

## MAJOR UPDATE - CHECK “Identity Theft”

### I, BACKGROUND

**Emily Gwen**, or as she’s known as @theemilygwen, is the self-proclaimed “Creator of The Lesbian Flag” has now deleted her main Twitter account after heavy scrutiny for lying about financial gains for over **Eight Whole Years** and apparently, *[\\*not skipping the Heated Rivalry Sex Scenes\(?\)](#)*. The later part is less important, I just feel like it’s super funny that the one thing that *finally* brought down nearly a decade of lying and queer-people-scamming is less documented pattern of behaviors, but more Heated Rivalry Sex Scenes it’s crazy lol.

Therefore, this document is made to focus on that **“documented pattern of behaviors”** part and prove once and for all that Emily Gwen is not a good, honest person. It is wrong to lie to and cannibalise your own community - your own queer siblings - for money that you then spend on frivolous shit. The people who donated to Gwen are often already part of a vulnerable, marginalized community, whose kindness and generosity was taken advantage of because of her greed. Mutual aid, as the name suggests, is a community coming together to uplift a person who’s less fortunate. It’s NOT “I smashed colors together a few years ago, now give me as much money as I want” (and whether she did this or not... we’ll see soon). Emily Gwen lying to people and leveraging her identity as a lesbian is no different than James Somerton lying to queer people for financial gains years ago.

In the past, though there were many attempts to point out how obviously shitty some of Emily’s actions were, she has always gotten away with it due to some half-assed explanations or because the accusers were too hasty to reach for an easy story and forget a few nuances. This makes it easy for people to write off all accusations she received as a “harassment campaign” and strawmen all legit proof as *“you’re bullying a Homeless Lesbian you HATE lesbians and poor people”*. Some of this is because it’s hard to compile a comprehensive argument within the tweet character limit.

This is why I will try my best to give her those nuances while giving a clear timeline of why she’s garnered such infamy in the first place, which has little to do with who she is as a person but more what she **does**. There will be absolutely NO speculation of what her real name/identity is, and most information here is available online or captured from her own Twitter (though let it be known she’s purged the majority of it as of now).

Anyway, let’s get to the main part.

### II, CONTROVERSY

## 1. “Stolen” Flag Discourse

### A. Quick History of The Lesbian Flag

By now most queer people (in the west) must have come across some version of lesbian flag history here and there, but in my humble opinion, most of these timelines are often incomplete and unintentionally erase a lot of creators in the process - many of whom are behind the lesbian flag which Emily takes **sole** credit for. A rough timeline on [Wikipedia](#) looks something like this: First comes the Labrys flag in 99', then the Lipstick Flag (2010), then the “Sunset Lesbian Flag” which Gwen took credit for.

However, the jump from the Labrys or Lipstick lesbian flag to the Sunset Lesbian flag isn't just made randomly or JUST by one person: it's made by putting together half of the butch flag + half of the femme flag.

So what often goes missing in these timelines is the existence of the [BUTCH lesbian flag](#) created by [@butchspace](#) on Tumblr in 2017. Many people who love Gwen's design argue that they picked her flags over the others because of the **inclusivity towards NB and butch lesbians**. Arguably while you can get away with not crediting the Femme Lipstick flag due to it being more widely known (and the creator is a TERF), not ONCE ever since her first flag post, for EIGHT WHOLE YEARS, would you see Emily crediting the butch lesbian flag & its creator by their proper handle, even in [her Q&A post](#). This adds to the erasure butch lesbians already face within the community, diminishes their contribution, and goes against the idea that Emily is somehow this positive inclusive presence and [the main mouthpiece](#) for lesbian as a whole.



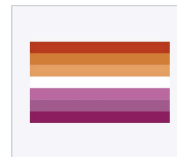
Labrys lesbian flag created in 1999<sup>[1]</sup>



Illustration of Lipstick lesbian flag created in 2010<sup>[10]</sup>



Pink lesbian flag with colors copied from the lipstick lesbian flag<sup>[16]</sup>



Orange-pink lesbian flag derived from the pink flag, circulated on social media in



Five-stripes variant of orange-pink flag<sup>[19]</sup>



Lesbian pride variant of the gay pride flag with the double-Venus symbol<sup>[20][5]</sup>



**sadlesbeandisaster**  
Jun 3, 2018

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FAQ

<https://emilygwenfaq.carrd.co/>

Post ...

Honestly my ideal lesbian pride flag would be the pink one and the orange one flowing into each other. Like the top half of the pink one and the bottom half of the orange half. Or the orange on top, just to shake things up and to subvert the idea that femininity should come first.



And the meanings (in no particular order, idk) should be: butch lesbians, femme lesbians, trans/nb lesbians, love, community, independence, serenity

#lesbiansafe #wlv #sapphic #pride month #lesbian flag  
#emily speaks

### Did you steal the lesbian flag design?

No. I have always said I based it off two existing flags - the butch flag and the pink lesbian flag. I combined them during a convo with a friend and posted about it because lots of people were pitching lesbian flag ideas. I had no idea it would resonate with people, but it did. It wasn't ever supposed to be seen by more than a handful of people.

I believe another person, whose URL I have unfortunately forgotten, also suggested a similar flag. I didn't know about this when posting about my flag. Someone else also made a 5 stripe version. Back in 2018 when I made this flag I spoke to people about this and if anyone is accusing me of outright stealing from them, I haven't heard about it and they're probably lying.

*[Image: on left side - a screenshot of Emily Gwen's first lesbian flag post under the handle @sadlesbeandisaster dated Jun 3, 2018 and on right side - a screenshot of Emily Gwen's carrd website which she refuses to credit any of her peers and denies stealing the flag design.]*

## **B. Flag Stealing Allegations**

Emily not giving proper credits to the Butch Flag creator is one thing, but the main controversy that she's been involved in over the years is that **she's NOT even the "creator" of the Sunset Lesbian Flag**. As per the two screenshots above, Emily made her post in 2018 and admitted in her carrd that "another person, whose url [she] (conveniently) forgotten" also has a similar design, which I believe to be an understatement.

I now believe the person she's referring to is none other than **@shapeshifter-of-constellation** (SOC) - a butch lesbian Tumblr blog who made a [Lesbian Flag Design post in 2017](#), a whole year before Gwen made hers. As you can see: the two flags look IDENTICAL to one another, with the only difference being Gwen's flag was SOC's flipped upside down.



shapeshifter-of-constellation

[@butchspace](#) | loooooove your orange butch flag. and i thought it'd be cool to splice together the lipstick lesbian & orange butch flag. as well as add the More Color More Pride stripes.

and mod T from butchspace suggested a great idea of having the white stripe symbolize those who dont ID as femme or butch.

i think this combo would be a great flag for the general lesbian community. i always see the lipstick femme flag used as the default for the lesbian community on tumblr. which is an act that treats femininity as the default, and makes butches feel left out and ignored.

