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Subject: Re: Open letter to the trolls

Posted by [crazfulla](#) on Thu, 15 Apr 2010 11:15:34 GMT

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Goztow wrote on Tue, 13 April 2010 02:37Dear Miss Troll,  
Dear Mister Troll,

Yes, you who are searching through messages to reply with plecos, to call people faggots or even better to start flame fights.

You, who's day is a success only if you managed to cause e-drama. You, who's deliberately provocative messages have caused countless hours of moderating time.

You, the master of ad hominem who lack any substance or relevance to back up your arguments.

Oh you, dear Troll, please consider this gentile message from the moderating team...

There, now that that's done... I'd like to note that this message is quite serious. We've noticed a serious increase of troll-messages (I don't know how to call them otherwise) during the last weeks, months, surprisingly even more so from users that recently came back (right, Dover?). We'd like it to cease. It's starting to take too much of our time. So please quit it...

A very elequent post, my liege. However, trolling is a matter of opinion. One could argue that a recent PM I received regarding the size of my signature - from one of the very moderators on behalf of whom you speak - was naught but an attempt to invoke angst. I edited my signature, effectively removing but one line break, and now it is said that "No further changes are required." IMO squabbling over a line or two of text is more inappropriate and immature than posting a picture of a fish. With all due respect, you can't have posted this thread not expecting to get a few responses, so it puzzles me why it was not locked from the word go. Nonetheless, I concur with your finding that 'evil begat evil' and extend some degree of appreciation.

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