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Claire Donato

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Visiting Assistant Professor at Pratt Institute and PT Faculty at Parsons School of Design
Past: School of Visual Arts and Fordham University

Studied Literary Arts at Brown University
Attended from 2008 to 2010

Lives in Brooklyn, New York

In a relationship with Jeff T. Johnson

From Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
Born on September 12, 1986

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What's on your mind?

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Claire Donato 26 mins ·

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Mark Marino

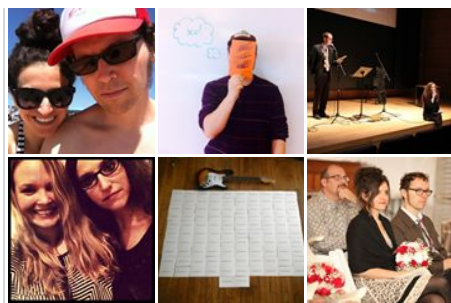
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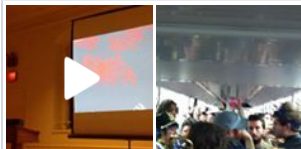
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Mark Marino 31 mins ·

It is 2:00am EDT. Here's a paragraph from Jean Baudrillard's essay "Please Follow Me," which reflects on two projects by Sophie Calle. I read it on the plane while Jeff slept. It reminds me of the past week. Goodnight, all my lovelies. ❤️ xoxo — with Claire Donato.



VIDEOS



PLACES



Granoff Center for the Creative Arts at Brown University — John Cayley was with Jeff T. Johnson and Claire Donato.
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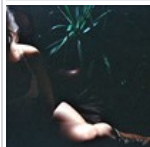
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MOVIES · 2

Which movies have you watched?



The scenario is the same in “The Shadowing.” To follow the other is to take charge of his itinerary; it is to watch over his life without him knowing it. It is to play the mythical role of the shadow, which, traditionally, follows you and protects you from the sun—the man without a shadow is exposed to the violence of a life without mediation—it is to relieve him of that existential burden, the responsibility for his own life. Simultaneously, she who follows is herself relieved of responsibility for her own life as she follows blindly in the footsteps of the other. Again, a wonderful reciprocity exists in the cancellation of each existence, in the cancellation of each subject’s tenuous position as a subject. Following the other, one replaces him, exchanges lives, passions, wills, transforms oneself in the other’s stead. It is perhaps the only way man can finally fulfill himself. An ironic way but all the more certain.

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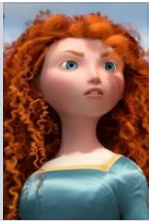
2 hrs ·

Today, I finally made it back to Muscle Beach in Venice to marvel at the humanity, a buzz(feed) with endorphins. This is the place where you can be anyone you'd like to be if you can only sell people on it. I must say I've got an tube-sock shaped soft spot for father-son Midwestern tourist pairs, middle-aged dad with teenage son, each with mouths agape, hoping the other doesn't notice what he's noticing or that he's noticing it. Every body type spilling out of every swimsuit type, the rolling guru with his guitar, the murals of Venus, rising from her clam shell, kush doctors with their cannabis cures, huckster hiphop musicians slipping their CDs in your hand, the smell of California green everywhere, and of course the plenitude of homeless, who own every inch of this place.


And as I walked into the sea, I knew that I too was home.



It Follows
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Brave
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2015


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By Claire Donato · over a year ago



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Claire Donato

3 hrs · Edited ·

Before getting on a plane to go back to NYC with [Mark](#), [Jeff](#) gave me this shirt. I think he's trying to tell me that LA  me -- the new me -- with my auditioning and surfing and sunny new outlook, but the baristas keep snickering when they see me. These Angelenos are strange folks, but I think I've finally found my peeps. Home at last!



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Mark Marino · Claire Donato

4 hrs · Edited ·

Claire, before becoming you I thought you were awfully quiet here, albeit feisty. And I've always admired your sense of trickery; I too am a trickster. Our tricks, I would argue, are not without generosity. When we combine them, we become new, and I hope others—e.g., your and my friends—have become a little new too.

It's hard to be a woman on Fakebook. This is something I'll carry with me.

Whereas people perceive my antics as playful and good-natured; they may perceive you as judgmental, bored, irritated. To be fair, there has also been much love, warmth and sweetness.

And like that, we hit bad turbulence, so I pressed send to leave a record of my life. I often meditate on the importance of the archive, however ephemeral it may be. In other words, thank you for letting me keep yours.

Mark

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Claire Donato

7 hrs ·  ▼

If we shadows have offended, think on this this:
It's just Fakebook.
Fuck it.

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Yo la Tengo - Fakebook (1990) Full album

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Claire Donato Oops, forgot: xxoo ❤️

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Jeff Knowlton Today I didn't even have to use my A.K.
I got to say it was a good day

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Claire Donato shared Ugly Duckling Presse's photo.

13 hrs ·  ▼



Ugly Duckling Presse

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Mark Marino It's Ed!

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Mark Marino

14 hrs · Edited ·

Woke up and read Frank O'Hara's poem "Mayakovsky." He was part of the so-called New York School of Poetry. (Maybe I'll join the New New New New New New New New New New New York School when I get to NYC.) Its fourth section struck me as particularly applicable to my being in the world on this day, today, Thursday, August 13, 2015. — with [Claire Donato](#).

4
Now I am quietly waiting for
the catastrophe of my personality
to seem beautiful again,
and interesting, and modern.

The country is grey and
brown and white in trees,
snows and skies of laughter
always diminishing, less funny
not just darker, not just grey.

It may be the coldest day of
the year, what does he think of
that? I mean, what do I? And if I do,
perhaps I am myself again.

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Norah Ashe-McNalley Dude, I am ALWAYS waiting for the catastrophe of my personality to seem beautiful again! But I suspect mine is not the beautiful kind of catastrophe, I'm more of a hot mess type.

Unlike · Reply · 3 · 12 hrs



Mark Marino Norah, I've learned so much about gendered language and social media over the past week! My wager is that the catastrophe of your personality is indeed beautiful—like mine—and that the patriarchy just wants us to believe it's a hot mess so they can keep on keeping on 😊

Unlike · Reply · 4 · 11 hrs



Claire Donato Norah if you shared your posts as [Mark](#) (assuming such a thing were allowed) people would call you quirky and novel. So, let's call you that or something even more awesome!

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Mark Marino

14 hrs ·

Thursday is for flight. I'm boarding a plane and moving to NYC this afternoon! Flying solo, as they say. I can't wait to live in a city with a vegan nickname ("Big Apple"). If I wasn't gluten-free, I'd eat a thousand bagels.

Since I can do any ballet, here's a photo of my avatar [Claire Donato](#) dancing in front of LA's skyline, for the sake of posterity. I'll miss the apocalyptic beauty of this city's skyline, but I'm excited for my next chapter. And, who knows? I'll probably move back in the spring, maybe to Echo Park. — with [Claire Donato](#).



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Claire Donato

14 hrs · 🌐 ▼

Some of our social media selves are easier to inhabit than others. I'm seriously considering starting Claire B'N Me, my social media self swapping service. If you could be anyone else on Fakebook for a week, who would you want to be and why? What would be the best part? What would be the hardest part.

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Mark Marino An important question here is of trust. You're one of the only people I'd trust to be me, and I hope you'd trust me to be you too!

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Claire Donato Apparently, I do!

Unlike · Reply · 👍 2 · 14 hrs



Claire Donato But yes, and, now I trust you more than I did than a week ago! xxoo ❤️ ❤️

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Claire Donato You're getting the hang of it! And are my likes up to snuff?

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Rob Wittig I'd want to be Zuckerberg having a meltdown.

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Claire Donato I'd like to be Zuckerberg on LinkedIn laced with Twitter

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Jessica Smith Wow... I don't think I'd trust anyone 😊

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Claire Donato It definitely takes a leap, Jessica! I'd let you use mine!

Unlike · 👍 2 · 14 hrs



Rob Wittig Claire Donato, Mark Marino . . . what are YOUR terms of service?

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Claire Donato Don't touch the merchandise.

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Davin Heckman If I could be someone else on social media, I'd be Bad Luck Brian.

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Davin Heckman Tila Tequila... what could go wrong?

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Claire Donato I'd LOVE to be you!!!

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Jim Bizzocchi Hmmm....

Would that be "an internet mime"?
8{)

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Jeremy Hight i want to be a wise animal....mark zuckerburg.....or you claire

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Mark Marino

14 hrs · Los Angeles, CA ·  ▼

Portrait of a friendship:

[Claire](#) says, let go of your attachments. I say, try to detach.

[Claire](#) says, eat mindfully. I say, go vegan.

[Claire](#) says, Like! I say, xoxo.

[Claire](#) says, go in peace. I say namaste.

[Claire](#) says, hug your babies. I say, love your friends.

[Claire](#) says, write freely. I say, write honestly.

[Claire](#) says, trouble make. I say, rabble-rouse.

I say, we wish we could take our friends with us.

[Claire](#) says, our friends have taken us with them.

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Mary Ann Davis I love this.

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Claire Donato

23 hrs ·  ▼

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[Mark](#) says, xxoo. I say, Like!

[Mark](#) says, namaste. I say, go in peace.... [See More](#)

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Mark Lamoureux I don't remember any of that. Must have been drunk.

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Claire Donato

23 hrs ·  ▼

Wed's for goodbyes! Goodbye [Rebecca Niziol](#) and your funny Tonight Show shares. Good bye [Jessica Smith](#) and your cute baby stories. Goodbye [Ed Steck](#) and your awesome photos and [Todd Anderson's](#) improetry. Most of all Goodbye [Elisabeth Sauvage-Callaghan](#), you're a world of FB all in yourself! But glad I can keep some new friends, like [Stephanie](#), [Spencer](#), [Corey](#), [Dustin](#), [Liz](#), and more!!!! And Glad I've come to see how the other half lives!

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Jessica Smith Where are you going?

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Claire Donato changed her profile picture.

23 hrs ·



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Jacob Paul Bolda this sent me into hysterics yes this is the one A+++++

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Jeremy Hight looking good

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Mark Marino Check mine out, you guys

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Mark Marino I've never felt so sexy in my life

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Mark Marino I think the seam in this photograph is what Roland Barthes might call "the cleavage."

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Claire Donato I thought Barthes called it the punkdem

Like · 3 · 23 hrs · Edited



Claire Donato Clearly the marriage of our Italo-Franco-Irish-Tazmanian heritages fits together like the pangea!