Here's the thing: let's entertain the idea that Emily Gwen had never seen shapeshifter's post before and independently come up with the idea to put together the flag herself. Here's my argument why that is likely NOT the case:

- Intuitively, when you mix-match flags like this you'd likely use the **same color and dimension** as the original flags - here being the butch and femme lesbian ones. I put together a HEX code comparison of Emily and shapeshifter's flag vs the original and here's what I got:

If they were independently putting the flags together, you'd assume the HEX code would match up to the original two. But, surprise, despite CLAIMING to splicing the flag together herself: Emily's HEX code does NOT match the femme's flag, yet matches up PERFECTLY with *all three colors* from @shapeshifter-of-constellation. You can argue both alter the colors a bit to their liking, but to get identical code to the DIGITS? The probability is, no joke,  $1 \text{ in } (36^6)^3 = 1.0314425e+28$ , or in other words, completely impossible.

And that's not to mention the dimension of the flag: again Emily's flag matches shapeshift's, but does not match the original.

- The color match is already pretty damning; however, the meaning of the flag itself, something that people praise [Emily Gwen](#) for and use as an example to demonstrate why her flag is superior to others, is also VERY similar to [shapeshifting's meaning](#). I

highly recommend clicking on the link and reading about SOC's experience as a butch WLW, as it's a very beautifully written and succinctly composed post, and it also addressed point A of this document.

[Emily Gwen's meaning](#) has been changed over time; however, let it be known that originally the meaning matches up with SOC, before being changed by one of her friends @poetrylesbian and **the community as a whole**. If you ask her, to this day, she's STILL adamant that she came up with everything by herself, discrediting everyone else in the process.

Now I want you to put this all into context: in 2017, @butchspace created the Butch Lesbian Flag, which is then used by @shapeshifter-of-constellation along with the Femme Flag to create the Sunset Lesbian flag design which we know of. A year later, @sadlesbeandisaster aka Emily Gwen, took the flag design and flipped it upside down, thinking nothing of it, but once it accidentally blew up she immediately took full credit for it. The meaning, the history, and the community effort were all buried so Gwen can spotlight herself for years and years as THE Emily Gwen, as THE person who created "The Lesbian Flag" who so gracefully allow you to use \*her\* design freely and therefore THE only one deserving of getting any royalties out of it.

Through this story, I hope to put an emphasis on how creation is often a **deeply communal process**, and how, when we only hyperfocus on one single link in that process, we **risk forgetting the contributions** of the people before us - in this case, butch lesbians like [@butchspace](#) or [@shapeshifter-of-constellation](#). I hope that any blog or any content creator that goes out and makes a "History of Lesbian Flag" post at least includes these two names, not just Gwen, and gives them their long overdue credit.

*\*Also do not harass the mentioned people in their inbox. They have expressed a desire to not comment on this.*

## 2. Lying for Donations

First, a simple question - **What's the point of Internet crowdfunding?**

What do you expect when you donate to a campaign on the Internet that promises to give housing to homeless people or give food to starving children? Do you conceptualize this process more as helping people, or just gambling and throwing money in a hole? I think the answer is obvious: in this utterly unfair and often cruel world, we all want to help and lessen each other's burden somewhat.

You can argue you *don't care* where your money went when you give it away to others, because you're a good person who wants nothing in return for doing a good deed. But if given the choice to give your money to help [someone who's thirsty and starving](#) to a **trusted** reliable organization, versus to some shadier less reliable person who has a history of abusing trust, wouldn't you want to pick the former? To ensure that you're helping?

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Let's discuss Emily Gwen's donations and Kofi.

### **A. Quick Background on Emily Gwen & Her Socials**

Emily Gwen, by her own words, has been struggling with housing insecurity after being kicked out by her father, and throughout the past **eight years** has made various donation posts to cover basic necessities, such as medications, doctor appointments, food, bills, etc. She made her [first of many donation posts](#) on Tumblr in 2018, but only really skyrocketed to extreme popularity with her post with this format on Twitter since 2019:



Over time the posts went from having [elaborated backstory and reasonings](#), to [shorter but still pulling on your heart string](#), to eventually its ultimate form: **Kofi Link + Homelessness**.

From 2019-2025, every time Emily Gwen made a posts like this, she would amass more than [100k likes on each](#), having up to >10 millions views and reshares. Following these posts, she would receive donations by the minute, adding up to hundreds per day and thousands in just one month. Not only that, she would make [daily posts](#) asking for each small things: like \$5 for groceries, \$20 for drugs, a \*sudden bill comes up\* (eight years, yet this excuse constantly comes up!) and she's crying and she's panicking and she needs \$300 immediately pleaseppaelplease!!!

Sometimes she'd retweet these posts multiple times per day to make sure that no matter what time you wake up, you'd see that she's desperate and needs help. Oftentimes these are paired with a Vague Negative Number screenshots, often implied a negative account balance but... it's very obvious that it's just MULTIPLE HUNDREDS OF DOLLARS worth of transactions constantly being made idk how people don't question it! (except I did question it, but people would accuse you of being lesbophobic and hating on homeless people if you do).



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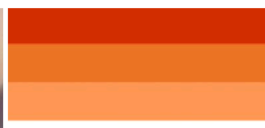
-\$66.57



