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I write to express my support for the Marriage Equality Amendment Bill 2009. Love exists in all human hearts, so all humans should be free to marry if they so desire. It is a simple case of extending a choice - and the associated legal recognition to all people's relationships, not just of those who identify as heterosexual. Disallowing people access to the legal status marriage brings is on par with human rights violation - not being able to have input into your life partner's medical/legal care, being unable to be next-of-kin, legal fuzziness around sharing property, having no guarantee of your relationship being recognised everywhere in the world...and the list goes on. Equal rights for all Australians = marriage access for all Australians.