
Subject: Schiavo Situation

Posted by [Javaxcx](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 02:56:07 GMT

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I am fairly sure that most have you have been following this situation from time to time over the last week or so.

In case you haven't, you can view the entire story here.

Should she live, or should she die?

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Posted by [cowmisfit](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 03:12:52 GMT

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Posted by [YSLMuffins](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 03:35:52 GMT

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Let her body rest in peace. Her soul has already left us.

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Posted by [ViolentOrgy](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 03:43:16 GMT

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^agreed^ One shouldn't be left to live a life of meaninglessness. If there was anyhope of a full recovery or of fealing any pain i would be agenst it. One thing i am agenst is the use of starvation (i dunno why i just am)

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Posted by [Ripintou](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 03:49:22 GMT

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In 32 seconds we put a man on death row to death for murder & the public are not allowed to see it. We are watching this woman whom has committed no crime being starved to death for weeks in full view of the public.

We have the methods backwards!!

Lord ... please allow this woman whom has suffered SO much be laid to rest gracefully and quicky.

Amen

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Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 03:58:33 GMT

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Posted by [Nodbugger](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 04:26:07 GMT

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She breathes by herself so her brain IS intact.

Medicaid pays for the vast majority of her bills and her husband was awarded 1 million dollars in 1992 due to a malpractice suit, he has been using that to help pay the bills. Her family has been willing to pay for her care for quite some time.

There is no reason they need to starve her.

Dying from dehydration is a nasty and terrible way to go.

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Posted by [Javafx](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 04:36:40 GMT

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The legal argument at this point is merely a tossing of words between two sides who cannot defend their case. The husband says that she spoke with him regarding this issue (without documentation) over a decade ago. Conversely, the parents obviously contend this with their own asperations of what Terri would want. This means that the legal debate must go into the realm of what makes more sense, as no more than circumstantial evidence can be presented.

An interesting thing to note is that there is absolutely no logical basis behind the death decision. Doctors call this woman braindead, and she very well may be. However, her body continues to function to a certain degree. Aside from the fact that the brain is required to control the body in the first place, there is absolutely no scientific evidence to say that Terri's consciousness is in fact dead.

In fact, to date there is no evidence to support a definat region of the brain where self-awareness takes place. We have general ideas, we know what can affect it in a peer-to-peer scale (talking, emotions, communication), but we do not know where this originates. Therefore, the purpose of this judgement is to determine the fate of that which all thought originates.

That being said, it is no more logical to kill a "brainlive" person than a "braindead" person, as there is no more definable proof that the actual person is dead outside the lack of communication in a tangible way. In essence, someone with Down's Syndrome isn't killed because that person can still speak, learn, and think in a fashion that tells others that he can in the first place. The only difference that we can actually tell with Terri is that she cannot do it in a way we can understand.

Does that constatute killing her and not a child with Down's Syndrome, Cerebral Palsy... or even a kid who is completely normal?

The logic isn't there, so lets hope they can figure it out in time.

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Posted by [Hydra](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 05:34:24 GMT

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"The Republican-controlled media is spreading lies about this woman!"
I'm not surprised to hear that coming from you.

Those evil Republicans and their "morals"; how dare they try to save this woman's life!

Do us all a favor and stop talking.

Quote:What they, and Terri's family have done, is rob the husband of an incredible sum of money keeping a body without a brain on life support.
You call having only a single feeding tube and probably a catheter (screw spelling) to collect body waste full-blown life support?

You must not have ever seen anyone in the ICU in the hospital, or you'd know what true life support is; this woman is not on full-blown life support.

Had her husband allowed it, she might have been rehabilitated to the point of feeding herself.

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That's because Hitlery Clinton won't allow you to have any morals.

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To my knowledge, they haven't given her any painkillers since they believe her to be unconscious and not suffering.

No brain to suffer from it? What is it, then, that keeps her heart beating; that keeps her lungs breathing; that keeps her kidneys functioning? What is it that makes her smile when her parents enter the room? What is it that makes her make signals that obviously mean, "No," when asked if she wants her feeding tube removed?

Why do you support the murder of this woman?

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I think she should die. But I was thinking along the same lines as you about them starving her to death. That is just barbaric. Lethal injection is quick and painless. I mean, the needle of a Lethal injection is sterilized before use to reduce discomfort. I hear she can't even feel any pain and that she doesn't know that she is being starved, but it is still barbaric.

You lot should check out the video for One by Metallica <http://launch.yahoo.com>
It covers exactly this topic.

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Posted by [Vitaminous](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 06:01:17 GMT

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...She doesn't feel pain.

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She has a brain, but it's in a neurovegetative state.

By neurovegetative state, I mean that only her vegetative nervous system is working, this system regulates all involuntary body activity.

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Where the hell are you getting this from?

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Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 06:37:13 GMT

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Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 06:38:56 GMT

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The husband has a girlfriend with two kids from that girlfriend, he just wants his wife to be out of the way, collect the money from her death, and then live happily ever after with his girlfriend. Sure, he hasn't come out and said that, but who can deny that being a motive?

Now, let's say she IS brain dead, starving the woman is horrible. It's a slow process, and just wrong. I just can't see how letting this woman starve is even an option.

I swear, this world gets stupider and stupider by the fucking day. Next week animals will be put in front of humans in importance and we'll all be eating out of dog dishes because some "revolutionary" "thinkers" decide that it'd be a great way to support our pets and whatnot bullshit.

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Posted by [IRON FART](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 07:29:28 GMT

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She can move?

She can hear alright, but it doesn't really make a difference seeing as she can't communicate...

That soldier and Terri ended up in a very similar situation...

Anyway I had no clue that she could move at all...

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Posted by [Vitaminous](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 07:36:47 GMT

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LOL, I never said she was a vegetable.

