


AN INVITATION TO

Come in...

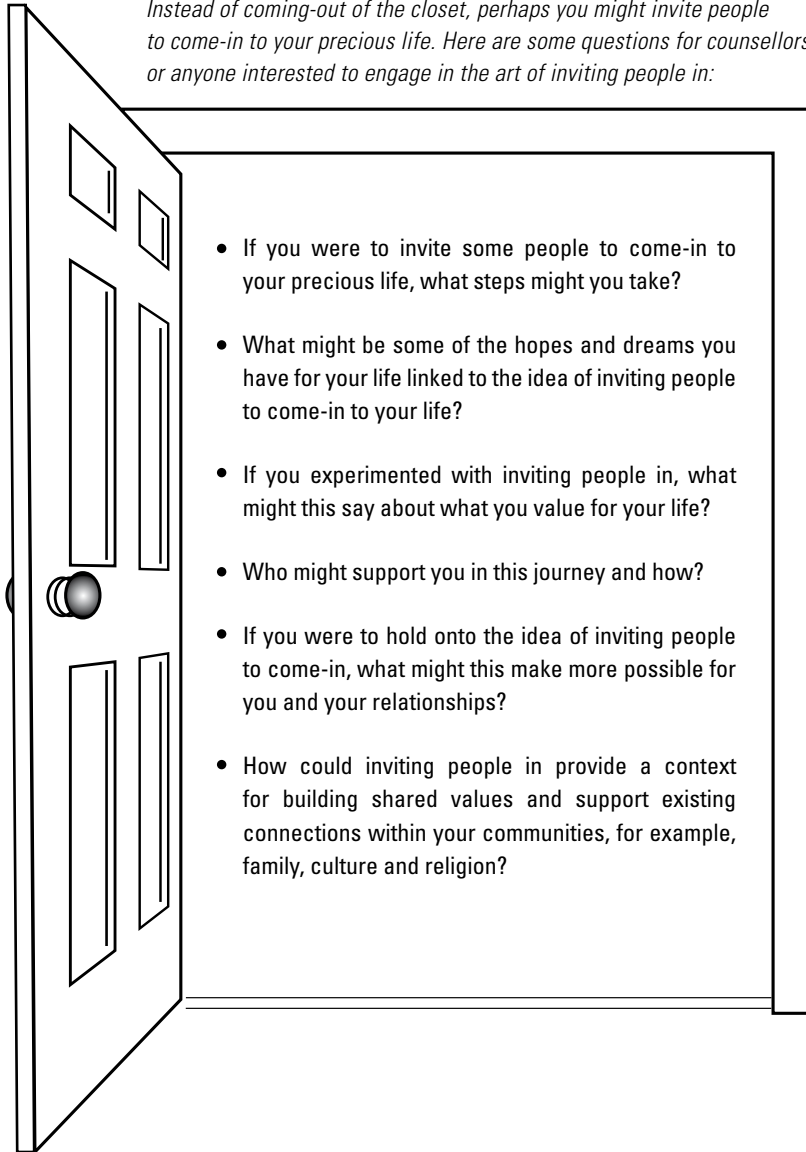


...to
my life

Queering the concept of coming out

Coming out has been pertinent in giving voice to the ongoing struggles to attain legal recognition and support services for the GLBTIQ communities, and played a significant role in rendering visible the human rights issues. However, at times the concept of “coming-out of the closet” might not fit for some people exploring sexual identities.

Instead of coming-out of the closet, perhaps you might invite people to come-in to your precious life. Here are some questions for counsellors or anyone interested to engage in the art of inviting people in:



- If you were to invite some people to come-in to your precious life, what steps might you take?
- What might be some of the hopes and dreams you have for your life linked to the idea of inviting people to come-in to your life?
- If you experimented with inviting people in, what might this say about what you value for your life?
- Who might support you in this journey and how?
- If you were to hold onto the idea of inviting people to come-in, what might this make more possible for you and your relationships?
- How could inviting people in provide a context for building shared values and support existing connections within your communities, for example, family, culture and religion?

Space to document reflections that might have resonated for you from engaging with these questions:

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