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## **Recovery Board : RfM**

BYU grads warned about porn ... and Ex-Mormons Posted by: LoLz () Date: April 22, 2016 01:00PM

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http://www.sltrib.com/news/3805769-155/byu-grads-encouraged-to-keep-an? page=2

Re: BYU grads warned about porn ... and Ex-Mormons Posted by: jiminycricket () Date: April 22, 2016 01:10PM

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Translation: "The Glory of God is Ignorance."

Using the term 'disconnect' he is copying Scientology. (n/t)

Posted by: Topper () Date: April 22, 2016 01:14PM

Re: Using the term 'disconnect' he is copying Scientology.

Posted by: dogeatdog () Date: April 22, 2016 03:40PM

I thought the use of the term "disconnect" was noteworthy as well. It may be a veiled reference to online sources, but I know it's also used in Scientology to tell members to disconnect from friends/family adverse to Scientology..... I feel that this is fairly well known at this point... Is the church trying to pull a David Miscavige?

Re: BYU grads warned about porn ... and Ex-Mormons Posted by: snowball () Date: April 22, 2016 01:26PM

Why doesn't he want them to listen and understand those who lost their faith?

And why does he describe those of us who don't have faith in Joseph Smith's peep

stones as "faithless"? Maybe we have faith (probably more uncertain faith, but faith nonetheless in something else).

Another peeve: "proselytizing efforts" ugh...no that would be the thing you and your friends do--not us.

"Pay no attention to that man behind the curtain!"

Re: BYU grads warned about porn ... and Ex-Mormons Posted by: StillAnon () Date: April 22, 2016 01:27PM

Why don't they just come out & say "Stay off the internet". It's full of the truth about mormonism (somehow truth has been relabeled "antimormon") & porn. I see a revelation to the WoW. No internet.

Re: BYU grads warned about porn ... and Ex- Posted by: DontThink\_JustDo () Mormons Date: April 22, 2016 01:54PM

This explains how the SP acted during Jeremy Runnels kangaroo court. The SP wasn't engaged and completely disconnected from anything and everything Jeremy said or asked.

Re: BYU grads warned about porn ... and Ex-Mormons Posted by: BI ( ) Date: April 22, 2016 01:54PM

Nope. We don't shun.

We just disconnect immediately and completely.

Re: BYU grads warned about porn ... and Ex-Mormons

Posted by: Levi () Date: April 22, 2016 01:56PM

Flawless summation.

Re: BYU grads warned about porn ... and Ex-Mormons Posted by: Doubting Thomas () Date: April 22, 2016 03:17PM

Juvenile.

Promotes shunning of ex-Mormons, ex-girlfriends, ex-boyfriends and continues this bullshit push of pornography.

Only at BYU will you hear the word "pornography" during this commencement season.

I'll say again, juvenile, and I thank God my children did not go to BYU.

Re: BYU grads warned about porn ... and Ex-Mormons Posted by: StillAnon () Date: April 22, 2016 03:46PM

Since the world didn't end with the legalization of same sex marriage, porn is now the devil du jour.

Re: BYU grads warned about porn ... and Posted by: Doubting Thomas () Ex-Mormons Date: April 22, 2016 03:49PM

Which will only increase the LDS depression rate, divorce rate and suicide rate.

Re: BYU grads warned about porn ... and Ex-Mormons Posted by: NormaRae () Date: April 22, 2016 03:38PM

First of all, don't people see the correlation between their leaders telling them to avoid all people who tell them something different than what THEY are telling them and Communism? The more they pound it in, the more people should realize that there is something wrong if their leaders are so scared of them listening to anyone outside the fold. That is the quintessential definition of cult. And so equivalent to Communist Russia or North Korea.

And second of all, didn't most of us try like hell to feel the "holy spirit"? I prayed, pled, BEGGED for God to let me feel it. I read the BOM all the way through twice after I started doubting. With the sincere desire to know that it was true, trying to believe all along that it was. I had never really read it all the way through previous to that. I wanted a sign. I wanted a good feeling. Nothing. Nada. Zilch. Stupor of thought.

And once I opened myself up to knowledge, I never felt so spiritual in my life. I could feel all the spiritual forces of the universe that are real and natural. I learned what it felt like to know I was hearing truth. I found out that I had so many tools within myself to calm my soul, to feel the power of the world around me.

They are so extremely desperate to get people to shut off their brains. To convince them that anyone who "promotes themselves as wise" is a minion of the boogey man Satan. THINK people! Why the desperation? Because they know their house of cards is about to cave in.

Re: BYU grads warned about porn ... and Ex-Mormons Posted by: canadianfriend () Date: April 22, 2016 03:58PM

Everyone has faith in something...maybe not golden plates, peep stones or angels with flaming swords, but something...

Disconnect = bury your head in the sand and not deal with the real world.

Used to be "we're the fastest growing church in the world"...

Now it's "everyone go into survival mode...take cover!"

Just further evidence that the corporation is crashing.

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Re: BYU grads warned about porn ... and Ex- Posted by: not logged in now () Mormons Date: April 22, 2016 04:00PM

Clayton is a drooling cretin who "promotes himself as the wise."

This kind of total disconnection is literally impossible to do out of the morridor. When Mormons are in the tiny minority, as they are everywhere outside of the IMW, they can't simply cut out 99% of the people around them. If they try they'll seem even more clannish, weird and FLDS-like than they're perceived now.

But hey, it must seem like a great idea in the middle of Utah County...

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