

# Body Image Healing Part 4

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### Show Title: Body Image Healing Training Program Part 4 of 5

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### Transscript:

Hello & Welcome! You are listening to another episode of Adult Bedtime Stories. I am Ladyboy Gigi.

Tonight we are covering The Body Image Healing Training Program Part 4 of 5. In this training we will cover Charisma, Self Confidence, The Victory Stance, and Sexual Affirmations. Improving our charisma attracts people to us. Building self confidence helps us project a higher self esteem. The victory stance is a body hack that prepares us for success. Sexual Affirmations are a type of NLP that improves our mind talk.

In tonights video training, we will be taking a deeper dive into the foundations of projecting beauty. The Action Steps will guide you through exercises that are an inner journey to empower the energy being within you.

In the Developing Charisma section, you will learn techniques to improve your charisma. It will take practice over time, but the effort is well wort it. Besides, the daily exercise brings erotic pleasure.

For a self confidence boost, I have included a body hack that helps release chemistry in the body that promotes success. This can be used before going on a date, interviews, public speaking, and much more.

Sexual Affirmations is a great way to use NLP to shift into living a sex positive lifestyle. This exercise also releases good chemistry in the body that elevates mood and raises sexual desires. I find that the daily practice of Sexual Affirmations helps me radiate beauty and energy throughout the entire day.

In this training, there are 3 Action Steps for you to download and complete after the training. These Action Steps are a way to explore, question, and change how you would like to impact your life. There is also a guided erotic meditation transcript & MP3, and Sexual Affirmations transcript & MP3 to download.

Be sure to get the Action Step Exercises which will be included in the free downloads on my website. Be sure to download all the materials and complete the Action Steps after the show. The website is at ravenslairleather.com/podcast.

So here is The Body Image Healing Part 4 video.

# **Body Image Healing Training Video Transcript**



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# Body Image Healing Training Program Part 4

#### Charisma

Charisma is an interesting phenomenon. I have met people who were charismatic but at the same time were not what I would consider attractive. Yet they had a beauty that shown out and I was drawn to them.

Fortunately, we can become more charismatic with a few changes in our attitude and how we relate to people. One important component of charisma is presence. When we become fully present with people, they feel it and are drawn to us.

Being fully present is learning to let go of the future and the past for the duration of an interaction. This includes fully listening without thinking about how we will respond. Part of it is focusing fully in the present moment. It helps me if I prepare myself to fully discover what is amazing and fascinating about the person I am interacting with and letting go of all other thoughts including planning out what I want to say. It takes practice. I am still practicing this and improving my abilities in being fully present. Yet each bit of progress improves my charisma.

Active listening and giving feedback helps us to be more fully present. Listen to what the other person is saying and paraphrase what you heard. By stating what you heard in your own words provides an opportunity to ensure that what you heard is what the other person actually meant. It also conveys to the other person that you are interested in what they have to say. It creates a bond between you.

Being genuine is another component of charisma. Select things that you like about the other person and share this information with them. If you just try to flatter someone with empty statements, it will come across as phony.

Take an interest in another's viewpoint. Even if you don't share their view, it is important to demonstrate an interest in their viewpoint. Ask questions about their viewpoint that will help you understand how they came to have that viewpoint. Ask questions about what they find important about their viewpoint and explore their viewpoint from their perspective. This doesn't mean you have to agree with their view, just acknowledge it and have a genuine interest in what they value.

Demonstrate compassion and a genuine interest in people. Each person has a story. Ask about their story and their adventures in life. This helps to find the importance of each person and the value they can bring to you. Discover what you share in common, especially when you feel they are very different from you. There is always some things we all share in common, as we are all human beings with needs, desires, hopes, and dreams.



#### Action Step 7: Developing Mindfulness

# **Developing Mindfulness**

As you interact with people, practice the art of being fully present with them. Focus on who they are and their point of view. Be real and compliment them on their attributes that you value in them.

#### Self Confidence

Self-confidence isn't something a person has or doesn't have. Self-confidence is something we generate within ourselves. I would even state further that self-confidence is not necessarily based on success. Success can boost self-confidence, but a person can have self-confidence without being successful, at least initially. Often self-confidence will lead a person to successful outcomes. On another note, even a successful person can lack self-confidence.

