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Subject: Re: prop 8 california passes

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One of my best friends is a lesbian; when she gets married (some day) I intend to be her best man, assuming her brother doesn't lay first claim to the position. Maybe by that time I'll have a girlfriend or a wife of my own, and I sure as hell want one of the kindest, most caring human beings I've ever met to have the same shot at happiness.

I don't think I really need to elaborate too much where I come down on gay rights; majority rule does not grant the majority the power to oppress the minority. Might does not make right; opinion makes poor policy. Every citizen of this country is guaranteed equal protection under law- if a right or a privilege is granted to one, it must be granted to all. An individual or group may feel however they wish about any other individual or group, but to use the democratic process as a vehicle to deny others rights which they enjoy themselves is nothing more nor less than a betrayal and a gross violation of every ideal this nation claims to stand for.

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