Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by Aircraftkiller on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 09:13:49 GMT

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Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by Weirdo on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 09:24:23 GMT

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Hmmm. I don't really agree on the gender diffrence thing. I quite often speak to a girl (OMG he actually speaks to girls) who is far less formal in her Instant messages than I am. Oh well, she might be an of those 10%.

While we both are students, at the same thing americans call a university I think.

Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by Oblivion165 on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 09:37:33 GMT

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I call bullshit too, read these convos between me and two of my ex-girlfrinds:

Changed her user name to "Old Girlfriend". Keep in mind except the name change this is 100% accurate, nothing has been changed.

I picked random days.

(We are both 18 years of age)

EDIT: Ok on this one, i wasnt really into the converasation, so i didnt really talk too much and there aren't very many sentences. But she typed in CAPS the whole time.

Quote:Old Girlfriend (2:04:05 PM): HI HOW ARE YOU?

oblivion165 (2:06:31 PM): usual, you?

Old Girlfriend (2:06:41 PM): OK

Old Girlfriend (2:06:47 PM): I GUESS

oblivion165 (2:07:04 PM): i see, not very sure Old Girlfriend (2:07:22 PM): YOU DON'T KNOW

Old Girlfriend (2:07:31 PM): I THOUGHT BRANDI WOULD HAVE TOLD YOU

oblivion165 (2:07:39 PM): i dont talk to brandy anymore

Old Girlfriend (2:08:02 PM): OH Old Girlfriend (2:08:02 PM): Y?

oblivion165 (2:08:26 PM): we just dont get along

Old Girlfriend (2:09:26 PM): OK

Old Girlfriend (2:09:29 PM): ANDREW AND I ARE NOT TOGETHER ANYMORE

oblivion165 (2:09:41 PM): yeah i heard

Old Girlfriend (2:09:59 PM): HOW'

oblivion165 (2:10:12 PM): dont remember

Old Girlfriend (2:11:11 PM): I FOUND OUT THAT HE TOOK BRANDI OVER TO HIS HOUSE AND WHEN HE CALLED HIM HE KNEW EVERYTHING DOWN TO HER BRA SIZE AND SOME MORE

oblivion165 (2:11:35 PM): ah

Old Girlfriend (2:12:10 PM): GET IT NOW Y I BROKE UP WITH HIM B/C HE NOW JUST GOT IT

oblivion165 (2:12:29 PM): veah

Old Girlfriend (2:13:30 PM): I DON'T KNOW Y I EVER WENT OUT WITH HIM IN THE 1ST

PLACE

oblivion165 (2:13:59 PM): thats just about how everyone feels at the end of a relationship

Old Girlfriend (2:14:35 PM): DID YOU

oblivion165 (2:14:59 PM): not really, it just kinda happend

Old Girlfriend (2:15:18 PM): OK

Old Girlfriend (2:15:18 PM): I UNDERSTAND

oblivion165 (2:15:30 PM): yeah

Old Girlfriend (2:15:54 PM): THE WHOLE TIME HE WAS 2 TIMING

Old Girlfriend (2:16:10 PM): IT FELT LIKE IT FOR A WHILE BUT I NEVER THOUGHT WOULD

ΒE

oblivion165 (2:16:37 PM): right, right

Old Girlfriend (2:16:49 PM): BRB

oblivion165 (2:17:19 PM): k

Old Girlfriend (2:21:12 PM): SORRY'

oblivion165 (2:21:21 PM): np

Old Girlfriend (2:21:30 PM): TRYING TO FIND A SONG TO SING TONIGHT

oblivion165 (2:21:36 PM): ah

Old Girlfriend (2:21:51 PM): PERHAPS YOU SOULD COME

oblivion165 (2:22:21 PM): where is it?