There are times when someone with a high level of self-confidence will falter when presented with a new unfamiliar challenge. For example, I have known highly self-confident people who are exceptional in their profession, experience a meltdown of self-confidence when asked to do a presentation to a large audience.

Self-confidence is believing in our abilities as a person to be able to function and excel as we go through the process of life. It also is a belief that other people accept us as skilled, intelligent, valuable, and honorable.

In part, self-confidence is a decision we make. Often it is not clear in how we speak to ourselves about our decision to be confident. For example, when faced with a difficult challenge, how often do we access the challenge and state to our self "I can do this, I've got a handle on this situation," even when we don't totally feel like we can succeed. Yet we plow on with the challenge. By asserting these statements, we have made a decision to move onward with confidence.

In part, self-confidence is affected by our mind talk. If we tell ourselves negative and self-demeaning statements, it lowers our self-esteem and erodes confidence. If we tell ourselves positive statements, then it boosts our confidence levels. I told myself while looking in the mirror "Gigi, I love you and you are awesome". At first it felt weird, but I kept saying it each day. After a while my attitude about myself changed and I truly do love myself and my self-confidence took off.

By recognizing that we have a capacity to learn, grow, and develop as we experience the process of life, self-confidence will raise within us. There are some physical components to raising self-confidence. One method is called the victory stance.



### The Victory Stance

One great example of the victory stance is when a person has just won an event. They raise their arms and either verbally or silently exclaim their success. In the victory stance, a person will expand their body and jump or dance.

Think back to a moment in your life when you felt the moment of joy in accomplishment. What posture did you assume with your body? What were your thoughts at that moment? What were your feelings? For a moment, visualize every detail of that experience. As you visualize the event from your past, assume the posture and express your victory. Notice how you feel by re-experiencing that moment as if it just occurred.

By assuming the victory stance, your body releases a whole set of chemicals in the brain which will not only elevate your self-confidence, but also bring about feelings of euphoria and a sense that there is nothing you can't accomplish. As these feelings surge through us, we project our self in such a way that attracts other people around us.

Whenever you need a self-confidence boost, perform the victory stance. It is a great tool to use when you are about to step into the spotlight so to speak. I use it just before I teach a class or put on a presentation.

### Action Step 8: The Victory Stance

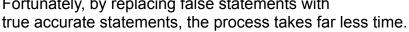
# The Victory Stance Exercise

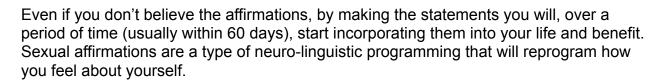
Identify an area in your life that you want to improve your self-confidence. When you are presented with this particular challenge, make a note of your mind talk. What are you telling yourself about this challenge? Is it true? Is there a better mind talk statement you can make? Before you engage in the activity, learn more information about the challenge, perform the victory stance and visualize yourself succeeding with meeting the challenge before attempting the activity.

#### Sexual Affirmations

Sexual affirmations are a great way to empower yourself and develop a healthy body image. By practicing sexual affirmations each day, they will improve the quality of your mind talk and empower you as a sexy and beautiful person.

We become what we tell our self. If we tell our self we are beautiful, then our sub-conscious mind will guide us to become more beautiful. It takes time. Our negative social conditioning took many years to take hold within us. Fortunately, by replacing false statements with





## Action Step 9: Sexual Affirmations

Perform sexual affirmations for 60 days. Feel free to use these affirmations as a guide to develop your own or use these as written. You can state these affirmations to yourself, listen to the guided affirmations from the WAV file, or record your own affirmations. The Sexual Affirmations are included in the Body Image Healing Exercises section for download.



#### Conclusion

In this edition of Body Image Healing, we covered Charisma and how it affects us in our ability to project beauty. Our charisma is an area that we can change by practicing action steps and becoming more fully present and mindful.

Self confidence is an area that we can develop and project. By utilizing The Victory Stance, we will be perceived as having self confidence.

Sexual Affirmations are a great tool to use to transform our life and raise sexual energy. Through the daily practice of utilizing sexual affirmations, what we tell our self becomes over time, a self-fulfilling prophecy.

In the final edition of Body Image Healing, We will cover Passion, Raising Sexual Energy, The Kundalini, A Guided Erotic Meditation, Masturbation, and Telling Your Story. See you in the next training!

