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Posted by: lurker Mar 26 2007, 12:03 PM

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Posted by: Grace Mar 26 2007, 12:13 PM

QUOTE(lurker @ Mar 26 2007, 08:03 PM)

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True. It did the same for me!

Posted by: Daryl Fawcett Mar 26 2007, 12:18 PM

Yes, I would also like an answer as to why it goes to CA.

Perhaps somebody can ask Stan of CA about that?

Posted by: LadyTenor Mar 26 2007, 01:24 PM

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Posted by: princessdi Mar 26 2007, 01:27 PM

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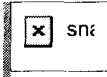
Posted by: LadyTenor Mar 26 2007, 01:49 PM

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I will take some bottled water, though!

Posted by: Jnana15 Mar 26 2007, 01:53 PM

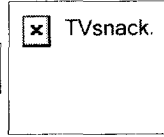
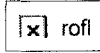
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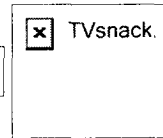
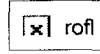
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Posted by: Noahswife Mar 26 2007, 01:55 PM

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Posted by: Jnana15 Mar 26 2007, 02:09 PM

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Sister

Posted by: Lee Mar 26 2007, 02:25 PM

Someone is liable to get pretty fat here on this forum, don't you all think? I mean, you might have to wait a long time while you eat your goodies!

Posted by: Daryl Fawcett Mar 26 2007, 02:35 PM

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Posted by: lurker Mar 26 2007, 02:41 PM

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Posted by: Aletheia Mar 26 2007, 02:51 PM

QUOTE(lurker @ Mar 26 2007, 04:41 PM)

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As far as I know, you have to be a member of Club Adventist for access, I used to be, but no longer am.

Were these websites registered when all the discussion about 3ABN was still allowed on, and taking part mostly on Club Adventist?

Something is rotten in Denmark, and it ain't the fish...

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They are obviously not registered to Danny Shelton...

Boys and girls can we say "hijack"?

Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Mar 26 2007, 02:57 PM

Anybody live near Lee road in Chesterbrook, PA? Of course, since it is suite 300 it is probably just a mail drop spot.

Guess it wouldn't hurt to fly over and take a peek while y'all are snackin', right?

Nothing to see

<http://maps.live.com/default.aspx?v=2&cp=44.023938~-99.71&style=h&lvl=4&tilt=-89.875918865193&dir=0&alt=7689462.6842358>. Sigh.

Posted by: Grace Mar 26 2007, 03:02 PM

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Thank you sister, that explains it to me. What I find strange is that the site was opened when I first went, almost four hours ago (and I've never been a member there), but the access is denied now.

I'm not joining the party, sorry, it's 11 p.m. here, time for me to go nite nite.

Bon appétit, anyway!

Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Mar 26 2007, 03:03 PM

Just apartment complexes or office buildings

Posted by: LadyTenor Mar 26 2007, 03:05 PM

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Posted by: princessdi Mar 26 2007, 03:14 PM

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Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Mar 26 2007, 03:16 PM

Google has the address listed to 1&1 Internet, INC.

<http://press.1and1.com/index.php?MSID=&page=press&mode=displayDetail&id=44>

DeVry University and Keller Graduate School of Management are also listed on the same road but not suite 300.

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P.s.

It looks like Stan is in the house now and reading the thread... maybe he can explain?

Posted by: sonshineonme Mar 26 2007, 03:31 PM

Ok, had to try too.

I put in www.dannyskelton.com or www.dannyskelton.org and both got this directly

<http://clubadventist.com/forum/ubbthreads.php/ubb/postlist/Board/177>

and I was able to click on (naturally right near the top) thread Danny posted in 04.

I didn't have to sign in, and even if I would have to, I asked for my membership to be removed a few months back.

I think it's been hijacked, but I would not say that Stan did not arrange for this. In this case, the best thing to do is ask Stan, see what he says. But, this is smelly to me. Looks bad too.

Posted by: princessdi Mar 26 2007, 03:31 PM

Ahhhhh I see! Thanks for the clarification, Cindy. Looks like something is up for sure!

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Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Mar 26 2007, 03:48 PM

If you do a bit of Google work, 1&1 Internet and it's media spokesperson have been in the news from coast to coast regarding a blogger known as Spocko. 1&1 Internet severed its relationship with Spocko under the pressure of a copyright suit threatened by ABC/Disney's attorney's.

It is an ironically interesting read:

<http://www.floridamediaproject.org/nytimes%20blog%20story.pdf>

DS.org let me get right into CA, no problem, right at the 11/30/04 Danny post about how the Lord had convicted him over and over not to fight his own battles.

Could just be a publicity thing, could be something sinister. Don't know that we will actually ever know. It is what it is, I guess. Perhaps someone might want to call 1&1 Internet and see what the media spokesperson has to say about it. Just a thought.

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Posted by: Stan Mar 26 2007, 03:55 PM

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Posted by: sonshineonme Mar 26 2007, 03:56 PM

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Posted by: awesumtenor Mar 26 2007, 03:59 PM

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The redirect is in the index.htm at www.dannyshelton.com; the HTML source for that page reads as follows:

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<H1>Found</H1>
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www.dannyshelton.org is the same; the domains were registered privately so the actual person who set them up is anonymous... gee what a surprise.

Just because it points to Club Adventist does not mean that Stan necessarily was either aware of it or gave permission for it to be redirected there; you'll have to ask Stan.

In His service,
Mr. J

Posted by: Aletheia Mar 26 2007, 04:00 PM

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QUOTE(sonshineonme @ Mar 26 2007, 01:56 PM)

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Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Mar 26 2007, 04:06 PM

Hi Stan,

Interesting advertising scheme, if indeed that was what it was. Of course it depends on someone trying to log into Dannyshelton.org/com for it to work.

Well, it certainly has given a few of us an education about 1&1 Internet and the power of whois...

QUOTE(Stan @ Mar 26 2007, 01:55 PM)

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So, can you let us in on the writer's motives?

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Well, then, my thanks to Lurker for bringing this interesting bit of information out into the open. It raises some questions in my old noodle about. I will be interested to see if anything further develops.

I just did a whois search on BlackSDA.com Whew, sure am glad the Boss isn't with 1&1



rofl

It would have freaked me out!

Posted by: Aletheia Mar 26 2007, 04:57 PM

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posted [on Club Adventist]- 35 minutes 36 seconds ago

Topic: New Interview Coming SOON

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Stan Jensen, Administrator

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
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What do you mean she still can't? Why do you keep thinking and saying that?

Ask anyone of her defenders Di, there is no gag order in place, why do you think she wrote that letter on her website which was posted here?

