

FAKE NEWS UPDATE

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The Fake News Update is brought to you in part by Brother Hank's Clown School. That's right ole P-Dawg is becoming an ole P-Clown. It has been my dream to run away with the Cirque - which is french for Cirque - since childhood! I dug my greasy paws into my greasy drawers and shilled out enough for some grease-style grease paint! So with a nose of red and a heart of gold, I'm beginning my personal journey to becoming the best clown I can be! I know I've got big shoes to fill!

ANAHITA

Professionalism in the workplace. How radio is no laughing matter. Tonight, right now. With all the news you never knew you needed and all the news you needed to know, I'm Anahita Ardashir

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And I'm Pennies! The Check Writing Clown! From the KLMNOP Studios in the Time of my Life, this is FNU: The FUN News Update!

ANAHITA

And now, today's headlines. Thousands dead -

Thousands dead in tragic -

Perennial.

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Sorry, Heets! Uh, my nose was lookin' a little dull - seems like I might need a shine-o-plasty

ANAHITA

Not today.

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My schnoz!

ANAHITA

THOUSANDS - literally dozens of hundreds - DEAD in tragic circus -

TRAGIC circus accident as the Big Top Clown Convention - the second largest gathering of sex-dominant queer cirque performers - consumed by flames after torch-juggling performance goes horribly wrong.

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Those clowns were FLAMING! Literally!

ANAHITA

People died, Perennial.

In other news, due to a recent shortage in LGBTQ clowns, circuses across the country are now hiring.

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My dream!

Brother Hank will be so proud of me!

ANAHITA

Perennial, please, for the love of goddess, do a headline.

PERENNIAL

I'd rather make me balloon animals!

Ta-duh!

ANAHITA

Inscrutable.

PERENNIAL

But...it's you.

ANAHITA

And now, Poetry Nook.

Perennial please. Ring the chimes.

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I'm makin' 'em outta balloons!

ANAHITA

This is Mimes in the Window by Marsha Meestoe

Over there, Mommy!

Look!

Look!

In the window!

The stripe'd man of black and white
His hands push against what is unseen
And my heart flutters at his struggle

"Hush, little darling
Oh child of mine
My sparrow-babe, my chickadee,
Watch him work
That mime
That mime in yon window"

A painted face, white as ivory,
Stark as Tony,
Stares back at me
And in his eyes I see myself
And in myself I see his fear

Now I am an old woman
Looking back on youth
I realize now the glass was naught but air
And the window was naught but in my mind.

Mime in the window.
Mind in the window.
MINE in the window.

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The Fake News Update is brought to you by the childlike spirit inside each and every clown! Also by the tenets of Brother Hank which include: tithing, praying to the Elder Clown God, Moroth, and Spoke Media! If you'd like to follow my 12 Step clown journey, visit Brother Hank's website, brotherhanksendtimecircus.angelfire.com. On brotherhanksendtimescircus.angelfire.com you can learn all about this "clown college" we call LIFE! For only infinite payments of \$19.95, Brother Hank is going to tell you The Secret to unleash your inner clown through the power of Moroth, the Clown God!

ANAHITA

Also, we're on twitter at @I_Perennial and at @anahitaardashir. Subscribe to our program and rate us accordingly.

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From a new plane of consciousness and KLMNOP, thank you for listening to the Fake News Update! And until next time...

ANAHITA/PERENNIAL

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