Old Girlfriend (2:22:48 PM): MORNINGSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH ON PARK VIEW

Old Girlfriend (2:22:57 PM): AT 6

Old Girlfriend (2:23:08 PM): IF THERE IS NNO WEATHER PROBLEMS

Old Girlfriend (2:23:08 PM): NO*

Old Girlfriend (2:23:16 PM): AS A FRIEND PLEASE

oblivion165 (2:23:26 PM): right right, i might be able to get there

oblivion165 (2:23:31 PM): yeah i understand

Old Girlfriend (2:23:36 PM): YES

Old Girlfriend (2:23:57 PM): DON'T WORRY I ALREADY LIKE A GUY AND HE KNOWS THAT I DO

oblivion165 (2:24:11 PM): lol i understand completely

Old Girlfriend (2:24:11 PM): BUT IT WOULD BE GREAT TO SEE YOU AGAIN

oblivion165 (2:24:16 PM): kk

Old Girlfriend (2:24:42 PM): I AM THINKING ABOUT SINGING WIND BENEATH MY WINDS

oblivion165 (2:24:51 PM): thats a good one

Old Girlfriend (2:25:23 PM): DO YOU KNOW WHERE I CAN GET THE SHEET MUSIC FOR IT?

oblivion165 (2:25:35 PM): no idea Old Girlfriend (2:26:11 PM): OK NP

oblivion165 (2:26:22 PM): k

Old Girlfriend (2:27:30 PM): WELL I HAVE GET EVERYTHING TOGETHER CALL ME AND I

WILL LET YOU KNOW IF IT IS STILL ON B/C I GOTA CALL CURTIS TO FIND OUT

oblivion165 (2:27:50 PM): i dont have your number anymore

Old Girlfriend (2:27:55 PM): 8776430 Old Girlfriend (2:28:09 PM): GOT IT oblivion165 (2:28:24 PM): yep

Old Girlfriend (2:28:40 PM): OK Old Girlfriend (2:28:51 PM): CALL ME NO LATER THAN 530

Old Girlfriend (2:28:52 PM): OK oblivion165 (2:28:57 PM): ok

Old Girlfriend (2:29:04 PM): I GOTA BE THERE BETWEEN THAT AND 545

Old Girlfriend (2:29:13 PM): C YA LATER oblivion165 (2:29:17 PM): yeah, gotcha oblivion165 (2:29:21 PM): ok tootles Old Girlfriend (2:29:23 PM): BYE Old Girlfriend (2:29:28 PM): TOOLTES

Girlfriend #2 (Me 18, She 17)

Again, completely unchanged, and she is and was on A honor roll. Jesus christ!!!

Quote:

Old Girlfriend 2 (8:59:47 PM): hello

Old Girlfriend 2 (9:01:24 PM): are u there

Old Girlfriend 2 (9:11:56 PM): hello

oblivion165 (9:12:59 PM): hi

Old Girlfriend 2 (9:13:08 PM): how are u

oblivion165 (9:13:17 PM): usual oblivion165 (9:13:19 PM): you? Old Girlfriend 2 (9:14:00 PM): lovely

Old Girlfriend 2 (9:14:32 PM): sorry about earlier something was going on around the house a

women scream help!11

oblivion165 (9:14:55 PM): lol np

Old Girlfriend 2 (9:15:23 PM): so what did u do? oblivion165 (9:15:37 PM): what do you mean? Old Girlfriend 2 (9:15:54 PM): where did u go

oblivion165 (9:16:01 PM): the store

Old Girlfriend 2 (9:16:19 PM): oh sounds like fun

oblivion165 (9:16:25 PM): meh

Old Girlfriend 2 (9:16:58 PM): so did u miss me

oblivion165 (9:17:08 PM): yeah

Old Girlfriend 2 (9:17:40 PM): oh love u to oblivion165 (9:17:58 PM): tisk tisk tisk