-- not that she ever abided by it anyway, she got a website before the ink was dry on her agreement or divorce papers. published her questions and answers, talked about her "squished" experience and how she was trashed and fired, and even talked about the so called gag order... and published it...

And as the recent letters published on save3abn prove she was talking plenty to others as well...


AFAIC, the only time it was ever cited was as an excuse for why questions couldn't be answered or proof given for the things she, or her defenders claimed on her behalf..

Here is the archived record of what she said in part about her job, her marriage etc, while the so called gag order was allegedly still in place:

The asterix show the changes she made on the site,except for the most recent, but you can go to her site and see whats there now:

http://web.archive.org/web/*/http://lindashelton.org

Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Mar 26 2007, 05:13 PM

New interview coming to CA soon? Imagine the coincidence of having an internet billboard leading to a bulletin board/forum at such an oppotune time! What are the odds! 

Wonder if CA will keep the 3abn discussion open once the "interview" is done? Calvin, are you watching this?

PB

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What more can I say . I tried.

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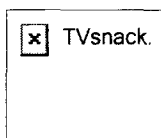
Yeah, neat huh? It comes in handy when doing research, and when trying to find something on a webpage which you have read before...

If you click on the links in those archived homepages it will take you to more archived pages from back then.

I just wish they weren't always so far behind in archiving, but then again, the internet is huge....

Posted by: Rosyroi Mar 26 2007, 07:52 PM

Did you notice that the whole month of May, 2004 at 3ABN website is missing.

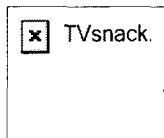


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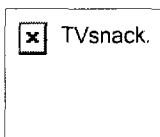
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Posted by: Aletheia Mar 26 2007, 08:09 PM


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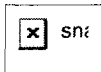
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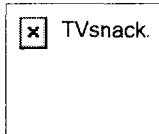
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QUOTE(LadyTenor @ Mar 26 2007, 02:24 PM)

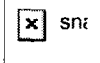


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Aletheia,

Thank you! I learned a lot from you today!! Very helpful...

Snoopy

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Posted by: roxe Mar 26 2007, 09:09 PM

QUOTE(lurker @ Mar 26 2007, 01:41 PM)

It still takes me to Club Adventist but when I get there, it now says access denied. It was wide open before.

more info...

appears to be "open" now... got to read the ds interview threads...

down at the bottom of the page it has links to other pages... so i clicked the down arrow and chose linda shelton...

just got thru reading her interview threads...

not a member... looks like both pages are open to read...

didn't try any others...

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Did I say anything about conspiracy Alethia? I don't appreciate being attacked. I have seen a lot of it lately and it tires me out. Why not just try to carry on a decent conversation instead of attacking? I have stood up to those trying to attack or discredit me. But never attacked those who attacked me.

I have made suggestions or made comments or agreed with someone but I try to do unto others as I would have them do unto me.

Rosyroi (sorry my rose wilted after the attack)

Posted by: Aletheia Mar 26 2007, 09:21 PM

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No problem then, and thank you.

Possibly the letter was written May 20 but not added to the website till it was updated at the beginning of June??

I do know the letter explaining why she wouldn't be back was done that way, it was sent out first to subscribers then added after that to the website, at least I think so, I'm gonna double check on that.

The above seems likely to me also, because I was under the impression that the first announcement came at the campmeeting at the very end of May?

Posted by: Stan Mar 26 2007, 10:03 PM

There several hundred domains posting to www.clubadventist.com. Some are the internet real estate that I own, some I have acquired for others, and some I bought just to keep safe.

I do own www.dannyskelton.com and he is aware of that. This will one day be transferred to him. I also own other leading Adventist names, and they are aware.

It was pointed out to this am, that some one said it was pointed out to the side, and they asked why.

A few months ago, when I was having sever server problems, I shut off 50 or so forums, but never reopened them after the transfer.

SOOOOOO I have reopened a lot of them, there was no conspiracy with whoever it was who stated this thread, and am rather surprised at some of the comments..

AND YES there is an interview coming up with DS, and it will not be about LS, but about 3ABN.

I would like to do something again with LS, a lot of us miss her. She has not responded to my emails in the past.

Posted by: princessdi Mar 26 2007, 10:13 PM

You know I don't mind being wrong, if she can speak and has not, then to me, it is to her credit and she is truly the one who has' Move on". She doin' real good because a sista' would have told it to Oprah the first day I could! Be Patient, He aint' through with me yet!

She abided by it Ciny, or else you and I know Danny would have his \$25,000.00 back already. Let's not get carried away and forget who we are dealing with.

QUOTE(Aletheia @ Mar 26 2007, 04:12 PM) □

What do you mean she still can't? Why do you keep thinking and saying that?

Ask anyone of her defenders Di, there is no gag order in place, why do you think she wrote that letter on her website which was posted here?

-- not that she ever abided by it anyway, she got a website before the ink was dry on her agreement or divorce papers. published her questions and answers, talked about her "squished" experience and how she was trashed and fired, and even talked about the so called gag order... and published it...

And as the recent letters published on save3abn prove she was talking plenty to others as well...

AFAIC, the only time it was ever cited was as an excuse for why questions couldn't be answered or proof given for the things she, or her defenders claimed on her behalf..

Here is the archived record of what she said in part about her job, her marriage etc, while the so called gag order was allegedly still in place:

The asterix show the changes she made on the site,except for the most recent, but you can go to her site and see whats there now:

http://web.archive.org/web/*/http://lindashelton.org

Posted by: Pickle Mar 26 2007, 10:23 PM

QUOTE(Stan @ Mar 26 2007, 11:03 PM) □

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Send me a copy too, and I'll try to make sure she gets it and reads it.

Posted by: inga Mar 26 2007, 11:53 PM

QUOTE(PeacefullyBewildered @ Mar 26 2007, 05:25 PM) □

No more than a cryptic "plot thickens" from Stan. Hmmmm.

☺ I can see Stan chuckling hard enough to bounce in his chair as he typed that. ☺

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Posted by: LadyTenor Mar 27 2007, 08:26 AM

QUOTE(PrincessDrRe @ Mar 26 2007, 10:33 PM)

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May I have some, please?

I learned a lot about the internet today...thanks to all of you who added your 2 cents about technology in this thread.....interesting!

Posted by: Observer Mar 27 2007, 08:38 AM

QUOTE(Aletheia @ Mar 26 2007, 03:57 PM)

Some is explained, Stan has opened back up the 3ABN topic on club Adventist, and here is the first post in 2 years:

Still, why are the dannyshelton.org and dannyshelton.com, and club adventist domains registered to the same person or entity, Stan?

You are in on "the plot" or have the inside scoop, or have solved the puzzle?

