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### **Film screening and Q&A with LGBT icon Lynn Breedlove at California Next Gen Film Festival**

SACRAMENTO, CA. ---Film Director Lynn Breedlove, a vanguard of the queer/trans community and a visionary in revolutionary art will be featured with her wide array of work at the first annual California Next Gen Film Festival to be held August 29, 2008.

An ongoing Q&A session will be preceded by a screening of the teaser to feature length film GODSPEED, a project Breedlove co-directed with Jen Gilomen. Originally released as a novel, the film focuses on “no-op tranny” bike messenger Jim as he navigates through love, drug addiction, and gender identity. An encore presentation will also be shown as part of the festival’s HD Showcase II on August 31<sup>st</sup>.

Previous Breedlove projects include founder and lead singer of the first American out dyke punk band Tribe 8 as well as spoken word performances as a member of performance art group Sister Spit.

Breedlove’s involvement in the film festival is just one way NGFF is distinguishing itself as a forum that celebrates and affirms innovative film projects and fosters discussion of issues relevant to today’s youth.

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For tickets visit [www.tickets.com](http://www.tickets.com) and to and to view a full schedule of our event visit our website at [www.nextgenfilmfest.org](http://www.nextgenfilmfest.org). (The NGFF is a non-profit organization)

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