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Subject: wow 911

Posted by [nopic01](#) on Sun, 11 Sep 2005 21:09:27 GMT

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I made this topic to commemorate all of the victims of September 11th if you would all take a moment of silence to support our troops and honor all of the people who had lost there lives.

Thank you

No spelling mistakes

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Subject: Re: wow 911

Posted by [nopic01](#) on Sun, 11 Sep 2005 21:10:34 GMT

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sorry 4 the double post but the reson i put the wow is cause i was suprised that no1 had made this post yet

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Subject: Re: wow 911

Posted by [Dave Mason](#) on Sun, 11 Sep 2005 21:10:36 GMT

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Subject: Re: wow 911

Posted by [Dave Mason](#) on Sun, 11 Sep 2005 21:18:59 GMT

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csskiler is fine. But the truth is Nopic doesn't care. All he wants to do is raise his post count.

I do care about what happened 4 years ago. I think it was a total tragedy. But I don't like to dwell on the past, that doesn't change anything.

And if you think making a spam topic in ANY WAY AT ALL gives respect to those affected you are one deluded little child.

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Subject: Re: wow 911

Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Sun, 11 Sep 2005 21:33:24 GMT

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Leave this thread alone. Not everything nopic posts is spam. At least, this thread isn't spam. This thread serves a purpose.

I tip my hat to those who gave their lives on that fateful date.

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Subject: Re: wow 911

Posted by [Dave Mason](#) on Sun, 11 Sep 2005 21:38:54 GMT

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It is a tragedy yes, but some topic on a forum frequented for the most part by retards isn't going to make what happened any better.

If you want to commemorate the event do something worthwhile like fundraising for the families affected.

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Subject: Re: wow 911

Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Sun, 11 Sep 2005 21:40:11 GMT

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Asking for a moment of silence shows respect for the victims and their families. Of course, it won't bring back anybody, but to show them respect is the least we can do.

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Subject: Re: wow 911

Posted by [RyuKishen](#) on Sun, 11 Sep 2005 21:40:38 GMT

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After his post about Hurricane Katrina, I seriously doubt that nopic gives a rat's ass about the people that died and were effected that day.

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Subject: Re: wow 911

Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Sun, 11 Sep 2005 21:41:41 GMT

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Whether or not he means it, for the rest of us who do, this is a worthy thread.

I ask Crimson, Blazer, or warranto to split the derailing topics to the Silo, please.

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Subject: Re: wow 911

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Posted by [Dave Mason](#) on Sun, 11 Sep 2005 21:47:07 GMT

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I would give my condolences in this thread. But since this was posted by a self-centered 12-year old kid with no regards for the victims of hurricane katrina, since this was posted in the aim of spam, I won't. Nopic doesn't give a flying fuck and you know that.

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Subject: Re: wow 911

Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Sun, 11 Sep 2005 21:49:52 GMT

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I don't care if he means it or not. I mean it, so I'm going to make the best out of his thread. If he doesn't respect them, at least he's giving everybody else a chance to show their respect.

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Subject: Re: wow 911

Posted by [Dave Mason](#) on Sun, 11 Sep 2005 21:51:48 GMT

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Fair enough, you made your point. I'll back off.

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Subject: Re: wow 911

Posted by [Homey](#) on Mon, 12 Sep 2005 02:22:59 GMT

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I thought this was pretty well done.

<http://www.big-boys.com/articles/911trib.html>

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Subject: Re: wow 911

Posted by [Dr. Lithius](#) on Mon, 12 Sep 2005 20:10:17 GMT

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**\*\*WARNING\*\***

The contents of this Quote Box are quite "questionable". If you are easily offended by one person's opinions. . .serious emphasis on that word. . .then you may best just skip over this post entirely.

Quote:What are your thoughts on the anniversary of yesterday? Wanna know mine? Well. . . I have none. I mean, yes, it was a horrible experience for a lot of people, but much like this Hurricane Katrina ordeal, it just dragged on for way too long. Yes, it was horrible. Yes, many people died. But it's over. Clean up the mess, mourn, do whatever. . .but freaking move on

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already. Sometimes, you have to move on despite dramatic circumstance. Period.  
And yes, I'm well aware that people using the "default" color scheme for these forums can still read this post. I'm under the impression, however, that most people are using the "Renegade\_Forums" scheme, so this works just as well as some forums' [hide] command for the most part. Yes, what I have to say is that "uncooth" and will probably be shot all to Hell by you bleeding hearts out there. But hey, this is how I feel.

