Subject: Bush: Pre-Senile Dementia? Posted by Blazer on Tue, 12 Oct 2004 01:24:28 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

CrimsonMaybe it IS a bulletproof vest and the Secret Service doesn't want people to know they thought he might need one at that debate.

Exactly, except I think its much more likely that they would not want it known about simply for the reason I pointed out.

Saying they wouldnt want people to know they thought he might need one at the debate, implies that "they" think that there is a good chance that people dislike the president and would want to do him harm.

Reality is, the debates are probably the least secure situation the president is ever in. Its not like the press briefings he holds where everyone knows each others name...these are total strangers in the audience, and although Im sure they were screened for weapons and whatnot, you never know what could happen. If I was head of security I would make him wear a vest too. And I wouldn't want it known that he was wearing a vest, otherwise it would make any would-be assasins change their tactic to one that might be unpredictable.