

LONELY HEARTS OF THE SPINWARD RING

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Slender, sap-filled Graan, seen at Transept Majora last sixday. You apologized for your scent modulation, we exchanged looks of amusement. Me, grey-furred Al-pandra in limbage. Cannot forget you. Meeting for social fluid intake? I am low gravity, but high fun.

Partner, Okoli, wanted before next cold cycle. Gene strand thirteen, or any odd number. Low metabolism an advantage. Food stockpiled. Will need own hibernation booth. No time wasters.

Dominant seeks prey.

Species of small importance. With whole head. Full submission for reward and joy. You will contact me! Ref 3324.

Tired of lightweights? Then join the Absikka high-g club. Meet every fourday in Rim Lounge. Five where anything goes. **NO** corrosive bodily fluids. **NO** parasites or symbiotes. Full-spectrum city-certified tests required. All heavy gravity species welcome. **NO** rollers.

Lurf, single, slim, varied interests, pre-third molting, seeks other Lurf from seaward or greyside clans, fifth molting or earlier, with a view to interaction, coupling, birthing, death, recombination, illumination, synthesis, transcendence. Sense of humor a plus.

Kind servant seeks bipedal partner for **soft games**. All your orders will be obeyed. **LARGE SIZE**, much muscle. Contact! Ref 3324.

HUNGRY? Graan, in bloom, seeks herbivore for all-over eating fun. Start with grazing, see where it goes from there. Fast regrowth, varied crop, moist stems. **Discretion guaranteed.**

Just out of a long-term thing, in the mood to experiment. Surprise me. Whatever you got, I'll take it, if you just show me how. Fast learner. Aquatic, shelled, whatever. **NO ROLLERS.**

*****Seeking mate.***** Slim-limbed. Enjoy conversing, eating of solids, aimless walking. Warm comfortable nest. Body fat preferred. Ref 3324.

Young, fun and full of . . . credits? Then here's your chance! Female human seeks buddy for wild wet-world safari. Athletic build a must. Two skinsuits already purchased, spare one is STA size seventeen. Are you the body to fill it? Then don't wait, pling me now!

Music lessons in return for company. Quiet location. Soundproofed! **Good rates for large singles.** You will respond! Ref 3324.

Dance partner wanted, in medium-g ranges. Four legs preferred, two considered. Three allowed. No tails. Skin pH 6-7. Visible nipples or equivalent an advantage. Fur, but not coarse. No weirdos.

Ground-dwelling Happak needs skydweller for hide-hunt and whatever else might happen. De-clawed a must. Bruising allowed. Large sim grove, fully equipped, high roof, almost like real thing. Fresh meat, warm symblood for games. Strike now and rip out this still-beating heart.

Pleasure synthetic. *****Seeks companion.***** Days off. Talking. Trading orones. Sensory bleeds. All considered. No sex. Contact now. **NO SEX.**

Problems keeping pollination rates up? Hive of Zoope searching for your nectar, willing to try anything once. Experience with a dozen plant races, have references. Discrete meetings guaranteed and results delivered. Get that buzz back in your flowering buds. No rollers.

Hungry! **For love.** Come to me and have it. All you want. It waits here. We do all and I devour you. **With love.** Respond! Ref 3324.

METHANE BREATHERS, seek different gases? Full suite of many gases, all atmospheres, joy in your place, in return for so little. Full knowledge, bodies and minds. None leave without joy. Fatality at own risk. Call mornings.

Human male, 40s, needs travel partner for wet-world safari. Have ticket, you'll need to get your own. Anything bipedal considered. A plus if you have an extra skinsuit. STA size nineteen. Maybe twenty.

Roller, looking for **love**. All of interest. Anything. Please call. ■