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Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by kinghigh1 on Wed, 15 Jun 2005 22:27:46 GMT

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That should be in a magazine ,coverpage. Some where people of everyday life can read it.

Thats great.

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by SuperFlyingEngi on Wed, 15 Jun 2005 22:53:18 GMT

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Well, duh.

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by cheesesoda on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 00:46:10 GMT

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Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by Jecht on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 01:22:19 GMT

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Great Article, there is a problem with our views of a role model. I used to ask my dad what a role model was when I was younger. At that time there was a big ordeal about a baseball player

spitting on an umpire. He pointed at the TV and said: "not him."

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by SuperFlyingEngi on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 01:41:02 GMT

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Then why do you support big tax breaks so the overpaid rich can be even richer?

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by cheesesoda on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 01:46:44 GMT

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This thread has nothing to do with politics, yet you decide to drag politics into it. Fucking tool.

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by SuperFlyingEngi on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 02:44:32 GMT

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Sorry, forgot that this was the patriotic thread that passes beyond the realm of actual issues into the land of happy care free troop support rallies. Don't worry, I brought my flags.

Along with my personal favorite, and likely the most fitting:

GO USA! GOD SAVE THE SOLDIERS!

FYI - If it's in the politics forum, it's fair game. So, why do you support tax breaks to make the rich

Posted by Jecht on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 03:00:04 GMT

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because many times, the rich pay for the poor, even when the poor is very capable. Its called welfare, and most of it is wasted money. Also, in much of the case the rich had to work VERY hard for their money. Im sure Crimson will agree. So hard in fact, that she pays much more in income tax every year that she earned fairly. Its only fair that she get part of what she worked hard for back wouldnt you say? Rather than going to a bum who sits at home, makes babies and collects a check every week.

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by Hydra on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 03:02:33 GMT

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Granted, acting in a movie requires a fair amount of talent on the part of the actor, a job of personal sacrifice like being a policeman or fireman is infinitely more demanding. These are the kind of people we should be looking up to, and people like Michael Crook who go out of their way to insult them make my blood boil.

SuperFlyingEngi wrote on Wed, 15 June 2005 22:44So, why do you support tax breaks to make the rich richer?

Because the poor suck.

FYI--if politics have little to do with the thread's main topic, it's inappropriate to try to change the topic to a debate; that's like turning a tribute thread to Terry Schiavo into a debate on killing the disabled (something you did). It's completely out of line and inappropriate, not to mention off-topic. Quit trying to derail the thread into another one of your conservative bash-fests.

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by cheesesoda on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 03:16:06 GMT

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He's a tool of the left, he can't help it.

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by SuperFlyingEngi on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 04:09:08 GMT

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Where's your flag?

Posted by kinghigh1 on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 05:01:57 GMT

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I find it hard to believe you would give your life for Iraqis that you don't know.

But won't help your fellow americans thats in the USA not doing so well in life.

Most poor people got experince in alot of shit,but you need more than just a high school diploma. Do you know you gotta pay to go to a community college,or have a job just to get financial aide. Poor people with no experince, Can't get a job,not even a mcdonalds job cause experince prefered. Why the hell you need experince to flip a burger?

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by Jecht on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 05:06:57 GMT

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You don't need experience, thats just their way of telling you they don't want you. And if your not a bum you can make payments on CC very easily, its not expensive at all. On my income I could make that and more and Im 19. I work in a resteraunt. It isnt easy but its a good amount of money for how old I am, and if I can do it, they can too. It took more than 2 apps to get this job, I made out 32 applications in 2 weeks before I got even one job offer. If they want a job badly enough, they can find one. The difference between wanting a job and getting one is that the lazy people will never find one, and even when they do, they fuck it up by not doing shit on the job and getting fired. I know how to do every position at the reseraunt I work at now except for cook(Server, Server Asst., Host, Expo, Food Runner, Salad Maker, Dish Washer, and Even Manager) and ive worked every one because when the boss tells me to do it, I want to keep my job so I say yes sir. If your not willing to do that, then you don't deserve to have money.

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by kinghigh1 on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 05:14:26 GMT

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gbull wrote on Thu, 16 June 2005 00:06You don't need experience, thats just their way of telling you they don't want you.

So what you saying is that it isn't poor people fault sometimes, cause most I know do try.

Posted by Jecht on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 05:15:20 GMT

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The most you know probably don't try and say they do. So how many apps have they put in for a better job lately?

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by Hydra on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 06:17:53 GMT

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Kinghigh, you really need to be smacked with the banhammer.

Thanks, SuperFlyingLiberalTool, for turning this into a debate about tax cuts!

Can we get back to the original topic please?

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by Crimson on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 08:41:25 GMT

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Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by Goztow on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 09:20:08 GMT

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Crimson wrote on Thu, 16 June 2005 04:41

Hard mentally, yes... teaching myself skills that got me a great job. And yet like \$14k of my \$60k earnings (that's 15%) are going towards whatever bullshit the morons in Congress want to spend it on in order to keep their constituents voting for them. (and yes, that's BOTH parties) You have 15% taken off, here in Belgium I have about 40-50% taken off for the government. I think you don't need to complain...

