

Re: Gay lisp

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Mxsmanic wrote:

> *Reinhold (Rey) Aman writes:*

>> **Effeminate*: 1. having qualities or characteristics more often
>> associated with women than men; unmanly; 2. characterized by
>> weakness and excessive refinement.*

> *Yes, I know. But what sort of _words_ are effeminate?*

You really don't know that American men and women use different words and expressions? (I have no knowledge of what's going on in other regional variations of English.) No heterosexual man would seriously use "darling" and "fabulous" as adjectives. No heterosexual man (except for salesmen in a paint store) would use -- or even know -- the various sissy color terms gaily flung about by dainty wimmen and daintier interior decorators (such as "mauve," "puce," "eggshell," or "chartreuse"). And no real man would say, "Don't you think it's kind of darkish in here?" when he means, "Put in a brighter light bulb!"

>> *Thus, women's language (esp. vocabulary) used
>> by most women and effeminate men.*

> *What language is that?*

So far we've been talking about English. We still are.

>> *May I recommend a couple of books by Deborah Tannen? Or a look at
>> this page with a good (but outdated) bibliography about this topic?*

> *Just answer my questions.*

Just go fuck yourself and read one damn book by Professor Dr. Deborah Tannen on the differences between men's and women's language.

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