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Subject: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [maschief](#) on Tue, 30 May 2006 19:03:58 GMT  
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I'm turning 18 june 16th and this is what I'm getting for my birthday.

-AMD Athlon 64 3700+ San Diego 2000MHz  
-eVGA 256-P2-N563-AX Geforce 7900GTX 256MB GDDR3 PCI Express x16  
-CORSAIR XMS 2GB 184-Pin DDR SDRAM DDR 400 (PC 3200)  
-ASUS A8N32-SLI Deluxe Socket 939 NVIDIA nForce SPP 100 ATX AMD Motherboard  
-Creative Sound Blaster Audigy2 ZS SB0350

And I was just curious what did you get for your 18th birthday?

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [Kanezor](#) on Tue, 30 May 2006 19:11:13 GMT  
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I got a whole hug!

Come to think of it, I get a whole hug every day... so it wasn't that special.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Tue, 30 May 2006 19:16:05 GMT  
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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [warranto](#) on Tue, 30 May 2006 19:38:38 GMT  
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I got exactly what I wanted as well. The same goes for every birthday: being left alone

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Posted by [hunteroo2](#) on Tue, 30 May 2006 20:10:18 GMT  
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Posted by [icedog90](#) on Tue, 30 May 2006 20:59:33 GMT  
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Posted by [rm5248](#) on Tue, 30 May 2006 21:27:32 GMT  
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Posted by [Aprime](#) on Tue, 30 May 2006 23:26:47 GMT

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We'll see in 4 months and 13 days (+ 4H:30M).

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Posted by [icedog90](#) on Wed, 31 May 2006 00:46:14 GMT

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I don't know a lot about DDR2 mostly because it used to only be compatible with Intel CPUs, but I don't think you really can expect a difference in games. You probably get better results with other things besides games, either that or AMD CPUs don't really use DDR2 any more than DDR 400 at the moment.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...

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Posted by [Aprime](#) on Wed, 31 May 2006 01:52:59 GMT

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Just get AM2 so you don't have to get a new motherboard and new memory in the future (they're ending support for S(socket)939 sooner than for S(socket)754 (which will/should be the only DDR(1) AMD solution left for a while. Expect better performance when AMD'll switch to 65nm (currently 90nm) processors, which should be around January.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...

Posted by [Dover](#) on Wed, 31 May 2006 02:26:11 GMT

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I'm not 18 yet.

\*Cries in a corner\*

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...

Posted by [Doitle](#) on Wed, 31 May 2006 04:37:02 GMT

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I got a 20" TV and <http://doitle.tugok.com/subs/sx/>

Well I got the money for the sub for my birthday...

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...

Posted by [terminator 101](#) on Wed, 31 May 2006 04:41:38 GMT

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I don't remember, but I know someone who I went with to a strip bar on his 18th birthday and he got a lap dance, and he probably enjoyed it.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...

Posted by [Crimson](#) on Wed, 31 May 2006 10:09:19 GMT

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I don't remember... I know I got kicked out 2 weeks after my 18th birthday, though.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...

Posted by [mision08](#) on Wed, 31 May 2006 16:47:28 GMT

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I got drunk! I like your gift better.

Is that just a single video card? Not that it matters, I think SLI is overkill. Overclocking is a tedious process, many people become impatient and fry their CPU. What are you using to cool that bad boy?

Doitle, that woofer looks like it can give you a concussion.

There is nothing wrong with using the 939 socket or regular DDR modules, They are as fast as anything on the market, and will be around for a long time. Plus, I quit trying to have the latest and fastest hardware before anyone else. What looks fast on paper may not be so in real life situations or just may not catch on, note RAMBUS. I like knowing a product has proved to be a good piece.

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Posted by [trooprm02](#) on Wed, 31 May 2006 19:21:21 GMT  
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^that statistic is right

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [DarkDemin](#) on Thu, 01 Jun 2006 19:52:12 GMT  
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j\_ball430 wrote on Tue, 30 May 2006 15:16take minors to R-rated movies

I used to have to take advantage of that then I turned 17. (yay)

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [Toolstyle](#) on Thu, 01 Jun 2006 22:44:08 GMT  
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A house, a holiday to Tenerife and a new computer off my parents. Then when I went out with my mates I got absolutely wasted and lucky.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [kopaka649](#) on Fri, 02 Jun 2006 04:37:52 GMT  
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Remember, you can softmod that soundcard to an Audigy 4.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [icedog90](#) on Fri, 02 Jun 2006 06:30:21 GMT  
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And there is nothing wrong with getting socket AM2 instead. It costs JUST AS MUCH as socket 939.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [dead6re](#) on Fri, 02 Jun 2006 09:22:52 GMT  
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Nothing yet, I'm not 18.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [Aprime](#) on Fri, 02 Jun 2006 10:43:34 GMT  
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They won't be around forever. Why? Because AMD isn't going to produce Socket 939 processors anymore. However Socket 754 will still be supported and will be the only true DDR(1) option from AMD as I said earlier.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [mision08](#) on Sat, 03 Jun 2006 14:56:45 GMT  
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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [Aprime](#) on Sat, 03 Jun 2006 17:07:04 GMT  
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Doesn't matter, you'll only be able to upgrade with what's out there right now, as AMD won't release anything else for Socket 939 anymore, and with everything that's coming up, I suggest you switch.