Edit: Also, even though nopic made it, this topic is likely better suited for "Hot Topics". And no, not just because of my post.

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Subject: Re: wow 911  
Posted by [spreegem](#) on Mon, 12 Sep 2005 21:59:16 GMT  
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Did anyone watch Flight 93: The Flight That Fought Back on the discovery channel, it was pretty interesting. And there were no commercials at all during the time it was shown. It was sponsored by Ask Jeeves

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Subject: Re: wow 911  
Posted by [Sir Phoenixx](#) on Mon, 12 Sep 2005 22:39:53 GMT  
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Quote: No spelling mistakes  
Lol, I don't think so.

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Subject: Re: wow 911  
Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Mon, 12 Sep 2005 22:50:53 GMT  
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spreegem wrote on Mon, 12 September 2005 16:59Did anyone watch Flight 93: The Flight That Fought Back on the discovery channel, it was pretty interesting. And there were no commercials at all during the time it was shown. It was sponsored by Ask Jeeves  
I think that Flight 93 could very well have been shot out of the sky by military fighter jets.

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Subject: Re: wow 911  
Posted by [Hydra](#) on Mon, 12 Sep 2005 23:26:21 GMT  
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Four years... has it really been that long?

I can still remember what it felt like.  
I had no idea what to think.

It seemed surreal.

I had first heard it from my science teacher. I didn't know what the hell she was talking about. Was it another one of her stupid scenarios that she'd use to illustrate something about physical science? If it was, it was pretty twisted, I thought.

Just about everything poured forth all at once. I didn't know whether to cry, despair, be afraid, anything.

I tried to shut it out of my mind.

Think about something else. Something happy. This didn't happen; this COULDN'T have happened. Not to us, at least.

Girl sitting next to me starts crying. I glance at her with a bewildered look. I look around the classroom. Some get worried, start crying with her; others are hardly listening to the teacher. A joke. That's it; a joke I heard on Comedy Central the night before. Think about that. It's funny; it'll make you feel better.

The future. Our future retaliation. Think about that, too. If this really did happen, I know we'll go after the bastards responsible and smash their balls into oblivion. I can already see myself watching TV and pumping a triumphant fist in the air and shout, "We got 'em!" as I hear the reporter on the screen tell us about the deaths of those responsible.

What an inappropriate time to have a confused but somewhat happy look on your face while others around me are crying, but I can hardly help it with my optimism and hope of our future victory while at the same time trying to push the reality out of my mind with a superficial joke.

No matter, though.

It's not like this could be actually happening.

How much more wrong could I have been?

I get home.

See my mother watching Fox News.

Footage of the collapsing buildings; the gigantic cloud of dust and smoke engulfing the road like a desert sandstorm; people covered in white dust like ash from a volcanic eruption; the airplane flying into the second tower....

All the blood. All the rescue workers. All the sad people grieving for lost loved ones. "She had such a love for life," says a teary-eyed man wearing glasses standing next to an ambulance. Other sad people had similar stories to share about fallen loved ones.

So many sad people.

So much pain.

So much death and destruction.

My barrier of hope and blind optimism give way to pain, sadness and reality. I suddenly felt like I was on the news giving a story of my own.

I can't hold the tears back any more. So much sadness....

Tears stop for a second; where's Dad? Why wasn't he home yet?

He's often out of town... in New York.

Sadness gives way to panic. I ask my mother if Dad was in New York that day for business. I swore my heart stopped beating in the second before she told me no and that he'd be home that night at the usual time.

Dad comes home; we didn't eat much of dinner. We all watch Fox News together. "The mayor of New York has ordered 6,000 body bags."

"That's not gonna be enough," says my dad.

The pain and horror of it all.

I go upstairs to get ready for bed; my head starts pounding as reality takes a jackhammer to my cranium.

Start brushing my teeth.

"She had such a love for life."

Pound pound pound.

Try to put on my pajamas.

Reporter said death toll could be as high as 50,000.

Pound pound pound.

I click on the TV in my room and flip to Fox News.

More footage. More rubble. More casualties. More teary-eyed men with glasses talking about their dead wives. More suffering.

Four years... has it really been that long?

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