If so, why be so cryptic? Simply say what you mean, please.

I do not know if Stan has opened up the 3-ABN section in CA for discussion, or if he has not, or if he has simply opened up a very limited announcement. I am aware that Danny Shelton is likely to have another interview on Club Adventist. But, I was not aware that such was coming soon. If it is coming soon, it may be that Stan is simply announcing that interview.

Posted by: Jnana15 Mar 27 2007, 09:29 AM

QUOTE(PrincessDrRe @ Mar 26 2007, 09:33 PM)

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sn:

Mmmm, bring it on! I know I'll be sick before the end of the day, PST

Posted by: Stan Mar 27 2007, 10:51 AM

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Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Mar 27 2007, 11:01 AM

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Posted by: wwjd Mar 27 2007, 01:11 PM

QUOTE(PeacefullyBewildered @ Mar 26 2007, 06:13 PM) ☐

New interview coming to CA soon? Imagine the coincidence of having an internet billboard leading to a bulletin board/forum at such an opportune time! What are the odds! ☺ rofl

Wonder if CA will keep the 3abn discussion open once the "interview" is done? Calvin, are you watching this?

PB

could be like the coincidence by gailon/bob team that if you type in 3abn.org it will direct you to the save3abn site. Unless they have recently changed it. Why don't you all examine that one for awhile.

Posted by: Stan Mar 27 2007, 01:17 PM

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Posted by: princessdi Mar 27 2007, 01:43 PM

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
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- 3) As I understand the current policy at Club Adventist, in regard to 3-ABN, there is no intent to allow a free-ranging discussion of 3-ABN, such as CA once had. Therefore, in general, one might say that the favorable content of the posts presently made in the one open section on 3-ABN in Club Adventist, fairly represents what is going to be allowed in the future.

Stan, as you are likely to read my post, feel free to correct me if I have misunderstood.

Posted by: LadyTenor Mar 27 2007, 03:09 PM

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Will he, as president and co-founder, settle for what I have highlighted in your post above?

Posted by: Clay Mar 27 2007, 05:04 PM

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not even close..... as a follower of Christ he had an obligation to go above and beyond fair....

Mat 5:40-48

QUOTE

If someone sues you for your shirt, give up your coat as well. (41) If a soldier forces you to carry his pack one mile, carry it two miles. (42) When people ask you for something, give it to them. When they want to borrow money, lend it to them. (43) You have heard people say, "Love your neighbors and hate your enemies." (44) But I tell you to love your enemies and pray for anyone who mistreats you. (45) Then you will be acting like your Father in heaven. He makes the sun rise on both good and bad people. And he sends rain for the ones who do right and for the ones who do wrong. (46) If you love only those people who love you, will God reward you for that? Even tax collectors love their friends. (47) If you greet only your friends, what's so great about that? Don't even unbelievers do that? (48) But you must always act like your Father in heaven.

It wasn't even fair by the world's standards... tell me of another husband and wife team who split up, when there were millions of dollars in the company they founded that the wife got less than half a million....

Babyface and his wife divorce, their company was worth 140 million, she got half.... Michael Jordan and his wife divorced, he is worth estimated 400 million, she might not get half, but she is getting a whole lot more than a few hundred thousand dollars....

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Posted by: calvin Mar 27 2007, 09:39 PM

QUOTE(Clay @ Mar 27 2007, 06:04 PM)

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Mat 5:40-48

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The court will decide what is fair, and all this argument in the mean time, without knowing all, is ridiculous to me.

Posted by: princessdi Mar 28 2007, 09:29 AM

Personally, I think she deserves it because for the very reason you don't. it IS a business. She and her husband built it together. It is not the same as either one of them being hired on as CEO or COB. They built it together. Plus, 3ABN is alternatively buisness and ministry when it is convenient. Too often when claiming buisness, they leave their " ministry" to the side and go ruthless corporate. That is what they did here. It is a Donald Trump move. He admittedly divorced Marla when he did because the prenup said if he waited untilt he next year he would have to pay her \$5mil as oppose to the \$1mil he paid here. Donald has not even professed to be christian so we really expect that from him So what Danny and the board did might have been legally right---barely--but was it ethically correct, then there are those pesky chirstian values to consider. Then Danny and the rest of the board who are on TV get up and still promote themselves as leaders in not just Christian living, but Adventist Christian living. We also know that people at that level are allowed to " resign" with all their benefits and perks in tact.

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Posted by: princessdi Mar 28 2007, 01:06 PM

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Posted by: roxe Mar 28 2007, 02:00 PM

thanks, Observer and Pdi... you've just cleared up the confusion that's been bothering me ever since coming here and learning about this.

not only Sonny and Cher, but Ricky and Lucy Ricardo (I love Lucy) couldn't make it work either... then you add non-profit to it??

no wonder its such a convoluted mess...

then add to the mix at least three people supposedly telling Danny that his every thought, dream and idea was coming directly from God...

supposedly that he could do no wrong... supposedly being called God's last day prophet...

wow, talk about being set up!!

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4. The business and personal lives are confused and combined.

I've provided it here for your convenience:

QUOTE

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
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Posted by: princessdi Mar 28 2007, 03:52 PM

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Posted by: Pickle Mar 28 2007, 05:58 PM

WWJD,

If he stepped down, would he voluntarily reveal all his assets, including whatever profits he made from his book deals, so that it can be determined if he needs to pay anything back to 3ABN?

Posted by: wwjd Mar 28 2007, 06:03 PM

QUOTE(Pickle @ Mar 28 2007, 12:37 PM)

If I will, will you?

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Posted by: Pickle Mar 28 2007, 06:13 PM

WWJD,

Main source? Tommy? Clem #1? Clem #2? Clem #3? Danny? Dryden? Mom #1? Her son? Mom #2? Her son? Linda? Dunning? Mom never quoted? Walt Thompson?

I think probably I have relied more on Danny than any other person as far as sources go. Yes, he probably does have an ax to grind.

I don't run a 501©3, and don't have to answer to anyone regarding the taking in of donations since I don't do that. Apples and oranges.

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Posted by: Panama_Pete Mar 28 2007, 06:57 PM

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Posted by: Aletheia Mar 28 2007, 09:34 PM

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On December 01, 2005 the webpage was changed with no explanation (that I am aware of). It now reads:

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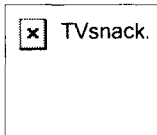
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How did 3ABN block her from that? And if the Lord did call her to do that, then who could stop her, or stand in her way???

Posted by: Rosyroi Mar 28 2007, 09:41 PM



Sure would love to try those Skrimp... can I have some? Hope they are popcorn skrimp. Sounds yummy.