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Jacob Paul Bolda replied · 1 Reply



Jeff Knowlton I think Roland Barthes called this "Fucking Disturbing".

Like · Reply · 3 · 20 hrs



Jeff Knowlton And for the record, a professor that [Jeremy Hight](#) and I had at CalArts, claimed that Roland Barthes was carrying his dissertation in his valise at the time he was laid low by that truck.....

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Sandy Baldwin Clark. Maire.

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Mark Marino One day, we will release some morph-y photographic B sides that are Even More Disturbing than this!

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 **Claire Donato** Tushy!
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 **Pamela Marshall Ganné** Yin/Yang in the flesh.
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 **Jeremy Hight** roland barthes' ghost stole my bike
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 **Cathy Podeszwa** Stop the madness!
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Mark Marino, Claire Donato.... Just "trying on some shades."






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

 **Jeff T. Johnson** dinosaurs are amazeballs!
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 **Kim Schulz** That's so amazing! And really weird.
Unlike · Reply ·  1 · 20 hrs

 **Kelly Greene** This is actually fake.
<http://www.snopes.com/photos/advertisements/chameleon.asp>

 **snopes.com: Chameleon Changing Colors**
Video clip shows a chameleon changing colors to match sunglass frames.
SNOPES.COM

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 **Liz Hughes Wiley** I did wonder about that -- I watched it a couple times because I'd never seen a chameleon change like that. Oh well, suited my purpose, nevertheless.
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 **Claire Donato**
August 12 at 9:26pm · 

Okay, that's it. I'm staying. My kids and I just can't leave this place. It's decided. Call me an LA Lady!



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Mark Marino

I'm going back East, where I belong.

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Mark Marino

I have no kids, so it's easy to do whatever

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- 


François Luong


Welcome to California. Hope you enjoy your stay. Wait! Weren't you supposed to come north?

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- 


Claire Donato


From here, I can go anywhere!

Like ·  2 · Yesterday at 12:50am





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Mark Marino

August 12 at 6:15pm · Los Angeles, CA · Edited ·  

Tomorrow, I'll get on a plane bound for NYC, returning to a city that once felt like home, although I no longer know what (or where or when or who) home is. Lately, home feels more and more like my computer, which is also my head. "The mind is in the head," Robert Creeley said. Home is a place outside of my own identity—one might even say my home is someone else's avatar.

It's been so delightful to get to know all of you, friends who were once strangers whom I now consider my collaborators. I "Like" but also actually love your playful spirits, photographs of your kids on their first days of school, works of electronic art, urgent news clippings, political reflections, music videos, selfies. You make it easier to be open. You light up my sense of humor. I feel affection for you.

Appended is a gift, a song by Laura Marling. It's a song I've been thinking along with since I spent time in Zuccotti Park during Occupy Wall Street. The lyrics elude me, which is why I like the song. Today, I'm thinking about the song's lyrics differently. "Mark's friends, Mark's friends," LM sings. "I'd leave Claire for them. They've got a hand on my back."

Thanks for all you've taught me. 

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Laura Marling - My Friends (A Creature I Don't Know)

From Laura Marlings album "A Creature I Don't Know"



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Claire Donato

August 12 at 2:04pm ·  

Can it really be time for me to say goodbye to these Lotophagi? I'm not sure I even recognize all of the lotuses I've been eating. While Jeff's been lulled into a dream on his endless commute, I've been nibbling on vegan delights while listening to that seductive strains of siren Joanna Newsom, as the steady stream of Likes pours over me for all my righteous posts. Oh, to live here in this place, with the marvelous meditations of my mom Elisabeth

[Sauvage-Callaghan!](#) ❤️❤️ And the other sights as I've become downright Clairvoyant! To see my poet friends and all their publication posts (can I have a w00t w00t?). And then all the friends I've never met who post selfies when they change their hair. [Tracy Stewart](#), [Willis Arnold](#), [Gracie Leavitt](#), your posts for me are the nectar of the gauze wrapped loosely over my bespectacled eyes. Photos of couples whose wedding dances I never shared, new updos from old hairstyles I never new, babies I've never kissed, and <3s and XxOos I've only begun to sprinkle all over my friens. It's an experience only marred by all these glorious ads for workout clothes and airbrush makeup classes (Thanks Fakebook)... Must I leave? How can I go back to my life? Will I still be me when I am no longer here? Then who? Then what? Why now?



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Elisabeth Sauvage-Callaghan My mundane musings are your meditations. I am beyond flattered...

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Mark Marino I'm going to miss you!

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Claire Donato Me, too. And I might miss me even more!

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[Mark Marino](#) replied · 3 Replies



Tracy Stewart



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[Jeff T. Johnson](#) replied · 1 Reply



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Mark Marino

August 12 at 1:21pm · Edited · 1

How do friends police the borders of our online identity through their affirming Likes or silence? — with [Claire Donato](#).

The Superego

According to Freud's psychoanalytic theory of personality, the superego is the component of personality composed of our internalized ideals that we have acquired from our parents and from society. The superego works to suppress the urges of the id and tries to make the ego behave morally, rather than realistically.



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**Andy Bouvier-Brown** I'm just going to hedge my bets by commenting in a non-committal fashion, without hitting "like".
Unlike · Reply · 3 · August 12 at 1:30pm

**Mark Marino** I will now hedge my bets by replying to your comment with an emoji: 😊!
Unlike · Reply · 2 · August 12 at 1:34pm

**Liz Hughes Wiley** I will hedge my bets by responding to your friends above and posting a touching, all-purpose meme. Cats may come later.



Unlike · Reply · 4 · August 12 at 1:40pm

**Mark Marino** I will reply with a fact, which is that I cry regularly, and when I do, I typically shed more than one tear.



Like · 2 · August 12 at 1:41pm

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**Mark Marino**
August 12 at 12:46pm · Los Angeles, CA · 

Here's a link to my super closest and best friend (beside [Rob Wittig](#) and my other closest and best friends!) [Claire Donato](#)'s website. Sometimes, I feel like she speaks through—and for and with—me.



Claire Donato:
somanytumbleweeds.com

SOMANYTUMBLEWEEDS.COM

https://www.facebook.com/claire.donato

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Claire Donato We are each other's mouthpieces!

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Mark Marino We are each other's cheerleaders!

Unlike · 2 · August 12 at 2:07pm



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Liz Hughes Wiley [Claire Donato](#) is an awesome actress. I was up against her at an audition and she eviscerated me.

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Mark Marino Right?! She's pretty versatile — I hear she's done some Mask Training, too.

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Maria Damon she's a goddess

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Mark Marino A little bird tells me she thinks the same of you! ❤️

Like · 2 · August 12 at 6:40pm



Maria Damon is that little bird's initials CD?

Unlike · 2 · August 12 at 6:42pm



Mark Marino You know it!

Unlike · 1 · August 12 at 6:43pm



Claire Donato Aw, shucks. You all are lovelies!

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Mark Marino

August 12 at 12:17pm · Edited · 2

Wednesday is for saying goodbye, but not yet. I'll be leaving this virtual space later tonight to return to my own virtual space's radio silence. In the meantime, I'll relay a few more anecdotes.

Other people's dreams are obviously boring, but last night, I had a vivid dream—an actual dream, insofar as dreams are actual—about two chickens. Both chickens were cuddling affectionately with me, purring. I loved them so much. I felt a deep sense of concern for their well-being. In my concern, I felt much like my character [@clairedonato04](#) from July's All-Time [netprov](#).

Then, as if from nowhere, one of the chickens died in front of my eyes. A heavy object fell on her. And then there was only one chicken.

I felt a heavy grief. Then the dream cut to a scene featuring [Stephanie Boluk](#), a friend I miss. We were working out in a plain wooden room, reminiscent of the [#netprovsanctuary](#) I conceptualized with [Claire](#) last night in a private message. Stephanie was running. She ran for 20 minutes. Then she told me to run too.

I woke up before I could begin.



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Shefali Rajamannar Love it.

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Elisabeth Sauvage-Callaghan

August 12 at 12:11pm · 1

This is what my daughter, [Claire](#), wrote about this:
My close, closer, closest friend [Mark Marino](#) is reading from these fabulous interactive children's stories with his kids today in Westchester, which I believe is by LAX. My kids ADORE the stories! 2 of them are online, you can check them out. If you're in LA, even if you don't have kids, please go and hear them, taking place in a magical foster care home. His adorable kids wrote them with him. They will amaze and delight you. I'll be there in one form or another.

And what I will add: I looked at those online stories, and they are FANTASTIC!!! I could very well have spent 3 to 4 hours on that site - I could only afford to spend maybe 20 minutes, but it was beyond delightful.



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Elisabeth Sauvage-Callaghan Direct link the the site:

<http://markcmarino.com/mrsw/>



Mrs Wobbles and the Tangerine House

Announcing: the first of the Mrs. Wobbles stories, 'The Mysterious Floor,' an interactive tale for children. This is...

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Claire Donato

August 12 at 11:39am · Edited · 1

[Adam](#) snapped this picture at the General Lee, said he was capturing me at my Clairiest! Then my phone died right before Roscoe and Boss Hog came in for some Lost Sheep pie. Damn phones.



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Amish Trivedi Religion: Clairiest.

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Elisabeth Sauvage-Callaghan Can one be Clairiest than Claire? Time will tell...

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Jeff Knowlton Somewhere, I have a photo of the one of the actual General Lee cars from Dukes of Hazard, driving down the 5 Freeway. It lives somewhere nearby.

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Elisabeth Sauvage-Callaghan replied · 1 Reply



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Claire Donato

August 12 at 11:32am · 🌐 ▼

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**Elisabeth Sauvage-Callaghan** I've looked at the site, and so ❤️❤️❤️❤️ it!!!

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**Mark Marino** Good luck!!!!

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**Claire Donato** Erm, good luck to you, too!

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**Claire Donato**

August 12 at 10:55am · Edited · 🌐 ▼

Last Day Post: Amazing night last night at General Lee's in Chinatown. [Adam Veal](#) (no relation) and I met up at and danced and danced and danced. 🎵 I could've danced all night. 🎵 Of course, most people were down about being canceled, but then we started dreaming up other fallen sigil's that General Lee could adopt instead of the stars and clans. Perhaps the flayed man or the stuck boar. Adam's just a good old boy. Honestly, never meaning no harm.

As Jeff and I approach the end of our stay, I find myself cutting off all my jeans in mourning and thinking, I'm going to miss this place. Now should I let the pockets dangle below the cut line or go classic Daisy?