I can tell you've made that statement based on the overplayed clip of her "reacting" to her surroundings...

j_ball430

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How exactly has she been in his way?

Remember, 20 Courts agreed with the man.

The only reason why they're unplugging her in the first place is because euthanasia on human beings is illegal.

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Posted by [Javaxcx](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 07:41:49 GMT

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Most courts are going on the basis that a) He spent the money on her support for the last 15 or so years, b) she supposedly said she wouldn't want to live that way and c) "I wouldn't want to live that way either".

As opposed to the parent's "She would want to live" argument.

The only difference is that the former argument has no logical foothold at all.

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Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 11:48:10 GMT

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http://codeblueblog.blogs.com/.shared/image.html?/photos/uncategorized/ct_scan_terri.png

This is Terri Schiavo's brain. Note hole in middle. The reason her muscles involuntarily twitch and she has reaction is because the small part of the brain at the base of the spinal cord is still intact. It is infact impossible that she has higher brain functions.

And Hydra, have you actually watched the major media on this? They bring on a bunch of fake "medical professionals" like their "Nobel Prize Nominee" [There is no such thing] and then run series about how people recovered from comas. [Different medical condition entirely]

And hey, I just heard that someone in North Carolina got rolled up by the police this morning for posting a bounty on both Michael Schiavo's head, and Judge Grier's.

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Posted by [Fabian](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 12:30:58 GMT

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Fuck conservatives. They are all religious fanatic idiots.

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Posted by [Javaxcx](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 15:44:57 GMT

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There is absolutely no need for any kind of political bias here. This situation isn't red versus blue, it is the individual life of someone.

There are many people on both sides of this issue who affiliate with the liberals and vise versa. Why this even came up to this extent in all of 18 posts is mind boggling.

Can someone please give a logical reason to kill her off that doesn't include the irrelevant statement of "I wouldn't want to live that way".

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Posted by [Renx](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 15:49:46 GMT

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"I want her to die in peace, so lets starve her to death!"

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Posted by [msgtpain](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 15:59:21 GMT

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Javaxcx

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It seems sort of obvious to me, that Michael has convinced a trial judge, an appeals judge, the supreme court of Florida, a Federal judge and a Federal appeals judge... that Terri didn't want to live that way; it has nothing to do with I

Of course, I haven't read all those court transcripts.. but regardless of all the "evidence" that each side is pulling out of their ass these days, can someone please provide me with a logical reason to believe over seven judges at the state and federal level have erred, or are for some reason biased?

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Posted by [Javaxcx](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 16:36:29 GMT

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Michael's case carries more weight than her parent's case. Michael can rely on at two pieces of (circumstantial) evidence while the parents have.. well... none.

In a court of law, no evidence means no case. But just because there is evidence to support Michael's claim and not Terri's parents, does not mean there is any real logic behind the ruling other than "you can prove your case and you can't". The judges aren't stupid, they are doing their job exactly within the regions they are allowed to and are siding with death as opposed to life.

Oh yeah, did I mention that within the confines of this case, the ruling also says that 1+1=3, dogs walk people, and hamburgers eat YOU!

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Posted by [Vitaminous](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 16:45:06 GMT

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Renx"I want her to die in peace, so lets starve her to death!"

Quote:euthanasia on human beings is illegal.

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Posted by [Nodbugger](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 17:16:11 GMT

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Breathing is not an involuntary action.

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Posted by [msgtpain](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 17:18:35 GMT

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NodbuggerBreathing is not an involuntary action.

actually, it's both.

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Posted by [Doitle](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 18:46:38 GMT

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Just another reason why my proposal to follow every person on earth with a flying camera would save the day. Then we'd know exactly what she said on the subject.

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Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 19:02:08 GMT

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SEALFuck conservatives. They are all religious fanatic idiots.

"Yes, I know it's rhetoric, but I felt that this was a perfect time to insert it no matter how incorrect it may be, so fuck off anybody who wants to bitch at me for this comment."And this is why I see liberals as brain dead.

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Posted by [IRON FART](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 19:02:15 GMT

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Quote:

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Mind you, I have no clue how they figured out that she's depresses, but thats a different story.

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Posted by [Vitaminous](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 19:38:28 GMT

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NodbuggerBreathing is not an involuntary action.

You failed at Biology.

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Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 19:47:20 GMT

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Hmm, if it wasn't involuntary then the population would have ended just as it started.

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Posted by [Doitle](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 19:48:07 GMT

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You can't argue that it won't hurt her to starve her because she can't feel, then use the fact that she FEELS depressed as one of your reasons for starving her. That's not even circular logic, that's just stupid.

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Posted by [Javaxcx](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 19:54:04 GMT

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So then she isn't really braindead because she can feel something and convey it. If this were true, then starving her would be like starving a child with Down's Syndrome because they can't cure it and the child is stuck with it.

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Posted by [Sir Phoenixx](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 20:04:14 GMT

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When you're awake/conscious, breathing isn't involuntary, when you're asleep/unconscious it's involuntary. Because of this, a kid who tries to hold his breath until he gets what he wants can't suffocate himself, once he loses consciousness from holding his breath (if he holds it that long)

he'll start breathing again involuntarily.

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Posted by [Fabian](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 22:38:51 GMT

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If you're so mentally incapacitated that breathing and starring at a balloon is all you've got going for you...

Who WOULD want to stay alive?

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Posted by [msgtpain](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 22:43:12 GMT

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80% of our congressmen

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Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 22:48:06 GMT

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I don't see why your standard of living has anything to do with what Terri would want.

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Posted by [Javafx](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 22:48:08 GMT

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It doesn't matter. No one can say what she would want but her. If she cannot, then it is unfortunate, but still no one can say what she wants.

