Subject: Re: ZOMG VIRUS HELPZORZ!!!

Posted by GoArmy44 on Sat, 17 Jun 2006 18:16:19 GMT

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Nukelt15 wrote on Sat, 17 June 2006 13:031. Open the nearest window

- 2. Pick up your Norton install CD(s)
- 3. Lever back arm
- 4. Defenestrate
- 5. Go get a different product

Norton won't fix any problem you have. Its software is so invasive that it might as well be a virus. Did you know that newer versions of Norton will not allow you to uninstall the software without first logging onto their website (I kid you not- you cannot get rid of Norton through Add/Remove Programs or the Recycle Bin)? Did you know that Norton will pick up certain competing products as "possible threats?" Did you know that you cannot disable some Norton functions, such as the notification popups, even if you need those functions disabled to use another program? Did you know that disabling updates, firewall, or active virus protection will set the program to bombard you with a continuous stream of said popup notifications until you re-enable those "features?"

Return it now, before it owns your system. I'd rather do a cold-turkey reformat and lose all my files than put their crap on my system.

I remember when I deleted it off my computer. It took me several hours to pick it clean from the registry so I could get a newer and better anti-virus program on there.