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[Jeff T. Johnson](#), [Katie Vandermost](#), [Ralph E. Rodriguez](#) and 10 others like this.**Adam Veal** That was fun! My favorite part was when you and the guy in the dancing shark costume tried to get everybody to do the electric slide.

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**Claire Donato** My favorite line dance was the Wobble!

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**Liz Hughes Wiley** Managed to catch this moment on my cell. You so crazy!

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**Jeff T. Johnson** u def did the freaky nova!

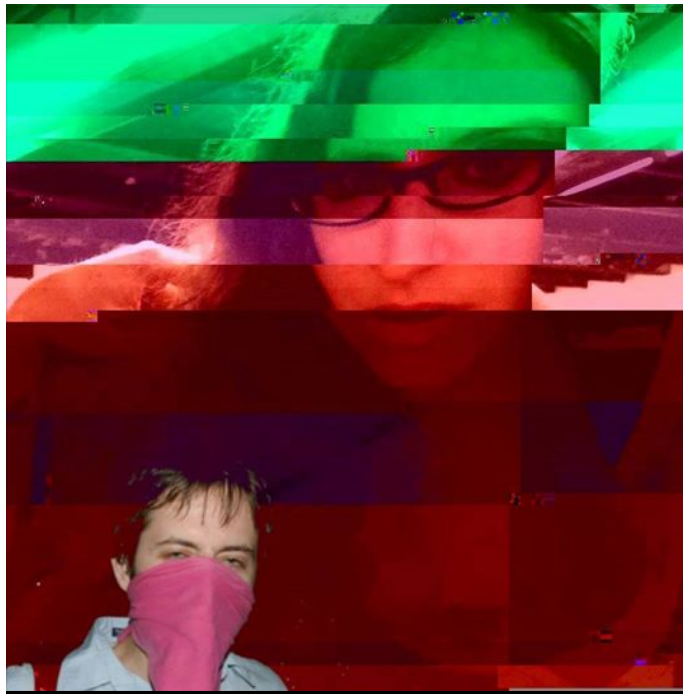
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**Claire Donato** changed her profile picture.

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Jeremy Hight snazzy

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Claire Donato right back at you!

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Mark Marino Looks strangely familiar - yet new

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Dustin Stevenson Itching makes it scratchier

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Claire Donato

August 12 at 12:05am · Edited ·

This show about animals gaining the power to communicate is really freaking me out but not as much as America's Got Talent. Maybe they should combine them. I'd like to see what kind of song and dance team these zoos can put together, though that's basically the plot of Madagascar. LA is changing me. I want to stay here. Does anyone have a guest house or couch I could surf? Anyone need a roommate or cat sitter or boyfriend tender while you're away?

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Claire Donato All Brooklyn poets sleep in sensory deprivation chambers, so water is my friend, Jeff! Plus, the LA Flood shall come.

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Jeff Knowlton replied · 2 Replies



Jeremy Hight tracking a super anomalous cold core low off nor cal...absurd for august...good sign of enhanced jet core...oh and woot l.a flood


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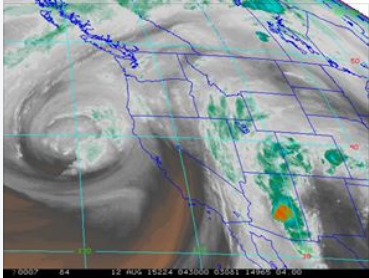
Claire Donato Double w00t and I raise you one:





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Jeremy Hight cold core 961 mb low....a winter system ...amazing....





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Jeremy Hight and wootwootwoot



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Jeremy Hight replied · 2 Replies




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Claire Donato

August 11 at 6:47pm · Edited ·  ▼

Ahem, one moment, masplainers, could I speak to you for a moment? This won't take long. I know you've read some books. I know how sensitive you are. Your poetry is thoughtful. Your female characters in your GOT fan fiction have a few dimensions. You talk the talk on women's issues. You wait for your loved ones to finish before talking and what not. But you have no idea what you are talking about. So, in a few initials, stfu.


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Marisa Sako I love you.

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Maria Damon hahahahaha!

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Max Winter I was mansplained just today.

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Asher Lewis Is masplained when the man tries to take over the matriarchal role as well in his didactic mission, in an attempt to assimilate everything?

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Claire Donato

August 11 at 5:34pm ·  ▼


Call back over. What a waste of time. I tried to channel my inner [Jaroslaw Ilya Mcpherson Eckhoff](#), but they just don't understand performance art over here. Sorry, [Spencer](#). I just got to the part where I had to act burned, about to drink my macchiato, when the kids started pushing and shoving each other and I flashed back to that summer at lake Eerie and Tim Horton's. So bummed. [Kate Durbin](#) tell me where you go. I'll join you.

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Jeff T. Johnson, Matthew Klane, Kate Durbin and 5 others like this.




Jeff Knowlton Claire, this is good news. It means you will be free when I am shooting my next project. I have a gem of part for you in a film I am putting together.....a spaghetti western version of the life of Christ.

It is half Sergio Leone's Once Upon A Time... [See More](#)

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Jaroslaw Ilya Mcpherson Eckhoff You were probably feeling Lake Ontario... newbie mistake. We should def grab sum vegan double soy reverse-whipped air-fraps & chat—I've learnt so much since auditioning for Janitor #2 last week!

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https://www.facebook.com/claire.donato

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**Kate Durbin** ❤️

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**Rob Wittig** Claire, if it softens the blow of rejection, remember that they're only seeing the outside of you at an audition . . . and even then it's filtered through their own expectations . . . and even then your insides might be going off in different direction... [See More](#)

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**Jeff T. Johnson** i go to this corner of alvarado and olympic where it's really hard to turn left

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**Jeff Knowlton** I hate to tell you this, but I was actually a TSA screener in a film called Non Stop To Comic Con. It was an accident. The pulled me out of the crowd of extras and somehow, I am apparently on screen.

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**Jeff Knowlton** And then there was this other absurdly cheap film I was an extra in. They were shooting near my, so I showed up for three different days. In the process I was given all 3 vouchers in the space of 2 weeks, that I need to join SAG. Freakin comic.

My friend Zoey told me it took her 2.5 years to get the 3 vouchers so she could join the Screen Actors Guild.

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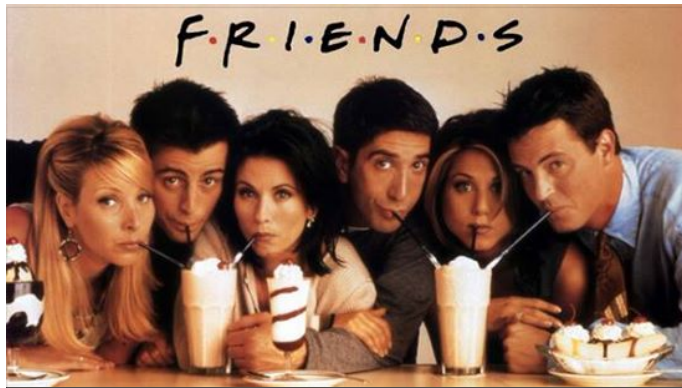
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**Mark Marino**

August 11 at 4:29pm · 1

I am sitting on the concrete patio at [Fix Coffee Los Angeles](#), drinking iced yerba mate, thinking about the nature of friendship. I want to find a way to talk about my friends without standing outside of myself, without looking at myself looking at them. One way I can think about them is to reflect upon my secret life, which is unknowable, even to me—but who am I, really?

Where does my secret life take place? Certainly not inside the Book of my Face—or maybe it does, but may... [See More](#) — with [Rob Wittig](#) and [4 others](#).



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**Jeremy Hight**

Like · Reply · 2 · August 11 at 4:37pm



**Mark Marino** There he is!

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**Mark Marino** Elisabeth, we've never even met, but I feel so much affection for you! Writing to you feels like going home!

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[Elisabeth Sauvage-Callaghan](#) replied · 1 Reply



**Rob Waller** The good news is you are in the right location. The coffee at Fix is potent and magical. Here's what I recommend. Order a double macchiato then stand by the water dispenser and wait. While waiting drink two cold glasses of water. Trust me, you'll n... [See More](#)
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**Mark Marino** DUDE, it worked. I'm literally suspended above the hills of Echo Park, typing this to you from my iPhone. How did you know?!
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**Rob Waller** I live in skies above Echo Park, bro. All the Hawks do. Welcome home, Brother. Welcome home.
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**Mark Marino** Damn, it feels good to be a bird without a broken wing.
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**Claire Donato** Do you know [Mallery](#)? She's another Brown/LA connection. You'd love her!
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**Claire Donato**
August 11 at 2:57pm ·  ▼

Heading in now to audition, like right now. The smell of flop sweat is almost overpowering the smell of Axe on the director. Axe? What is he, 13? Took forever to get here! even taking the deep subterranean Red Line, missed the turning point past what I can only assume were tunnels to vaults in Gringots. Trying to remember everything I learned from [Julie Costa-Malcolm](#) and at play rehearsals for the Tempest at Central, playing Prospero, and then nightmares of Sir John Gielgud and flappy skin. And then to top it off. Got a text from [Jeff T. Johnson](#) about 2 kids showing up at our apartment. Not sure what that's all about, and frankly distractions like that are the last thing I need. If I land this, we might be able to stay here with [Mark](#) and Jeremy. Hope Brix gets along with Jeremy and Holly's cats!

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**Jeff T. Johnson**






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**Claire Donato**
August 11 at 12:29pm ·  ▼

Big call back today, working with kids they told me, in the sunblock commercial. Jeff says it's the perfect time to unveil my new character, this Italian-American neurotic, who Likes everything -- but [Spencer](#) said that's not how these auditions work. Blasting [Joanna Newsom](#) and playing the alphabet game improv with [Andrew Klobucar](#) over Snapchat! Big nerves. Big excitement. Big day! Time to downward dog it! Callback is at noon!

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**Mark Marino** Good luck, [Claire](#)! Looking forward to a report ((five-page minimum, double-spaced, Times New Roman size 12, don't forget a header,

and no funny stuff with those margins :-)) when you get back.

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Jeff Knowlton Foot noted please....and proper citations as well.

Unlike · Reply ·  2 · August 11 at 7:59pm



Andrew Klobucar I think we had switched to the Greek alphabet. All very beta.

Unlike · Reply ·  2 · August 11 at 11:17pm



Claire Donato You guys are awesome. My mansplaining tirade hardly applies to you AT ALL!

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Jeff T. Johnson shared a link — with Mark Marino and Claire Donato.

