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Subject: Re: Only a matter of time before the middle east nukes itself

Posted by [Spoony](#) on Tue, 13 Nov 2007 04:37:08 GMT

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Muad Dib15 wrote on Mon, 12 November 2007 20:33Spoony wrote on Mon, 12 November 2007 01:45

worse than it already is thanks to Iraq? and since when is this worth one person's life let alone the thousands of American, hundred-plus British and fuck knows how many Iraqi lives this war has cost?

After 6 years dumbass.

What the fuck kind of rebuttal is that? You have to divide the total dead by how long the war lasted all of a sudden? Where the hell is the logic in that?

A war costing, say, 2000 lives and lasting one year is somehow twice as bad as a war costing 2000 lives and lasting two years?

Muad Dib15 wrote on Mon, 12 November 2007 20:33Think about how many lives WW1 and WW2 cost after 4 and 6 respectively years of fighting. Over 1.5MILLION for WW1 and about 1 Million for WW2.

How many have we lost in 6 years? About 250,000? That's only a quarter of WW2 which was fought in the same amount of time.

Don't even dare to try to compare Iraq to World War 2... for starters, World War 2 was necessary (from the Allies' perspective, obviously) and the "bad guys" "started it".

KIRBY-098 wroteThere are a plethora of responses to all your conspiracies. I'll reserve them all as I have a feeling you've also heard them.

In fact, I'm fairly certain we've both had this very same debate with others and it is very clear before we even start that there won't be an open dialogue.

I see plenty of idiocy and corruption in the running of the Iraqi government. What I don't see is the US "stealing" oil. Otherwise I wouldn't be going bankrupt right now filling my tank every week.

Quite frankly I wish we HAD seized at least one field so we could be recompensed a little for the enormous expense of being over there. Something all the oil fields in Iraq couldn't make up for in a decade.

I fail to see the connection between the price you, the American public, are charged for gas, and between anything I've said.

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