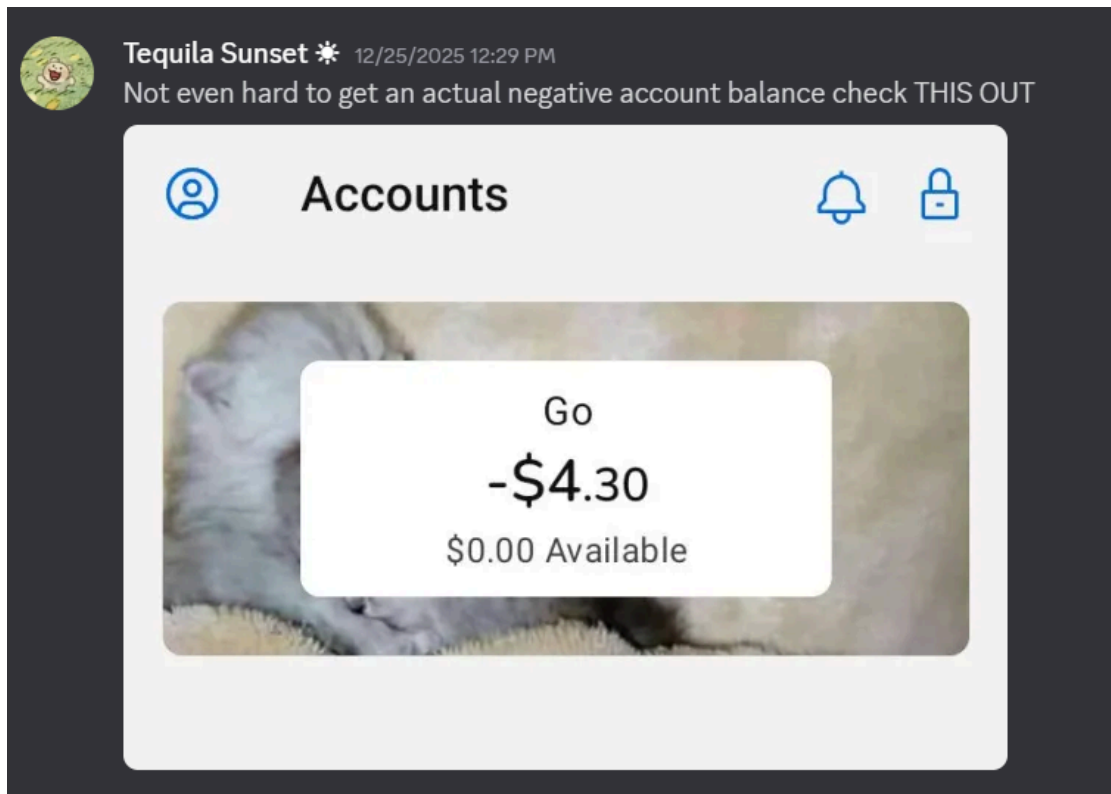
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-\$67.87

-\$34.70 -\$175.47



Her main reason for these crops were “privacy”, but it’s actually really easy to show an bank account below zero that still looks like, well a balance. For example here’s mine:

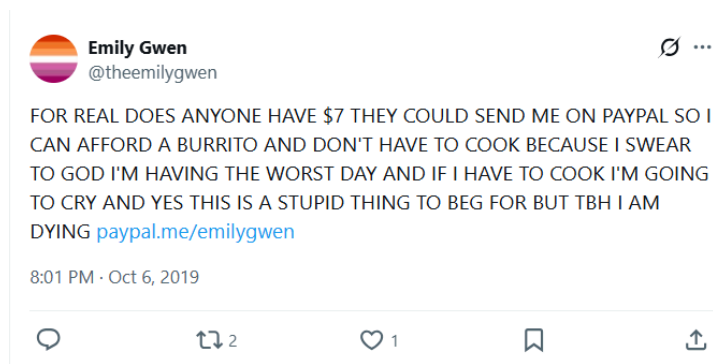


(image: negative account balance, im poor maybe you should kofi me /j)

Take note that it is normal to be a bit desperate when you’re in need; however, it’s the **frequency** (once every day or two), the **timing** (fresh out of a 100K like tweet asking for money and receiving hundreds of donations), and the **vague amount often with no particular reasons** (\$1, \$2 to spare) of these posts that makes it seem suspicious.

Suppose we’re operating under the assumption that, as Emily admitted, it’s “embarrassing” to beg, she wouldn’t abuse people’s kindness for frivolous things and only ask for what she needs, right? Combined with the **frequency** of how often she asks for things, we’re forced to believe that either:

- a) She’s in a constant state of daily emergency, with 30 bills (btw she claimed to be homeless so... girl what bill why so many) daily, every month, and any amount of money she is given is spent *immediately*, so the next day she doesn’t even have 2 dollars to her name, which at WORST suggest a **massive spending problem**, which does align with how many times she posted a transaction screenshot. Or:
- b) She’s **lying** about needing all your money. If not most then some of it, which is already egregious because as established - online funding is all about TRUST. Without TRUST you have nothing.



## **B, Main Questions & Concerns**

Now that we've established a pattern of behaviors, let's dive in a bit more on what actions Emily Gwen took that were especially suspicious and questions that she still avoids answering. The most damning issue right now is her brief account deletion just today (27/02/2026), the mass tweet deletion and the total deactivation of her Kofi. Luckily, you would still be able to find most of the evidence here through my own Twitter account or on Wayback Machine, and plenty of people would be willing to testify how they saw her do this. My main exposure to her throughout this time has only been since December 2025, but in just that little time I've seen Emily Gwen lie, manipulate, and obfuscate the truth in order to extract more money from her followers.

## 1. Total Amount Received - Estimated ~130,000 AUD from 2024

Please refer to [this tweet](#) I made as to how I came up with this number. The concept is simple - Kofi (the main platform Gwen uses to solicit donations) keeps a log of how many people have donated to you, so all I needed to do was scroll through her Kofi Page, let my word finder keep count of them, average up \$5 per person (which is a generous estimate, as if you click on the tweet you'd see me explaining how chances are the actual average is \$15ish) and then calculate. This results are in the screenshot below:

**rando**  
@blueberrie96

Emily Gwen received a total of 17,314 donations of \$5 each since last year, which tally to 86,570 USD or nearly 130,000 AUD given that she's presumably in Australia.

And that's just from 2024 alone. She's been doing this since 2019 which could have easily made her half a mil rn.

finding housing  
23% of \$2000 goal  
For when I get out of the hospital  
- rental bond(deposit and upfront rent  
- any essential furniture or homewares I don't...  
[Show more](#)

About  
Crowdfunding page.  
My name is Emily and I created the 7-stripe...  
[Show more](#)