August 11 at 2:23am ·  ▼



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Bert Jansch

1. Fresh As A Sweet Sunday...

2. Chambertin - 2009 Digital...

3. One For Jo - 2009 Digital ...

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Elisabeth Sauvage-Callaghan This led me to acquire a Best of Bert Jansch on iTunes.

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Maria Damon love bj


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Claire Donato updated her cover photo.

August 11 at 2:02am · Edited · 

An Experiment in Friendship, Ego, and ID



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Chris Stroffolino Funny, I wrote this today: I don't accept the "id" v. "superego" dualism/ but for those who do/ you could say I reject that writing which appeals to the "id"/ more than that which appeals to the "superego"/ But, again, I reject that Freudian map...."

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➔ Mark Marino replied · 2 Replies




Laura Carter you forgot eggs

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Claire Donato Man, Laura, I thought they were implied.

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Laura Carter Forever.

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Claire Donato But again, I am vegan

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Mark Marino Yes! As [Jeff T. Johnson](#) says: "a thing i like about it is that 'friendship' takes place of 'superego' when you read ID as id."

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Mark Marino

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Changing Faces: An Experiment in Friendship, Ego & ID — with [Claire Donato](#).



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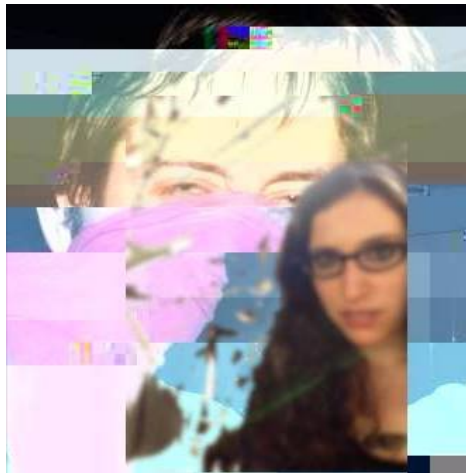
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scratching makes it itchier



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Mark Marino Dustin Marino!

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Dustin Stevenson Whaaa!! I want a tag!

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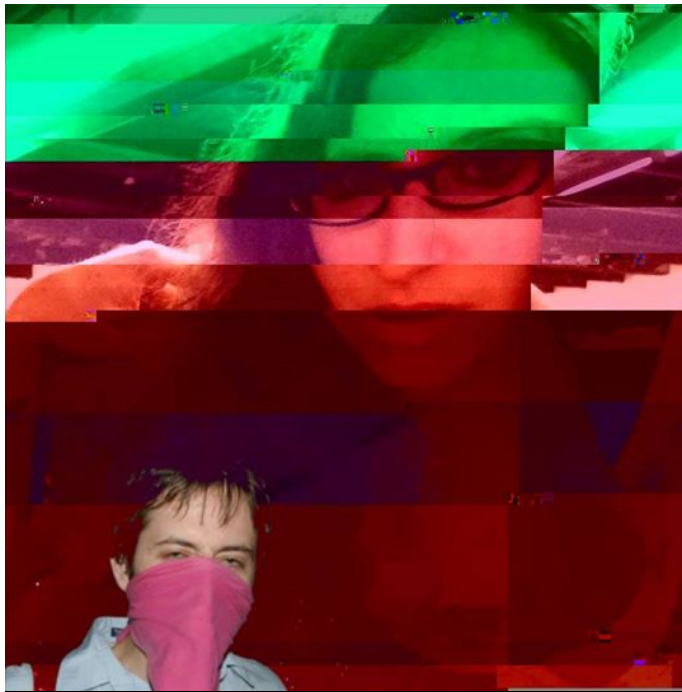
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Mark Marino was with [Claire Donato](#).

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I've never been glitchier. — with [Claire Donato](#).



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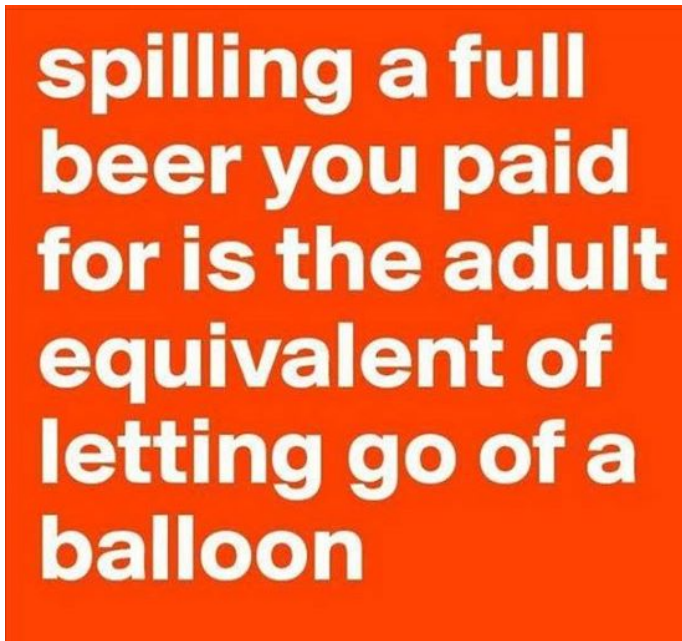
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Nancy Few Simmons shared Purple Clover's photo.

August 11 at 1:47am · 🌐 ▼

Jeff T. Johnson and Claire Donato!



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Cindy Myers For me it is that first lick of the ice cream cone and the scoop falls out. I still cry.

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Laurie Ek 😂😂😂😂😂

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**Jeff T. Johnson**

August 11 at 1:29am · 🌐 ▼

a very high percentage of people think alex trebek knows all the answers (in the form of a question), but that doesn't mean he does. — with [Mark Marino](#) and [Claire Donato](#).

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**Claire Donato**

August 11 at 12:43am · 🌐 ▼

OMD, speaking of picking up our dreams where we left off, got a call just before evening drinks -- a call back for that sunblock commercial!!! Apparently, [Spencer](#) does actually know people. Tomorrow I'm going in for the callback in Blurbank!!!

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**Claire Donato**

August 10 at 11:17pm · 🌐 ▼

This morning's overcast sky reminded me of my favorite days in Oakland, although I seem to be coming Seasonal Affectation Disorder from Fakebooks bright gleaming white expanse. So many memories from the Burgh, the Bee Hive, watching Cyrano De Begerac in Schenley Park. Did that actually happen? Or was it the Tempest. remember working in Caliban, thinking of what it would be like if he ran bookstore, cursing all the clientele and store owners behind their backs.

When they got bored of chasing Oakland Catholic girls, the Central boys would come into Caliban, or did I attend Central?, wearing those phalluses (phalli?) around their necks that they'd loosen to a low knot long or untie to 2 string beans before they came into the store. I think the boys wore ties so that while they were forced to sit in those chair desks under they watchful glare of the Christian Brothers they could feel a little less castrated. One of them would always come in after going to Phantom of the Attic. I wonder if he knew [Mark Marino](#) who I think went there.

Anyway, these kind of days take me back. And as far as I'm concerned O fries are vegan (no matter what people said were hidden in the fry grease)!

[Like](#) [Comment](#) [Share](#)[Sharon McDermott](#), [Kristofer Collins](#), [John Schulman](#) and 7 others like this.**Louie Dean Valencia-Garcia** Will you compile these all for a book, please.[Like](#) · [Reply](#) · [2](#) · August 10 at 11:19pm**Jeff T. Johnson** Each evening I read thru your posts, and also [Mark Marino](#)'s, b/c you're both on these fantastic L.A. turnabouts. As I was reading Mark's wall today... or was I reading your wall? They're blurring together as you mention

each other, so I lose track of w... [See More](#)



Dancing Girls - Suite 304 Demo

Dancing Girls - Suite 304 Demo, a song by...

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John Schulman Eros is just around the corner in any bookstore.

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Mark Marino shared your photo.

August 10 at 3:53pm · 1

After late morning yoga, I picked [Claire Donato](#) up from the hills of Echo Park, and we drove to have a summer lunch with two of my favorite people, [Heidi Montag](#) and [Spencer Pratt](#). It's always a pleasure to introduce kindred spirits to one another, to watch new friendships form away from Facebook (AKA Fakebook, Two-Faced Book, etc.). Apart from our discussions re: veganism, poetry, and our second bodies' minds' eyes, we all engaged in a lively writing exercise based on Wallace Stevens' poem "Thirteen Ways of Looking at a Blackbird." Our variation was called "Thirteen Ways of Looking at a Netprov," and we referenced [All-Time High](#) as a point of inspiration, writing image-driven fragments about characters including [@soemploy](#), [@highschoolrob](#), [@katiev4prez](#) and [@franziakafka](#). During the lunch, we were all surprised and excited to learn that Spence actually played THREE characters during the netprov's four-week run. We can't say which ones here, but those of you who were involved in the performance can probably guess.

Anyway, we're looking to publish "Thirteen Ways of Looking at a Netprov" ASAP. Maybe [The Paris Review](#) is interested?



Claire Donato

Total surprise today: lunch with [Spencer Pratt](#) & [Heidi Montag](#). Yes, [Mark](#) set it up for me since we worked together on [Speidishow](#). So wild. Heidi asked me so ma...

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Lane Hall great stuff!

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Claire Donato Was [Spencer](#) netproving about being able to shape-shift into other people or did he really mean it? Or -- and I suspect this is it -- does he really mean his netprovs?

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Kate O'Neill Wait really?? Haha

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Claire Donato replied · 1 Reply



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Claire Donato

August 10 at 3:29pm · 🌐 ▼

Total surprise today: lunch with [Spencer Pratt](#) & [Heidi Montag](#). Yes, [Mark](#) set it up for me since we worked together on [Speidishow](#). So wild. Heidi asked me so many questions about being vegan and complimented my hair many times (what IS it with these LA people?). Spencer wanted to talk poetry and reconsidering the 2nd body's mind's eye. He's much more interested in poetry than was depicted on Marriage Bootcamp, has a signed edition of a Robert Frost 1st printing. I told him I might write him into my novel as an abstract thought wandering through the netherworld. But I lied because I think I'm going to actually write him in as an imaginary number. Go all Magic Toolbooth on him. We also commiserated about the BIZ given the tragedy of my audition. You could drown in all the fakes and phonies, quoth the Spence. — with [Spencer Pratt](#) and [Heidi Pratt](#).



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Elena Florian I couldn't love this status more if I tried. Btw, what are you doing out in Cali? Did you move out there?

