
Subject: Yet another Jack Thompson 'triumph'.
Posted by [Lijitsu](#) on Tue, 06 Jun 2006 09:10:57 GMT
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Yet another Jack Thompson news post, this time it's about, guess what, VIDEO GAMES! I fucking hate this man. My mom always told me not to hate anything, and I never did, until I read some of this dipshit's thoughts. I bolded the part I found to be completely and totally wrong.

Quote:Jack Thompson has resurfaced again and this time he is directing investigators in a Louisiana murder case to investigate the angle that suspects may have been motivated by video games to murder.

The crime took place in West Feliciana Parish, an unincorporated part of central Louisiana. Two teens were arrested for first-degree murder and armed robbery of 55-year-old Michael Gore on Wednesday.

Thompson stepped in when he heard the reports describing the nature of Gore's wounds. "Nobody shoots anybody in the face unless you're a hit man or a video gamer," Thompson commented to The Advocate.

Thompson also related the crime to Grand Theft Auto since the sixteen year-old suspect confessed to the police that they killed the man because he wouldn't let them borrow his car, "the same scenario in Grand Theft Auto."

"I think [the murder] goes beyond video games, but who's to say?," Captain Spence Dilworth, an official involved in the investigation told The Advocate. Nonetheless, police did search the teen's home and seized several M rated games.

Both teenaged suspects will be tried as adults in court.

http://forums.cheatcc.com/blogs/news_by_lindsay/archive/2006/06/05/226219.aspx

Subject: Re: Yet another Jack Thompson 'triumph'.
Posted by [Dover](#) on Tue, 06 Jun 2006 17:39:05 GMT
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ThompsonNobody shoots anybody in the face unless you're a hit man or a video gamer

Of course, unless you count that a bullet to the head is probably the quickest way of death (short of snapping the spinal column), and by far the surest.

No, of course. Bullets to the head only came around AFTER video games. Before the age of Grand Theft Auto, nobody even thought of shooting people in the head, right?

</sarcasm>

I'm willing to wager money that this man has never sat down and seriously played a video game

Subject: Re: Yet another Jack Thompson 'triumph'.
Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Tue, 06 Jun 2006 22:28:00 GMT
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I didn't realize that a bullet to the head would kill someone, not until I started to play video games!

Subject: Re: Yet another Jack Thompson 'triumph'.
Posted by [U927](#) on Tue, 06 Jun 2006 23:35:40 GMT
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The idea behind all this hype is that people are constantly trying to find new scapegoats to place the blame on, instead of themselves. It isn't video games they should be worried about, it's the people who play them and can't distinguish between reality and a game. Those are the people that make the headlines, and those are the ones that get overblown by the media.

Do we see anywhere in the mainstream media about the POSITIVE effects of videogames? Is the media interested in the story of a 13-year-old who was able to save his brother's life, due to him playing as a medic in America's Army? Do we hear about Child's Play, which last year alone raised \$605,000 to buy toys for children's hospitals? Do we hear that because of videogames, normally shy and timid gamers are now becoming more open, since they now have a community that does not shun them away like regular society?

No. Because if it bleeds, it leads.

Subject: Re: Yet another Jack Thompson 'triumph'.
Posted by [warranto](#) on Tue, 06 Jun 2006 23:39:14 GMT
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Like I mentioned last time. Every generation has its scape goat. Heck, the world should have gone to pot already, litterally. Wasn't rock and roll supposed to turn everyone on to drugs, and cause all sorts of calamity?

Subject: Re: Yet another Jack Thompson 'triumph'.
Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Tue, 06 Jun 2006 23:45:08 GMT
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FIGHT THE MAN, MAN!

Subject: Re: Yet another Jack Thompson 'triumph'.
Posted by [DarkDemin](#) on Tue, 06 Jun 2006 23:55:08 GMT
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Seriously, this is the new scape goat in the age of baby sitting your kids with the television. Of course it isn't the parents fault that the kids kept fully automatic weapons and explosives in their room, it was all Doom's fault. (Columbine) Excuse the irony but Jack Thompson should be car jacked, shot, and then have his body urinated on.

Subject: Re: Yet another Jack Thompson 'triumph'.
Posted by [Hydra](#) on Wed, 07 Jun 2006 04:35:11 GMT
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Does anyone know what that pro-gamer lobbyist group is that was organized to protect gamers and the gaming industry? A link to their website has been posted on here before, I think, but I can't remember what it is.

Subject: Re: Yet another Jack Thompson 'triumph'.
Posted by [Nukelt15](#) on Wed, 07 Jun 2006 19:15:52 GMT
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I think somebody needs to sit ol' Jackie Boy down with a nice shooter, then take him to the shooting range afterwards and see if he still thinks games have anything at all to do with shooting people. My hunch is that he's never handled a mouse or a handgun.

I don't know about anyone else, but I notice the opposite effect... I'm a damn good shot IRL, but my aiming in gaming leaves much to be desired. ^_^

Subject: Re: Yet another Jack Thompson 'triumph'.
Posted by [glyde51](#) on Thu, 08 Jun 2006 02:10:46 GMT
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For every one Jack Thompson that dies, two will take his place. =(

Subject: Re: Yet another Jack Thompson 'triumph'.
Posted by [Nukelt15](#) on Thu, 08 Jun 2006 02:27:53 GMT
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Just two? Here I thought the fuckers multiplied the way mosquitos do...

Subject: Re: Yet another Jack Thompson 'triumph'.
Posted by [DarkDemin](#) on Thu, 08 Jun 2006 21:46:28 GMT
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In stagnant water?

Subject: Re: Yet another Jack Thompson 'triumph'.
Posted by [Nukelt15](#) on Thu, 08 Jun 2006 22:17:31 GMT
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Stagnant water, stagnant politics...it's all the same, one's just a little harder to purify.

Subject: Re: Yet another Jack Thompson 'triumph'.
Posted by [mision08](#) on Fri, 09 Jun 2006 02:03:17 GMT
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DarkDemin wrote on Tue, 06 June 2006 18:55 Seriously, this is the new scape goat in the age of baby sitting your kids with the television. Of course it isn't the parents fault that the kids kept fully automatic weapons and explosives in their room, it was all Doom's fault.

The parents need to go to jail.

Subject: Re: Yet another Jack Thompson 'triumph'.
Posted by [DarkDemin](#) on Wed, 14 Jun 2006 00:27:52 GMT
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They didn't though, if I remember correctly one of the kids killed his parents.