#### Station Break:

And now we are to station break. If you already haven't done so, be sure to download The Body Image Healing Training Program Part 4 transcript, and Action Steps 7, 8, & 9 Exercise workbooks. There is also a guided erotic meditation transcript & MP3, and Sexual Affirmations transcript & MP3 to download. They can be obtained at https://www.ravenslairleather.com/podcast.

### Review & Highlights:

In this training, we are shifting more into an experiential inward journey. Through meditation, we learn the art of being fully present with our self. I discovered that presence can be very powerful both with our self and with others. When one has an experiential inward journey, it gets us more in touch with the energy being within us. We become more aware of the realm of the spirit.

The non-material realm is the realm of dreams, fantasy, spirit energy, and imagination. The role of theater, movies, and BDSM Role Play is in part a method to bring an intersection between the non-material realm and the material world. Through this we bring a sense of reality to dreams, fantasy, and imagination.

The Victory Stance is a great method to boost our self confidence. I use it for a variety of situations when I want to shine brightly. I find it especially helpful when I am about to perform a new activity or an activity that I don't engage in very often.

I have been practicing Sexual Affirmations for many years. In my training on Raising Erotic Energy, I cover an important concept about arousal. Each person has a primary learning style. We also have secondary learning styles. Some people learn best from visual materials. Others learn best from auditory information. Some are tactile/kinesthetic learners, they learn best through a hands-on approach. This does not mean that we can't learn through other senses, but a person retains and learns best through their primary sense.

People also have a primary sense for arousal and sex. For example, if a person's primary sense for sexual arousal is from visual stimulation, they will respond better to seeing sexy images and through seeing their partner in a sexy outfit.

For those whose primary sense for sexual arousal is auditory, they will respond better to sexy talk and hearing sexy sounds.

For people whose primary sense for arousal is tactile / kinesthetic, they will respond better to touching and being touched.

Another primary component for sexual arousal is emotive. For them, sex has to have an emotional component. They respond sexually when their partner provides a sense of love, appreciation, and other emotional support.

It is important to determine your own and your partner's primary sense for arousal. Often, we assume our partner will respond the same way we respond. If my primary sense for arousal is visually based and my partner is based in auditory stimulation and I primarily provide sexy images and visual stimulation, then my partner will not respond as well sexually. In this case, if I talked sexy and described how sexy images look verbally, then they will get turned on at a higher level.

To determine one's primary sense for sexual arousal, determine what types of stimulation gets you sexually aroused. If seeing sexy images really turns you on, then you are more of a visual person. The same applies to the other senses.

Some people have more than one primary sense for sexual arousal. For example, one may get turned on sexually through visual and auditory stimulation equally.

For some people, a non-primary sense can be either a turn off or be neutral, providing no erotic stimulation. An example would be phone sex. For an auditory person, phone sex is great. For others, phone sex doesn't do anything for the libido.

I bring this up because it helps to raise sex energy as one starts getting aroused for sexual affirmations. I am both a visual and tactile - kinesthetic person. When I start getting ready for my affirmations, I get turned on by touching myself and seeing it in a mirror. I usually start touching different areas of my body that starts getting me aroused.

As I get more aroused, I stimulate my nipples and genitals. Once I am fully aroused, I start stroking my erect cock and bring myself close to reaching orgasm. Once I am close to the point of no return, I stop genital stimulation and touch other parts of my body to circulate the pre-orgasmic energy throughout my body. Once I have cooled down from the point of no return, I resume masturbation.

I have my affirmations recorded on my phone. I hit play and continue the dance of edging an orgasm as I listen to my affirmations. At the end of the affirmations, I either continue edging, bring myself to orgasm, or I stop all stimulation depending on what I desire on a particular day.

From my experience, doing sexual affirmations instead of just doing the affirmations without arousal is more effective. When I am highly sexually aroused, I am more receptive. I am in a receptive head space. I think of it as reaching my higher consciousness.

This concludes this edition of Adult Bedtime Stories and The Body Image Healing Training Part 4. In Part 5, we will cover Passion, Raising Sexual Energy, Masturbation, & Telling Your Story. See you in the next training.

#### **Show Links:**

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#### **Short Description:**

How do you feel about your body? Do you feel beautiful & Sexy? If not, it is not your fault. We live in a sex negative culture and are influenced by sex negative social conditioning.