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Posted by [msgtpain](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 22:51:56 GMT
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I'll refrain from posting the Captain Obvious image..

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Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 22:59:20 GMT
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To cowmisfit:

Does your signature actually align me with Nazi fascists?

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Posted by [msgtpain](#) on Sat, 26 Mar 2005 23:10:02 GMT
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SuperFlyingEngiTo cowmisfit:

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I would bet his signature depicts his opinion of the situation.. If you align yourself with it, that would be your problem, not his.

Subject: Schiavo Situation
Posted by [Crimson](#) on Sun, 27 Mar 2005 01:40:09 GMT
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I don't see this issue as a Republican/Democrat thing... only certain brain dead psychotics can align a woman's life with a party line.

I am pretty undecided on it. I am certain that allowing her to starve to death is NOT the way to go, but as retarded as it is, it's the only legal way to end her life.

Would I want to live that way? Probably not... but then again would I want to die if I knew that 16 years down the road I was going to be back to normal? It's a tough question. (And no, I'm not saying that Terri can recover... who knows?)

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Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Sun, 27 Mar 2005 02:23:19 GMT

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I see nothing wrong with stem cell research to a point.

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Posted by [Crimson](#) on Sun, 27 Mar 2005 03:42:31 GMT

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I'll type up my response to this after my head stops pounding from the bullshit it just read.

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Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Sun, 27 Mar 2005 21:47:44 GMT

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SuperFlyingEngij_ball430I see nothing wrong with stem cell research to a point.

Care to define that point?

No, not really. I just wanted to state that I don't really see anything wrong with stem cell research up until a point. All that was meant for was to prove your assumption wrong.

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Posted by [Crimson](#) on Sun, 27 Mar 2005 21:48:16 GMT

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Huge science buff != PhD

This is stupid, even from you.

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Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Sun, 27 Mar 2005 22:17:46 GMT

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Of course I know that. What's your point? A PhD is not a mark of attaining a certain level of intelligence that cannot be superceded without a PhD.

That's all semantics, though.

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Posted by [Renx](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 00:08:02 GMT

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Too bad it makes the difference between professional opinion and personal opinion, eh?

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Posted by [Jzinsky](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 02:15:47 GMT

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I've seen a fair amount of this, and from what I understand she had an eating disorder, which caused cardiac arrest, which in turn caused the brain to pretty much turn into spinal fluid. I've also heard there is a 100% no chance of recovery, and if there was, she'd starve herself again (point made from prementioned eating disorder)

If that's true then she wants to die, she's braindead now. Her soul is most probably gone and recognising people's faces could (imho) be attributed to what little brain she has left.

I think she should be allowed to die seeing as she's pretty much dead anyway. It may sound harsh but I don't see the point of prolonging this when there's millions dying of things like war, cureable disease, murder, etc.

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Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 03:01:10 GMT

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No it doesn't.

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Posted by [Jzinsky](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 03:04:43 GMT

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Well, as I have suffered this many a time, I can say it does. I have built my own pc and network, yet I can't get a job doing data input. I am doing a course in Java 2, yet because I don't have anything on paper to say I know about computers, I cannot get any kind of it work.

Subject: Schiavo Situation

Posted by [Renx](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 03:18:52 GMT

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SuperFlyingEngiRenxToo bad it makes the difference between professional opinion and personal opinion, eh?

No it doesn't.

Care to elaborate? Or are you just disagreeing for the sake of disagreeing?

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Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 03:39:14 GMT

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To be as smart as the average PhD student, it's not a requirement to have a PhD. My dad has worked as a development editor assessing the scientific content that biology students going for PhDs read in books during their schooling his whole career.

But it doesn't take his knowledge to see the hole in Schiavo's head, along with the smoothing of the brain's surface in the rear to know she's been gone for a long time.

Oh, and if it interests you all, Tom Delay (R-TX) pulled the plug on his dad when he was in the hospital, and Terri's dad pulled the plug on his mother.

And Jeb Bush apparently declared martial law when he sent paramilitary forces to the hospice where Terri Schiavo is in an attempt to "rescue" her in direct violation of a court order. But since the local police were under court order to protect Schiavo, they had no choice but to bar passage to the state officials, and that died down quickly.

But you don't hear that on FOX News. Instead, they try to make up for it with their Nominee for the Nobel Peace Prize in Medicine. [There are two things wrong with that. Figure them out.]

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Posted by [Jzinsky](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 03:41:33 GMT

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SuperFlyingEngiTo be as smart as the average PhD student, it's not a requirement to have a PhD.

Maybe not, but to be anything in this country, you have to have been doing it for 2 years

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Posted by [Hydra](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 04:57:32 GMT

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JavaxcxThere are many people on both sides of this issue who affiliate with the liberals and vise versa. Why this even came up to this extent in all of 18 posts is mind boggling. You can thank SuperFlyingLiberalTool's intense hatred of Republicans and morals for turning this into a "left vs. right" debate.

All those in favor of making SuperFlyingLiberalTool shut the hell up, please say "Aye!"

AYE!!!

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Posted by [Crimson](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 05:28:06 GMT

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So because your dad is a "science buff", he's allowed to walk into an OR and perform brain surgery? He's allowed to diagnose brain death? Is he also performing stem cell research? If not, then it's a personal opinion, an educated guess at the very best.

Funny that you are talking about this "Nobel Peace Prize nominee" (that I don't know a thing about, btw)... while a few months ago (here) you were singing the praises of someone on the "short list" for a Nobel Prize?

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Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 14:38:57 GMT

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Understanding how a brain works and performing brain surgery are two entirely different things. To be fair, I never actually said my dad offered anything more than a personal opinion, it's just that PhDs seem to be a bit over-valued here.