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Laura A. Warman wtf

Unlike · Reply · 👍 2 · August 10 at 6:18pm



Laura A. Warman r u real or fiction

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Mark Marino replied · 1 Reply



Nora Wendi Claire, you are my spirit animal!

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Lauren Justine This is such a surprising post! Now I like them!

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Claire Donato

August 10 at 12:38pm · 🌐 ▼

I must take a brief respite from my LA adventures to say:
The Khaleesi is coming to Westeros!!!!!!

http://pitchfork.com/.../59135-joanna-newsom-announces-new-a...



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Dominic Pettman I was just thinking yesterday, it's about time for another JN album!

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Mark Marino replied · 1 Reply



Dominic Pettman Plus I've been loving the LA adventures. It took me a few days to realize they are in fact "real"!

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Mark Marino replied · 2 Replies



Marcus Savage I don't know if you remember, but you turned me on to her music years ago at Pitt with The Milk-Eyed Mender. I am forever grateful. I have loved every second all of her albums and I can't wait to finally hear this one.

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Claire Donato

August 10 at 11:33am ·

Woke up feeling kind of Walden-filtered with my back singing the song of seat belt safety from me paddling down the LA River yesterday. I could just medicate with some natural pain killers (recommendations?) or maybe today's the day I have to start working out, maybe running or skipping or crossfit. I don't know if it's watching all my friends fitbit updates or watching all these Silver Lakers jog around so earnestly, hipster beards and scarves dangling in the wind, but I'm seriously thinking of starting a new workout regimen. Quick breakfast at the Silver Lake, but not too much since Mark arranged a surprise lunch for me. More to come.



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Christine Shan Shan Hou Yoga!

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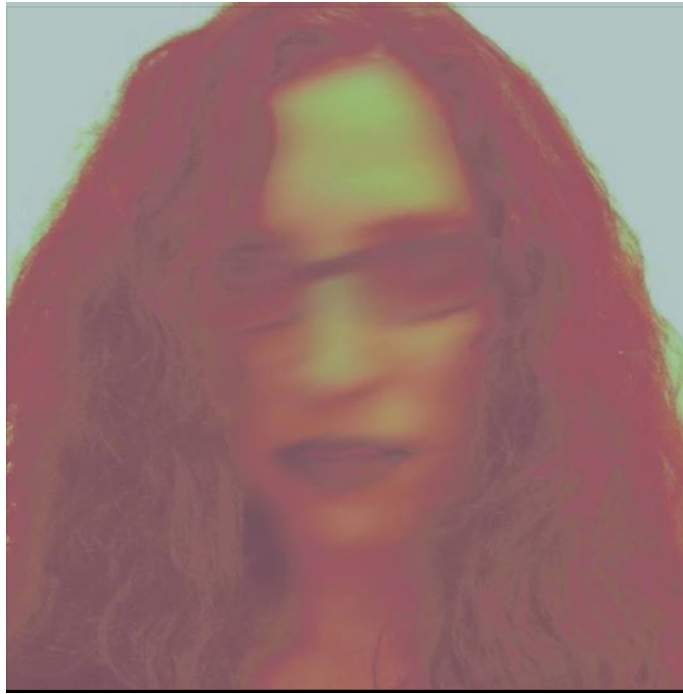


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Claire Donato changed her profile picture.

August 10 at 2:39am ·



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Mark Marino You've never looked blurrier.

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Claire Donato

August 10 at 2:29am ·

Have you ever walked down a tunnel into your soul? I don't know what that would mean, but that is how it felt, walking down that passage off the LA River. The tunnel was covered in graffiti like the tattoo sleeves of the hipster plastic surgeon we met at Guisados (finally made it there!), except inverted. Amidst fairly mediocre wildstyle, the tunnel poets of LA had written their epic. Looked like Flarf, like some procedurally generated poem about gang signs and people who suck or fuck. Apparently, the Angels do both. The Dodgers on the other hand are allegedly well-endowed and if you don't agree, you can suk [sic] me. I didn't find it all that appealing, but I'm not convinced this is the A-Listers tunnel for river poetry. One line caught my eye: Hey, you kidz, pick your dreams up off my lawn! I think lawn was misspelled, though.

The tunnel grew smaller and dimmer and wetter.

At the end, sat a woman all huddled up. She was cold and shivering. Pale from avoiding the beach, afraid to touch the water around her, hidden from the lights of LA. She was a ball a bundle. Or maybe, when I looked a little closer, she was a womanish man, or a boy, someone wrapped in a dress in any case for warmth, like she was occupying it.

Chilled by the humanity, I decided to stay at the metaphor, and just see her as my proxy -- my eyes were fairly blurred from the haze of the pipe, who knows what I was walking in. I wished I'd still had my granola bar to offer her.

But he wasn't up for being interpreted. She turned and looked me in the eye through matted hair (was that her real hair?) and said, Go!

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Jeff Knowlton I think John Malcovich can tell you what it is like to walk down the tunnel into his soul. Or at least his own head. Unlike you, who stayed at the metaphor, he was spit back out onto the Jersey Turnpike.

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Mark Marino "If you don't agree, you can suk [sic] me."

Like · Reply · August 10 at 11:14am



Claire Donato memory is on auto-paraphrase. I'd have to go back and check that one.

Like · 1 · August 10 at 11:35am



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Claire Donato

August 10 at 2:04am · 🌐 ▼

Hiking down into the part of the LA River where the kayaks could no longer go, where LA Weeklies tangled with soggy headshots (apparently, it's a ritual -- to drop your headshots into the river if you want a callback). Stepped over former LA Times reporters who just stared at their smartphones as though they were some sort of femme fatale or Hanoi Jane or Bellatrix LeStrange, and picked our way through a religious cult holding some sort of Baptismal ceremony.

And then we found it. The cart.

You must turn here, said our guide, see that tunnel?

I nodded.

Will I what you are looking for here? I asked.

I don't really care, she replied. I've got my 4pm. Are you going to eat that granola bar?

Me: It's all I have.

Her: It would be my only meal.

Me: I kind of need it.

Her: It's gluten free isn't it?

Me: Take it.

And she was gone, scrambled up the side of the river as fast as her Ivanka Trump spangle-strap sandals could take her. Jeff had to take a call from work, and there was bad reception in the tunnel, so I went in alone...



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Mark Marino Davin Heckman, was your experience similar to what Claire is narrating? This seems pretty dramatic.

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Davin Heckman Wow! It's making me nostalgic. There used to be a colony of dog-rat-raccoon-thing-like creatures.... Are they still there? What about the tire? Tell me more!

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Claire Donato

August 10 at 1:01am · 🌐 ▼

So much happened since we boarded those kayaks at the start of our ride into LA's Heart of Darkness. It all started so simply. Calm waters down this concrete artery into the city center. The water had normal bushes and plants. But then it got a little weirder. We entered what the guide called the gullet of the miasma. I saw a story bible for the third season of True Detective. Jeff saw a crane, but he swears it was a Scarlet Ibis, even after our guide explained that it was likely just an adjunct professor or a homeless person. As we descended, the vegetation grew to jungle proportions. (Check out the picture if you don't believe me).

At the end of the paddle, the guide explained we'd have to go the rest of the way by foot, if we were going to find the shopping cart. She didn't seem overly worried and hadn't even canceled her 4pm hot stone massage appointment.

5 hours later...

I need to rest a bit but will continue soon.



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Jeff Knowlton This looks shockingly familiar.....but there aren't any alligators.

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Jeff Knowlton Please write that story bible for True Detective 3. PLEASE.

Unlike · Reply · 2 · August 10 at 1:58am



Andrew Klobucar Just be happy there's water.

Like · Reply · August 11 at 8:33am



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Claire Donato

August 9 at 12:27pm · Edited ·

2nd surprise of the day, [Jeff](#) is taking me on a safari of the LA River. He says he talked to the guide who knows where the tunnel is that [Davin](#) mentioned. Excited to explore this concrete channel in this urban wilderness. Maybe I can also paddle through some of the changes I've been feeling in me lately. The audition and surfing have got me questioning the existential limits I've put on Claire in the past, you know the figure of the shadowy, willowy, temeritous poet. Perhaps Claires seen with clarity are multiple. Well, time to get ready to paddle!



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Jeff Knowlton You are becoming one of us.

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Nancy Few Simmons Have fun! Spent a lot of my childhood in that river!

Unlike · Reply · 1 · August 9 at 7:17pm



Jeff Knowlton And ?? How was it?

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Claire Donato

August 9 at 11:23am · 🌐 ▼

Jeff surprised me with a delicious brunch. Not a shard of gluten anywhere. And we're going in search of the shopping cart in the LA River that [Davin](#) tipped us off about! What an adventure!

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Claire Donato

August 9 at 12:05am · 🌐 ▼

Here's [Jeff](#) & I right before our joint surfing lesson (joint=together, not joint=Venice Beach kush, which would lead to very different 1st time surfing, I bet.).

The instructor (his name was Jesus (Hay-zeus), but he wanted to be called BeJeezus) had to get up on the back of my board, which got me thinking about trust and friendship. Would I ever trust a friend enough to give them control over everything the way I was trusting BeJeezus?. I'm thinking Charlie Kaufman at the end of Synecdoche, New York. Would you let someone run your day? Write all your dialog (a la [Spencer Pratt](#))? Decide all your moves at a party, like some social chess game? Pick out your clothes for a week? How much would you give over? Is there anyone you trust that much? What if it were a coworker or colleague?

As we glided across the waves (really baby ones), I thought about how much control I was giving over. And then I saw Jeff go down and that was it. I lept off my board and sent BeJeezus into the foam. Fortunately, it was all so shallow. Jeff got only minor sandburns, oh, and tar, mostly on our feet. A true LA experience.

— with [Jeff T. Johnson](#).



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Nancy Few Simmons Beach bums.

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Rob Wittig Did you try the Prawn-Style tarjitos at the big green Up & Down Burger in Venice? Best on the planet!

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Davin Heckman You know, I generally don't like the city of LA. But there is a really great undiscovered tunnel off the LA river where.... I don't know it's just real. I'll PM you. There's a really great inverted rusty shopping cart. Some dried moss on it. A little trickle of slime. It's great. It's probably changed a lot. But you should get out and see it.

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Andrew Klobucar But that looks like Mark Marino...

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Claire Donato added 3 new photos.

August 8 at 10:50pm · Edited ·

Finally back from the beach. First let me introduce you to my new best friend: SPF 70+ Beach Defense, which allowed Jeff to take the 2nd picture and then allowed me to take the 3rd, which I've entitled Tofu Dogs or Legs?

