

VIDEO: MICHIGAN STUDENT CAUGHT CALLING UBER DRIVER A 'MINIMUM WAGE FAGGOT'

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Uber abusive rider University of Michigan

















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According to the University of Michigan, its mission is to develop "leaders and citizens who will challenge the present and enrich the future."

Tell that to the alleged student and fraternity member at the school who abused an Uber driver last Sunday, March 20, when the driver, Artur Zawada, refused to pick up a passenger who he said was abusive to him in the past.

As Zawada refuses to pick up a group of passengers, one student takes offense and pulls out his phone to begin filming. Zawada, who is filming from the other angle, captures the student saying:

"They don't give two fucks. There are 50 of you and there is one of me here who spends the most money here, you little fuck. Yeah, fuck you Artur, you little faggot fuck. You want to kick me off? Kick me off, you little piece of shit. You're an Uber driver. Go fucking drive, you little fuck. Minimum wage faggot – go fuck yourself. See you later. Go pick up another fuck. You're working all day? Guess what? I'm going to go sit on my ass and watch TV. Fuck you."

Yikes.

In an interview with *The Michigan Tab* (http://thetab.com/us/michigan/2016/03/27/video-student-caught-calling-uber-driver-a-minimum-wage-faggot-2351), Zawada said he knew the customer from previous trips and told the alleged student he wouldn't pick him up after several bad experiences in the past.

"I already told him I would never take him again. He knew that but he didn't cancel the trip," Zawada told The Tab.

"I pulled in I didn't even say anything to the guy, and that happened. So I pulled out my cell phone and recorded him. He should just have cancelled before I came over. They were looking for trouble. They were hoping I would lose my cool."

Per The Tab, Zwada had a meeting with the dean of the university and the dean confirmed the man in the video was a student at Michigan.

Source: youtube.com/watch?v=12VeNY-QoYA (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=12VeNY-QoYA)

COMMENTS



DRSPACEMAN (/USERS/DRSPACEMAN) 27 MAR 2016, 2:30 PM



It's ridiculous the kind of shit people will pull just to put others down. I'm glad it got caught on tape and that he's facing the consequences of acting like that.

But before anyone starts acting "holier than thou", there are plenty of students I know at Ohio State that I've seen act just like this. Just something to keep in mind.

"Medicine is not a science" - Leo Spaceman

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+ 57 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



CHAZBUCKEYE (/USERS/CHAZBUCKEYE) 27 MAR 2016, 10:52 PM



I am so glad you posted this, spot on. It happens everywhere, and yes even at Ohio State.

Some people think we're the hunted. I don't feel that way at all. We're the hunter. Everybody wants an angry football team. Everybody wants a team on edge and a hungry team. If you're a hunter, that usually equates to being hungry.

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POCO LOCO (/USERS/POCO-LOCO) 🐘 (/12TH-WARRIOR) 27 MAR 2016, 2:32 PM



Kid has a limited vocabulary. Don't they require English @SCUM.

a hard rock miner from Butte, Montana

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CALGARYBUCK (/USERS/CALGARYBUCK) 27 MAR 2016, 3:11 PM



Kids also a turd, was he trying to make a rhyme out of his insult?

Either rep white privilege or the hood, u can't have it both...

+ 25 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



BUCKS3036 (/USERS/BUCKS3036) 27 MAR 2016, 5:16 PM



Get the white privilege crap outta here, how bout don't act like anything but a decent human!

+ 2 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



Douchebags know no color. Hood or "white privilege' have nothing to do with it. I imagine this jerk will be getting a call from the dean soon.

+ 6 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



OAKLAND BUCKEYE (/USERS/OAKLAND-BUCKEYE) 27 MAR 2016, 4:51

The Harbaugh effect

+ 19 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



BUCKEYEVSTHEWORLD (/USERS/BUCKEYEVSTHEWORLD) 27 MAR 2016. 2:36 PM ▼

I didn't know Britt McHenry had a brother.

<u>FOOTBALL (/OHIO-STATE-FOOTBALL)</u> <u>BASKETBALL (/OHIO-STATE-BASKETBALL)</u> <u>FORUM (/FORUM)</u> "YOLO" = I'm about to do something extremely ignorant/stupid & I need an excuse to do it.

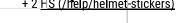
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Days without hg attacks: 5

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TJSHAFFE (/USERS/TJSHAFFE) 28 MAR 2016, 10:01 AM



Ah, you beat me to it. Some people, right?