Ok, here's what is wrong with a Nominee for the Nobel Peace Prize in Medicine:

A) There is no Nobel Peace Prize in Medicine. It's a Nobel Prize in Medicine.

B) There is no such thing as a nominee for it. The short list is a different thing entirely. What they fail to mention on network TV is that he was "nominated" for the prize by his state governor, who has no authority at all to recommend anyone for anything over at Oslo.

Subject: Schiavo Situation

Posted by [cowmisfit](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 15:25:48 GMT

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SuperFlyingEngiTerri Shiavo has been braindead for over a decade. The pretend rumor that she hasn't is a lie perpetuated by Republicans in the media in an effort to create yet another wedge

issue of morality.

Like it or not, the goverment and the republicans are not out to get you, your dad however is out to ruin your life and turn you into a evil monstor with no value for human life enless of course its a terrorist or dog, then GO SAVE THEM!!!

Quote:What they, and Terri's family have done, is rob the husband of an incredible sum of money keeping a body without a brain on life support.

.....I don't even know what to say to this. This is by far the stupidest statement I've ever had the displeasure of reading.

Quote:Letting the body die from lack of sustenance is not morally wrong to me, since there is no brain to suffer from it. Even if there were, she's under so many drugs she would feel nothing anyways.

You are a sick fuck. Not morally wrong eh? Ever seen someone starve to death?

Yea, your right. THAT is not morally wrong at all.

Super's America !!! PEACE AND FREEDOM FROM TERRORIST.

Quote:Nope, still 14 for another 2 months. But my dad is a huge science buff, and I can't help but live under his roof.

But my dad, but my dad said this, but my dad said this. Your dad is an idiot. Your supposed to be the "awww we're killing innocent civilians" fucktard, and now look. Its an innocent american and your saying "ah w/e its not wrong to me, stave her."

Subject: Schiavo Situation

Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 16:00:01 GMT

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cowmisfit

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You're a funny kid.

cowmisfit.....I don't even know what to say to this. This is by far the stupidest statement I've ever had the displeasure of reading.

This all started with the malpractice lawsuit filed against the doctor who let Schiavo kill herself, and when the parents didn't get any money from the suit, they started all this.

cowmisfit You are a sick fuck. Not morally wrong eh? Ever seen someone starve to death?

A body without a mind, you idiot. You really didn't glean that from the context?

cowmisfit But my dad, but my dad said this, but my dad said this. Your dad is an idiot. Your supposed to be the "awww we're killing innocent civilians" fucktard, and now look. Its an innocent american and your saying "ah w/e its not wrong to me, stave her."

There's nothing to suffer from a bunch of cells being starved. Terri Schiavo no longer has a brain to suffer with.

- By the way -

Did you all know that George Bush signed a law in Texas that allowed hospitals to pull the plug on patients like Terri Schiavo if the patient's insurance runs out?

The hypocrisy never ends...

atrios.com

George Bush signed the law which allows the hospitals to make this decision:

A patient's inability to pay for medical care combined with a prognosis that renders further care futile are two reasons a hospital might suggest cutting off life support, the chief medical officer at St. Luke's Episcopal Hospital said Monday.

Dr. David Pate's comments came as the family of Spiro Nikolouzos fights to keep St. Luke's from turning off the ventilator and artificial feedings keeping the 68-year-old grandfather alive.

St. Luke's notified Jannette Nikolouzos in a March 1 letter that it would withdraw life-sustaining care of her husband of 34 years in 10 days, which would be Friday. Mario Caba-Illero, the attorney representing the family, said he is seeking a two-week extension, at minimum, to give the man more time to improve and to give his family more time to find an alternative facility.

The Bill (Search for section 166.044)

Apparently, this is a matter of principle for the GOP.

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Posted by [Javaxcx](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 16:08:17 GMT

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Must I ask again where it says anywhere in any constitution in the west that one has the right to die?

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Posted by [Jecht](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 18:06:46 GMT

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ok heres my stand on this, im a little late, i know. but I think they should honor the husbands descision. HOWEVER: The way in which they are carrying it out is disgusting, prisoners on death row have an easier death then she is getting. Its not fair to starve her to death, and its extremely painful(if she can feel it that is). But I heard its against the law to give lethal injection, go figure.....

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Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 19:28:11 GMT

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Posted by [Javaxcx](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 19:50:26 GMT

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The husband is her legal gaurdian.

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Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 20:48:22 GMT

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Parents > Spouse

Subject: Schiavo Situation

Posted by [Javaxcx](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 20:56:00 GMT

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Not necessarily legally. In THIS case, Michael is the LEGAL guardian. And it is unfortunate that it is like that, because what he is doing is nothing short of litigated murder.

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Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Mon, 28 Mar 2005 21:21:17 GMT

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I know, I agree with that him being the legal guardian, and it is a shame, but I don't care what laws say, government is there to protect its people, not let the innocent slaughter of them happen before their eyes without any attempts to prevent it.

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Posted by [msgtpain](#) on Tue, 29 Mar 2005 01:36:33 GMT

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SuperFlyingEngi

. What they fail to mention on network TV is that he was "nominated" for the prize by his state governor, who has no authority at all to recommend anyone for anything over at Oslo.

You're partly correct, but only missing a few key points..

He was nominated by a congressman on the recommendation of the International Police chiefs federation... I was led to believe that the Congressman was also a Dr, which could have given credibility to his ability to nominate, but that may not be true.

Subject: Schiavo Situation

Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Tue, 29 Mar 2005 02:50:49 GMT

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No one has a right to nominate anyone for a non-existant award, because

A) There are no nominations for the Nobel Prize, pardoning the fact that there is no Nobel Peace Prize in Medicine.

Or am I tragically mistaken? Please, if doctors are allowed to nominate other people for non-existant awards, show me where it says that.