Community  
17,314 x \$5  
86,570

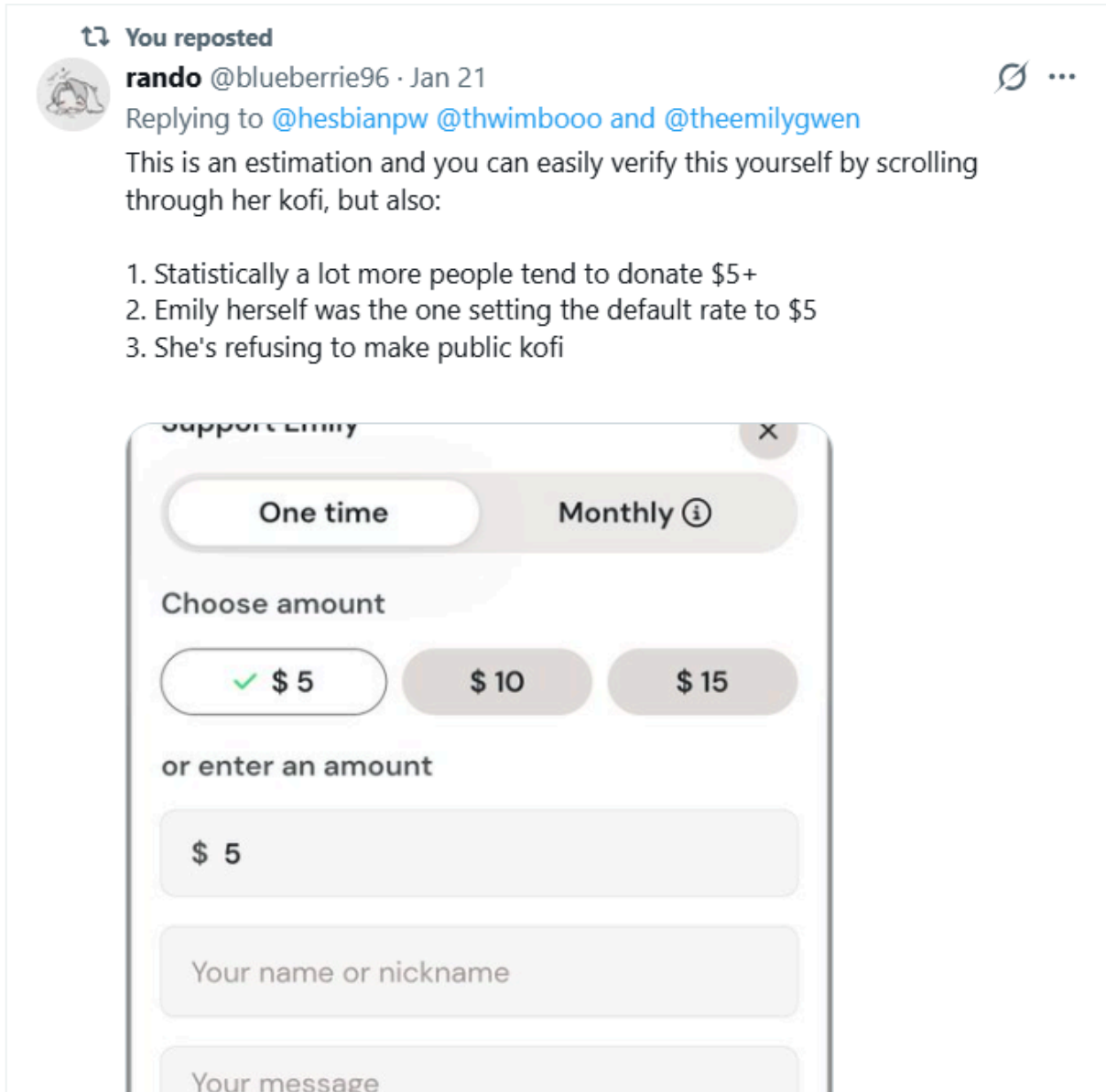
snlv gave support!  
Somebody gave support!  
Somebody gave support!  
eggbone gave support!  
eggbone gave support!  
i wish you all the luck and fortune in 2026!  
Circe gave support!

support 17,314/17,314

86,570 United States Dollar  
128,881.94 Australian Dollar  
86,570 USD on 21st. From Newmarket - Brisbane

Emily Gwen @theemilygwen · Dec 28, 2025  
I GOT APPROVED FOR A ROOM TO RENT!!!!  
I need to pay a deposit and 2 weeks rent in advance to secure the room. I've got until the 9th to get the money together. Obviously part of my unemployment payments will go toward this too....  
[Show more](#)

Another reason why I picked \$5 as the average amount and not other: in Emily's deleted page you used to be able to see the "suggested" Kofi amount which the creator can set themselves (I'd know, I use Kofi too). [For Emily - it's \\$5](#). She's actively encouraging that the least you should be able to give to her is 5USD or 7AUD:



ANOTHER feature that Kofi has that Emily doesn't tell you about is that it keeps track of [how much money you've been given](#). Throughout this entire time, I have had people attack me for merely making an estimation, and I have repeatedly asked her to just make the Kofi amount public, which she promptly ignored (you can also see this on my profile):

 **rando**  
@blueberrie96



Literally all we want is for her to Make Public the total amount donated to her Kofi.

Best case scenario where she's received just a bit of money? She proves me wrong and I'd be sorry and learned a lesson. Even better case that it's a huge sum of money? Less people scam, win-win

1:36 AM · Jan 21, 2026 · 150 Views



The CLOSEST we ever got to an answer from her is just an



The screenshot shows a Twitter thread with three tweets. The first tweet is from Emily Gwen (@theemilygwen) dated Dec 19, 2025, with 27 replies, 16 retweets, 244 likes, and 22K views. The second tweet is from ampheat (@thelemicphase) dated Dec 19, 2025, with 1 reply, 16 likes, and 3.7K views. The third tweet is from Emily Gwen (@theemilygwen) with 1 reply, 1 retweet, 14 likes, and 2 bookmarks. The thread includes a 'Post your reply' section with a 'Reply' button.

**Emily Gwen** @theemilygwen · Dec 19, 2025  
okay thread of addressing your questions about my situation. if you have genuine good faith questions about my donation posts, ask away and ill answer in this thread. if you're rude ill block. easy.  
27 16 244 22K

**ampheat** @thelemicphase · Dec 19, 2025  
How much have you recieved in donations?  
1 16 3.7K

**Emily Gwen** @theemilygwen  
a full number? Idk. but i just realised ko-fi has a goal feature so im gonna use that going ahead so its clear to people donating  
1:56 PM · Dec 19, 2025 · 6,738 Views  
1 1 14 2

