Stonewall

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SYRUS MARCUS WARE

Who are Stonewall?

This resource is produced by Stonewall, a UK-based charity that stands for the freedom, equity and potential of all lesbian, gay, bi, trans, queer, questioning and ace (LGBTQ+) people. At Stonewall, we imagine a world where LGBTQ+ people everywhere can live our lives to the full. Founded in London in 1989, we now work in each nation of the UK and have established partnerships across the globe. Over the last three decades, we have created transformative change in the lives of LGBTQ+ people in the UK, helping win equal rights around marriage, having children and inclusive education.

Our campaigns drive positive change for our communities, and our sustained change and empowerment programmes ensure that LGBTQ+ people can thrive throughout our lives. We make sure that the world hears and learns from our communities, and our work is grounded in evidence and expertise.

Stonewall is proud to provide information, support and guidance on LGBTQ+ inclusion; working towards a world where we're all free to be. This does not constitute legal advice, and is not intended to be a substitute for legal counsel on any subject matter. To find out more about our work, visit us at www.stonewall.org.uk.

Syrus Marcus Ware (he/him)

Syrus Marcus Ware was born in Montreal, Canada in 1977.

He is trans and has a twin sister.

University

Syrus has spent a lot of time studying at university. He has learnt about art and the environment.

He now works at a university.

Big art

Syrus uses his art to explore issues that matter to him.

Syrus uses a range of techniques, including painting, large scale drawing, installations and performance art.

Celebration

Syrus is known for creating big artworks that celebrate Black, indigenous and trans people.

Support for others

Syrus works to make it easier for disabled people to work in theatre.

He has also done lots to help other trans people.

Say no to racism

Syrus co-founded Black Lives Matter Toronto. They have organised lots of protests against racism.