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Red Dora's Bearded Lady Cafe
485 14th St
Popular 90s hangout with a rich history of queer spoken word performances.

Kelly's
One of the first lesbian bars in the Mission

Osentó
955 Valencia St
Mission women's go-to hot tubbing joint.

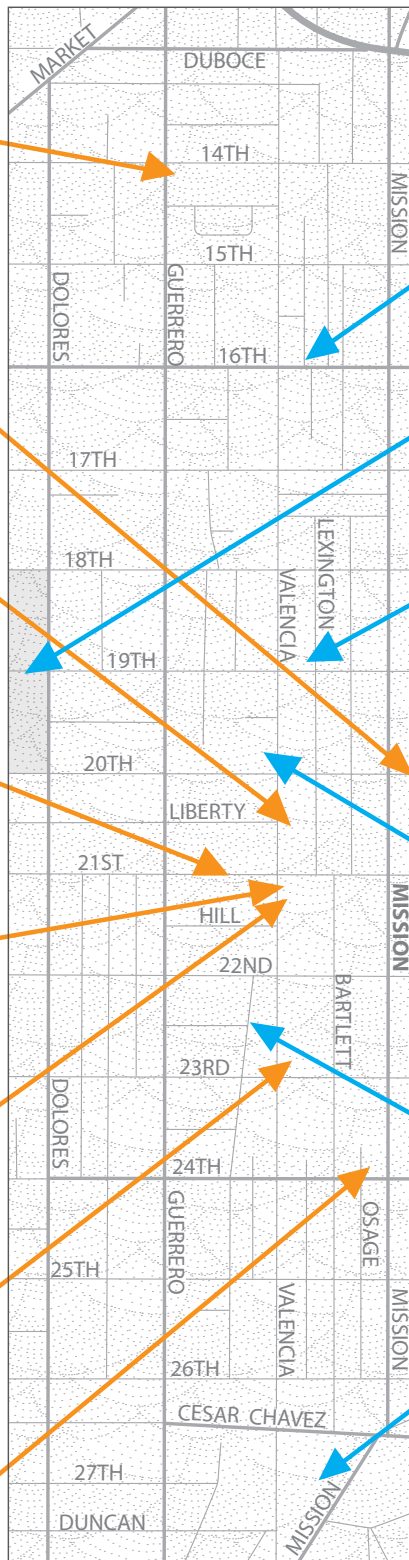
The Catacombs
Began as a simple S/M and fisting club; started a whole new gay scene in the 80s.

Old Wives' Tales Bookstore
1009 Valencia St
A 70s lesbian feminist bookstore.

Womenscraft West
1007 ½ Valencia St
Sold jewelry, art, and handicrafts on consignment

Artemis Cafe
1199 Valencia St

Cafe La Boheme
3318 24th St
A favorite spot of Gloria Anzaldua's for late-night talks.



Esta Noche
3079 16th St
The Mission's own gay Latino dance club, with unforgettable Friday and Saturday drag shows.

Dolores Park (Midsection)
Dolores St & 19th St

The Lexington Club
3464 19th St
The self-professed 'friendly neighborhood dyke bar.'

Modern Times Bookstore
888 Valencia St
Check out weekly 'Gay Shame' meetings on Saturdays at 5:30, and Queer Open Mic nights every 4th Friday. This summer on June 22, July 27, August 24 at 7:00pm.

The Scarlet Sage
1173 Valencia St
Independent Herbal Apothecary

El Rio
3158 Mission St
A Mission bar complete with an outdoor patio and music events.

Also check out Cafe 99 Square Feet, at Treat and 18th!