Old Girlfriend 2 (9:18:10 PM): what oblivion165 (9:18:15 PM): nothing Old Girlfriend 2 (9:18:28 PM): tell oblivion165 (9:18:36 PM): nothing to tell Old Girlfriend 2 (9:19:01 PM): then why did u tisk tisk for ? oblivion165 (9:19:12 PM): just because Old Girlfriend 2 (9:19:23 PM): b/c why oblivion165 (9:19:33 PM): no idea Old Girlfriend 2 (9:20:41 PM): oblivion165 (9:20:58 PM): Old Girlfriend 2 (9:21:06 PM): what oblivion165 (9:21:56 PM): i didnt sav anything Old Girlfriend 2 (9:22:02 PM): ok Old Girlfriend 2 (9:24:23 PM): did u get want i said at the end of our true phone call oblivion165 (9:24:35 PM): huh? Old Girlfriend 2 (9:24:56 PM): the end of the phone call oblivion165 (9:26:38 PM): nope i have no idea what your talking about Old Girlfriend 2 (9:27:01 PM): i lov u was at the end of the phone call oblivion165 (9:27:11 PM): oh i see Old Girlfriend 2 (9:27:12 PM): *love oblivion165 (9:27:14 PM): yeah i heard it Old Girlfriend 2 (9:27:41 PM): realy i hoped u did not b/c u were quiet oblivion165 (9:27:55 PM): lol then why did you bring it up? Old Girlfriend 2 (9:28:25 PM): just wanted to know if u did b/c u said nothing oblivion165 (9:28:36 PM): i said goodbye Old Girlfriend 2 (9:28:58 PM): yeah but nothingn Old Girlfriend 2 (9:29:08 PM): return oblivion165 (9:29:11 PM): did you want me to say it? Old Girlfriend 2 (9:29:29 PM): think like me oblivion165 (9:29:49 PM): so you wanted me to say it back Old Girlfriend 2 (9:30:01 PM): why not oblivion165 (9:30:21 PM): i dont know, i just vring myself to say it oblivion165 (9:30:48 PM): bring* oblivion165 (9:31:11 PM): never could Old Girlfriend 2 (9:31:15 PM): ok Old Girlfriend 2 (9:31:32 PM): oh then Old Girlfriend 2 (9:32:10 PM): why not oblivion165 (9:32:21 PM): dont know, just never seems right coming out of me Old Girlfriend 2 (9:32:48 PM): oh i see me not good oblivion165 (9:32:58 PM): huh? Old Girlfriend 2 (9:33:40 PM): i am not good for u oblivion165 (9:33:56 PM): i see oblivion165 (9:34:02 PM): why do you think that? Old Girlfriend 2 (9:34:16 PM): b/c u do not say it oblivion165 (9:34:38 PM): i dont know, i want to its just never right coming from me Old Girlfriend 2 (9:34:55 PM): why not oblivion165 (9:35:26 PM): just is Old Girlfriend 2 (9:36:11 PM): ok i give up u will never say it even if we did get married oblivion165 (9:36:22 PM): you never know Old Girlfriend 2 (9:37:17 PM): well i given alot of thought to u not wanting to date and came to conclusion..... oblivion165 (9:37:30 PM): ok oblivion165 (9:37:35 PM): which is? Old Girlfriend 2 (9:37:47 PM): oblivion165 (9:38:16 PM): whats the conclusion? Old Girlfriend 2 (9:38:39 PM): oblivion165 (9:38:45 PM): ??? Old Girlfriend 2 (9:39:11 PM): to be continued oblivion165 (9:39:20 PM): lol oblivion165 (9:39:32 PM): why cant you just tell me what you think? Old Girlfriend 2 (9:39:45 PM): Old Girlfriend 2 (9:40:26 PM): do u truly want me to tell oblivion165 (9:40:38 PM): of course Old Girlfriend 2 (9:40:59 PM): why should i oblivion165 (9:41:23 PM): ..because were talking..why would you not? Old Girlfriend 2 (9:42:25 PM): maybe or maybe not i could live with that oblivion165 (9:43:08 PM): that doesnt make sense...lol Old Girlfriend 2 (9:43:52 PM): maybe or maybe not icould be with u and choice our way Old Girlfriend 2 (9:44:24 PM): *chose Old Girlfriend 2 (9:44:35 PM): *choose oblivion165 (9:44:58 PM): so i am to choose our way Old Girlfriend 2 (9:45:30 PM): yeah it all is on ur shouders oblivion165 (9:45:37 PM): i see Old Girlfriend 2 (9:46:09 PM); good i hope u can see i do not want u to run into any thing oblivion165 (9:46:19 PM): yes Old Girlfriend 2 (9:46:26 PM): ha ha lol Old Girlfriend 2 (9:46:54 PM): i pick back oblivion165 (9:47:05 PM): lol yeah Old Girlfriend 2 (9:47:16 PM): good Old Girlfriend 2 (9:48:47 PM): talk honey oblivion165 (9:49:02 PM): what are we talking about today? Old Girlfriend 2 (9:49:31 PM): our furture through john's eye part 1 oblivion165 (9:49:45 PM): i want to write it Old Girlfriend 2 (9:49:58 PM): huh Old Girlfriend 2 (9:51:42 PM): are u there oblivion165 (9:51:43 PM): i want to write about it in a story form Old Girlfriend 2 (9:51:50 PM): ok Old Girlfriend 2 (9:52:03 PM): be my guest oblivion165 (9:52:13 PM): ok ill have it late r in the week oblivion165 (9:52:18 PM): later* Old Girlfriend 2 (9:52:30 PM): ok Old Girlfriend 2 (9:53:02 PM): i lov u john and only jhon nothing is better then my john oblivion165 (9:53:19 PM): There is lots better than john Old Girlfriend 2 (9:53:33 PM): like who or what oblivion165 (9:53:48 PM): Everyone Old Girlfriend 2 (9:54:15 PM): no one is more like the person i want to be with

