



Pretty T Girls

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A Closer Look at our Founder Rachel Williston



I first began feeling that I was a bit different from most boys around age 12. I had a fascinations with looking at Sears and Montgomery Ward (remember them?) catalogs. They had the most delightful lingerie sections and I spent countless hours marveling at girls wearing bras, panties, and slips. So, my first experiences were strictly visual just looking at girls in lingerie.

When I was 14 my story takes a turn. One that would affect me for the rest of my life. I had such an attraction to nylon panties that I just had to experience slipping a pair of nylon panties on. Strange for a 14 year old boy, but I just really had to wear a pair of panties. Lucky for me, I had an older sister who wore about the same size lingerie as me. I found from looking in her lingerie drawer that she had a lovely assortment of nylon panties, lacy nylon panties, and even lacy nylon panty slips (remember those?). One day when she was not home, I went into her room and selected a chocolate brown lacy nylon half slip and matching panties and scurried back to my room. I then slowly slipped on her nylon panties. That's right, I was now wearing my sister's panties! It sounds really strange to me now, but it was something I just had to do back then. I could not control myself. I then put on her nylon half slip. So there I was, a 14 year old boy wearing my sister's nylon half slip and panties! Yes, it was exciting. It also started me on a path of realizing that I was different from other boys ... I was part girl !

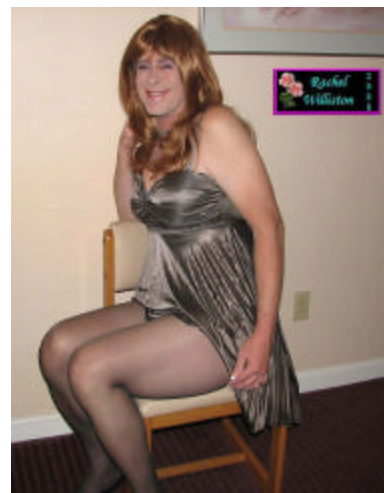


From this beginning with a fascination for lingerie, I began to wear skirts and dresses. Before that could come about, I felt that I had to begin wearing a bra. Kind of embarrassing for a teenage boy to go to a store and buy a bra but I summoned courage and did it! My later teenage years were all about being fully dressed, including a wig and slowly getting the hang of make up (I still need help on that :)). I had gone from a focus on panties and lingerie to really feeling like a girl on the inside and trying to dress the part on the outside.

The next couple of decades involved dressing and sometimes purging my feminine wardrobe. There was still a lot of guilt I felt about feeling that I was a girl and dressing the part. I felt that I was not supposed to do this. I was born male after all. Society didn't approve of crossdressing or guys feeling that they were actually girls inside. Most Tgirls have gone through a purging stage ... looking back, its a bit stupid and definitely expensive!

In 2001, I discovered how many girls there are like me ... the internet! I began feeling much

more comfortable about being me, feeling like I really was a girl. I began taking photos of me as a girl and started up my very own little 'ol website ("<http://rachelwilliston.com>") . From there, I dressed as a girl as much as time allowed. I started trying to help other Tgirls understand themselves. We ARE normal you know! I started the Pretty Tgirls Group on Yahoo with the help of a genetic girl (gg) Laurie Ann. I later started up Pretty Tgirls Magazine, which was a true labor of love for me. There was so much help from others and so much involvement ... truly a great experience!



Being so visible on the internet was, at first, a bit scary. My fears were really unfounded, as I made so many great friends and have been lucky not to have too many undesirable types after me (phew!). I have not had the time to go to the many TG conferences around due to work (I gotta pay for my dresses somehow!). I do hope to go to some in the future though.

I am happy as a girl. I consider myself a straight Tgirl who still is attracted to genetic girls. I do find other Tgirls attractive and have actually kissed a couple of other Tgirls. Kinda strange, huh? Not really. Most of us ARE part girl after all. We tend to wear skirts and dresses much more often than genetic girls seem to these days and have to tend to our hair and make up at all times. Finding a gg that accepts a Tgirl is very tough, but I don't have to tell you that I guess. They are out there. Things are changing for us Tgirls. Younger gg's seem to be more accepting, so there is definitely hope for



Tgirls.

Society is still lagging behind though.

You can still find television shows that portray us in a joking kind of way ... too bad for them and anyone who laughs. We are, as a whole, very kind, sensitive, and open girls who are some of the best non-judgmental people around!

My hope is that every society will gain acceptance of Tgirls someday so we can be ourselves with no fear or regret. If I have helped even in a tiny way towards this, great! So, that is a brief story of Rachel ... hope you enjoyed it!

Be happy! Love from Rachel