Cheers!

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DAITHEFLU (/USERS/DAITHEFLU) 27 MAR 2016, 2:36 PM

The leaders and the best, indeed.

We can't stop here; this is bat country...

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RB IN VB (/USERS/RB-IN-VB) 27 MAR 2016, 2:41 PM

"You're working all day? Guess what? I'm going to go sit on my ass and watch TV." Yep, this guy has 'future leader' written all over him. Mission accomplished, UM.

Homophobia...Pompous jackassery...Pure Michigan.



BYAAAAHHH (/USERS/BYAAAAHHH) 27 MAR 2016, 6:51 PM

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Comparisons to people working for minimum wage aside, if I have the opportunity to laze around all day, I'm taking it. Few and far between nowadays.

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THE RILL DILL (/USERS/RILL-DILL) 28 MAR 2016, 12:20 PM



He acts very similar to Kirk Herbstreit.

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DEFIANCE (/USERS/DEFIANCE)

(/12TH-WARRIOR) 29 MAR 2016, 12:54

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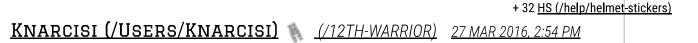
Pure Michigan indeed...



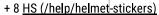


"Sorry. That's all I got. I'm not that sorry, really."

I think "Sorry" may be becoming the new `_(ッ)_/`



There's a saying that character is what you do when no one is watching. Problem these days, someone is always watching.





BLACKCOFFEE (/USERS/BLACKCOFFEE) 28 MAR 2016, 7:45 AM



as Duke's bball coach now understands

+ 24 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



AVAIL31678 (/USERS/AVAIL31678) 27 MAR 2016, 3:08 PM



Quick Harbaugh tell everyone "they're even."

+ 5 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



CHATTYMATTE (/USERS/CHATTYMATTE) 27 MAR 2016, 3:11 PM



The irony here is that frat boy bought his "friends" who will sell him out immediately, but can't buy an Uber because in real life you can't treat someone like that... Hopefully the Presidnet overreacts for fear of bad PR and just kicks him out of the school... I'm sure daddy has his tutition covered since he gets to sit and watch tv all day while others work.... I'm a millennial and this proves to me once again my generation is a joke... Worst of all he is from scUM!

"Only God can judge me." Jim Tressel #QuietTime

+ 9 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



CALGARYBUCK (/USERS/CALGARYBUCK) 27 MAR 2016, 3:13 PM



Expelling him is a terrible decision IMO, suspending him and making him drive an uber for 25 hours of community service or some sort of keys please program would be more sufficient punishment

+ 11 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



DRSPACEMAN (/USERS/DRSPACEMAN) 27 MAR 2016, 3:22 PM



I'm a millennial and this proves to me once again my generation is a joke.



Have some pride in your generation, man. Self-deprecation doesn't help the negative perception of millennials that's already out there.

"Medicine is not a science" - Leo Spaceman

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DEFIANCE (/USERS/DEFIANCE) 🐘 (/12TH-WARRIOR) 29 MAR 2016, 5:43

Self-deprecation doesn't help the negative perception of millennials

Sometimes it's all right to call a pig a pig, regardless of how you're trying to distort perception.

Sounds like he has a pretty solid understanding of perception AND the facts that drive said perception...

"Sorry. That's all I got. I'm not that sorry, really."

I think "Sorry" may be becoming the new $^-_(^oldsymbol{"})_-/^-$

+ 2 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



TIGERSWEAT (/USERS/TIGERSWEAT) 29 MAR 2016, 8:47 PM

I'm trapped between GenX and millennial and from my viewpoint they're both have their shitty qualities. Can't argue with a man who says millennials are *ucked.

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THEBADOWL (/USERS/THEBADOWL) 28 MAR 2016, 9:44 AM

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Uber lets you rate your drivers, but you can also rate passengers if you drive.