Posted by: mozart Mar 28 2007, 11:15 PM

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Already I have been approached by some who are willing to support this production studio. Although their funding is not available right now, their desire to help has encouraged me so much...and I'm ready to get started. It is estimated that the legal work to obtain a non-profit status in Illinois will cost approximately 5-6 thousand dollars. This is the first step. If the Lord is laying a burden on your heart to help with this stepping stone of faith, please send your donations to P.O. Box 2202, Carbondale, IL 62902. THANK YOU so much!!----- end quote
On December 01, 2005 the webpage was changed with no explanation (that I am aware of). It now reads:

Q: What are you doing now and what are your plans for the future?

A: Ministry is what my life is about. I go where the Lord opens the doors in a speaking, singing and ministering.ministry.

It sounds like she's rather busy, internet searches show her appearances and engagements.

She is apparently able to buy a home, pay her bills, eat and still travel all over including to Europe, all without a job...

Considering all that I have read here from the 3ABN accusers about how she has been persecuted and blocked from engagements, and also considering those who may have sent donations to Linda, It would be nice to hear their explanation of what happened to any donations during that 15 mos, and why she gave up on and changed plans after claiming the Lord had told her this is what she was to do.

How did 3ABN block her from that? And if the Lord did call her to do that, then who could stop her, or stand in her way???

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Posted by: sonshineonme Mar 28 2007, 11:33 PM

QUOTE(wwjd @ Mar 28 2007, 10:23 PM)

Sorry, no. I believe that bob would have been one of those moneychangers that Jesus through out of the temple.

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Posted by: wwjd Mar 28 2007, 11:35 PM

QUOTE(sonshineonme @ Mar 29 2007, 12:33 AM)

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Of course it's not payback. It's about callin em like I see em the same way everyone else does on this board.

Posted by: Johann Mar 29 2007, 02:08 AM

QUOTE(wwjd @ Mar 29 2007, 07:35 AM)

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I was there when Mr. Danny Lee Shelton used those expressions. But he was not brutal?

Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Mar 29 2007, 07:31 AM

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Posted by: inga Mar 29 2007, 12:15 PM

QUOTE(wwjd @ Mar 27 2007, 02:29 PM)

Interesting and fair post Inga. Especially the paragraph highlighted. Her pay out from 3abn and DS was indeed, extremely large, to those of us that are your everyday blue collar workers.

However, it wasn't necessarily large in comparison to their combined perks before the divorce, not to mention the .. ummh ... "side benefits" Danny gets from books, free labor, jet set lifestyle, etc. Since the evidence indicates that Danny treats 3ABN as his personal business, using it for his benefit when he so desires, he should have ensured that Linda was compensated for being co-founder of the ministry.

My remark regarding 3ABN not being the "real world" was in regard to Linda's position at 3ABN. She played the role of a media star, which is not "the real world."

QUOTE

Even though I understand in what context you make the statement, the fact remains, it is very real for all of those that devote their time, resources and energy everyday to make possible, the spreading of the gospel. I am sure that from those who clean the complex, to the operators, to the camera crews, to the directors and all the way up, those people know that they are definitely a part of the "real world" and their work and sacrifice is making a difference.

I understand that. I'm sure that most of the people working at 3ABN are truly dedicated folks. Their sacrificial pay is in stark contrast to the perks certain of the administrative staff enjoy. It seems to me that if sacrifice is the order of the day, leaders should lead the way. I don't see that happening at 3ABN.

QUOTE

No matter what is said about administration, the true reality is, those people work hard, deal with all kinds of difficulties, have huge decisions to make, have to deal with all kinds of people day in and day out, have to deal with tons of paperwork, finances, budgets, overseas projects....etc etc My point is, I guess, Is just because DS or CA murray or John L is in front of the camera once in a while, contrary to what some think,

that is not a justifiable payoff for what these folks have to deal with. The only true payoff is they know they are a tool to win souls to the kingdom.

That would be true for those on sacrificial wages, which is not the case for certain administrators who would likely make less and have fewer perks if they worked for the organized church.

Posted by: Johann Mar 29 2007, 12:23 PM

QUOTE(calvin @ Mar 28 2007, 07:50 PM)

Yes I am serious. Linda's ministry was not beating people over the head with the Sabbath. She recorded Christian music and wrote devotional books. She could marketed this to the Christian community. Like Danny was all powerful to keep her out of Christian book stores.

Yeah, I know man. But I got to pick my spots when I can. Like when I got a slow day at work

Honestly, I think I'd do something else if I had a slow day at work. But you are the boss, both places!

Posted by: inga Mar 29 2007, 12:33 PM

QUOTE(calvin @ Mar 28 2007, 10:34 AM)

I ask, then where was her faith? If she is blocked in Adventist circle, then take your ministry to the rest of the world. I just don't get it. Maybe it is a gender thing, maybe a race thing. I have had road blocks thrown and me all my life. I grew up in single parent home, poor, ghetto environment, slow learner, Enron lost all retirement. Yet with God's help, I manage to find a way to succeed. Sorry I ain't feeling it for Linda.

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Posted by: princessdi Mar 29 2007, 12:37 PM

Now, that's what I'm talking about! Exactly Inga!

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Posted by: inga Mar 29 2007, 12:48 PM

QUOTE(Pickle @ Mar 28 2007, 08:39 PM)

My apologies. I left a few details out that leave you in the dark.

She pushed me down the hospital chapel aisle **in a reclining wheelchair**. The cast on one of my legs was one of our guest registers. She then nursed me back to health over three months.

"For better or for worse." "We'll get the worse over first," she thought. At least I could still say, "I do," and all that family had come in from so many miles away.

I got someone who will stick by my side through the typical thick and thin of earth's trials. Blessed indeed.

It was odd, though, looking at other people's wedding albums afterwards and seeing everyone smiling. It was really odd. Took a long time to get used to that. Of course, I was smiling that day. But I was the exception. We did get one picture where she, me, and the preacher were all smiling.

Excellent points, Pete.

Wow, Bob, it seems you have quite a personal story to tell! I hope you're writing a book about that too.

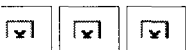
So you married before recovering from a serious accident that affected more than your leg? And the wedding guests were sniffing because they were so moved ...

Thanks for sharing.

Posted by: LadyTenor Mar 29 2007, 01:04 PM


QUOTE(wwjd @ Mar 29 2007, 01:32 AM)

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One's reputation is very important to the average person...the way in which Danny S. has tarnished his wife's reputation has been unChristianlike at best. Let us assume, for the sake of argument, that Linda had an illicit affair. What would have been the proper way to handle it? The way that Danny has been carrying on, I submit, is NOT the proper way to do so.