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Posted by [Hydra](#) on Tue, 29 Mar 2005 03:32:06 GMT

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JavaxcxNot necessarily legally. In THIS case, Michael is the LEGAL guardian. And it is unfortunate that it is like that, because what he is doing is nothing short of litigated murder. This proves that the legal system is flawed, and it's very sad that this woman has to die as a consequence.

SuperFlyingEngihttp://codeblueblog.blogs.com/.shared/image.html?/photos/uncategorized/ct_scan_terri.png

This is Terri Schiavo's brain.

As of 9 years ago, and that's the only CT scan ever taken of her brain. Her husband wouldn't allow an MRI be done on her, which would reveal much more about the brain that cannot be gathered from a CT scan.

Other than that sorry excuse for "evidence", you have no evidence that she is simply "a body without a mind," that she cannot feel pain, and that she is truly unconcious, so everything you have said in this thread means absolute dick (then again, that also applies to everything you have ever said in this forum).

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<http://nobelprize.org/medicine/nomination/nominators.html>

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Posted by [Crimson](#) on Tue, 29 Mar 2005 04:05:32 GMT

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Bad msgtpain... citing your sources and doing your own research.

Subject: Schiavo Situation

Posted by [msgtpain](#) on Tue, 29 Mar 2005 05:07:56 GMT

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I'm sorry, next time I'll consult with my dad instead..

No wait, he knows that you can nominate people for a nobel prize too...

Subject: Schiavo Situation

Posted by [Hydra](#) on Tue, 29 Mar 2005 05:45:18 GMT

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Msgtpain, quit being so blind to Republican propaganda; don't you know that nobelprize.org is owned by Rupert Murdoch and is therefore filled with conservative bias?

That's why I have just ordered the new Nobelprize.org Blocker.

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Posted by [Spoony_old](#) on Tue, 29 Mar 2005 05:47:10 GMT

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Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Tue, 29 Mar 2005 14:34:26 GMT

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<http://nobelprize.org/medicine/nomination/nominators.html>

Fair enough, but does the nominator fit under 6 or 7? You said you were merely led to believe he was a doctor.

And really, watch the mainstream media, who announces him as a nominee for the Nobel Peace Prize in medicine... and they never correct their mistakes.

HydraAs of 9 years ago, and that's the only CT scan ever taken of her brain. Her husband wouldn't allow an MRI be done on her, which would reveal much more about the brain that cannot be gathered from a CT scan.

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Did he really not let anyone give Terri Schiavo a CAT scan? Really? You must have some evidence beyond What Fox Said.

And how is that a sorry excuse for evidence? It's a scan of her brain showing how the back is smooth, and not bumpy like a normal brain, and how there's a gigantic hole in the middle that has since been filled with cerebral spinal fluid.

- STORY -

I was watching FOX last night, some Hannity & Zombie special or something, and Terri Schiavo's parent's lawyer is talking about how she asked Terri if she wanted to live, and slowly, and with great effort, Schiavo said IIIIII waaannnnnttt tooooo lllivveee....

Terri Schiavo is deaf. That and Colmes is a loser.

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Posted by [cowmisfit](#) on Tue, 29 Mar 2005 20:37:45 GMT

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Were the fuck do you find all of these things out? your a fucking retard, show me one thing that says she's deaf and can't feel anything thats not from some bullshit source (aka your dad)

Subject: Schiavo Situation

Posted by [Jaspah](#) on Tue, 29 Mar 2005 23:23:08 GMT

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How much money does it cost to stick a feeding tube in here and feed her threw that? I don't know anything about medical science and crap, but honestly... doesn't look hard to keep a feeding tube in her for a few more years.

But... I have absolute no knowledge of medical stuff, so if I'm wrong, please correct me.

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Posted by [YSLMuffins](#) on Wed, 30 Mar 2005 02:28:00 GMT

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Apparently, it took them years to figure out how to do that, so it's classified as a "medical procedure" rather than life support I think.

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Posted by [Nukelt15](#) on Wed, 30 Mar 2005 05:52:27 GMT

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You can't just stick a tube in and forget about the whole thing. You would still need someone to clean the body, deal with the waste, rotate the body every so often (otherwise, clots tend to form which can block blood flow and cause death), perform tests to make sure that, yes, she's still a vegetable, keep records, etc.

Over the course of years, the cost of keeping a body on life support with medical staff caring for it, can rise into the millions of dollars. Especially, as in this case, when the body can do nothing to aid the medical staff. That's an awful lot of money to be spending on someone who isn't really THERE anymore. Money that should be going into care for patients who are still alive, and who have some hope of recovery- not for bodies with no capacity for emotion, thought, or feeling.

BTW, has anyone even looked at the CAT scan of this woman's head? The only thing that's even working in there is the brain stem- you can't think with that, you can't feel with that. The lights are on, but nobody's home.

Subject: Schiavo Situation

Posted by [Crimson](#) on Wed, 30 Mar 2005 07:16:37 GMT

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SuperFlyingEngiAnd really, watch the mainstream media, who announces him as a nominee for the Nobel Peace Prize in medicine... and they never correct their mistakes.

<http://www.foxnews.com/story/0,2933,151148,00.html>

Here's a transcript of Hannity and Colmes where they talked to this guy in question. ONCE in the transcript, Hannity said "Peace" instead of just "Nobel Prize". Given it's not scripted, I would say it was a simple mistake in words.

Nowhere else but that one citation do I find references to a "nobel peace prize in medicine"... but don't take MY word for it.

http://search.foxnews.com/_1_2UGSTYI02Y8IJFI__info.foxnws/search/web/nobel%2Bprize%2Bmedicine

Oh my god, there I go citing sources again.