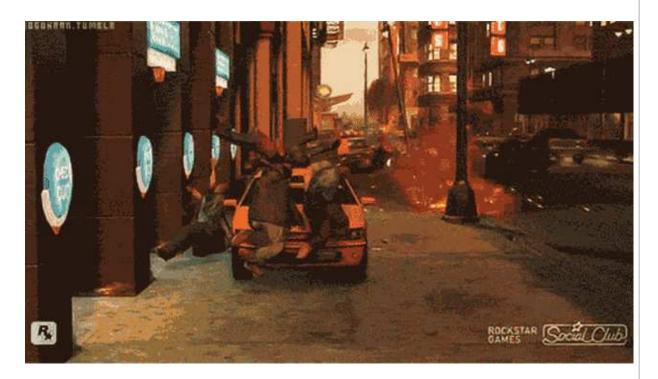
Suffice to say, his (presumably) low passenger ranking is going to make it really tough for him to get an Uber in the future.

+ 46 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



SWAGGERNAUGHT (/USERS/SWAGGERNAUGHT) 27 MAR 2016, 3:34 PM

If I were an Uber driver in AA I'd be like...



Model citizen...lackin' discipline

+ 6 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



RUNNINGFREE (/USERS/RUNNINGFREE) 27 MAR 2016, 3:56 PM

Don't need to be an Uber drive to do that! My experiences up there have proven that every single pedestrian on campus is an oblivious moron, and you don't even need to go up on the sidewalk to hit them.



SHOWTHEMOHIOSHERE (/USERS/SHOWTHEMOHIOSHERE) 30 MAR 2016, 10:43 AM

I want to create 50 accounts to give this the number of upvotes it deserves.

Class of 2010.

+ 29 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



FITZBUCK (/USERS/FITZBUCK) 🐘 (/12TH-WARRIOR) 27 MAR 2016, 3:34 PM



Those who stay...are assholes





BUCKEYE PHI (/USERS/BUCKEYE-PHI) 27 MAR 2016, 3:46 PM



Well - at least, Harbaugh's kid had the sense to call a cab. More than you can say for the old man -

Good judgement comes from experience. Experience comes from bad judgement. - Will Rogers

+ 17 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



HOVENAUT (/USERS/HOVENAUT) (/12TH-WARRIOR) MOD 27 MAR 2016. 3:47 PM ▼

What a shame.

I see the opportunity to dump on the rival here, but I'm instead rooting for M...igan admin to take appropriate action against this asshole.

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Extending my support for a brother in arms in his time of need.

+ 4 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



BUCKEYE1996 (/USERS/BUCKEYE1996) 27 MAR 2016, 3:52 PM



Wow. The kid's name is Jake Croman, and it looks like he just made a huge mistake. The pitchforks are out and sharpened.

I hope this settles down.

http://www.michiganreview.com/5820-2/ (http://www.michiganreview.com/5820-2/)

+ 5 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



THE (/USERS/THE) 27 MAR 2016, 4:18 PM



Jake Croman will be sorted out by the Internet first...then I'm guessing the U of M will have some words for him as well.

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+ 3 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



IDAHO HELGA (/USERS/IDAHO-HELGA) 29 MAR 2016, 12:27 AM



Since Mr Croman did this in order to tape it, obviously to post on social media, I hope he gets everything coming to him the social media has to offer.

No pity, but an expulsion from the university is way over the mark. Does he go into McDonalds, etc and do the same stupid stuff? Need your ego stroked much dude?

Oh yeah, Croman, you're a big man on campus for harassing people for working.

+ 11 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



RUNNINGFREE (/USERS/RUNNINGFREE) 27 MAR 2016, 3:59 PM



Something tells me he doesn't pay a cent for his tuition. Mommy and Daddy must be proud of their little hellspawn.

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BEACONOFLIGHT (/USERS/BEACONOFLIGHT) 27 MAR 2016, 4:04 PM



Has Jourdan Lewis called the uber driver unprofessional yet?

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GLUEFINGERS LAVELLI (/USERS/GLUEFINGERS-LAVELLI) 2016, 9:30 PM

No, but Jabrill Peppers had to teach the driver to parallel park, change a flat, and text while driving.

Dustin Fox was our leading tackler as a corner.... because his guy always caught the ball.

+ 7 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



BUCKEYEVET (/USERS/BUCKEYEVET) 🐁 (/12TH-WARRIOR) РМ



27 MAR 2016, 4:06



Michigan Man. Enough said.

"Outside of a dog, a book is a man's best friend. Inside of a dog it's too dark to read." - Groucho Marx

"The recipient of Oyster's **ONLY** down vote".

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THE (/USERS/THE) 27 MAR 2016, 4:06 PM



Trash.

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THE (/USERS/THE) 27 MAR 2016, 4:16 PM



I actually just watched the video and it's worse than I thought because that dude is 100% stone cold sober.

