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Subject: This is one of the saddest and amzaing things i've seen

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Simple solution.

Have a death penalty, with the two conditions.

1. The standard of proof must be higher, from "beyond a reasonable doubt" to "absolute certainty". After all, if a mistake is made, it's much better to release a live person than to explain how you have killed an innocent person.

2. Have the jury (or Judge) personally responsible for the decision to put the accused to death. This way, if a mistake is made, the state is off the hook for the death of the innocent, and those responsible for putting him to death can take restitutive responsibility.

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