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celebrity was coming. Koren was frequently in the papers, for one reason or another. The family belonged in the Market. Potkin remembers how social he was, whenever he had a break he was up in the Market talking with people. He knew so many people.

Bugsy's was featured in Michael Yeager's book *Dahlia*, which takes place in Market.

Barry, at Don & Joes, remembers Koren gregariously standing at the base of stairs and hollering up when he wanted something. Barry also remembers how tasty his pizza was, thick with diced tomatoes instead of sauce.

As one leaves another emerges in it's place.

The much talked about Can-Can, which is opening in the former the Patti Summers' Cabaret, Corner Market, opens this month. The Italian restaurant and night club looks to be a unique restaurant and entertainment venue for locals and visitors to chill out and enjoy. (And, maybe, the only karaoke in the Market.) The theme is sort of Moulin Rouge in the Market, red velvet, conspirator booths, a beautiful ornate wooden bar, a new stage and a revamped kitchen, but a lot of the same charm. The apropos artwork is by several recognizable local artists. Paintings of can-can girls, a stone mural in the entry, chandeliers, an ocean of velvet, girly pictures, as well as pictures of 'Alexander.' If nothing else, check out what they've done with the bathrooms!

Soft openings began in February, but the official grand opening is set for March 11. Patti Summers herself may be part of the festivities. At first it will be afternoon and evenings, after things get going they hope to have a lunch menu as well. Pop by and see what Brian and his family have done.

Other artists in action Ryan Rector, Pike Place Fish Co., was a partner in a Pioneer Square gallery show, at the base of the infamous 816 Post Alley. This dynamic fish boy does more than throw the

fish and drive the truck, he used to run his own toy store. He confessed, "I live a double life"

Nancy Rothwell, Arts Stall Gallery, was commissioned by an Egyptian to paint a special painting—similar to her entry for last year's poster contest. A water color of the Market. (The businessman is here in town for a short while.)

Stuart Esson, Market Penny Whistlist, a penny whistle instructor at Dusty Strings, recently was part of a Music History class at SCCC.

Aussie ad filmed in Market: A mysterious Australian group filmed a television advertisement in the Corner Market and in the Athenian. It was on an early Sunday morning (and you know how Athenian-ians feel about working on Sunday.) No employees volunteered to come in and be extra so sweet little Louise was all made up with an apron and played the waitress.

A certain Dutch sweepstakes winner was spotted all over town; the blonde in the white jacket was seen all over and Market, at the Space Needle and other places—with a camera crew in toe.

A new twist on the inevitable graffiti that seems to persist in places in the Market: Compliment Graffiti. Outside Black Creek Botanicals Liza found graffiti saying something to the effect of 'we love your shop and wish you were open. It was pretty easy to get off.

Then there was Oyster Fest. The packs of wild, carnivorous Chihuahuas were back in the news and Black Mouth season began—winter Chinooks—impeded by the big windstorm, bu flowers are beginning to burst. I see daffodils, people. The spring season cometh, and you know what that means. Spring solicits scandal so supinely soak some situations—and drop us a note: Pop by the Merchants Association Office, 93 Pike Place, or email to ppmnewsdonkey@hotmail.com.

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energy focused in a positive way [because] energetically you get what you attract – if you project something you'll attract the same thing [to yourself]. People have a lot of growing to do – me too!"

An acutely perceptive person, she listens to her spiritual guides and uses her talents to help guide people through life's obstacles. Her card says that she can help with healing and guidance, relationships, connection with the inner self, career path, family issues, grief, trauma and depression. She teaches workshops and provides private instruction. Raven is also an ordained minister.

Where does she herself five years from now? She has just begun her Magical Aroma Therapy business, and would like to expand it. She enjoys one on one sessions, and would like to write about transition, change, and people trying to make things happen in their lives. There is also the possibility someday of a books store with a mystical, magical shop with potions, candles, and books – on the beach in the sun!

Other Market Psychics include:

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**DARLENE  
CHRISTOPHER**

Christopher's Lamp

Darlene (who couldn't be interviewed because she is having a baby) is located in the far north of the third floor DownUnder.

She has earned a reputation for delivering amazingly accurate insight, and as a practitioner of energy healing, she is sensitive to chakras and how they correspond to emotional wounds from the past.

See her in her cozy shop or learn more at ChristophersLamp.com.

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time Post Alley will be closed to automobile traffic.

Now the family has two other locations, in Portland and San Francisco. They joke that Portland is the popular one (and the sports one, they hosted Manchester United when they played the exhibition game and their Gaelic Football team are defending champions). San Francisco is the celebrity location, its across the street from Francis Ford Coppola's restaurant and there are loads of famous people popping through.

The Pike Place Market location is no stranger to celebrities. Ethna's two favorite stories are when Ronnie when John Denver was in town—she ended up backstage. ("He called me his Irish mama.") there were other memorable visits from Matt Dillon, Cathy Crosby and Joe Montana, Ron Howard Joe's favorite visitor was Ed O'Neill (Al Bundy). Each with a story.

Each member has a story to tell. It's good times. Just remember, as Joe McAleese says, "You don't talk to an Irishman you listen!"

\**Craic* is a useful Irish word with a multitude of meanings in reference having a good time and a laugh.

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