Someone, somewhere in this forum, mentioned the example of Joseph. When he discovered Mary was pregnant, and that he could not possibly be the father, because he had not yet slept with her, did he embark on a campaign to smear Mary's name? No, he didn't. The Bible says he sought to put her away QUIETLY, until an angel of the Lord

informed him that Mary was to bear the Christ child. See Matthew 1:19. This is yet another point that many here are missing..... 

Linda has not been on a "free" vacation...and even if, for the sake of argument, everyone here agrees that she has, she has been personally attacked by a man whom she was once married to, and ridiculed by many as a result. That is the "persecution" that you question. She has been emotionally wounded, and most will agree that those wounds take much longer to heal than the physical. Regardless of her wrongdoing, criminals have been treated better than that!

Posted by: Stan Mar 29 2007, 01:30 PM

QUOTE(Observer @ Mar 27 2007, 02:20 PM) 

I will respond to your questions:


- 1) There is no 3-ABN forum open for review and discussion on Club Adventist, other than the one that you can see.
- 2) The posts in the old discussion forum were stored in a place that Stan could access. I could not. I do not know if other Administrators had access to that section. Stan has done some software upgrades since that section was closed. He has also move to another servier. I do not know if those posts survived the move to another server.
- 3) As I understand the current policy at Club Adventist, in regard to 3-ABN, there is no intent to allow a free-ranging discussion of 3-ABN, such as CA once had. Therefore, in general, one might say that the favorable content of the posts presently made in the one open section on 3-ABN in Club Adventist, fairly represents what is going to be allowed in the future.

Stan, as you are likely to read my post, feel free to correct me if I have misunderstood.

1 Yes, what is available is to chat about the current ministry of 3ABN.


2 Yes, well at least maybe, when we went to the new server somehow all the forums were doubled, and we had to delete every other one, a couple of the forums had both deleted by accident, i have not checked to see if 'THAT' forum survived... I know some others did not, and it was my fault. Seems to me natter matters forum bit it by error..

3 For the most part that would be true. The recent disparaging remarks about Danny, Linda, aToday, and a few others were removed...

Some of the decisions maybe wrong, I have made a lot of mistakes in the past, and there is no sign of it decreasing in the future...  I continue to stand behind this current position.

Sorry I took so long to respond... I missed your comments...

Posted by: Pickle Mar 29 2007, 03:40 PM

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Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Mar 29 2007, 03:53 PM

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Duch!

Posted by: Snoopy Mar 29 2007, 04:05 PM

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Oh my!! I do believe God had a plan for you!

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My comments were harsh, and I apologize. I am not unsympathetic to Linda's trials and lost of income and reputation. I have never gone through a divorce but I think I can relate to some of the pain and hurt that goes along with that.

Posted by: LadyTenor Mar 29 2007, 04:31 PM

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Have mercy!!! And this was an auto accident?!

Posted by: Pickle Mar 29 2007, 05:07 PM

QUOTE(LadyTenor @ Mar 29 2007, 04:31 PM) □

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Even on Thanksgiving morning, watch out for those low boy trailers parked across country roads before sunup, especially the ones that block your shoulder, without flares or flags. Even when you only have a mile of pavement left to go.

Good thing it was a lowboy. If it had been higher, the car might have made it under all the way, at least the bottom part of the car.

I really liked that Beetle, but I've never gotten another one.

Posted by: Bystander Mar 29 2007, 05:13 PM

QUOTE(PeacefullyBewildered @ Mar 29 2007, 06:31 AM) □

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Posted by: princessdi Mar 29 2007, 05:24 PM

Oh my! Mercy! I agree, God definitely has a plan for your life.

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Posted by: Johann Mar 29 2007, 05:46 PM

QUOTE(Bystander @ Mar 30 2007, 01:13 AM)

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Let me explain again, since you missed it last time. Both Arild and I had received invitations to come to the Camp Meeting in 2004. I first saw the email from Danny warning me not to attend when I returned to Norway. But you seem to know a lot more about me than I do. Who gives you that knowledge?

Posted by: Bystander Mar 29 2007, 06:10 PM

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Posted by: Clay Mar 29 2007, 06:50 PM

QUOTE(Bystander @ Mar 29 2007, 07:10 PM)

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no not most... let's be clear... Re' referred to just a few of the those who defend Danny as demons... not most... a few.... one or two, three at the most... unless you are suggesting that only 3 people are defending him....

Posted by: princessdi Mar 29 2007, 06:50 PM

******Ok, ok people! Nobody here IS a demon or satan. However, we can and have on occassion been used for their cause. If I am nto mistaken I believe everybody at one time or another has been accused of working for the forces of evil. let's call it even and let it go!******

Posted by: princessdi Mar 29 2007, 07:42 PM

Just one point of clarification, BS. Now was Danny involved in the 'incident" you viewed from afar, or was he on the stage? I ask because I can see if you were trying to read the lips of those in the "incident" that you might miss what was being said from the podium.

QUOTE(Bystander @ Mar 29 2007, 03:13 PM)

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Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Mar 29 2007, 08:06 PM

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Bystander,

Where was my indignation? It was probably in the same place it was when you called watchbird the serpent of Eden, in two different posts - just sitting back and waiting for Clay or Di to take care of it.

When someone lives in the spiritual realm, as Danny claims to, certainly he would be able to stand back and realize that even if his wife was doing everything he feared she was, those two men out in the audience were not demons but souls that Jesus died for, just like every other sinful one of us.

If it would make you feel any better, I would be glad to do what I do with my grandkids when one calls the other a name:

You would come into my sitting room, tears streaming down your face and say "Grandma, PrincessDrRe called me a demon!" I would give you a big hug and then ask you "Are you a demon? You know, just because DrRe calls you a demon, it doesn't make you one. Right?" And then you would smile, dry your eyes and say "Yes, Grandma."

Posted by: Noahswife Mar 29 2007, 11:40 PM

QUOTE(PeacefullyBewildered @ Mar 29 2007, 10:06 PM)

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PB, than

What a nice reminder.

Posted by: sister Mar 30 2007, 04:07 AM

Danny knew all along that Linda had not had an affair with the Doctor or anyone else. How? He fabricated the whole story out of thin air. Danny did his best to make it appear other than it was, but his house built of fictional cards is beginning to crumble. Bystander, I am sure you had a ringside seat to the entire spectacle. Once the truth about Danny comes out in a court of law, a lot of people's eyes will be opened. So, come on Danny, bring on the lawsuits, everyone is waiting.

Posted by: Rosyroi Mar 30 2007, 11:24 AM

Awww.... come on now... we will be sitting here a year from now waiting for Danny to sue...

and another year....

and another year...



Danny does not want his books to be opened.