oblivion165 (9:54:50 PM): Sure there is, there are so many people you havent met Old Girlfriend 2 (9:55:30 PM): but no one is my john now just be happy with me b/c i am happy with u oblivion165 (9:55:43 PM): lol forceful Old Girlfriend 2 (9:56:09 PM): yes so iam u likely oblivion165 (9:56:31 PM): i am u likely? Old Girlfriend 2 (9:57:04 PM): yes so i am u likely? oblivion165 (9:57:39 PM): what is "u likely?" Old Girlfriend 2 (9:57:53 PM): do u like it oblivion165 (9:58:06 PM): like what? Old Girlfriend 2 (9:58:22 PM): forcefulness oblivion165 (9:58:37 PM); sometimes, depend on the place Old Girlfriend 2 (9:58:57 PM): what is that mean oblivion165 (9:59:22 PM): it depends on the situation Old Girlfriend 2 (9:59:37 PM): ok like what situation oblivion165 (10:00:01 PM): appropriate onces i guess Old Girlfriend 2 (10:00:12 PM): our musical is peter pan oblivion165 (10:00:26 PM): thats cool Old Girlfriend 2 (10:00:26 PM): ok i love thoses oblivion165 (10:00:38 PM): peter pan is a good play Old Girlfriend 2 (10:01:02 PM): yeah shumate whats me to be tinkerbell Old Girlfriend 2 (10:01:12 PM): *wants oblivion165 (10:01:13 PM): Imao oblivion165 (10:01:29 PM): i think you would be great as tinker Old Girlfriend 2 (10:01:41 PM): oh thanks Old Girlfriend 2 (10:01:52 PM): i can fly oblivion165 (10:01:56 PM): lol Old Girlfriend 2 (10:02:08 PM): no picking oblivion165 (10:02:12 PM): im not Old Girlfriend 2 (10:02:20 PM): love only love oblivion165 (10:02:25 PM): yep Old Girlfriend 2 (10:04:18 PM): lets go there for our honeymoon ok oblivion165 (10:04:26 PM): where? oblivion165 (10:04:34 PM): the picture? Old Girlfriend 2 (10:04:44 PM): my picture look oblivion165 (10:05:11 PM): caribbean? or maiami? or what? oblivion165 (10:05:32 PM): miami* Old Girlfriend 2 (10:06:00 PM): virgin islands oblivion165 (10:06:05 PM): cool Old Girlfriend 2 (10:07:27 PM): well honey love u and i will talk to u tomorrow .bye! ok. oblivion165 (10:07:34 PM): Tootles oblivion165 (10:07:40 PM):) oblivion165 (10:07:45 PM): * Old Girlfriend 2 (10:07:56 PM): do not cry oblivion165 (10:08:02 PM): lol Old Girlfriend 2 (10:08:09 PM): love u oblivion165 (10:08:15 PM): love you

Old Girlfriend 2 (10:08:22 PM): me most

oblivion165 (10:08:35 PM): think so huh? Old Girlfriend 2 (10:08:48 PM): yeah i do oblivion165 (10:08:58 PM): i trust you on it

Old Girlfriend 2 (10:09:45 PM): ok just checking bye

oblivion165 (10:09:49 PM): bye

EDIT2: I didnt proof read these for a controlled test, and i see alot of things i need to work on, but alot of things she says just doesn't make sence.

Also we were pretty serious, things were going great and it was looking down that road......Then i found out she wasnt using birth control like she said she was.....So yeah, it's over.

So in conclusion, yeah i highly disagree.

Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by Oblivion165 on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 09:58:44 GMT

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Ok here is a better example. This is from a letter she wrote to me after i broke it off.

Copied word for word, nothing has been changed:

Quote:why love what u can not have? when live is so hard to be there 24 for 7. llove is hard to give up on so why do it. u and i need to be love way not love each other. u love me so u claim but maybe u are just play me like a toy but maybe u are not but loveit self is all u need to get through live and be there for one another and be happy.

Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by Dave Mason on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 11:51:22 GMT

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Smart move Oblivion, You left your ex-girlfriend's phone number for the public to read in a form

Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by Aircraftkiller on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 12:42:19 GMT

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Quote: But a recent study of IM-ing by college students

It helps when you read the article.

Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by kurt421 on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 13:17:25 GMT

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DJMSmart move Oblivion, You left your ex-girlfriend's phone number for the public to read in a form

Imao

Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by Doitle on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 13:30:51 GMT

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You will find an area code most helpful when dialing phone numbers...

:rolleyes:

Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by Pendullum on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 14:02:51 GMT

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Nice name, though AssCrackFiller suits you better

Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by SuperMidget on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 14:17:30 GMT

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Wow, what a crazy bitch. Little obsessive complusive?

Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by Walrus on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 14:25:03 GMT

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This article is 'lie's to children,' bullshit. the man who wrote it has had to dumb it down something chronic.

Here is the original paper in pdf.

http://www.american.edu/tesol/Baron-SeeYouOnlineCorrected64.pdf

after reading it its hard to imagine how he came to his conclusion.

Up to page 16 is mostly references and some nice background info. Some of them i cant find any more and now want to read.

Read page 17 onward and you will figure it out. Its a pity she does not say why many of the male subjects bailed or how many were left (it seems like 3)

25 conversations were monitored 9 male, 9 female, 5 both. many of the male conversations were between 2 people, so it does not give a good reference.

This news website is designed for teens, so it contains allot of the 'lies to children' information we expect from such news forums. Although correct it does not have all the information and many of the facts are embellished to allow better understanding.

the paper is more of a presentation. It does not cover a wide enough area to be anything more. Its more of a breakdown of sentence structure to help build a better foundation for those who follow. Its a very interesting read.

Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by Walrus on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 14:41:26 GMT

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This is written by the same woman and paints a pretty bleak picture. It goes a long way to explain all the terrible half tried half written netstories the internet is filled with.

http://www.american.edu/lfs/tesol/In%20Press%20Paper--Future%20of%20Written%20Culture.pd

It's such a shame.

Subject: It's about damn time!
Posted by Ripintou on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 15:36:13 GMT
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- * But a recent study of IM-ing by college students
- * Baron reviewed 23 different conversations and surveyed 158 students. :rolleyes:

Like one college speaks for the rest of USA / World. You'll be correcting people for sometime yet Reborn Sucks

Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by Vitaminous on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 17:21:14 GMT

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OblivionGirlfriend #2 (Me 18, She 17)

Again, completely unchanged, and she is and was on A honor roll. Jesus christ!!!

Pedophile.

I'm in total disagreement too, but there's no need for me to bring a proof since it would be completely irrelevant due to the amount of College students on the Internet, it can't be 10 percent that's for sure.

Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by Dave Mason on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 17:29:23 GMT

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Well I don't know what American Phone Numbers look like

English are like

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whereas people in NL have something like #########

But still, If someody knows where he lives, they can get her number

Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by cheesesoda on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 17:50:43 GMT

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Oblivion, if you read closely, you would see it's when girls talk to other girls, not mixed gender conversations.

Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by Oblivion165 on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 20:06:45 GMT

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Ah, my mistake. I posted all of this at 5am my time, so needless to say i was a little tired.

As for the phone number, why would i care? I broke up with her, that's like you calling my first grade teacher a 1000 miles away in texas. Just doesnt matter.

Anyway, i still disagree.

Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by Oblivion165 on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 20:10:42 GMT

SuperMidgetWow, what a crazy bitch. Little obsessive complusive?

Yes, very much so. She really didnt fit my personality very much.

Hehe, in fact one conversation, i remember her talking about where she wanted to get married, and i was thinking about being lost in the wilderness after a plane crash.

I was to be riend a baby bear and name him balue. Man o' Man the crazy adventures. God i love that bear.

Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by Oblivion165 on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 20:12:13 GMT

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Vitaminous

Pedophile.

Lol, in the eyes of the law yep. But we both have graduated, both out on our own, so you know.....

Subject: It's about damn time!

Posted by icedog90 on Wed, 02 Mar 2005 23:18:19 GMT

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DJMWell I don't know what American Phone Numbers look like

English are like

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whereas people in NL have something like #########

But still, If someody knows where he lives, they can get her number

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