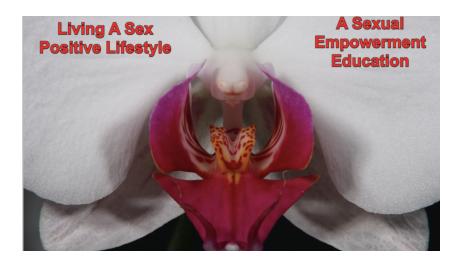
Tonight we are covering The Body Image Healing Training Program Part 4 of 5. In this training we will cover Charisma, Self Confidence, The Victory Stance, and Sexual Affirmations Discover how these elements can impact our beauty and being sexy.

Worksheets are located at: https://www.ravenslairleather.com/podcast

We love to hear your comments and suggestions so please take a moment to give us your feedback.

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At Ravens Lair, our vision is to create a sex positive world through adult sexual education and erotic BDSM performance art. Raven's Lair provides these training materials free of charge as a means to step out of the dark ages when it comes to sexuality.

If you gain benefit from these training materials and are able to transform your sex life, we ask that you consider making a donation. We believe that making an arbitrary decision about setting a monetary price for these materials does not account for the value each individual obtains from these materials.

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#### The Author



Ladyboy Gigi has been active in the BDSM community for over 30 years. Gigi started out as a boy toy sex slave and played as a submissive for many years. For the past 12 years Gigi identified as a switch, often playing the role of a Domme.

Gigi has been following an eclectic pagan sacred sex path since pre-adolescence. S/he has studied art, philosophy, ancient religions, ancient civilizations, photography, human sexuality, and sculpture. Gigi has a Bachelor's of Arts degree in Philosophy and a Master's degree in Social Work.

Gigi published The Dominant's Handbook – An Intimate Guide to BDSM. This book provides training information about physical, psychological, and psychosexual aspects of BDSM for individuals who want to learn Dominant Role Play. Go to: <a href="http://www.ravenslairleather.com">http://www.ravenslairleather.com</a>.

In 1999, Gigi was awarded the AIB Globe Award for outstanding service to the bisexual world community. Gigi, along with Michael Page and Wendy Curry, started Celebrate Bisexuality Day. For more information about CBD, go to: Celebrate Bisexuality Day - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia. Gigi served on BiNet USA's Board of Directors for two years.

Gigi was born intersex (hermaphrodite). Shortly after birth, doctors performed sexual reassignment surgery. Gigi has been active in the Transgender community, the bisexual community, the BDSM community, and other diverse alternative artistic communities. S/he has studied human sexuality in both undergraduate and graduate studies programs. Gigi is a hermaphrodite and identifies as being pansexual. S/he currently practices as a prostitute priestess, providing sex-positive education and sex healing work in Aphrodite's Temple\*.

Gigi has presented many diverse workshops for bisexual conferences, pagan festivals, BDSM events, and for other alternative communities. S/he has presented information in college courses as an invited speaker.

Gigi was a co-producer of AfterHours, Queer Radio With Attitude, KPFT 90.1 FM, a radio program that provided information about human sexuality and alternative lifestyle choices. Gigi has been on the air for over 25 years and has covered many diverse

topics centered on human sexuality, BDSM, and sacred sex. The radio show provides sex-positive information about human sexuality and alternative lifestyle choices. Visit KPFT at: <a href="http://www.kpft.org/">http://www.kpft.org/</a>.

Currently, Ladyboy Gigi produces a podcast on iTunes called Adult Bedtime Stories. Each week a new episode is released featuring a topic on sexuality. Adult Bedtime Stories is a show dedicated to bringing sacredness back to our sexuality and to learn about everything sexual. Allow the beautiful sexy creature within you to emerge. Each week the focus of the show will be on different sexual topics designed to enlighten you so you develop more fully as a sexual being. This is the sex education that you didn't receive in high school, but should have. To subscribe and listen, go to: <a href="https://itunes.apple.com/us/podcast/adult-bedtime-stories/id1327711830?mt=2">https://itunes.apple.com/us/podcast/adult-bedtime-stories/id1327711830?mt=2</a>

\* Note: The Sacred Sex Temple (Aphrodite's Temple) is a sacred space that is based on ancient sacred sex temples that existed in many ancient civilizations around the world. Aphrodite's Temple is currently available during Earth Spirit Alliance and Council of Magickal Arts pagan festivals in the spring and fall. If you are interested in having Aphrodite's Temple be a part of an event you are offering, contact Ladyboy Gigi for more information at admin@ravenslairleather.com.