

# QUEER EDGE

## FROM GAY TO QUEER LIBERATION

### UNDERSTANDING QUEER LIBERATION:

Queer Liberation draws from the radical work of the early **GAY LIBERATION** movement advocating for social change and equity



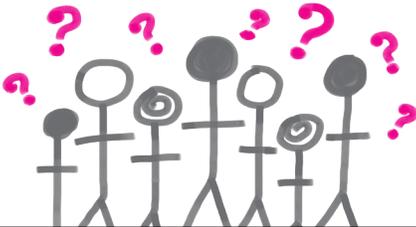
**QUEER**

'**QUEER**' is a politicized term that includes a wide range of genders, gender fluidity and erotic expressions

Equality and assimilation seek to fit into society as it is. **LIBERATION** seeks to change society to accommodate our diversity



Queer liberation is conscious of **POWER AND CONTROL**, who has it, who benefits from it, who is oppressed by it



Queer liberation is **SEX POSITIVE**, affirms **GENDER VARIANCE** and respects **SOCIAL INTERSECTIONS**

Queer Liberation **CELEBRATES** by valuing ourselves, avoiding labels and choosing our identities



Using personal agency to associate with others and form **SOCIAL MOVEMENTS** towards queer liberation



The work of queer liberation is to **QUESTION, RESIST AND CHALLENGE** social norms

Queer liberationists assert the right to **LIVE QUEER LIVES AS QUEERS CHOOSE**