Then again we do have a whole social security system and tbh: even if it is far from perfect, it does its purpose in some way. I'm not taking opinions, just explaining things.

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by kinghigh1 on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 15:14:10 GMT

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Some fill apps out like its a job.But that does most of them no good cause they been to jail for child support.Its hard to get a job with that on your record.He didn't do nothing wrong, just couldn't pay the child support.Now his record tarnished.he still get out and try everyday.so you can keep all that poor people lazy and stuff ,cause its not a fact that all are lazy.

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by Crimson on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 16:44:58 GMT

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I meant 25%... and I wouldn't mind it so much if I got that amount of benefit back... instead of it being wasted on bullshit. Heck, I can easily see my \$15k paying for refreshments for those stupid steroid hearings.

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by Jecht on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 19:06:32 GMT

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kinghigh1 wrote on Thu, 16 June 2005 10:44gbull wrote on Thu, 16 June 2005 00:15The most you know probably don't try and say they do. So how many apps have they put in for a better job lately?

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And you know these people actually spend their time doing this, I mean you've witnessed them do it first hand? Another point, If you dont want kids, don't have sex or wear some fucking protection. Its not the Taxpayers fault you knocked someone up and you can't afford the price for it. Like Crimson, I pay taxes. Meaning I pay to help dipshits who make stupid mistakes who don't even try to help themselves.

Posted by kinghigh1 on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 20:04:51 GMT

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Kids aren't planned all the time.

Not have sex! you must be a Virgin.

protection don't always work.

I seriously doudt you make as much money as Crimson.

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by Crimson on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 21:16:31 GMT

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Yeah, but I'm quite sure that 99% of those kids were because someone thought they could get away with having unprotected sex. Even one of my friends has a kid without a father because of bad decisions, and yes, my tax dollars are helping support her. (Fortunately she is working to improve her life but for each person who is, there are dozens who aren't and will continue to suck off the taxpayers' teats until the day they die)

There are always exceptions to the rule, but thanks to public assistance it's becoming less and less necessary to have the finanicial means to raise a child without a father. Unfortunately those children, without a male role model, can turn into losers themselves. And yet this is supposed to be a good thing.

Want to find out? Just find one of these people and ask them what they'd do if the assistance wasn't available.

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by Jecht on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 21:45:18 GMT

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Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by cheesesoda on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 21:47:22 GMT

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You people fell in Tool's trap. Can we, I don't know, revert our discussion BACK to the original

Posted by kinghigh1 on Thu, 16 Jun 2005 22:57:01 GMT

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You still shitting me,ok if there was no poor people you would still pay taxes. So Who pays the police? or firemen? How do potholes get fixed, by tax payers

all your tax money don't go torward poor people, THINK gbull, you smarter then that. Thats why I said the war was on iraq was wrong, cause we got bigger problems in the usa. When I was young I was so called poor. but that didn't stop me from getting my diploma nor did my mother sit on her ass waiting on a welfare check. Have you known people now days gotta work just to get welfare. its not easy like you think, poor people can't even get welfare. so your money don't go to waste like you think, people work for welfare.

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by Jecht on Fri, 17 Jun 2005 04:42:55 GMT

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your clueless, Ive seen documentaries of welfare recipients. one had 2 cars, one a BMW, and a house nicer than the one I live in. Your shitting yourself if your so naive to think people don't abuse.

Anyways, back on track. This article was one of the best ive read in a while in these forums. Good find AirCraftKiller.

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by kinghigh1 on Fri, 17 Jun 2005 14:22:37 GMT

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I never said people don't abuse.

Your poor to me ,So should I get pissed because my tax money go towards paying the police that

patrol your neighborhood?

The documentaries of welfare you've seen are to show the bad side of Aide.

In your words gbull

"because many times, the rich pay for the poor, even when the poor is very capable. Its called welfare, and most of it is wasted money. Also, in much of the case the rich had to work VERY hard for their money."

How can you defend the rich, When your poor.

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Those welfare queens in their cadillacs...

Subject: Re: Real stars?

Posted by msgtpain on Fri, 17 Jun 2005 17:30:13 GMT

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kinghigh1 wrote on Fri, 17 June 2005 10:22 How can you defend the rich, When your poor.

Probably because he knows that the amount of money he has is due to his own creation (or lack of)... He's most likely the type of person that is actively persuing his fortune, not the type that feels the rich person should give him a hand-out.

There are two types of poor people:

Those that are down on their luck and need a little assistance to get back on their feet.

And those that think someone should give them something simply because the other person has it and they don't.

Everyone here is talking about the latter, how about you?

No conservative that I've ever spoken to has ever complained about assisting those who need a hand; we simply can't stand the ones that believe it is some sort of Right to be given everything their neighbor has.

Posted by Crimson on Fri, 17 Jun 2005 18:45:13 GMT

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My complaint about income taxes isn't strictly limited to it 'going to welfare recipients'... my complaint includes how pretty much all those old guys up in the Senate add riders to bills to get our tax money spent on bullshit in their own home state in order to ensure they are voted in again.

I believe is was Churchill who said something like "I've never heard of a nation who taxed itself into prosperity."