

New Prices Effective April 1, 2017

Martin **Cleaning Service**

Carpet & Upholstery Cleaning Residential & Commercial Services Minimum Service CHG.

\$50.00 A small distance/travel charge may be applied

CARPET CLEANING

2 Cleaning Areas or more \$30.00 each Area

Pre-Spray Traffic Areas (Includes: 1 small Hallway)

1 Cleaning Area (only) \$50.00

Includes Pre-Spray Traffic Area (Hallway Extra)

Stairs (12-16 stairs - With Other Services): \$30.00

Area/Oriental Rugs: \$25.00 Minimum

Area/Oriental Rugs (Wool): \$40.00 Minimum

Heavily Soiled Area: \$10.00 each area

(Requiring Extensive Pre-Spraying)

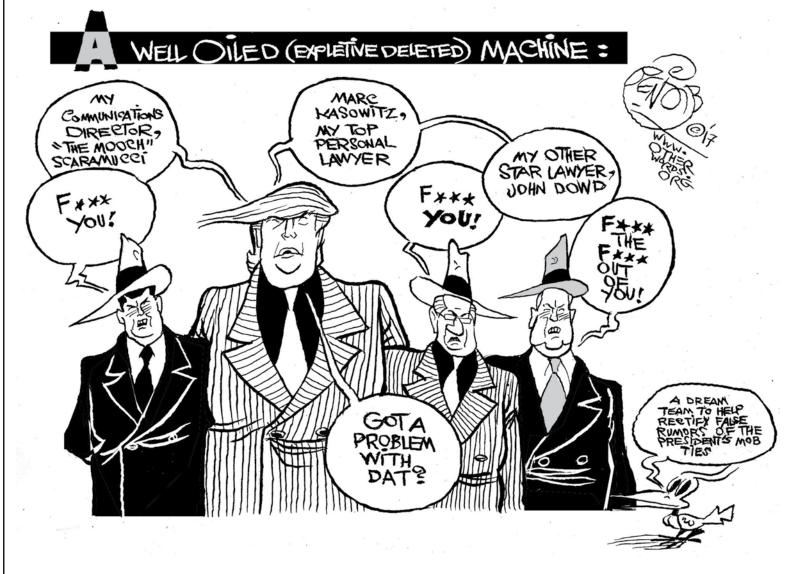
UPHOLSTERY CLEANING

Sofa: \$69.00 Loveseat: \$49.00 Sectional: \$109 - \$139 Chair or Recliner: \$25.00 - \$49.00 Throw Pillows (With Other Services): \$5.00

<u>ADDITIONAL</u> **SERVICES**

- Auto/Boat/RV Cleaning
- Deodorizing & Pet **Odor Treatment**
- Spot & Stain Removal Service
- Scotchguard Protection
- Minor Water Damage Services

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Success Looks Different for Everyone

Driven by a passion to be themselves

BY LAURA FINLEY

Some people are just too much, as the story goes. Or too "extra," in the parlance of today's youth. That

is, they are more than the status quo can take. They challenge the norms, they are unapologetic, and expected, they remain fiercely committed to their difference.

Instead of embracing this atpeople who are too much. But isn't it precisely those over-the- gender. top people, those creative innoour world today?

Instead, we minimize, dismiss, be. Not skinny? You're too fat. male candidates, this pejorative is much...don't be too much. Too thin? You're anorexic. Too not used to describe them. optimistic? You're naïve. Too

want? Too pushy. Don't ask? Not women are part of the problem. assertive enough.

problem afflicts the U.S. as a women also find others who are whole, it is perhaps most acute- too much to be intimidating. ly on display when we talk about Women who happen to be attracto prescribed notions for post- women. 40s dress are too old. Women who lead are bossy.

Writing in Forbes in April While this binary-thinking 2012, Jenna Goudreau notes how gender. Women who embrace tive and also have a successful their sexuality are too slutty. career and personal life are of-Women who refuse to succumb ten persona non grata with other

Popular culture contributes to this notion that if women with During the 2016 presidential children happen to be successful campaign (and through all of in any realm outside of moth-

be disregarded or reviled limits much-needed social change. As Anne Helen Peterson wrote in her book Too fat, Too Slutty, Too Loud, these unruly people are the ones who help chip away at antiquated notions of femininity and masculinity. They challenge stereotypes and shatter glass ceilings. It is not people who play it safe who will be our leaders but those who take risks and persevere through pushbacks.

So, what if instead of making fun of the unruly people who are too-this or too-that, we asked what it is about our culture that bothers us so much about someone who smashes the either/or categorizations?

What if we taught our kids that not only are people different from one another in terms of looks, interests, and abilities, but that success looks different for vators, those "unruly" people, her previous campaigns), Hillary erhood, they are instantly less everyone? In fact, what if we enpeople, that are most needed in Clinton was repeatedly described likeable unless they are that rare couraged all people to go for it? To pursue with passion what excites them? To wear what pleases them? To use their bodies as they desire?

> That's the kind of world I'm up for.

Laura Finley, Ph.D., teaches And before I am accused of a simple narrowness of identi- in the Barry University Departsomber? You must be clinical- some radical man-hating agenda, ty. Rather, this view that any- ment of Sociology & Criminology ly depressed. Ask for what you I completely acknowledge that one who is more than me is too and is syndicated by PeaceVoice.

While this binary-thinking instead of rejecting it, as is often problem afflicts the U.S. as a whole, it is perhaps most acutely titude, we ridicule and we reject on display when we talk about

as "shrill" whenever she got an- breed of super-palatable celebrity imated about a topic. Yet male moms, like Reese Witherspoon and marginalize those who don't candidates often talk loudly (and, and Jessica Alba. The message fit nicely into our binary defini- as Donald Trump demonstrated is clear: Tone it down, don't tions of whatever the issue may during the debates) and over fe- push too much, don't achieve too

The problem goes beyond