Sorry for all the weird bodyimage nonsense this a.m., not that the beach had any shortage of skeeziness. Yes, another opportunity to thoroughly reflect on the male gaze. Question: how can the male gaze even see past the glint of the gold chains on its hairy man boob chest? I've developed a new response: The Claire Stare. IT goes out piercingly over the top of my shades until the gazer feels the need to cover up his own disappointing self.

Of course, the real bugger is that we internalize the male gaze. Except, to what extend do we? This might have been the sunblock fumes, but I started wondering, could you ever really internalize a male gaze, I mean, bring it inward, swallowing it like the whale swallows Pinocchio and Gepetto?

I don't think so, because from the inside, all the male would see would be how others respond to you, how people greet you, how their eyes widen with surprise and desire or shrink to seedy slits or roll as in the case of my friends when they see me in my Downton Abbey bathing suit (just ordered). Because the male gaze if allowed to gaze from the inside would recover everything the male gaze removes -- the sense of the subjectivity of the one on whom he's been gazing.

When I rehearsed this notion with Jeff, he said, We can go to Guisados tonight if you want.

♥ him!

Next update: surfing class!



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Davin Heckman Vegan dogs leer at tofu dogs.

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Andrew Klobucar Such claireity! Remember never to internalise unless you have a sufficient amount of male gauze to help protect all vulnerable organs. I recommend mg -100

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Claire Donato

August 8 at 2:13pm · 🌐 ▼

After yesterday's catastrophic yet empowering audition, I'm going to face another item from the "things Clare dreams about doing but is to temeritous to attempt": surfing. Yes, after a week of Jeff facing the soul-crushing commute, we will be trying a surf lesson, because what could be better to get your mind off of the traffic than, you know, sharks. Might just inspire a new set of [SPECIAL AMERICA](#) movies: Beach Blanket Bingo!

That means I'll also have to face another one of my major bugaboos: my Clairebod (yes, [Mark](#), sorry, I was projecting a bit with my comments Friday night). And the audition confirmed every stereotype about LA ladies' BMI, not that I fall for any of that bullshit, but the beach is basically an exercise in mass bodyshaming as far as I can tell. So what are my alternatives? Face the bod and embrace it or, and I like this better, cover. Can't I wear a wetsuit while surfing? Could I wear that all day? Are there any laws I should know of, Cali friends? If not, I'd have to shellac my porcelain skin with 70+ SPF. But it's not really about this beach. It just all dredges up memories of that 4th of July at Lake Eerie, the boat incident, Tim Hortons.

Or I could just try this Edwardian number I saw on DeviantArt. Like that episode of Downton where they head to the beach. Why not? Jeff looks so nice in stripey pajamas.



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Nada Gordon you seem awfully willowy and exquisite to me, and the similarities in our hair give me the illusion that you are me but stretched out into graceful proportions

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Mark Marino Did I just see you on the beach? Your look is sort of singular here.

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Katie Vandermost When I saw the picture: <http://m.youtube.com/watch?v=umDr0mPuyQc>



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Claire Donato

August 8 at 1:49pm ·

Slept in late and dreamed of writing a Virginia Woolf novel -- or dreamed I was Tom Wolfe in the body of Virginia Woolf, trying to write *To the Light House* but having it coming off all snarky and masculine, focusing more on suits and turning the summer home into a time-share. [Natalie Eilbert](#), [Christopher Funkhouser](#), and [Steph Barnard](#) were there as a poetry investment group, talking about how to turn derivative poetry into financial derivatives. Woke up before I found out how to cash in.

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Christopher Funkhouser poetry investment group!! <lol>

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Jeff Knowlton I'm in for 10,000 shares.

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Steph Barnard Sounds like something I would do tbh

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Jim Bizzocchi Use the power of the Pyramid. Time for some e-Ponzi...

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**Ben Stoviak** **Claire Donato**

August 8 at 12:28pm · Bethel Park, PA ·

Thanks to the weird spatial and temporal long-distance collaboration between our brains, I can't get the phrase "skipperyslopeface" out of my head and I keep giggling in public when I spot one. 😊



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**Claire Donato**

August 8 at 2:43am ·

Ahhhhhhh. The Farmer's Market, my kind of place.

A tall drink of kale smoothie after a lousy day of trying to be someone I'm not.

Detox.

Despite the whole out-door dive-bar feel -- no wait, because of the whole outdoor dive-bar feel, I was finally comfortable to climb back into my skin -- for the first time, since I came to LA. And then, like magic -- freeking fantasy castle fairy magic -- the spotlight went on for Friday night Karaoke at EB's and I was in awe. Here was LA, in all its glory.

Some highlights:

An octogenarian singing Copacabana in sequins, bright, sparkly cerulean sequins.

A very spry, roundish fellow singing Shut Up and Dance With Me to a ventriloquist doll (that will haunt my nightmares).

And to top it off a half-man, half-woman singing You Don't Bring me Flowers Any More.

Which go me thinking. No, not about Jeff and the tacos (I forgive you), but about how true that song -- that performance -- is. If we look at ourselves as halves, male halves/female halves (yes, yin and yang, right and entire civilization got there before me), or as two sides occupying one person -- well, I don't really bring me flowers anymore -- or at some point, we stop treating ourselves as star-crossed lovers, and start treating ourselves as overly familiar accompanists. The half that is our dreams and the half that was our past or at least our memories. And we forget how to celebrate our better halves -- forget that we are halves -- and cannot even begin to reconcile our selves to ourselves.

Or maybe it's just that summer smoke everyone is blowing around me. In any case, feeling better.

I think I'll go home to Jeff now. And maybe tomorrow, come to terms with my other half, on the beach.



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Pamela Marshall Ganné I will take your post to heart--on this my 27th wedding anniversary with my Frencher Half--and even excise the central thought and transfer it to a place to which I can return--as if it were William James or Virginia Satir speaking to me, only it will ... [See More](#)

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Jeff Knowlton The Farmer's Market is wonderful and for every molecule that is old and dirty, wonderful and lovable, there exists an equal and opposite molecule in The Grove. The thing and its opposite. Balance.

Some Asian culture had a name for this, but for the life of me, I can't remember what it is.

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Maria Damon i love you just the way you are

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Claire Donato

August 8 at 12:53am · Edited ·

Found my way to the Grove, not of trees, but of high-end commerce to see LA's most artificial shopping experience outside of Downtown Disney and Citywalk or maybe the mythical Fashion Island, not that I can cross the barrier into the OC. Anyway, it sounded perfect for working on my novel, even if just in my head.

I don't understand it. The magically helpful guard from the parking lot of the audition had recommended this place so highly, to wit, 'You want a place so hip the hipsters can't even mason jar it to death, go down to Fairfax and 3rd.' After hours of dancing fountains and fashion-plated couples, I grew so tired of riding the trolley back and forth, playing as though I were in San Francisco, it hit me -- it is not the city by the Bay that calls my name, it is the Land of Make Believe -- and I found myself standing face-to-face -- or face-to-hand with the source of my panic this afternoon -- His Manual Majesty, King Friday. Yes, the man who had shamed me in front of my idol, Mr. (Fred) Rogers, who rumor had it was just a regular person who swam at the JCC in Squirrel Hill. King Friday, you have returned, as you always do with that smug twist of your mustache and spin of thumb and pinky. That terrible audition. Mr. McFeely laughing till he cried. Prince Tuesday, chuckling into his hands. Asshole.

But when the vision was gone, I looked up -- and the conductor was standing before me.

'This isn't what I had hoped for,' I mumbled into my own hand, which was not covered in monarchical vestments like the puppet master's. 'This is place isn't hipper than hipsters, like she told me.'

Then the trolley conductor looked at me and smiled and said, 'I think you want the Farmer's Market,' he said. 'Have a Po' boy. Get some dates.' 'But I'm vegan,' I replied.

'So's my girlfriend. -- I mean, partner. It's better to say partner. You can still eat dates, right?' he asked.

And it wasn't worth explaining the rest. So I got off and found something much more wondrous and campy and trashy, wreaking of tour buses and chintz and day drinking. More to come, as I explore and reflect...

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Nick Amendolara I was there literally two days ago. Really enjoying this!

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Erica Simmons Clearly a different vibe - when I used to work at CBS next to the Grove, it was a sanctuary. I would leave all the "price is right" people behind and have a nice lunch. Then go back to the grind. I look back with fond memories.

Unlike · Reply · 3 · August 8 at 1:28am



Katie Vandermost Come to Orange County!!

Unlike · Reply · 2 · August 8 at 1:34am



Nancy Few Simmons Farmer's Market rocks. I used to go to The Grove all the time when Tracy Allen Fine Jewelry was there...but alas...now that she is in her new Beverly Hills location, I have no reason to go to The Grove.

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Jeff Knowlton You do not want to go behind the Orange Curtain.

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Tyson Robertson I prefer shopping at Slauson and Western. Sans mason jars as well.

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Claire Donato

August 7 at 6:28pm · Edited ·

Audition update: Well, that wasn't what I expected -- but most of you were right. Turns out, it wasn't a commercial audition for cars, but for an RX (a new one, that treats constipation and irritated bowel syndrome, which the director seemed to be suffering from, based on his face and constant barking). When I finally got into the waiting room, this bony blonde from

Huntington Beach (via Exeter, said her mom) with super wide eyes but kind of sloping features that made her nose, eyes, and mouth look like they were about to slide off her face, kept asking if this was my real hair and kept saying how jealous she was of my figure. Once I got in a realized why. The RX apparently, in the process of relieving the digestive symptoms causes bloating and fatigue. I was reading primarily for fatigue, I think, though I think they considered me for bloating, too.


On my way out, after getting Next-ed almost instantly, I shouted at them my 12th Night monologue. The girl with the sloping features clapped (just her finger tips) and mouthed a silent "Yay." Then her wrinkleless mom scowled at her so hard I could see her submerged scowl lines resurface, if only for a minute.

I've got to get out of here (not LA, not yet), but out of this green room for Dante's Inferno, this parking lot, where I'm not really crying, but kinda doing my best imitation of crying just so people won't think it's strange that I'm just sitting in my car, staring, and posting.