I hope his future employment prospects google his name and this pops up.

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+ 2 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



PRICKLY_PETE (/USERS/PRICKLYPETE) 28 MAR 2016, 12:03 PM



Was thinking the same thing. Future employers will not be impressed by this behavior. I just don't understand treating people like that. Not cool.

+ 13 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



ALLBUCKSALLTHETIME (/USERS/ALLBUCKSALLTHETIME) 27 MAR 2016, 4:12 PM ▼

I am no fan of UM in any way, shape, or form. However, that young man does not represent the many fine students at UM. I imagine the UM administration will take some sort of punitive action against him and rightfully so. Go Bucks!

+ 14 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



THE (/USERS/THE) 27 MAR 2016, 4:15 PM



Agree, good post.

Nothing to do with the University of Michigan...This is just a shitty person who happens to go there.

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ALLBUCKSALLTHETIME (/USERS/ALLBUCKSALLTHETIME) 27 MAR 2016, 4:19 PM ▼

Thank you. There are shitty people just about everywhere you look but I'd like to think they are in the minority. We have some in our fan base who would stoop to that level under the right, or wrong, circumstances. Go Bucks!

+ 8 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



BRANDONBAUER87 (/USERS/BRANDONBAUER87) 27 MAR 2016, 5:33 PM ▼

Well said. I'm not sure "UM Student" is relevant here. If you hang around High Street long enough you'll find a similar exchange. Assholes are everywhere.



<u>ALLBUCKSALLTHETIME (/USERS/ALLBUCKSALLTHETIME)</u> 27 MAR 2016, 7:03 PM ▼

I am in complete agreement. Go Bucks!

+ 5 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



THEBADOWL (/USERS/THEBADOWL) 28 MAR 2016, 9:49 AM



As much fun as the rivalry is, the actual UM students/alumni that I know are all wonderful, talented people whom I am glad to know.

Granted that I only know a handful of them. But there are bad apples everywhere. Met plenty of them in my four years at OSU.

But it's like Raylan Givens says: "You run into an asshole in the morning, you ran into an asshole. You run into assholes all day, you're probably the asshole." Looks like the kid in this video fits that second description pretty aptly.

When I walked in this morning and saw the flag was at half mast I thought, "Alright, another bureaucrat ate it." but then I saw it was Li'l Sebastian. Half mast is too high. Show some damn respect.



ALLBUCKSALLTHETIME (/USERS/ALLBUCKSALLTHETIME) 28 MAR 2016, 4:43 PM ▼

I love the Givens quote. How true! The fool who went off on the Uber driver in no way represents UM just as some of the fools in our own fan base don't represent OSU. Go Bucks!

+ 28 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



MSTEVENS (/USERS/MSTEVENS) (/12TH-WARRIOR) 27 MAR 2016, 4:18 PM ▼

I did a little digging and Jake Croman's dad Steve is a very infamous landlord out of NYC. He's best known for trying to bully tenants out of their rent controlled apartments. Sounds like it's a whole family full of shit heads.

http://www.nydailynews.com/new-york/exclusive-tenants-landlord-aide-harassing-article-1.2354545 (http://www.nydailynews.com/new-york/exclusive-tenants-landlord-aide-harassing-article-1.2354545)



Looks like the Apple didn't fall too far from the tree...

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HOVENAUT (/USERS/HOVENAUT) 🖠 (/12TH-WARRIOR) MOD 27 MAR 2016, 4:29 PM

Unreal.

Asshattery...a product of both nature and nuture it seems.

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Extending my support for a brother in arms in his time of need.

+ 8 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



SCARLET_LUTEFISK (/USERS/SCARLETLUTEFISK) 27 MAR 2016, 4:45

Kid is from New York? I'm shocked! Shocked I say!

Well, I'm not that shocked.

+ 11 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



TEDDYBALLGAME (/USERS/TEDDYBALLGAME) 27 MAR 2016, 5:25 PM

I guess daddy was too busy counting his money to raise a decent son.

+ 5 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



SEATTLE LINGA (/USERS/SEATTLE-LINGA) MOD 27 MAR 2016, 11:08

Sounds about right to me Ted

Member of the 6DD

Don't forget to tip your waitress !!

+ 2 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



CUDJOEBUCKEYE (/USERS/CUDJOEBUCKEYE) 27 MAR 2016, 4:30 PM

Pathetic. If I was him, I'd be careful about requesting Uber drivers in TSUN anyway, but especially now that he is a known jackass toward them.