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Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Wed, 30 Mar 2005 17:07:04 GMT

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That's the only transcript I could find on FOX, CNN, or MSNBC even talking about Dr. Hammesfahr. But I did look at the actual letter written by Rep. Mike Bilirakis (R-FL), which does actually reference the Nobel Peace Prize in Medicine. This must be where Hannity made the mistake. That and Bilikaris wasn't authorized to nominate Hammesfahr for the award anyways.

According to an explanation of the nomination process posted on the Nobel Prize website, the Nobel Assembly sends out invitations to approximately 3,000 people who are allowed to propose candidates for the Nobel Prize in physiology or medicine. The 3,000 are "mainly members of the Nobel Assembly, previous prize winners, and a selection of professors at universities around the world" -- not U.S. congressmen. Furthermore, the Nobel Assembly's "Nomination and Selection"

criteria make clear that "information about the nominations, investigations, and opinions concerning the award is kept secret for fifty years," so if Hammesfahr had received an actual nomination, he presumably would not know about it.

So you know, Hammesfahr was disciplined in 2003 by the Florida Board of Medicine

So Hammesfahr couldn't have been nominated, and if he had been, he wouldn't know about it.

But that didn't stop Hannity from making the reference 8 times, and Joe Scarborough making the reference 4 times. Scarborough also claimed that Hammesfahr treated Schiavo, which is false, since the doctor merely examined her along with 4 others.

mediamatters.org From the March 21 edition of Fox News' Hannity & Colmes:

HANNITY: And we're going to talk to a doctor who spent 10 hours with her tonight, and he says that he believes, in his expert opinion -- this is a man that was nominated for a Nobel Prize, by the way -- that she could be rehabilitated.

[...]

HANNITY: And coming up later in the program tonight, we're going to meet a doctor who actually spent 10 hours examining Terri Schiavo. He was nominated for a Nobel Prize. He believes that she could be rehabilitated.

[...]

HANNITY: You were nominated for a Nobel Prize in medicine?

HAMMESFAHR: Yes.

[...]

HANNITY: You were nominated to get a Nobel Peace Prize in this work. Are you saying that this woman could be rehabilitated?

[...]

HANNITY: How is it possible we're in this position if you have examined her? You were up for a Nobel Prize. This is mind boggling to me.

[...]

HANNITY: Well, this is what I want to understand. This is your area of expertise that got you nominated for one of the most prestigious awards in medicine, the Nobel Prize.

[...]

HANNITY: -- hang on a second -- and talk to a Nobel prize-nominated physician who spent 10

hours with her, who believes if, given the opportunity, he can rehabilitate her?

[...]

HANNITY: Imagine being in his position and having a guy like a Nobel Prize nominee like Dr. Hammesfahr, who I'm looking at right now, who spent 10 hours with her and feels that, given the chance, he could rehabilitate this girl.

From the March 21 edition of MSNBC's Scarborough Country:

SCARBOROUGH: And a Nobel Prize-nominated neurologist who has treated Terri Schiavo, he says Terri should live and that her husband is perpetrating a hoax that is just aimed at killing his wife.

[...]

SCARBOROUGH: And I'm going to be talking with a Nobel Prize-nominated neurologist who has treated Terri Schiavo and he says her husband is pulling a huge hoax simply to kill his wife.

[...]

SCARBOROUGH: Coming up: a Nobel Prize-nominated neurologist who is treating Terri Schiavo says her husband is pulling a hoax.

[...]

SCARBOROUGH: So, what is Terri Schiavo's true medical condition? Here to help us sort it out is Dr. William Hammesfahr. He's a neurologist who was nominated for a Nobel Prize for his work in medicine. And he's one of the doctors who has treated Terri Schiavo.

So I was partially mistaken about the mainstream media. But if anything they were trying to cover up for this hoax letter by not accurately citing it.

Subject: Schiavo Situation

Posted by [msgtpain](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 00:22:49 GMT

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You're making an accusation that you can't back up, or at least haven't backed up... I'm not saying that he "was able to" nominate, but you're stating that he "could not" nominate. Do you think you should maybe find out if he was possibly sent a nomination form, before outright discrediting him? They send out around 3,000 offers to whomever they choose.. I seriously doubt he was one of them, but I wouldn't say he wasn't, unless I knew for sure; how about you?

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Posted by [Crimson](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 00:34:08 GMT

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Posted by [Doitle](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 07:50:27 GMT

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OMG LIEK TEH CORPORATIONS (EVIL, "CHEYNEY AFFILIATED") R SEW TRIING TO FOOL US! BUTT WE R 2 SMART 4 THEM! DONT BELEEVE (LEAVES ARE GOOD) WHAT YOU HEAR! ALWAIS BEELEVE THE OPPOSITE! FOX IS SATANS NETWORK YET BBC IS PERFECTLY FIEN CUZ THAY RENT EVIL AMERIKANS! GOM GOM GOM GOM GOM GO MG OGM OGM OGM OGM OGMGO!!!oneo1N1oen!neo1e!ee!NEON!eo!

Subject: Schiavo Situation

Posted by [Jzinsky](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 11:13:56 GMT

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Hmm, yes, we should always believe what we see on the tv and them old fashioned news"paper" things. I prefer not to bother myself..

Subject: Schiavo Situation

Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 16:39:52 GMT

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cowmisfitWere the fuck do you find all of these things out? your a f*cking retard, show me one thing that says she's deaf and can't feel anything thats not from some bullsh*t source (aka your dad)

Just thought I'd get back to this - she has no cortex, which means she can't hear. It also means she can't see.

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The Nobel organization offers invitations to "mainly members of the Nobel Assembly, previous prize winners, and a selection of professors at universities around the world" Not U.S. Congressmen. And even then, if it were a real nomination, Hammesfahr wouldn't know about it since the process is a secret.

