

**“COMMUNITY IS A SAFE PLACE PRECISELY
BECAUSE NO ONE IS ATTEMPTING TO HEAL
OR CONVERT YOU, TO FIX YOU, TO CHANGE YOU.
INSTEAD THE MEMBERS ACCEPT YOU AS YOU ARE;
YOU ARE FREE TO BE YOU AND BEING SO FREE,
YOU ARE FREE
TO DISCARD THE FENCES, MASKS, DISGUISES;
FREE TO SEEK YOUR OWN PSYCHOLOGICAL AND
SPIRITUAL HEALTH.”**

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