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Subject: Re: Man returns gun ammo to walmart at 1300 feet per second

Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Tue, 11 Sep 2007 13:47:31 GMT

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Caveman wrote on Tue, 11 September 2007 09:39cheesesoda wrote on Tue, 11 September 2007 14:21RyuRemember that 11 year old that got killed last week?

A gun did that.

Still support selling guns without a license now?

Yup. My rights are inalienable, in my opinion. Isolated incidents are going to happen. Accidents happen.

Should we rid of automobiles? They kill more innocent people per year than guns do. Still support manufacture of automobiles?

Yes? That's what I thought.

Edit: I would support having to own a gun license in order to purchase a weapon, but the license should be the equivalent of a driver's license. You have to know how to operate the gun, and know the laws regarding operation, but no background checks or anything more in-depth.

RyuThat's what I thought.

No, it's not.

However, this WASN'T an accident. How many people get killed by a car by purpose and how many get killed by a gun by purpose.

That's irrelevant. It's obvious that there are more murders by gun than automobile. That's not the issue, as Nukelt pointed out. Those who are doing the shooting are, generally, criminals. Those criminals don't purchase their guns legally. Eliminating the ability for a law-abiding citizen to own a gun doesn't stop the criminal from owning a gun.

If we're talking about murders committed by people properly licensed for automobile and guns, I'd say the amount is about equal. People do maliciously run each other over in a fit of rage.

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