During the last few years, I have

spent a small fortune trying to find a comfortable brassiere. I have a large drawer filled with practically new brassieres—none of which I can wear.

I have tried different brands and have been fitted by professionals in Ypsilanti, Detroit and Ann Arbor. Not one fits! All day I feel pinched, poked and pushed. When I get home from work, the first thing I do is take off my bra.

I don't want a bra that makes me look sexy—all I want is one that's comfortable.

Right now I'm wearing a nursing bra, which is far from comfortable, but I haven't been able to find anything that's better. Is there no one in the country who designs a comfortable bra for a 38D?

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DEAR D: There must be a bra for you—you just haven't found it yet. If your needs are special, perhaps a bra can be altered to fit you more comfortably. In the meantime, if I hear from a 38D with a helpful suggestion, I'll let you know.