CrimsonSo you're saying that "mainstream media" is perpetuating this "story"... and yet you only pull up one network who is doing it. There are a few more you haven't referenced. Hence, you're still dead wrong.

Scarborough's show is on MSNBC.

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Posted by [Jaspah](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 20:29:33 GMT

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Well, it's too late to do anything anymore. Plugging the tube in now will actually hurt her more. Sad that people have to die this way - feeling it or not.

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Posted by [Javafx](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 20:31:06 GMT

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She passed away this morning.

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Posted by [cowmisfit](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 20:33:05 GMT

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I hope your happy Tool, you have successfully supported the murder by starvation of an innocent disabled woman in the United States of America.

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Posted by [Doitle](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 21:33:44 GMT

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<http://aolsvc.news.aol.com/news/article.adp?id=20050316235609990012>

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Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 22:43:04 GMT

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cowmisfitI hope your happy Tool, you have successfully supported the murder by starvation of an innocent disabled woman in the United States of America.

Tool:
cowmisfitFuck You

Subject: Schiavo Situation
Posted by [Fabian](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 23:05:27 GMT
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Only Lewis Black can reply to you idiots:

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Subject: Schiavo Situation
Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 23:06:52 GMT
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cowmisfitI hope your happy Tool, you have successfully supported the murder by starvation of an innocent disabled woman in the United States of America.

You do indeed refuse to read my opinion on the matter, don't you?

You've made no attempt to address it.
You obviously have made no conscious thought about what I'm saying
And I'm the mindless "tool"

Michael Schiavo has successfully proven in front of 28 courts in a row that Terri Schiavo is braindead. The movies the media shows time and again of Terri having random, spasmodic muscle twitches are by no means a sign of whether or not she is thinking any more. Her brain lacks both the capacity to see and hear.

It was a sad event when Terri Schiavo died 15 years ago. But the past is the past, and it's long past time to move on.

Subject: Schiavo Situation
Posted by [Doitle](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 23:11:04 GMT
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I don't care if she was braindead. Starving anyone is pretty uncool SFE.

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Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 23:15:47 GMT
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SuperFlyingEngiHer brain lacks both the capacity to see and hear.

Well, now you can be right when you claim this as truth. Congratulations for supporting murder.

Sieg Heil!

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Posted by [Doitle](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 23:22:32 GMT

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So you would be FOR the holocaust as long as they gave the Jews painkillers?

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Posted by [Doitle](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 23:35:58 GMT

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So sorry, you would be FOR the Holocaust as long as they gave the Jews Painkillers and... No wait I did have it right the first time, they DID starve them.

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Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 23:37:41 GMT

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SuperFlyingEngiYou entirely misinterpreted what I said. Try again.

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Posted by [Doitle](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 23:40:08 GMT

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DoitleSo sorry, you would be FOR the Holocaust as long as they gave the Jews Painkillers and...
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Wow I can quote myself too!

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Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 23:41:59 GMT
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And it would be nice if I didn't have to restate myself in front of you, but there is nothing more to say.

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Posted by [Doitle](#) on Thu, 31 Mar 2005 23:44:10 GMT
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Well what are we to do if I have nothing to say to you and you have nothing to say to me? We need to get other people in here to pepper this bland caserole up. Anyone else besides me and SFE Post now:

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Posted by [Renx](#) on Fri, 01 Apr 2005 00:12:47 GMT
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Could you say this was the first legal murder committed?

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Posted by [Hydra](#) on Fri, 01 Apr 2005 00:23:18 GMT
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I don't think this is the first; I remember hearing about another woman back in the early ninties in a similar situation to Terri, though the media coverage of that particular story was nowhere near as big as it was in Terri's case.

This was an extremely bad situation that, unfortunately, ended with one of the worse possible outcomes.

May God bless Terri Schiavo and receive her spirit as her life in this world ends and her life in the next begins with Him.

So, SuperFlyingLiberalTool, who needs to die next, since you seem to think you've been endowed with that authority by God himself?

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Posted by [cowmisfit](#) on Fri, 01 Apr 2005 00:27:59 GMT

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SuperFlyingEngiTerri Shiavo has been braindead for over a decade. The pretend rumor that she hasn't is a lie perpetuated by Republicans in the media in an effort to create yet another wedge issue of morality.

Quote:What they, and Terri's family have done, is rob the husband of an incredible sum of money keeping a body without a brain on life support.

Quote:Letting the body die from lack of sustenance is not morally wrong to me, since there is no brain to suffer from it. Even if there were, she's under so many drugs she would feel nothing anyways.

Quote:Nope, still 14 for another 2 months. But my dad is a huge science buff, and I can't help but live under his roof.

SuperFlyingEngi

You've made no attempt to address it.

You obviously have made no conscious thought about what I'm saying

And I'm the mindless "tool"

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I don't need to, I have all the info i need in a few short lines. YOu support it and say its not morally wrong to you. Burn in hell, or better yet, go starve to death.

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Posted by [Jaspah](#) on Fri, 01 Apr 2005 00:37:25 GMT

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I say we all grab our forks, spears, and torches and jump SuperFlyingEngi. Then we'll tie him to some stray telephone pole in Wisconsin and video tape him die of starvation.

Then we'll make up bullshit on how he couldn't see, hear, or suffer from any of it! w00t!

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Posted by [Doitle](#) on Fri, 01 Apr 2005 00:47:04 GMT

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You could force feed him vicadin, poke his eyes and break his ear drums then he really COUDLNT See, Feel, or Hear anything! That would be MEAN though... Just like STARVING people.

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Posted by [Jecht](#) on Fri, 01 Apr 2005 00:53:11 GMT

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RIP. I hope for her sake that she couldnt feel any of the starvation that happened to her.