Post your reply Reply

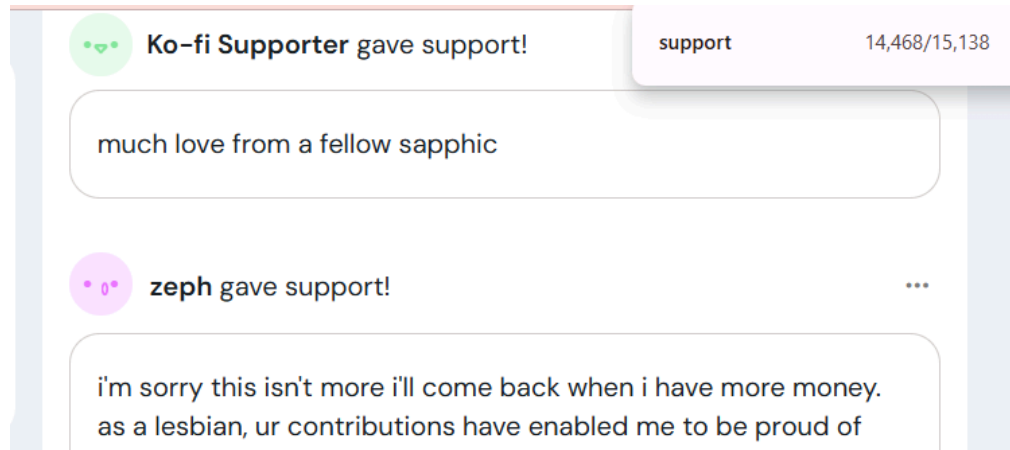
**ampheat** @thelemicphase · Dec 19, 2025  
that is such a non-answer. YES A FULL NUMBER! you're trying to deflect  
1 1 54 2.1K

(Put a pin on that "Ko-fi Goal Feature" she mentioned, this will be addressed later)

With this. I believe there is ample evidence to believe that the reason why she's

DELIBERATELY obfuscating how much money she's gotten is because it's **Too Much Money**. For eight whole years, she reaped money from people who, under the assumption that she was less fortunate than them, wanted to give and support her, and she did so without shame, without any conscience. \$130,000 since 2024. *Eight Whole Years*. Do you realize this adds up to **\$520,000 in total** which is a fucking house down payment!?!

To end this section, I leave you with a message from one of Emily Gwen supporter that I came across during my search:

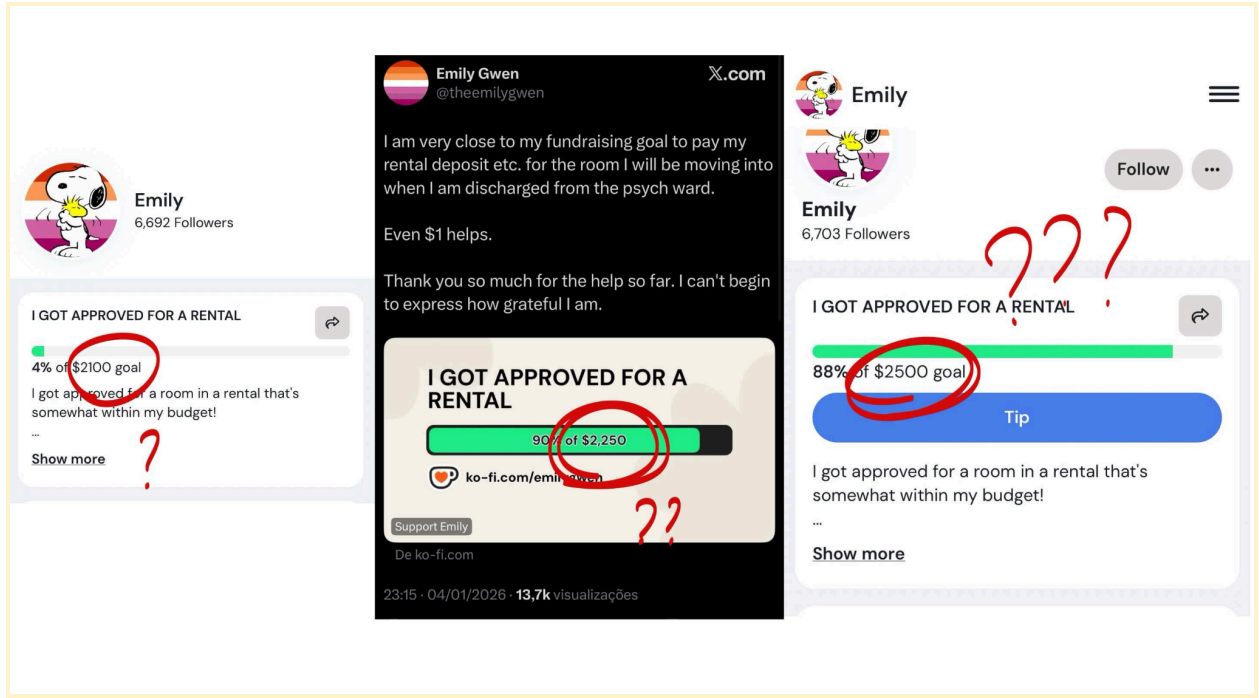


(Btw Emily only made One Donation to another person throughout those 17,300 donations. Well so much for *mutual* aid.)

## 2. *Kofi Goals Adjustment*

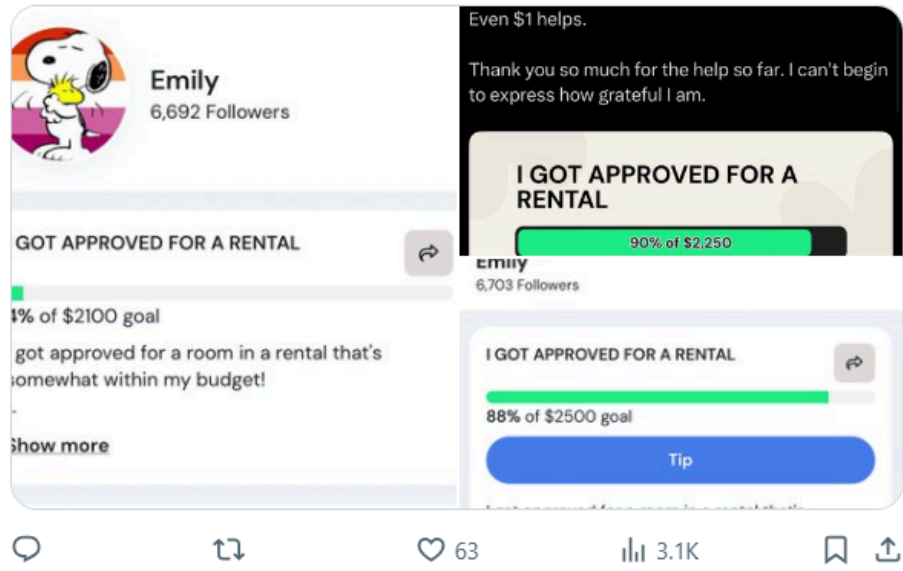
So you remember when Emily Gwen said she would utilize the Kofi Goals to be more *transparent* with how much money she's getting and where it would go?