MICHIBUCK12 (/USERS/MICHIBUCK12) 27 MAR 2016, 4:46 PM



That video is actually worse than I thought from the description. I hope that asshat gets whats coming to him. All of his asshat friends too that were standing there laughing at this. That tells me that not only do they regularly treat people that way, but they actually think its ok.

+ 6 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



BIGBADBUCK (/USERS/BIGBADBUCK) 27 MAR 2016, 4:59 PM



I'm glad that the student was identified and my response can be more pointed than just pointing out that hes a Missagain Man..Karma has this funny way of stepping up and putting things in balance when you least expect it Jake Croman......and not that you've now been named in this pathetic and embarrassing video

Gentlemen, you can't fight in here, its a war room

+ 8 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



NORCAL BUCKEYE (/USERS/NORCAL-BUCKEYE) 27 MAR 2016, 6:55 PM

O'Doyle Cromer, I have a feeling your whole family is going down.







I think I want to name him Cuje, or Warren or Jeff. Right now I call him Cuje.

+ 3 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



AZNCHIPMUNK (/USERS/AZNCHIPMUNK) (/12TH-WARRIOR) 27 MAR 2016, 5:14 PM ▼

That's so *uber* Michigan.

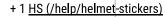
Long live the Jordan Cry Meme!



CRUMB (/USERS/CRUMB) 27 MAR 2016, 5:17 PM

This guy could go to school anywhere in the world and he's still be a grade A putz.

"The only good thing about it is winning the d*** thing" - Urban Meyer on The Game The War

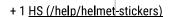




URBANBUCK (/USERS/URBANBUCK) 27 MAR 2016, 7:09 PM

news flash: people are dicks to each other, especially on the internet

Wahoo! Wahoo! Rip, Zip, Bazoo! I Yell. I Yell. For O.S.U.





SEQUOIA473 (/USERS/SEQUOIA473) 27 MAR 2016, 7:42 PM

Not only is the guys vocabulary limited he's pretty dumb as well. He's bragging about it on his Facebook profile. UM needs to do the right thing on this one and hold him accountable for his actions.

https://m.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100011578183287&tsid=0.92162606352... (https://m.facebook.com/profile.php? id=100011578183287&tsid=0.921626063529402&source=typeahead)

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THE (/USERS/THE) 27 MAR 2016, 8:45 PM

Not sure if you're serious or not but that is totally a fake account someone just created.

Either way, fully expect U of M to give this kid the boot.

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+ 3 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



SILVERBULLET76 (/USERS/SILVERBULLET76) 27 MAR 2016, 8:23 PM

Being as a Uber driver went nuts and shot up a whole town not to far from Ann Arbor I'd be very nice to Uber driver's..

+ 3 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



GLUEFINGERS LAVELLI (/USERS/GLUEFINGERS-LAVELLI) 27 MAR 2016, 9:25 PM ▼

This reminds me of Brit McHenry a little.

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SEATTLE LINGA (/USERS/SEATTLE-LINGA) MOD 27 MAR 2016, 11:02

Kinda fitting huh?

Nice analogy GL

Member of the 6DD

Don't forget to tip your waitress !!



ROB REESE (/USERS/ROB-REESE) 🦠 (/12TH-WARRIOR) 27 MAR 2016, 10:43

That is gross.

Disciplina in Civitatem





WHOA NELLIE (/USERS/WHOA-NELLIE) 27 MAR 2016, 11:00 PM



Jake's dad has probably given his trust fund a bump by now. "Jake, boy, I saw that vid of you and the uber driver -- You make even ME look human by comparison. Well done, son."

"Don't fear criticism. The stands are full of critics. They play no ball. They fight no fights. They make no mistakes because they attempt nothing. Down on the field are the doers, they make mistakes because they attempt many things."

+ 2 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



SEATTLE LINGA (/USERS/SEATTLE-LINGA) MOD 27 MAR 2016, 11:03

Hey bud - what's on tap for tomorrow morning's TIMH?

Member of the 6DD

Don't forget to tip your waitress !!



WHOA NELLIE (/USERS/WHOA-NELLIE) 28 MAR 2016, 8:09 AM



Missed your post SL.

Bluegrass legend Earl Scruggs, master of the 5-string banjo.