(just my opinion)

Have a wonderful weekend folks

(just my wish for ALL)

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Posted by: Aletheia Mar 30 2007, 12:57 PM

QUOTE(awesumtenor @ Mar 28 2007, 09:46 AM)

Calvin, you are allowing the noise to obscure the simple but important fact that for someone whose vocation is Christian ministry, an unresolved allegation of overt sin makes one virtually unhireable in that vocation. Her witness and credibility as a minister of the gospel is contingent upon her name and reputation...and as long as that allegation remains unrefuted (it's being denied is insufficient; exoneration is required) her ability to work is severely impinged... if not completely blocked.

awesumtenor' continues:'Mar 28 2007, 12:13 PM'

Which is your prerogative...[to believe her ability to work has not been severely impinged] but the fact that churches are still being instructed to not allow her to speak or sing says otherwise.

Her problems do not stem from a lack of faith...

You can't be serious. You think someone who has been steeped in this church will just pick up and go to the Baptist church down the street to minister there knowing they embrace doctrine Adventism believes to be error and not of God? BTW... if she is blocked in Adventist circles... and there is extensive evidence that she has been and continues to be... then her ability to work is, in fact, impinged.

Try this... growing up in that single parent home working to get out of the 'hood and you are accused by someone powerful of something heinous... something you did not do, but because of the person making the accusation, the inclination of people is to believe you guilty until you prove otherwise... don't you think that will have a seriously adverse effect on your succeeding?

In His service,

Mr. J

princessdi Mar 28 2007, 11:29 AM

I also agree with Kevin, while these allegations go un answered and unresolved, Linda is inhibited in her ability to make a living for herself in her chosen profession.

well others are claiming differently, as is Linda Herself

From Sister right above both your posts:

"a number of definite appointments and other additional opportunities to minister within the SDA church are now opening up for Linda. At this time she is in preparation for speaking and singing appointments."

From the what's happening with Linda thread:

Johann Feb 13 2007, 12:12 AM:

I think Linda is exceedingly busy these days. You might find out why within a week or two.

Observer Feb 13 2007, 07:15 AM Post #131

I agree. She is busy. She is getting on with her life. She may surprise some of you yet, or perhaps not, as some of you think you know what is going on with her.

sonshineonme Mar 27 2007, 09:28 PM Post #133

I agree! She is busy, and I think it's a great thing for her! I like seeing her excited about possibilities and the invitations she has received! I'm personally excited about some things coming up for her! There is nothing like God's timing!

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And again:

I brought this up before and nobody ever really answered:

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From September 17, 2004 - December 01, 2005 [15 mos] this is what was published on her website:

Q: What are your plans for the future?

A:... I really felt that my ministry was over. But one evening the Lord brought a song to my remembrance that I had not sung in at least 15 years. The song says, "Lord, please move me with compassion for the lost I pray; for the millions who are lost and cannot find their way. Melt my calloused heart with love no matter what the cost. Lord, please move me with compassion for the lost." As I softly sang the verses and choruses of this song, the Holy Spirit drew so near to my heart and said, "I'm not finished with you yet, you will work for Me." The Lord has confirmed this with other incidents as well. I told the Lord that especially under the circumstances, He would have to open the doors and "clean up the mess." He said he would do this.

As well as writing the newsletters and magazines at 3ABN, I was also in charge of the TV production studios since the very beginning of 3ABN. I formatted new programs and chose hosts and guests for the programs seen on 3ABN. Additionally, I was directly involved in the management of the 3 production studios and the Production Truck, which obtained programming on the road. Especially considering my experience is unique in the SDA Church, I feel that I need to use this experience for the Lord. The Lord has laid on my heart to begin a production studio which will produce Christ-centered programs on a full-time basis. These programs can be shown on other networks and local Christian stations. One thing I learned at 3ABN is that there is never too many Christian programs. There is a huge demand for high quality Christ-centered programs that bring God's message to the hearts of searching people

Already I have been approached by some who are willing to support this production studio. Although their funding is not available right now, their desire to help has encouraged me so much...and I'm ready to get started. It is estimated that the legal work to obtain a non-profit status in Illinois will cost approximately 5-6 thousand dollars. This is the first step. If the Lord is laying a burden on your heart to help with this stepping stone of faith, please send your donations to P.O. Box 2202, Carbondale, IL 62902. THANK YOU so much!!----- end quote

On December 01, 2005 the webpage was changed with no explanation (that I am aware of). It now reads:

Q: What are you doing now and what are your plans for the future?

A: Ministry is what my life is about. I go where the Lord opens the doors in a speaking, singing and ministering.ministry.

It sounds like she's rather busy, internet searches show her appearances and engagements.

She is apparently able to buy a home, pay her bills, eat and still travel all over including to Europe, all without a job...

Considering all that I have read here from the 3ABN accusers about how she has been persecuted and blocked from engagements, and also considering those who may have sent donations to Linda, It would be nice to hear their explanation of what happened to any donations during that 15 mos, and why she gave up on and changed plans after claiming the Lord had told her this is what she was to do.

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She can do all that and still be blocked... a brief perusal this church's race relations history shows that even in the face of success, there can still be open and overt hinderance. I never said she was completely blackballed... but she is sufficiently blacklisted that her success has been limited and there are still quite a few churches where she is unwelcome solely because Danny and the 3ABN board said she should not be and if she were allowed to come and minister there, they would deem that evidence of that church's having taken Linda's side over theirs.

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Posted by: princessdi Mar 30 2007, 01:40 PM

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Posted by: Pickle Mar 30 2007, 04:25 PM

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But evidence has been posted regarding Danny Shelton blocking the ministry endeavors of others. We have the open letter by Barbara Kerr, for example.

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So Danny is left with the unfortunate situation of having apparently done to others what he is being accused of doing to Linda. That makes these latter allegations look more credible, whether they are true or not.

Posted by: princessdi Mar 30 2007, 04:30 PM

One more time, Cindy...read and comprehend "before" posting. I didn't say that Danny could close any doors that God opens, he can't. What I said that the fact that he tries is the problem. What side does his actions put him on? Again, he should have gone out of his way to make sure things weren't perceived in that way. Ministry is ministry, and he should be man enough to allow her to go on with hers. Churches and/or conferences should not feel as though they are taking sides when they invite one or the other.

Linda is not calling the churches Danny is invited to and bad mouthing him, neither is the conference telling the churches to "stay neutral" in regards to invitation to Danny. That is not neutral, bhtat is pure bias.

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Posted by: Noahswife Mar 30 2007, 05:08 PM

There was a post by Johann this week that I think was buried in a flurry of other posts. It is currently in a locked thread so I wanted to repost it so that others might not miss it.