Well, what she did with the Kofi goal is that every time it's close to reaching the goal, **she fucking reset it or make a new one lmao.**



**jay @caloriemilk** · 5h  
Replying to @caloriemilk

i think the funniest thing abt this **emily gwen** thing is that one time someone pointed out that the **goal** for this **kofi** fundraiser just kept getting quietly raised, but everyone was under spells yapping about pocket watching. honestly generational grifting.



Objectively funny. I'm crying. You're probably going to have a hard time finding these screenshots now because, once again, Emily deleted her Kofi to hide the evidence, but trust me you have to be there and see how people would STILL donate to her.

### 3. Homelessness & Living Arrangement

One thing I neglected to mention is that Emily Gwen stated that all of the money donated to her was kept in a PayPal account by her friend, which we learnt today to be @poetrylesbian on Tumblr (the one who “suggested the flag meaning”). This question has always bug my mind:



But *today*, it was revealed that this friend, whom she trusts enough with her Entire Income, owns a *town house*, and given that her main excuse for soliciting donors online is that she's homeless?



**rando**  
@blueberrie96



So you have a friend all along. That has a house. That has a car. That is holding the money for you but for SOME REASONS you are 'forced' to scam money from queer people on the internet? WHERE did those money you ask for go???? What's the real reason



**rando** @blueberrie96 · Dec 20, 2025

Replying to @theemilygwen

Hi Emily, you mentioned before that your PayPal is under your friend's name instead of your own and you have access to this friend's PayPal always. Why don't you make an arrangement with them to deduce the rent instead of crashing at different places?

6:47 PM · Feb 27, 2026 · **14.4K** Views



It just doesn't add up! Nothing adds up!

## **Identity Theft & Misuse of Fund**

### **MAJOR UPDATE:**

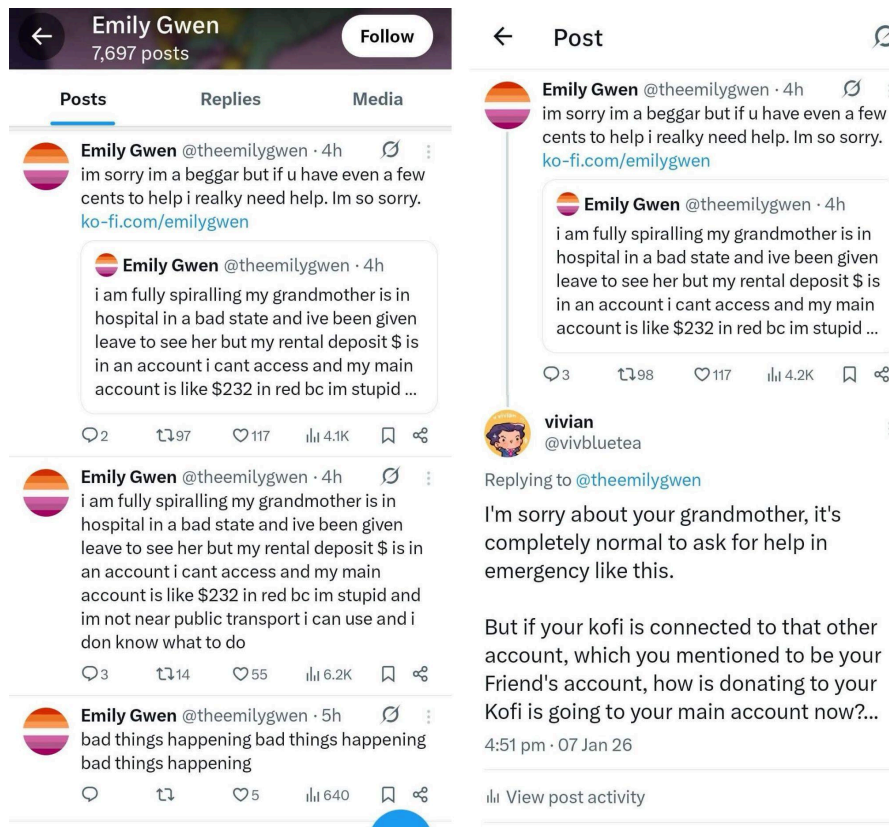
Thus far, I have my reservations on making any speculations on Who Emily Gwen Is since when I was compiling the doc, I wasn't fully bought on to the idea that we know for certain who she really is. However, in light of some new evidence being brought forward, I'm now **90%** sure that Emily Gwen (@theemilygwen on Twitter) and Julia G. aka [@poetrylesbian](#) on Tumblr are **the same person.**

Being able to prove this would be huge, mainly because it will answer the main questions proposed from the previous section: **So what has she done with the money all this time?**

**FULL DISCLAIMER:** I take no credits for any discovery made in this part - most of the

information I've gotten are from Twitter account [@emilygwender](#), this [@sillyputer's tweet](#), [@poetrylesbian's own tumblr](#) and other Twitter users who dm me more information.

I will also only showcase information that's not identifiable IRL, so won't be any faces and legal names will be redacted, and mostly we'll just have Julia's public words against (allegedly) herself. I did consider the ethics of this, though with the scale of the scam, the severity of the lies, the emotional manipulation of **using her own grandmother as dono-bait** then promptly deleted everything once she got called out (you can no longer find these in her profile), in exchange for people FINALLY *stop enabling her decade-long lies* with just **publicly available information**? Yeah seems fair imo.



## 1. Background

The blog [@poetrylesbian](#) is run by a 28-year-old Australian lesbian based in Brisbane name "Julia", who at first glance seems to be the complete opposite of Emily: *extremely* well-to-do family, with ties in Dubai, mother casually **bought her a town house** and father **covers her rent** while she's pursuing her master. On her public Instagram or Tumblr blog, you would see pictures of airplane tickets, of [concert front row seat](#), and of holidays spent with her friend group.



poetrylesbian

Feb 22, 2019

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Oh my GOD my dad is a dickhead. Directly after my parents got divorced my mum bought a townhouse and me, her, and my brother lived there for a couple of years. It was a great place and meant a lot to us. When mum got a job ages away my dad bought it off her so she could move. He still owns it and rents it out. As you guys know my dad is paying my rent while I study and deal with mental health issues. My mum emailed him the other day like "Have you considered letting Julia live in our old townhouse?" by which she meant "the townhouse that used to be me, Julia and Tom's home", not literally OURS anymore. And all my fucking dad replied was "Um... I think you mean MY townhouse". What kind of fucking child are you! Why do you insist on being a dickhead to her! Was cheating on her not enough! You know what she fucking meant!