"Don't fear criticism. The stands are full of critics. They play no ball. They fight no fights. They make no mistakes because they attempt nothing. Down on the field are the doers, they make mistakes because they attempt many things."

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<u>SEATTLE LINGA (/USERS/SEATTLE-LINGA)</u> MOD 28 MAR 2016, 10:14 AM ▼

Thanks man no worries - Good Choice.

Member of the 6DD

Don't forget to tip your waitress !!



HOMEY1970 (/USERS/HOMEY1970) 27 MAR 2016, 11:20 PM



It's readily apparent that this student doesn't hang out with Taylor Lewan b/c Taylor doesn't mince words. He just has "Mick" cut his forehead and then he throws punches.

+ 7 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



BLACKCOFFEE (/USERS/BLACKCOFFEE) 28 MAR 2016, 8:06 AM



His dad represents the definition of slumlord, in NYC, his son, trying to deflect his horrendous behavior is saying the driver made antisemitic remarks, obviously his father, and the son, are cooking up pr to lessen this very public display of priviledged children acting in ugly ways, and as a jew myself, I detest this behavior and defense mechanism playing the religion card as they are doing,

best for this kid, force his withdraw from school and require military service in the Israeli Defense Forces, in Gaza

and

I'chaim!



so uh, be careful there because there are plenty of assholes walking around ohio states campus also. With the number of folks on our campus, i'm sure we have more than our share. This kid would be a dick whether he went to Michigan or to Harvard or to a community college.

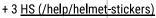
"I spent 90 percent of my money on women and drink. The rest I wasted." - George Best



SCARLET_FIRE (/USERS/SCARLETFIRE) 28 MAR 2016, 10:10 AM



#michiganman





SCARLET_FIRE (/USERS/SCARLETFIRE) 28 MAR 2016, 10:25 AM

I may get blasted for this, and while I think this kid is a total asshole and the video made me cringe, scUM or not, I'm just kinda wondering what place this story has on 11W specifically in terms of relevance? Please realize I'm in no way defending that shitstain and I'm glad he'll get his comeuppance (and hopefully more), this just doesn't seem like something that would be posted here. Kinda Gawkerish I guess?

+ 2 HS (/help/helmet-stickers)



RKYLET83 (/USERS/RKYLET83) 28 MAR 2016, 10:41 AM

I'm so damn smart I'm going to film myself doing something incredibly harmful to my future! Leaders and best indeed....



BUCKEYEUPNORTH (/USERS/BUCKEYEUPNORTH) 28 MAR 2016, 11:14 AM

I'm interested in knowing exactly what UM thinks they can do with this guy...

I am really beginning to get concerned about the "crying to authority" culture we are developing. So a Uber driver has a history of this guy as a passenger being verbally abusive. He doesn't want to pick him up anymore. That should be his privilege and he should be reporting that to Uber. I don't blame him for refusing him service, once upon a time in this country, businesses had "we reserve the right to refuse service to anyone". But with the advent of public accomodation laws that have made it a crime to refuse service, service providers and employees are afraid to protect themselves or their employers by saying no.

So now, we have grown adult men who feel forced to record a customer's tirade, then not only post it online, but go to every authority figure they can think of, including the customer's college he's enrolled.,in an attempt to desperately protect themselves from a lawsuit, criminal charges, civil charges, etc.

Truthfully, this has nothing to do with UM. Uber should have the right to never pick this guy up again. UM should stay out of it, unless he produces this same kind of behavior on campus, in class, etc. As far as I know, he hasn't broken any laws, he's simply a total jerk. His behavior is appalling, but it's not criminal.



SHADED_RED (/USERS/SHADEDRED) 28 MAR 2016, 12:24 PM



In some communities it is a crime to use vulgar and derogatory language towards another person. It's not the worst crime, but it's pretty despicable to be using that language towards someone just trying to earn some extra cash.



BUCKEYEUPNORTH (/USERS/BUCKEYEUPNORTH) 28 MAR 2016, 1:34 PM ▼

And who decides what is vulgar and derogatory? I cannot imagine being charged with a crime because of what a person says, what words they use.

I do know where, however, that exact situation occurs. And I don't want to live there or have it become the standard here. I suggest that if any of our younger members have an opportunity to speak with someone who emigrated here from a totalitarian country, they do so. It is very enlightening to learn exactly what happens under those regimes to those who say 'unapproved' things.

