

Literary Heritage: LGBTIAQ

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Greens, Cornbread, and Queer

Queer and Southern? What do these words connote? Who identifies as queer? How does queerness present itself in the south? How are these experiences unique? We will identify, examine, and peruse through works by queer writers from the south. Some texts are written about the southern queer experience by ex-southerners. Bring your sweetest tea and sit with me on the porch so that we can read stories of otherness and “coming out” in the south. Be in the house before the streetlights come on and prepare to learn about southern queers, y’all.

We will read selections from:

Black. Southern. Queer. Women. ISBN: 978-1469641102

LGBTQ Writers on the American South ISBN: 978-1937420802

The instructor will provide other readings.