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Posted by [Crimson](#) on Fri, 01 Apr 2005 00:58:51 GMT

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I never had enough evidence to support whether she was braindead or not. I suppose the courts did, and it was their decision. I only hope for her sake that they were correct and that she didn't suffer. But we hear stories all the time of people who weren't entirely knocked out with anesthesia and feel everything and can't say anything... and other sort of stories like that... Heck, I just saw an episode of ER where the woman suffered a blood clot which prevented her from communicating but in her head she was completely alert and going through hell being unable to communicate.

Personally, I'm not going to believe how Terri was doing based on what my party says. SFE, with each passing day you are becoming a more and more disgusting human being, and I really hope that one day you wake up and grow a brain of your own. You may be knowledgable, but you're far from smart or intelligent until you can formulate your own opinions, which I have yet to see you do.

Subject: Schiavo Situation

Posted by [Hydra](#) on Fri, 01 Apr 2005 01:19:58 GMT

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Y'know, I can at least understand the other side's position on this issue. I would venture to say that the majority of people out there who think she should die at least do it out of some sense of compassion for her being (Neal Boortz wrote an article that I feel reflects the feelings of many of the pro-death-for-Terri people), but SuperFlyingLiberalTool, you haven't shown a shred of compassion for her or her situation at all. You just had to instigate an argument in her tribute thread and trash the whole mood of it, didn't you? You haven't shown a bit of decency or even empathy for her; you just regard her as an object to be used to try to prove your "Republican enemies" wrong.

What a sad, miserable fuck you are, and I mean that with every ounce of my being.

Subject: Schiavo Situation

Posted by [Vitaminous](#) on Fri, 01 Apr 2005 01:58:03 GMT

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Hydra you've been endowed with that authority by God himself?

Dot (yeah, again).

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Posted by [Fabian](#) on Fri, 01 Apr 2005 03:10:09 GMT

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You guys are all so full of shit it's seeping out of your ears. Don't give me this Christian-Republican, "I'm morally superior" bullshit. You don't know Terri, and when it comes down to it, you don't give a shit about her since her death doesn't directly affect you in any way at all. Terri was declared dead this morning, but nothing has changed as far as her level of awareness is concerned. How DARE you compare a 15 year old boy to a Nazi concentration camp soldier? Being brain dead ALREADY is different from being GIVEN pain killers IN PREPARATION for being starved. What a fucking awful analogy.

Quote: say we all grab our forks, spears, and torches and jump SuperFlyingEngi. Then we'll tie him to some stray telephone pole in Wisconsin and video tape him die of starvation.

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YEAH! RIGHT ON! That's justice at its best. Especially seeing how Terri's husband actively beat up his wife and got her to a brain dead state. I think he ACTUALLY had a pitchfork while he was doing it too!

Stop making shitty analogies.

<http://farabia.net/lewis.mp3>

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Posted by [Crimson](#) on Fri, 01 Apr 2005 05:35:07 GMT

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You're right... I don't really care about her existence in life one way or another... if she'd never got to this state, we'd never hear a word about her. It mostly matters in the "what if this happened to me" sense.

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Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Fri, 01 Apr 2005 18:10:25 GMT

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You're really not making the connection in my train of thought as to the difference between having a brain and not having one. I would have no reservations about my body being starved if I didn't have a brain.

j4S[p]Then we'll make up bullshit on how he couldn't see, hear, or suffer from any of it! w00t!

Are you suggesting one can see without a cortex?

gbullRIP. I hope for her sake that she couldnt feel any of the starvation that happened to her.

As do I.

This brings me to an important point...

Do you all really believe that if Michael Schiavo had decided to keep Terri Schiavo alive, that I would be saying, "No! Kill her!" Of course not. My business in this thread is not supporting the death of humans for some weird reason, it's in defense of the court system. Republicans have been trying to sow seeds of dissent in the public against America, and this is just one more attempt to do that. Look at cowmisfit, "we shold ignur lawes too rexcuu teh ladey aganstt teh rooles of Amrica! Oh, i hait yoo tu!"

Just recently, Republicans have also been launching attacks against the 11th circuit of courts, with a bunch of phony reasons for why it should be divided, things like "legislating from the bench".

The country has already decided where it stands on the issue, with 82% of Americans supporting 28 court decisions in a row that Terri Schiavo's wishes are not to be kept in a persistent vegetative state. And yet, the majority of speakers on the media are loud, religious right wingers who denounce facts and endorse anarchy. And that's not cool.

Crimson SFE, with each passing day you are becoming a more and more disgusting human being

Uh...?

Crimson You may be knowledgable, but you're far from smart or intelligent until you can formulate your own opinions, which I have yet to see you do.

Oh, honestly. Does my opinion on brain capacity depending on how much of it is left not count? I mainly just bring up my dad's thoughts because it makes you all so happy.

Hydrabut SuperFlyingLiberalTool, you haven't shown a shred of compassion for her or her situation at all.

So you've decided that I have no compassion for her? I could dress up every post with how sorry I felt for her, but that would have no bearing on relevant issues. Of course I feel sorry for her and the people around her, but I figured that would be a given. I suppose you couldn't tell. Hm...I suppose I'll quote your colleague cowmisfit for this one,

cowmisfit7: no were not assholes

cowmisfit7: we just ain't sugar coat fuckers who tippy toe around subjects

For once in his life, he speaks well.

Hydra You just had to instigate an argument in her tribute thread and trash the whole mood of it, didn't you?

There was no mood. Mine was the second post, as you might recall.

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Posted by [Jecht](#) on Sat, 02 Apr 2005 03:12:33 GMT

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very Mature SFE. You dont like their input so you ignore them rather than refute? This doesnt surprise me in the least bit though.