DDR2 memory modules are just as cheap (cheaper in some cases I believe) as DDR modules.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [unknownLogan](#) on Sat, 03 Jun 2006 21:08:55 GMT  
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The only thing u can get at ur 18th birthday could be your independence, i think.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [mision08](#) on Sat, 03 Jun 2006 21:29:56 GMT  
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You make it sound as if the 939 socket supply is near the end, and that AMD doesn't have something to release in 3 months to make the 754 socket an endangered species. In 730 reviews, 5 out of 5 eggs. All for \$135.00 {minus \$29 = \$105.99 stacking them deep, selling them cheep} and it's fast

Im just saying his gift looks good to me.

His CPU has 5 out of 5 with 777 reviews. A nice lucky number, unlike the nVidia 666 SMBus drivers that cause BSOD on my board

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...

Posted by [Aprime](#) on Sat, 03 Jun 2006 23:36:15 GMT

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Oh for fucks sake just buy AM2, you'll be saving yourself money overtime, as you next upgrade won't need to be as 'big'.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...

Posted by [DarkDemin](#) on Sun, 04 Jun 2006 00:32:04 GMT

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Comrade just becuase you got ripped off on your computer doesn't mean you need to go off on anyone else.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...

Posted by [Aprime](#) on Mon, 05 Jun 2006 01:56:27 GMT

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Uh, excuse me, but I didn't get ripped off, my mom even covered the extra cost of the X800XT she bought locally (to save herself the trouble, after the case incident) instead of buying online.

The only time I got ripped off was when I bought the case, it was a piece of shit copy of the original version and it's falling apart, but the power supply it came with is surprisingly good.

(the inner design isn't the same, it's flimsy as hell, the paint job sucks and the manufacturers are aware of the issue, as a matter of fact, most manufacturers are \*I'm never buying such thing from Ebay again\*)

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...

Posted by [mision08](#) on Mon, 05 Jun 2006 06:54:46 GMT

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A 500 watt stock PSU.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...



Posted by [ghost](#) on Tue, 06 Jun 2006 04:04:14 GMT

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Hmmm, i got a hand shake and a form to signup for military school By hey, Now i own my own busniess and its doing some what good

Oh yea, And \$3000 cash from my grandparent which went directly into a PC

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...

Posted by [mrpirate](#) on Tue, 06 Jun 2006 04:06:28 GMT

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Your profile says you're 17, ghost.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...

Posted by [ghost](#) on Tue, 06 Jun 2006 04:11:43 GMT

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Yea, i really give real info over the net like that.

Why not send me mail.

Dumbass n00b

123 fake st

FU nubcake 99999

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...

Posted by [mision08](#) on Tue, 06 Jun 2006 06:29:55 GMT

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Your name is Dave, You live in California near interstate 80 and interstate 5. You live in a house, you own a dog and you drive a car. You don't believe that a high scoring basketball team is what it takes to win the NBA title. How am I doing?

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...

Posted by [Sniper\\_De7](#) on Tue, 06 Jun 2006 12:30:44 GMT

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If you think someone's going to stalk you by looking at your first name and age, you're a little crazy.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [icedog90](#) on Tue, 06 Jun 2006 20:25:14 GMT  
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I don't see why you're being so ignorant about it. Socket AM2 costs JUST as much as socket 939, so why NOT get it? You won't admit it of course and you'll keep trying to go with socket 939 because you don't want to be wrong.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [mision08](#) on Tue, 06 Jun 2006 23:48:32 GMT  
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Posted by [troopr02](#) on Wed, 07 Jun 2006 20:09:51 GMT  
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You used the same sentance twice in 1 post

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [Aidoneus](#) on Wed, 07 Jun 2006 22:07:52 GMT  
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Come back in 9 months, 5 days and I'll tell you.

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Posted by [rm5248](#) on Wed, 07 Jun 2006 22:54:58 GMT  
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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [DarkDemin](#) on Thu, 08 Jun 2006 01:25:40 GMT  
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There is nothing wrong with your computer it supports everything.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [maschief](#) on Sat, 10 Jun 2006 21:11:47 GMT  
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Thanks for all your help, but the computer works fine runs eveything perfectly...I can't wait to try crysis on it though!

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...  
Posted by [mripirate](#) on Sat, 10 Jun 2006 21:29:06 GMT  
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Correct me if I'm wrong, but isn't Crysis going to be DirectX 10?

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Moron.

rm5248 wrote on Wed, 07 June 2006 18:54

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DDR3 memory isn't going to be adopted by AMD anytime soon, they just switched to DDR2, I don't know about Intel, but currently only one company has begun production of a DDR3 memory module.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...

Posted by [U927](#) on Sun, 11 Jun 2006 19:09:50 GMT

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STFU CANADIAN BACON

STFU ALL OF YOU

GRARHAAGRHARGRHAGRHGARHAHGRHAGRHGARHARHGRAHGRAHRHGRAHGRHAR

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I didn't really get anything for my 18th birthday, except going to an all-you-can-eat Chinese buffet. BUT, I id get a vey nice watch from my father and a very expensive chain from my mother on my graduation. Both of them combined are worth about \$2,300.

And all I really wanted was that money for a new computer.

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...

Posted by [xtaro](#) on Sun, 11 Jun 2006 19:17:30 GMT

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Clothing, and Fiddy bux

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Subject: Re: What did you get for your 18th birthday...

Posted by [mision08](#) on Sun, 11 Jun 2006 21:13:42 GMT

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All I am saying is,

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fucktard

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Lol, no.

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