"This morning I woke up from a strange dream. Seemed like Ida and I were just looking out through our living room window and there we look straight down into a volcanic crater that is about 20 minutes from our place. It is thousands of years old, and in the bottom is a deep lake. In my dream the water was covered with thin ice, and as we were looking I see three persons, although I did not recognize them I knew they were from 3ABN. Suddenly they realized they had lost, and one by one they walk out on the thin ice. When they reach the middle of the lake the ice breaks and they plunge through the hole, one by

one, and disappear into the depths. I felt we were so helpless because we were too far away to help. AS the last one of the three disappears and I get ready to call 911, I woke up.

Now I have been thinking: How much do I care for these people? Do I love them as brothers and sisters? Do I want them to be saved? What will happen if we change our approach completely in an attempt to save these people from eternal destruction?

I might even tell my dream on the net? Tell them how much I care for them? Would anybody else care, or still treat them as hopeless liars?

It was a sad experience when I discovered that even Pastor John Lomacang twisted the truth around and told the opposite. But I love him too and I want him to be saved. Be a pastor to your church and lead them in the path of God and His Son Jesus Christ that you may be saved! You have to be an example to the others, or they feel they do not have to tell the truth."

<http://www.blacksda.com/forums/index.php?s=&showtopic=13085&view=findpost&p=188297>

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Di,
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QUOTE

----- Original Message -----

From: Linda Shelton

To: Danny Shelton

Subject: Re: Re:

Date: 11/14/2005 11:48:14 AM

The contract does not specify as to making the contract available for others to see or not.

The contract does somewhat limit what I can say publically about those involved at 3ABN, including yourself. **So do I speak with you or someone else in regards to being released from the contract so I may freely speak publically about the actions of people at 3ABN at the church business meeting requested by John Lomacang?** You are well aware of this situation as I received emails from you regarding such.

QUOTE

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From: Danny Shelton

To: Linda Shelton

Subject: Re: Re:

Date: Monday, November 14, 2005 2:33 PM

I don't know if 3ABN would release you or not. 3ABN has kept their part of the agreement, but I would think that you would at least be offering to give the \$150,000 or so dollars back to 3ABN that you have received so far plus be willing to forfeit the \$6,000 a month for the duration of the contract before asking for a release.

<http://www.save3abn.com/3abn-and-linda-shelton-separation-contract-trial.htm>

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Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Mar 31 2007, 08:28 PM

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Posted by: Aletheia Mar 31 2007, 08:36 PM

QUOTE(PeacefullyBewildered @ Mar 31 2007, 10:28 PM)

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Well, we shall see if he/she really stays away, or just sits anonymous....would hate to see "aletheia" waste any more precious time here.

wooops, spoke to late!

Posted by: Snoopy Mar 31 2007, 09:16 PM

QUOTE(Aletheia @ Mar 31 2007, 08:29 PM) □

You didn't ask me, but I know better then to ask my Pastor as he was already here, As a concerned christian he tried to point out how none of this was being handled biblically, tried to point out the christian and biblical principles to follow, and was then insulted and got the boot. And he wasn't even taking sides. She's welcome as a visitor, I know that without asking also, but I know she won't be ministering.

Whether Linda was photographed in bed with the Doctor or not, she chose him over her husband and her ministry, normal people outside this petty little 3ABN world know that's just wrong.

The brethren also know *if* she didn't commit adultery, then she had no business agreeing to and signing divorce papers knowing it was unbiblical, and adultery is why Danny was divorcing her. Either she's an adulteress, or a liar, possibly both, and considering all this stink she's involved in, and behind here, no, she won't be singing or speaking at my Church without some serious repentance and change.

You asked.

And the sad part is, most people I've talked to didn't find all this out from either Danny or 3ABN, we found it all out from Linda's defenders and the 3ABN accusers...

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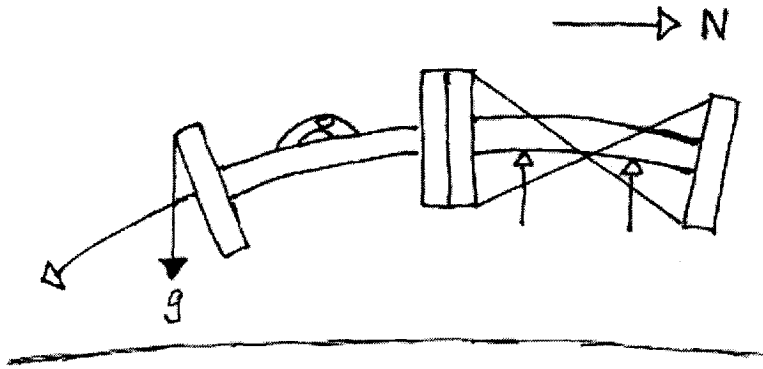
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Posted by: Lee Mar 31 2007, 09:27 PM

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Posted by: Snoopy Mar 31 2007, 09:28 PM

QUOTE(Aletheia @ Mar 31 2007, 09:36 PM)

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Posted by: lookin4truth Mar 31 2007, 09:34 PM

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
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Posted by: Snoopy Mar 31 2007, 09:38 PM

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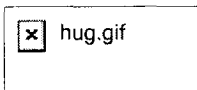
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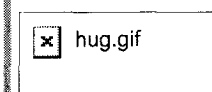
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Posted by: princessdi Mar 31 2007, 09:53 PM

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Now, to try to be fair, if you ca basically saying that she persued a relationship of which her husband did not approve, I would have more understanding. Still just as wrong, but I would understand. He would then be asking her to choose between him and her son, which I don't believe it was the first time.

However, can you answer where Danny was while this "relationship" was developing? Why she ahd so much time to be on the home, taking trips, etc. as Danny accuses? I have said this before. If Danny had been there as man of the house, going with Linda to Norway, picking up the phone to check with the Dr. about Nathan's progress, being Linda's shoulder to cry on, being priest of his home and leading out spiritually IN HIS HOME, during this most trying time, then Linda's contact with the Dr. with have been considerably less, don't you think? I have asked this before, but none of you have answered. Where was Danny?

QUOTE(Aletheia @ Mar 31 2007, 07:23 PM) □

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Posted by: princessdi Mar 31 2007, 10:08 PM

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Asking.....just in case! LOL!!! Now, seriously, asking.

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If your spouse stated you were a thief and a murderer would you agree? No one would if they were innocent, nor would anyone agree to being a adulteress if they weren't!

Let's be real here!

Read that gun statement again.. it's about trust in a relationship, and none of the following e-mails add up to him wanting the relationship to be over.

Let the unbeliever depart? ok, if they want to -- that is separation.

There are many legit reasons for that. And by the way Linda departed and bought a trailer before the divorce... was she the unbeliever departing according to your cited scripture?

