

Gay Minority SISTERS

we're here for you

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Are you a member of a racial minority... and a woman...

and a Lesbian? Sometimes it seems as though life has
a way of making a person feel like she is in a category all by herself. That is, it's hard enough trying
to cope with being a minority woman in a white, anglo,
male dominated society ... but when you're a Lesbian,
too, that sort of cuts you off in many ways from other
members of your own ethnic group, and increases the
sense of isolation making it harder to find people
that you can relate to.

Until now. Did you know that there is a group of women like you in the Twin Cities? We haven't got a name yet, but we're on the case ... trying to make life a little more interesting and <u>fun</u>.

Who are we? We are Lesbians ... Black, Chicana, Native American, Asian American ... who offer eachother and you support, somebody to talk to, a chance to meet other women, an opportunity to broaden your horizons.

What do we do? We offer an alternative to bars and a chance to expand your social life ... we have monthly potluck parties ... we go on enjoyable social outings like our recent one to the Sweet Honey In The Rock concert. We have informal rap sessions, which we find beneficial to everybody's mental and spiritual health. But most of all ... we're here for you and other women like you. This is something that you can feel that

you belong to and that belongs to you. Besides the social aspect, we offer a range of support services ... a hot line which is run by sympathetic non-white Lesbians who are willing to listen to whatever is on your mind and advise you whenever necessary. We also have a drop-in center where you can come in and feel at home ... and talk to other gay minority women and even get actively involved in doing things that interest you.

By now you are probably wondering how you can get in touch with us if only to find out a little more about us. That's simple!

Our office is located in the headquarters of the Lesbian Feminist Organizing Committee at 2104 Stevens Avenue South, Minneapolis. Our drop-in hours are on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4-7p.m. The hotline operates daily from 10p.m.-2a.m. and the number is 870-9232. Why don't you give us a call? We've got some hip things in the works that you might not want to miss. Maybe you have a few ideas that you would like to see get off the drawing board and into reality ... why don't you try them out on us? All information is confidential. Remember, we're here for you.

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