Like I don't even wanna live in it but it was an innocent suggestion from mum who thought it would be easier on him and he just had to be a fucking dickhead about it.

#like let's rub in the fact that she had to sell the house she loved ok



Someone as well-off as Julia would **NEVER** have reasons to campaign online for mutual aids, unlike Emily Gwen:

- Whose father is so [homophobic and hateful](#) that he would simultaneously kick her out of and don't want to see her and still stalking her, his near-30-year-old daughter, online and harass her.
- Who has been homeless for such a long time that only [recently](#) did she find a place to rent

- Who has a constant string of bad luck with her bills, her jobs, her friends not allowing her to crash anymore that she needs to solicit daily donations online just for *basic food and water*

The only thing they have in common seems to be: their sexuality, the flag, their old friendship back in 2018-2019, their city, their birthday, oh and the fact that Emily Gwen has been gathering tens of thousands of donations for **EIGHT WHOLE YEAR** under **JULIA'S PAYPAL**, despite both claiming *they're no longer that close*.

emilygwender reposted

 **emilygwender** @emilygwender · 10h

Replying to @emilygwender

julia IS emily. since this was discovered emily gwen's ko-fi has been DELETED.

<p><b>You paid</b> <b>\$1.00 USD to</b> <b>Julia</b></p> <p>Create a PayPal account for fast, secure checkouts at millions of</p> <p><b>Confirm your guest tip</b></p> <p>You're missing out because you weren't logged in to <b>Ko-fi</b> when you tipped Emily. However, it's not too late! Link to a <b>Ko-fi</b> account by clicking the button below. You'll gain access to any supporter-exclusive thank-yous that might be offered. You'll also be able to engage with Emily, <i>keep track of your support and much more.</i></p>	<p>Jules Wallace</p> <table><tr><td><b>Payment to</b> <a href="mailto:thatgirltheykno@gmail.com">thatgirltheykno@gmail.com</a> <a href="mailto:thatgirltheykno@gmail.com">thatgirltheykno@gmail.com</a></td><td><b>Note to payment recipient</b> You haven't included a note.</td></tr><tr><td><b>Transaction ID</b> 0DR962235L661571C</td><td><b>Date</b> December 29, 2025</td></tr><tr><td colspan="2"><b>Payment Status</b> COMPLETED</td></tr></table> <p><b>Confirm your guest tip</b></p> <p>You're missing out because you weren't logged in to <b>Ko-fi</b> when you tipped Emily. However, it's not too late! Link to a <b>Ko-fi</b> account by clicking the button below. You'll gain access to any supporter-exclusive thank-yous that might be offered. You'll also be able to engage with Emily, <i>keep track of your support and much more.</i></p>	<b>Payment to</b> <a href="mailto:thatgirltheykno@gmail.com">thatgirltheykno@gmail.com</a> <a href="mailto:thatgirltheykno@gmail.com">thatgirltheykno@gmail.com</a>	<b>Note to payment recipient</b> You haven't included a note.	<b>Transaction ID</b> 0DR962235L661571C	<b>Date</b> December 29, 2025	<b>Payment Status</b> COMPLETED	
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okay emily gwen situation explainer i guess bc i keep getting questions

- emily and i met on tumblr in like 2017 i think?
- we were pretty close in 2018 and 2019
- we live in the same city but our friendship is definitely just an internet friendship, we've never hung out in person or anything. she lives on the other side of the city which frankly i hate getting to lol. i have a few local tumblr friends ive never met lol.
- i have helped her find some local resources in the past when she's struggled
- we had a good friendship and i trusted her
- at some point, i cant remember when, she realised she couldnt keep using her paypal account with her fake name but she didnt feel like she could let people know her legal name
- a lot of the reason for this is that her father has been known to try to track her down and harrass her
- i was worried about her and at this point i trusted her and i told her she could connect her ko-fi account to my paypal account bc i never get deposits anyway
- this was originally gonna be temporary but tbh it just became normalised in my mind
- was this smart? probably not tbh!
- emily and i arent as close but we still chatted occasionally

## 2. Evidences

From that shared Kofi-Paypal link alone, people have managed to deduce SEVERAL more things that ties Gwen and Julia into one person. Some of the most conclusive evidence are:

- "Someone as **well-off** as Julia" actually has MULTIPLE [alt Tumblr accounts](#) in the year 2017-2018 making up stories to get people to send her money. There are three links in the tweet attached alone, but here's an example of what those posts look like. Also it's interesting that the poster here also has BPD, similar to [Emily Gwen on her Tumblr](#) yet has the same **divorce story** as Julia in screenshot above.
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## help my diabetic mum pay for insulin



**bpd-trichster**

Hi guys, I'm sorry I have to do this again. As you know my mum's getting a divorce and her husband is trying to make her pay as much as possible, forcing her to get a solicitor. She's also a diabetic and with all these bills, she can't pay for her insulin. We just need \$80. This is literally an emergency. Please consider helping or sharing.

<https://www.paypal.me/juliacath>

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- Also note that despite claiming she lent Gwen her account because she "has no need for it", Julia is [clearly still actively using these account as part of some grifting tricks](#) as well



**Shuichi Saihara** @saihara9332 · 3h



Here's an archive of some of her old donation-related stuff, topical to what they're talking about, these pages are still up and nothing has been deleted  
[web.archive.org/web/2026022714...](http://web.archive.org/web/2026022714...)  
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**rando** @blueberrie96 · 3h



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**Shuichi Saihara**  
@saihara9332



