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Subject: As if we could pretend this wouldn't come around...

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SuperFlyingEngiSo, I should blindly follow our leaders? No, I'm afraid that's entirely wrong. There must always remain the question in a democracy. I'm not perverting Mr. Jefferson's statement in the least. It's exactly what he meant, and the point remains. This blind "patriotism", if you can call it that, emanating from the Republican party disgusts me. Why am I a bad American? Because I chance a look at what our President does? Should I believe in what he does because you do? You obviously don't understand our political system in the least. If censorship of ideas comes, democracy leaves.

SFE, they are questioning people with known terrorist ties not just Iraqis, music is harmless if you are strong of will, Along with sleep deprivation. I myself THIS MONTH went 4 days with NO sleep, now I would bet that the people in question didn't even have to go that long. You go a little loopy after four days, nothing major. And I do not suggest blindly following our leaders but just NOT to question them ALL the time, when you do, nothing gets done. And SuperFlyingEngi, you're a bad American because there is nothing patriotic in your views: no pride for America, no appreciation for your freedom, and nothing but whining like a little bitch about every little god damn thing Bush or the Republican party does.

Appreciation and Pride for your Country is the Greatest form of Patriotism. That's just the way it is.

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