

Hi. I've been sending you some free copies of *Thyme* recently because I thought you might be interested in reading them. I either got your name from a convention membership list, or from another zine of some sort, or via the recommendation of a friend - but all this is pretty much by the way. The sad fact is that, although I would like to send the newszine to an ever-increasing number of individuals, hopefully keeping them informed and entertained, there's this thing called money, see? As my finances currently stand (I'm unemployed), I can't keep on sending you copies unless I have some idea that you're interested in *Thyme*. So, I'm afraid that this will have to be your last issue for a while, unless you either subscribe, or do something else to let me know you're really out there. Hopefully, future times will see me with a huge disposable income or something like that so I'll be able to afford to send *Thyme* out free to everybody, and so while you may well receive the occasional issue of *Thyme* as time goes by, I'm afraid that this is it. Well, hopefully not - hopefully you'll write to subscribe (gee - 40c a copy isn't much, is it?) - but you know what I mean.

Oh well, it's been fun having you on the mailing list; bye for now, 