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- **Elena Florian** Fuck auditions; just write
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- **Davin Heckman** What is the script like for an IBS audition?
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- **Nancy Few Simmons** Yeesh!
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- **Janna Leyde** You can cry, for sure. That shit sounded whack, but breathe above it.
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- **Lynsey Phillips** I admire you claire
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- **Pamela Marshall Ganné** Basic research for your novel. I can feel it.
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- **Davin Heckman** You what, I was thinking about this and it is their loss. Just because you don't fit their little cookie-cutter "ideal" of gastrointestinal distress... What shallow people. You look perfectly uncomfortable to me!
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- **Jim Bizzocchi** Claire - you're my hero!
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**Jeff Knowlton**
August 7 at 5:53pm · 🌐 ▼

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Mark Marino This is so cool, Jeff. Thanks for sharing it!

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Claire Donato When we return to LA, we'll have to gather here and conspire.

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Jeff Knowlton You can count on that !!!

Like · August 7 at 6:43pm



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John-Michael Thomas omg this is awesome!

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Jeff Knowlton We'll have to talk John-Michael Thomas. I am premiering a new locative media sound art piece for phone / tablet in Orlando next month for an art show.

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Elon Knowlton I want to go

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Jeff Knowlton Won't be a problem 😊

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Mark Marino

August 7 at 5:03pm ·

Facebook (or Fakebook, as my friend [Claire Donato](#) calls it) is a space of many masks. This is an idea I think a lot, but never in public. Not that Facebook is public — it's privately traded. What I'm trying to say is that this trapezoid injury is making me think a lot about the masks I wear everyday: Mentor Mark, Mark of Competency, Mark the Raconteur. Mark the Raconteur's mask is so permanently glued to his (my) face that even his (my) friends can't believe I would undertake an intense fitness regimen. This injury, however minor it may be, is a wake up call. I've been a Mark of Many Masks, and my body is trying to tell me that. Sorry to be so moody—I want to maintain a positive mask—but I'm feeling pretty sad. 😞





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Mark Marino Thanks for that, JH 😊

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Jeff Watson "Horror is the removal of masks."

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Spencer Pratt abre los ojos! abre los ojos! abre los ojos!

See Translation

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Jim Bizzocchi Mark - sorry to hear you are hurt, but I like how you are using it. Good artists are like sharks - always moving, always feeding....

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Mark Marino ► **Claire Donato**

August 7 at 1:55pm · 1

Hey Claire, I'm glad to see you and [Spencer](#) connected. Maybe drop him a line about the gathering tonight. I might go too.

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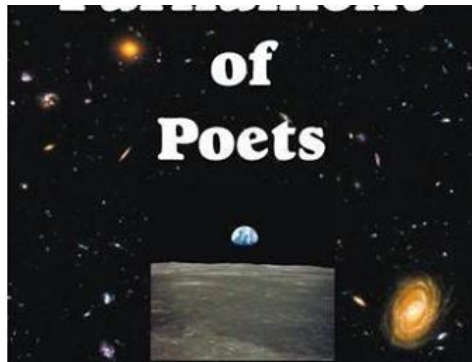
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**Claire Donato**

August 7 at 1:18pm · 🌐 ▼

As I stand here in line, I'm going over my monologue for the audition, but I seem to be the only one. I've got a classical one and a contemp one, but I'm only really feeling the classical one.

EVERYONE else is either 16 or 30something (actually, kinda hard to tell given the amount of makeup on both) and is staring or bitching to someone on their phones. I'm hearing the whole litany of LA complaints -- people who don't call you back, people who don't text you back, people who ignore your Snapchats, people who don't even f-ing know what Yeti is, people who don't get their dogs vacuumed properly, Brazilian fails, nail fails, Botox fails, fatfreeze fails (??), forgotten their birthdays, forgotten anniversaries, forgotten names, forgotten motivations for living. Makes me glad I can escape this soon. Here's my favorite section from my monologue.

Fortune forbid my outside have not charmed her.
She made good view of me; indeed, so much
That, as methought, her eyes had lost her tongue,
For she did speak in starts distractedly.

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Marisa Sako A) they're making you read a monologue for a commercial casting???

B) those overhead conversations are painful, indeed.

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Claire Donato I don't know, [Marisa](#), I'm so used to NY auditions, I just assumed I'd need one.

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➡ [Marisa Sako](#) replied · 2 Replies



Carrie Reid I'm old and I live in the Burgh, which may explain why there are so many words in your status I didn't understand. Hope you are well, Claire 😊 Thanks for entertaining me on a Friday afternoon.

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Chris Strollo Viola!!

Unlike · Reply · 👍 2 · August 7 at 2:20pm



Greta Hambke You've been auditioning?

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Jeff Knowlton If you don't want it, and it is inconvenient because you are from the other side of the country, they will in fact give you a call back!

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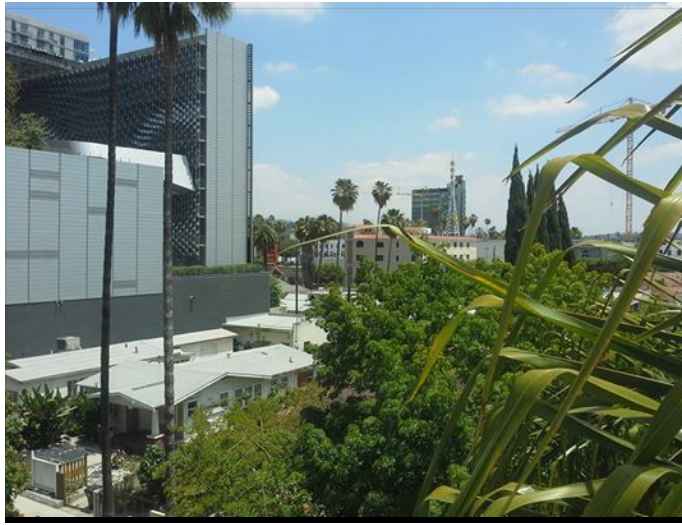


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**Claire Donato**

August 7 at 12:45pm · 🌐 ▼

Here's the view from the parking lot of the audition. Down below, it looks like a madhouse, or the cafeteria line of Bedlam, an anaconda of hopefuls and doubtfuls; dreamers, true believers, and tanorexics; all trying to clamor and scramble up the human ladder by the hair handful, ascending to LA fame one humiliating cold-read at a time. I prefer the madhouse of poets: Whether the darken'd room to muse invite, Or whiten'd wall provoke the skew'r to write; In durance, exile, Bedlam, or the Mint, Like Lee or Budgel I will rhyme and print.



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Mark Marino So exciting! I've got my fingers crossed for you!

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John Domini Lighting a candle!
(Oh, & did you know my first book was/is named BEDLAM?)

Like · Reply · 1 · August 7 at 4:29pm



Gavin Ferris Have you read "Paddle Your Own Canoe"? He talks a lot about the insanity that is the advertisement acting world.

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Claire Donato

August 7 at 11:20am · 🌐 ▼

I know this is crazy and just a sign that this LA smog is starting to erode my judgement, but I'm going out on an audition today. It's for a commercial, so it wouldn't disrupt my life too much, but I figured, why not see what life in LA is all about. Wish me luck or really don't. I didn't tell everyone because I'm still displeased with someone's taco decisions last night, but now you know.

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Mark Lamoureux What is the commercial for?

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Mark Lamoureux I really liked LA when I was there in the fall; so beautiful, but the driving thing was like hell on earth for someone who's used East Coast metropolis public transportation all their lives.

Unlike · Reply · 1 · August 7 at 11:31am



Claire Donato It's a car commercial, I think Kia. I don't even have headshots with me. I'm going to come off us such a rube.

Like · 1 · August 7 at 11:42am



Pamela Marshall Ganné Sounds like a perfect tourist activity to me.

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Meg Hurtado Bloom Write about it please!

Unlike · Reply · 2 · August 7 at 11:52am



Kate Mercier Break a proverbial leg.

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Mark Marino Good luck, Claire! Break a leg and try not to think about the childhood audition trauma we discussed over drinks. 😊

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Mark Marino Also, if you need headshots, I hear Rob Wittig has a colleague who knows a colleague who lives in Echo Park who can help.

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Claire Donato Mark, you are such a dear. Get me the number, but I wish you hadn't reminded me of that story. That audition memory dredges up feelings

buried so deeply. I will never forgive King Friday for what he did.

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↪  Mark Marino replied · 1 Reply



Jess Fields are you living here now?

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Claire Donato Jess, no. 😞 I'm only here through Thursday -- well, we'll see what happens. Things might change depending on how this audition goes.

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Marisa Sako One word: residuals.

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Paul Germain I'm dead serious, this is the best taco in LA:

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Tire Shop Taqueria - Historic South Central - Los Angeles, CA

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Amanda Katz Clearly we need to catch up. Break a leg in all such endeavors. xoxo

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Nancy Few Simmons Too many daze in the brown L.A. haze. GOOD LUCK!

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Maria Damon i love your sense of adventure

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Jeff Knowlton Break a leg kid.

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Rebecca Diamond Best of luck ❤️ I hope it's a pink lady commercial 🍎

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Chrissy Fontaine Hope it went well, Claire!

Like · Reply · August 8 at 3:32pm



Nancy Donato Kowalskie Good luck !!


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Claire Donato

August 7 at 1:44am ·  ▼

Claire's Book of Strong Suggestions [Travel Edition]:
if you go to Guisado's for tacos, don't come back smelling of mushrooms and avocados with a smidge of beans in your sideburns and expect someone else to want to practice a new [SPECIAL AMERICA](#) bit about that takes foodie culture as metonymous for the late capitalist descent.
Just saying.



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Joseph Mosconi Guisado's is good tho

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Chris Strollo Yes!

Like · Reply ·  1 · August 7 at 2:36am



Mark Marino It sounds like [Jeff T. Johnson](#) went out for tacos behind your back! Confirm/deny, JJ?

Like · Reply · August 7 at 11:54am



Jeff T. Johnson I cannot confirm or deny that I at two tacos at Guisado's, one of fish and one of shrimps. I may or may not have been merely passing Guisado's on my way to work at Fix, when I would have noticed Guisados passing on my right. That might have been too much temptation for me.

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**Frederick Glaysher** ▸ **Claire Donato**

August 6 at 8:42pm · 🧑

New Amazon Review, Bob Dixon-Kolar, Department of English, College of DuPage >

"Frederick Glaysher, in "The Poet's Religion of Rabindranath Tagore," an essay from his book *The Myth of Enlightenment*, mentions his poem *The Dawn of a New Day*, which describes his spiritual awakening, when "the world grew clearer" and he "discovered that it was nothing like what [he] had thought or imagined it to be." As powerful and beneficent as that experience was, it set Glaysher upon a singular and even a lonely path: Who around him felt what he felt, saw what he saw? That is what made his communion with Tagore--through his poetry, essays and reminiscences--so encouraging and welcome. Tagore, the great Bengali poet and social reformer, had had his own transformative awakening; and, consequently, he daily surrendered himself to the Lord of Life, his Jivan Devata. That devotion freed him spiritually and artistically, while at the same time it guided his service in behalf of humanity.

