

THIS MODERN WORLD

by TOM TOMORROW

TRUMP'S CRISIS OF THE WEEK
NAZIS: GOOD OR BAD?

BOTH SIDES DO IT
THERE WERE SOME VERY FINE PEOPLE IN THAT CROWD OF VIOLENT, TORCH-WAVING NAZIS, BUH-LIEVE ME!
AND ANYWAY, WHAT ABOUT THOSE ALT-LEFT THUGS?
THEY DIDN'T EVEN HAVE A PERMIT!
SIGH.

LIBERALS ON A RAMPAGE
WILL THEY JUST START TEARING DOWN ALL THE STATUES EVERYWHERE?
DON'T WORRY, BIG BOY-- WE'LL PROTECT YOU!

PROFILES IN COURAGE
WE ARE DEEPLY TROUBLED--AND EXTREMELY CONCERNED!
NOW LET'S PUT THE LATE UNPLEASANTNESS BEHIND US--AND GET STARTED ON TAX REFORM!

MEANWHILE ON STATE-SANCTIONED MEDIA
AND LATER TONIGHT, WE'LL LOOK AT THE LATEST BREAKING NEWS IN THE CLINTON WHITewater SCANDAL!
BUT FIRST-- PRESIDENT TRUMP IS STRONG AND WISE, AND EVERYONE LOVES HIM!

NEXT WEEK: SOMETHING EVEN WORSE
MEET MY NEW CHIEF OF STAFF, SATAN, THE PRINCE OF DARKNESS!
HE'S A GREAT GUY ONCE YOU GET TO KNOW HIM!
I ALSO COLLECT WHAT I'M OWED, DONALD.
HEH! WE'LL SEE ABOUT THAT!

DIETARY ENTITLEMENT

While I was at one of my favorite restaurants downtown the other day, the line stopped as a couple grilled the server about the contents of the soup and sandwiches. The girl was very helpful and answered, to the best of her abilities, all of the questions.

The questions kept coming. The line stopped, I waited patiently for around five minutes, overhearing the barrage of questions. All the while the couple kept staring at their cell phones. They were rude and had an air of entitlement to them. "We are the customer," they stated, "and have dietary restrictions."

The server began taking other orders while the kitchen staff came out to continue answering questions. Five to 10 more minutes passed and I received my order. They were still at the counter. They were still rude.

My advice to people with such extreme dietary restrictions is to pack a lunch. This way you know exactly what you are eating.

John Carlson
Eugene

REJECTING BARBIE

The body and gender are two different things. The human body is female, with ovaries, or male, with testes. These are necessary for reproduction (we could have less of that!).

Gender, on the other hand, is the cultural role of women and men. The anthropologist Margaret Mead traveled the world

studying the gender roles of various cultures. Her theory that behavior and personality can be improved and are the result of influence and not biology made her one of the most influential anthropologists of her time.

Mead found that every culture has a firm belief in the naturalness and "rightness" of its particular gender roles, even though the roles differ widely in each culture. In cultures where men rule (like ours), the gender role for men is to be dominant, and for women, to be submissive. These Barbie and Ken roles are narrow and restrictive to humans, who are born with a full range of feelings, interests and abilities.

I rejected the Barbie role when I came into my teenage years. Hell no! I wasn't going to be subservient, pretty, a helper! But it's more than just personal expression.

When a whole society believes that dominance and submission are inherent in men and women's biology, it has a problem! It's called patriarchy. It's a violent, exploitive, miserable culture, and feminists are working to free us all from it.

Kari Johnson
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Wednesday, August 30
Now! Performing Arts presents Brandon Cagle
12 - 13:30 pm at the Park Blocks
Singer-songwriter performing dark country and folk music.



pARTy on the Plaza
Thursday, August 31
Taki Chayay
5:30 - 6:15 pm at the Hult Center Plaza
Celebrate pan-Andean music with songs from Bolivia, Chile, and Ecuador.



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