



A message from **THE PRESIDENT**

Dear Hostos Family,

We raise our voices in celebration of Pride Month as we support our LGBTQI+ community and applaud them in their efforts as we affirm their right to enjoy their lives to the fullest.

In Solidarity,

Daisy Cocco De Filippis, Ph.D.
President

Sharing a Poem by Hafiz

And though I'm old, if you'll embrace
Me tightly in your arms all night,
Then from your side, as dawn appears,
Young in the morning light, I will arise.

Hafez, Jahan Malek Khatun and Obayd-e Zakani. Translated by Dick Davis. *Faces of Love*. New York, Penguin, 2013. Page 121.

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