"It is clear to me that Glaysher's scholarship, his poetry, and his hopeful vision of Unity among people of all lands remain grounded in ever-dawning encounters with the Divine."



The Myth of the Enlightenment: Essays

The *Myth of the Enlightenment* is Frederick Glaysher's first collection of literary essays since *The Grove of the Eumenides* in 2007. Divided into three sections, these essays and reviews were all written during the 21st Century, with many of them central to...

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**Claire Donato**

August 6 at 5:26pm · 🌐 ▼

Wandering and wondering through the hills of southern California marveling at how green everything can remain in this winsome waterless wilderness, imagining planting myself in this landscape: would I grow like iceplant and over take or would I become straggly and dried out like tenacious chaparral? Amazing that one can find solitude in this city of 7 million....



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Mark Marino Lovely reflection, Claire. Don't forget to drink water — that is, if you can find any!

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Mark Marino · **Claire Donato**

August 6 at 2:03pm · 1

Claire! I'm really excited to see you back on Facebook (or should I say Fakebook? LOL). Your posts are always so edgy and entertaining. I'm even considering making your FB page a required text in my fall selfie course!

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Elisabeth Sauvage-Callaghan, Emily Skillings and Jeremy Hight like this.



Claire Donato Yeah, sounds like you be better be careful with that SelfieClass. NTT faculty have it rough. Just saying.

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Claire Donato

August 6 at 1:56pm · 1

Part of the reason it's so hard to be who I am on Fakebook is because FKBook doesn't have a clue about who I am. The ads are customized to some clone of a clone of a clone.

I mean, this is Echo Park, and it's my day for Thrift diving!



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Robyn Campbell, Marisa Sako, Roxanne Carter and 8 others like this.



Mark Marino Claire, you should really consider downloading Adblock Pro. I'm really excited about your culture jam, though!

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Claire Donato I am so angry right now, I've just unwound an entire cable-knit sweater

Like · Reply · 7 · August 6 at 1:59pm



John Domini Could be worse. Could be getting "12 Ridiculously Hot Photos of Jennifer Lawrence."

Unlike · Reply · 3 · August 6 at 2:11pm



Brooke Ellsworth Fb makes a free focus group out of us all

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Claire Donato

August 6 at 1:32pm · 🌐 ▼

Tried the gluten-free Mac and Cheese here this morning.

Somehow I feel like I was partaking in something very old yet very new -- and dangerous, miscegenation, hybridization, a meditation on loss and gain, undermining the dream of childhood with the realities of intolerance to wheat proteins.



Sage Organic Vegan Bistro - Echo Park - Los Angeles, CA

Vegan in Los Angeles, CA

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Cris Cris, Jeff T. Johnson, Nara Hernandez and 7 others like this.



Mark Marino I love Sage Organic Vegan Bistro! Their Go Green deluxe smoothie with Himalayan sea salt, avocado and chili pepper reminds me of our mutual [Rob Wittig](#) — multifaceted and improvisatory! Glad you were able to find vegan/gluten-free mac and cheese, Claire-y.

Unlike · Reply · 2 · August 6 at 1:35pm



Claire Donato Yes, it's my In-N-Out hamburger here in meatland. I'm going to order my next gluten-free lemon-grass sprout bowl "animal style" and see what happens!

Like · August 6 at 1:37pm

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Nara Hernandez You're in my hood. Let me know if you need anything.

Unlike · Reply · 2 · August 6 at 4:13pm



Emily Skillings Omg I love you

Like · Reply · 1 · August 6 at 7:15pm



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Mark Marino

August 6 at 1:17pm · 🌐 ▼

Posting this photo of a honey bear for my friend and trusted All-Time High collaborator [Claire Donato](#), who never wears a mask and is yet always somehow everywhere at once. I can't believe how wonderful it was to hang out with her and [Jeff T. Johnson](#) yesterday!



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Jeff T. Johnson, Elisabeth Sauvage-Callaghan and 2 others like this.



Claire Donato yes, Jeff and I are still texting back and forth about it, and I have not stopped using yik yak all day, except for a small dip into my novel, into which I've added the character of Bjørn!

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Mark Marino That's so funny — I can't stop reading through Craigslist Missed Connections! Some are so earnest; others are deeply problematic, even abhorrent. Thanks for introducing me to the site!

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Claire Donato

August 6 at 11:31am · Edited ·

Fakebook is starting to become too much for me. Masks on masks on masks ... I'm seriously considering deleting my account, letting my subjectivity flow solely to Twittsville. Don't be alarmed. It's just virtual ... I ❤️ you all.

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Spencer Pratt, Cris Cris, Pamela Marshall Ganné and 33 others like this.



Rob McLennan some of us are real, (ish

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Kate Mercier It's good to take a break. I really use it mostly to see photos of my friends' kids and cats and dogs, and to enter giveaways for art supplies. 😊

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Ali Power ❤️

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Amanda Katz You can also just stop checking it.

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Claire Donato Maybe that's the problem. I can't.

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Mark Marino Sounds like All-Time High went to your head, Claire. Good to catch up last night; hope you are drinking a lot of water this a.m. Feel better, and keep your subjectivity flowing like wine!

Like · Reply · 1 · August 6 at 12:29pm



Claire Donato Thanks to the outpouring of response, I've decided to keep Fakebook, at least for a more week. Plus, being in LA, there's just too much I want to share with you all, my lovelies. Maybe I'll double down. See if I can hack this place into something else, try not to edit the sad parts.

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Claire Donato Back logged voices on the 7 wonders


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Ray DeJesús Nancy deactivated for a week; clearing her pores. Miss you both!

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**Lindsay Dragan** Nothing wrong with walking away for awhile, dude. I have. Several times. I think how my husband put it is best, though: "Make the algorithm work for you."❤️

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**Claire Donato**

August 5 at 3:56pm · 🌟 ▼

Here's where any subjectivity I willingly pour into the Internet these days goes: <https://twitter.com/clairedonato> ... hope your summer is peaceful ❤️




Claire Donato (@clairedonato) | Twitter




The latest Tweets from Claire Donato (@clairedonato). Author of Burial (Tarpaulin Sky, 2013) & The Second Body (Poor Claudia, 2016) | ½ @spatialamerica | Architecture Writing & Creative Writing Faculty at Pratt...
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**Mark Marino** Subjectivity willingly poured, and then some!

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**Claire Donato** changed her profile picture.




August 4 at 2:34am · 🌟 ▼



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- **Marc Lowe** Nice photo.
- Unlike · Reply · 1 · July 2 at 10:53am
- **Maura Hobart** This picture needs a caption.
- Like · Reply · 1 · July 2 at 7:53pm
- **Lisa Donovan** Still thinking about malls? How interesting, Claire. 😊
- Like · Reply · July 2 at 11:20pm



Nathan Buzzanca You SOOOO ALWAYS remind me of Sofia Loren !!!!



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Claire Donato changed her profile picture.

August 4 at 2:32am · 🌐 ▼



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Mark Marino This reminds me of a photograph of [Rob Wittig](#) in Bergen. In photographs, you both constitute parts of radical object oriented assemblages. Must be something in the air... (Also, no wonder your teeth are so clean!)

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Claire Donato

July 29 at 11:25am · 🌐 ▼

Tonight is Graduation (11pm EDT/8pm PDT) at All-Time High, our final event, and @BootsRiley from The Coup will play songs about education/revolution at our ceremony! Stop by #ATH15 on Twitter for the festivities: preposterously moving speeches, songs about radical education, and perhaps a teenage riot. Not to mention an after-party at the cabin in the woods.

It's been an incredible month. Thanks to all who contributed their energy to our improvised and radicalized specula... [See More](#)



The Coup - "The Guillotine"

"The Guillotine" by The Coup from the new album 'Sorry To Bother You,' out 10/30!
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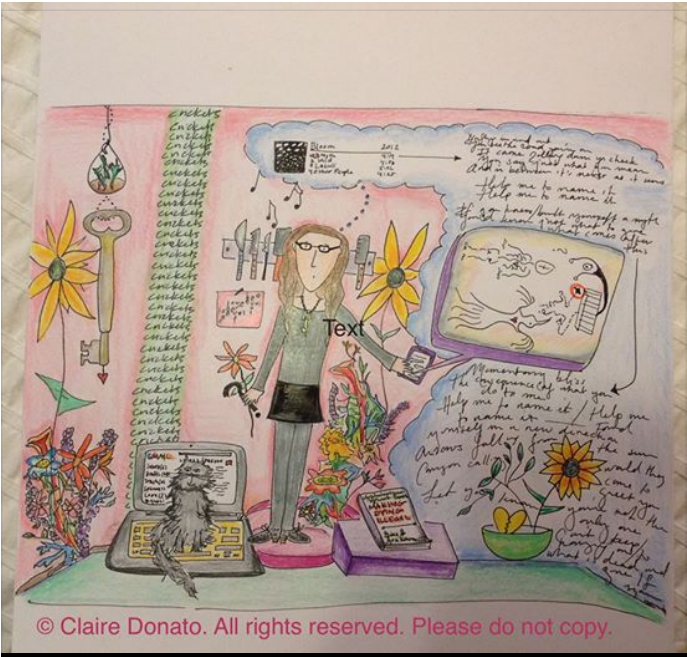
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Mark Marino Graduation was such a memorable event. Even Vice was dancing!
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Elisabeth Sauvage-Callaghan
July 24 at 10:51am ·

I was browsing through my daughter's website earlier this morning, and found this wonderful piece of artwork, by her, which I had never seen before. I adore Claire's artwork - I think that it's incredibly sweet and smart, and filled with cute little details. This self-portrait fills the bill as well as all others pieces created by [Claire](#). Please, note (as I added it on the piece itself), that this image belongs to Claire. Do not copy or alter.




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Elisabeth Sauvage-Callaghan The word "Text" should not appear in the center of the image. I screwed up when adding the copyright notice. Woe me.
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Kara Campbell Raehsler She is so amazingly talented.
Like · Reply · 1 · July 24 at 11:52am



Elisabeth Sauvage-Callaghan Mary Hamilton · I see a bit of your whimsical style in Claire's. We still need to discuss the Home Sweet Home art work!

Like · Reply ·  1 · July 24 at 12:10pm



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