As I understand it, she generously rescinded her PayPal to Emily Gwen entirely anywhere from 2017-2019, right?  
Even while a post about her own financial aid was circulating with her PayPal attached  
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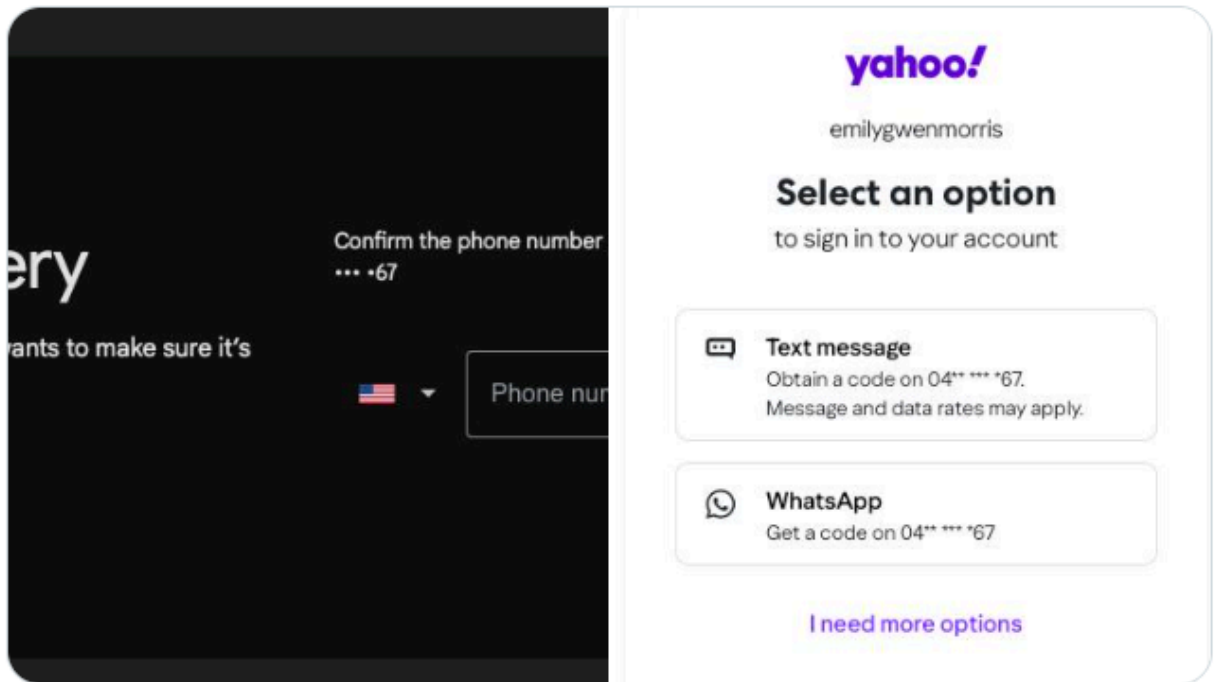


- The fact that they share the same [phone number and phone model](#) linking through their separate emails

 **anna**    
@meowkoteeq



can you already hop off emily gwen morris and julia catherine gorst?  
they are obviously just close friends who share a paypal account and a  
phone number ending in 67 used as a recovery method for their emails  
(thatgirltheykno@gmail.com and emilygwenmorris@yahoo.com)



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- The fact they share the same birthday, same niche interests (despite not being close anymore), same weird Snoopy profile pic, same locations, same lowercase type textpost and idiocracies of putting question mark after seemingly an affirmative statement. It's hard to not come to the conclusion that they're the SAME person.

- I have not kept track of what Emily has received in donations but I will go through tomorrow
  - Emily has promised me she's going to post a video of herself soon so I guess that will sort it?
  - If you see posts with screenshots of my face, or my friends and family, please report
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Some evidence???

I guess???

***current health insurance premium (looking to change this soon but also need to keep psych cover)***

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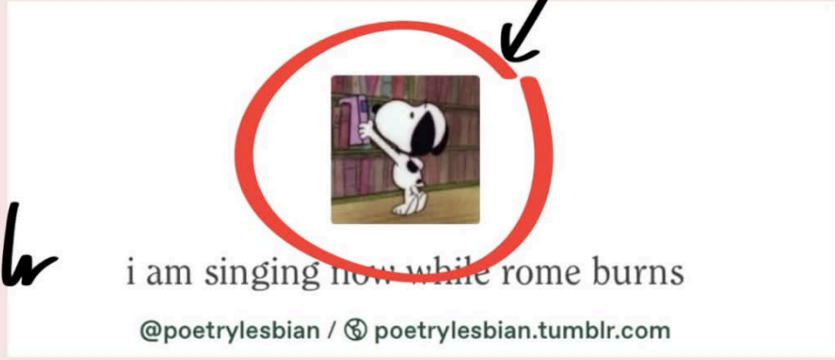
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Kofi

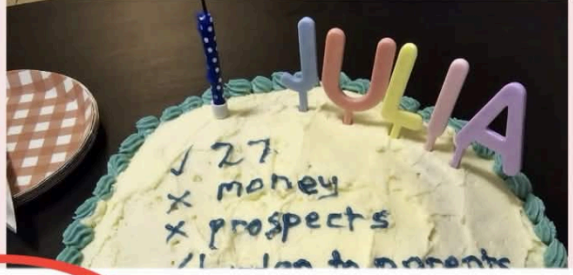


Julia

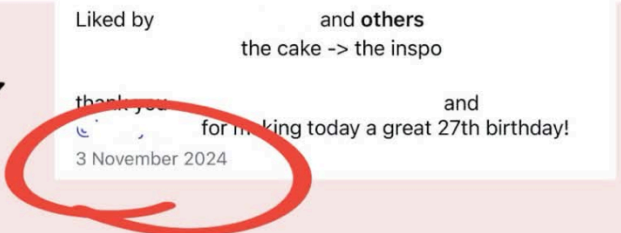
Tumblr



Julia  
Insta →



↑ Emily Twitter



### 3. Summary

If Emily and Julia are the same person, this means that Emily Gwen lied about everything - why she needs money, her grandma being sick, her homelessness, her abusive dad, etc. In reality she is MASSIVELY well-off, with both parents able to afford houses and be landlords and funding her study and rent and more. In the BEST case scenario where they're both separate people, Julia has proven to be an untrustworthy individual as well with all her alt accounts and lies.

At the moment we're awaiting Emily's response as she promised to release a video of herself to clear Julia's name. That's why im only 90% sure, in the case of the miracle 10% where she actually managed something substantial.



**Emily Gwen** @theemilygwen · 10h



I am going to record a video of myself. I wish it didn't come to this because it makes me feel very unsafe, but you people have crossed a line and made my friend unsafe today. You disgust me. Stay tuned I guess.

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**Emily Gwen** @theemilygwen · 11h



okay if it will get you guys off my friend's back, i will release some stuff proving my identity and donation amounts and stuff. stay tuned i guess while i gather that and redact what i can. just leave my friend alone she has nothing to do with this!!!

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**Emily Gwen** @theemilygwen · 12h



I reacted my twt to tell you weirdos to fuck off but i wont be using it normally again because you're all fucking freaks

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### III, CONCLUSION

Emily Gwen is a scammer who has demonstrated consistent behaviors of lying and hiding the truth from people.

Support butches specifically @butchspace and @shapeshifter-of-constellation who are the REAL creators of the Lesbian Flags.

Yippee.

P/s: so sorry for all the bad spellings English is my second language :(