There is a reason our founding fathers wrote the 1st amendment into the Bill of Rights. It was to protect all speech, not just "nice speech' or "agreeable speech".

A few posters are saying the guy is drunk. Not sure where that is coming from, he seems rather lucid to me.

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COL2GABUCKFAN (/USERS/COL2GABUCKFAN) 31 MAR 2016, 6:38

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Why not? Everyone always says that actions have consequences, so whatever happens to him will either make him a better person or reaffirm his privilege.

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JOEBOBB (/USERS/JOEBOBB) 28 MAR 2016, 12:00 PM

was an a\$\$ to some people.

As much of an A\$\$ as this guy his, I really hate internet trolls for calling him out on the net. Yes, he is a complete douche, but we all have our moments (granted some not this bad). I don't believe we need to ruin this guys life, and get him kicked out of school over this. He is a drunken immature fool. One day he will mature and realize that he

Personally, while this guy is a complete douche, I don't feel much better about the people who take the moral high ground and publicly shame him. He is a 20 year old college student for God sakes. Let's remember what it is like people.

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STXBUCK (/USERS/STXBUCK) 28 MAR 2016, 12:49 PM

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I don't necessarily think he should be expelled from school, but people who act like this in public should be publicly identified. If you want to be a vulgar a-hole, don't expect the right to hide in the shadows. Public shame for this kind of behavior is a good thing-people can see your true character-not whatever your PR flack conjured up.

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ETHOS (/USERS/ETHOS) 28 MAR 2016, 1:13 PM



a long long time ago, they used to, instead of throwing folks in a prison, throw them in stockade for being drunken idiots. This was a set of bars that held a guy down and they would display that idiot in public. He'd have to sit there in the stocks for a

day or two so everyone in town knew he was an asshole. It shamed people into not being assholes.

The internet is just taking it global.

"I spent 90 percent of my money on women and drink. The rest I wasted." - George Best



JOEBOBB (/USERS/JOEBOBB) 28 MAR 2016, 2:33 PM



There is shaming people but the internet has taken it too far. We all do stupid things. We all will do stupid things in the future. The sign of a true man/woman is willingness to own up to their mistakes and ask for forgiveness. The world does not need to continually punish this person for a moment of stupidity when they are 20, which unfortunately is what the Twitter Trolls relish.

It makes me think back a few years ago to the ad exec that tweeted the comment about going to Africa and hoping not to get Aids. She lost her job over that and was pretty much shunned from her industry. I am not condoning what she said, it was in poor taste and offensive, but the internet trolls had a field day with her, they gave her death threats and such, all for a flippant comment. Everyone has their moments, people need to give others the benefit of the doubt sometimes. The Twitter Trolls would rather throw stones at glass houses though.



STXBUCK (/USERS/STXBUCK) 29 MAR 2016, 9:11 AM



Are you aiming for a career in the PR field?

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OSU_EDU (/USERS/OSUEDU) 29 MAR 2016, 10:23 AM

This does not seem like a moment of stupidity, this is a premeditated verbal attack. This is not once, not twice, not 3 times, but several times this kid targeted this one specific driver.

Since when accountability isn't something we should be educating the younger generation any more??

Not Ohio born; Not Ohio Bred; but through thy firm friendship; forever Ohio cred!
"The land of the wolves mindset is as a wolf every day, I feel like you wake up and you're just trying to find your next meal. You're always attacking." - JT Barrett



MICHIBUCK12 (/USERS/MICHIBUCK12) 29 MAR 2016, 5:42 AM



<u>UPDATE (http://www.wzzm13.com/news/local/michigan/u-m-student-rant-against-uber-driver-goes-viral/106390018)</u>

For the TL;DR crowd, basically the kid (through a family spokesperson) is blaming the driver. According to the kid, the driver made anti semetic comments to him first, and thats what provoked the rant. He claims he filed a police report against the driver. The AAPD have no record of such report.



PRICKLY_PETE (/USERS/PRICKLYPETE) 31 MAR 2016, 11:50 AM



If the driver did make a religious slur toward the student, this gives me a different perspective. It doesn't excuse the student's horrible behavior, but it does explain why he was so upset.

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CALPOPPY (/USERS/CALPOPPY) MOD 31 MAR 2016, 11:58 AM



Dude has anger issues.

I'm a hurtin' buckaroo.



COL2GABUCKFAN (/USERS/COL2GABUCKFAN) 31 MAR 2016, 6:42 PM



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