**Don’s recommendations**

So hard to pick only three films – so I reserve the right to change! The [**Celluloid Closet**](https://unison-edinburgh.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2023/02/The-Celluloid-Closet.jpg) is a history of LGBT+ cinema up to the early 90s. I challenge you not to watch it and cry.

I know I’m not alone in [**My Own Private Idaho**](https://unison-edinburgh.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2023/02/My-Own-Private-Idaho.png) being the all-time favourite film. Quirky beyond measure, loosely based on Shakespeare Henry IV, River Phoenix is wonderful as a hustler (just) surviving on the streets of Portland.

[**Moonlight**](https://unison-edinburgh.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2023/02/Moonlight.jpg) is a work of art, charting an African American’s coming of age and burgeoning sexuality. Hauntingly beautiful, mesmerising, there’s nothing else quite like it.

And for some contemporary – or if you’re needing lifted - check out Waverly Care’s [coming out stories](https://www.waverleycare.org/news/coming-out-stories) - truly inspiring!