Putting your spouse aside, is not departing and being separated and living as if you are still married in the sight of God, that refers to divorce.

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GOOD GRIEF!!!

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Posted by: lookin4truth Mar 31 2007, 10:37 PM

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She said nothing of the kind. That was below the belt. Judge not lest ye be judged. Jesus judges our motives. Maybe you have decided that God is not capable of handling judgement and have decided to take over.

I am appalled at the way in which you misstate so much so fast. I guess sin is relative? Is it OK for one, but not the other.

You owe an apologys for your statement, **"You apparently find Jesus' words and commands appalling also."** Her words said no such thing! They are not even remotely close to your conclusion!

Posted by: mozart Mar 31 2007, 10:47 PM

QUOTE(Snoopy @ Mar 31 2007, 09:39 PM)

You know, I thought about my good friend Charlie when I said that. But I didn't want to drag him into this right here and now for fear he might accidentally visit Aletheia's church...

i dunno, hate to blame the entire church.

Posted by: Aletheia Mar 31 2007, 10:48 PM

QUOTE(lookin4truth @ Apr 1 2007, 12:37 AM)

The quote above is from www.guamddivorce.net (Ross E. Putnam, Attorney at Law).

It shows that the grounds for an UNCONTESTED divorce is IRRECONCILABLE DIFFERENCES. If Danny wanted to claim ADULTERY, he would have to choose a CONTESTED DIVORCE.

It seems to me he chose the quickest, cheapest way. He did not choose the way that would justify his claim of adultery.

I wonder if he had chosen to go the biblical route, and divorce only for adultery, if Linda would have still agreed to sign the papers.

This is why it is important to see the papers. If they say adultery, and Linda signed them, it would show she agreed to the grounds. If it says *irreconcilable differences*, then Danny *did not* divorce on biblical grounds.

Have you considered how it is possible to file for a contested divorce, so you can cite adultery, when your spouse isn't contesting?

I tried, and told my lawyer I wanted it a matter of record, he told me it was flat out impossible...

Yet I divorced my husband for adultery... God knows that. And that wasn't reconcilble.

What we need to understand is that sometimes, actually often, the state and God are at odds.

Posted by: princessdi Mar 31 2007, 10:49 PM

I would, too, Mozart, but if it starts with the pastor.....but then again, I know of a situation where the pastor definitely is not representative fo the church membership.....you may have a point. However, it would give most pause.

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Posted by: lookin4truth Mar 31 2007, 10:51 PM

QUOTE(princessdi @ Apr 1 2007, 12:43 AM)

Ok, but then just say he is telling th truth(which I doubt very seriously), was it necessary for him to file on the grounds of adultery to satisfy the church of biblical grounds, or would he just have to present evidence to the church that he had biblical grounds? Well, it is apparent that the church isn't going to do anything about it, period. but while we are fantasizing about Danny telling the truth let's extend that to the local 3ABN church and GC actually doing what they were supposed to do.

PDi,

The scripture says Moses gave a "writing" of divorce. To obtain the LEGAL divorce, in writing, the man had to show the proper grounds. If he just came and said, "We don't get along" or "We don't seem to be able to work it out", the divorce would not be granted in writing.

Mat 19:7-9

(7) They say unto him, Why did Moses then command to give a writing of divorcement, and to put her away
(8) He saith unto them, Moses because of the hardness of your hearts suffered you to put away your wives: but from the beginning it was not so.

(9) And I say unto you, Whosoever shall put away his wife, except it be for fornication, and shall marry another, committeth adultery: and whoso marrieth her which is put away doth commit adultery.

L4T

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Signed in as anonymous now, huh??

Posted by: Johann Mar 31 2007, 10:54 PM

QUOTE(Aletheia @ Apr 1 2007, 04:23 AM)

That's because some focus on typo's and misspellings and twist words.

The meaning of what I have said hasn't changed once.

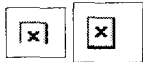
And all find fault with my character or spirit, but not one of you can address the fact that plain and simple Linda chose another man over her husband and ministry, and agreed to a divorce for adultery, yet claims she was innocent.

Only a person who wasn't there and believes in awful twists would utter words like yours. May God have mercy on your soul.

Posted by: Noahswife Mar 31 2007, 10:55 PM



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Posted by: Snoopy Mar 31 2007, 10:56 PM

QUOTE(mozart @ Mar 31 2007, 10:47 PM)

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...not the entire church I'd be worried about...

Posted by: Noahswife Mar 31 2007, 10:58 PM

QUOTE(Johann @ Mar 31 2007, 11:54 PM)

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Johann, what about a person who was there?



Posted by: princessdi Mar 31 2007, 11:00 PM

See! Now I wasn't going to bust her out like that Snoopy!! For shame!!!!



But cindy, Gurl, you

don't have to be skurred come on out to play! You bad!

QUOTE(Snoopy @ Mar 31 2007, 09:51 PM)

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Posted by: lookin4truth Mar 31 2007, 11:02 PM

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L4T

Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Mar 31 2007, 11:04 PM

QUOTE(Aletheia @ Mar 31 2007, 06:36 PM) □

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Wake up and smell the postum!

If it took hours on the phone with the doctor to treat our son, my husband would be on the other line spending the time right along with me. Looks to me like Nathan was that important to Linda but not so with Danny.

QUOTE

Your second paragraph I don't even understand, it bears no relation to what I posted or reality... my Church didn't boot him, he's no longer posting here, get it now?

Yes, I get it now.

I read Clay's post:

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QUOTE(Clay @ Mar 30 2007, 07:43 PM)

I asked FHB over a month ago to go to the pastor of his church and ask the pastor if Linda could be invited to speak at his church.... I think I asked you to try it to Cindy (and if not, ask your pastor, then tell us what he says) and see what the response would be... to date.... there has been no answer.... FHB stated that the pastor said he would take it to the church board... I can only assume there have been no church board meetings since I made the request...

my point.... there are very few churches that will allow her to come and speak.....

And then your answer:

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You didn't ask me, but I know better then to ask my Pastor as he was already here, As a concerned christian he tried to point out how none of this was being handled biblically, tried to point out the christian and biblical principles to follow, and was then insulted and got the boot. And he wasn't even taking sides. She's welcome as a visitor, I know that without asking also, but I know she won't be ministering.

I read this several times and it appeared to me that by "here" you meant he had already reached a decision on the matter and that led to him getting the boot from the church he had been pastoring. Now i see you meant that he had been posting here, got insulted and got booted or banned. If he got banned from BSDA, Calvin would have had just cause. He doesn't ban folks for no reason.

Posted by: princessdi Mar 31 2007, 11:05 PM

...reconciliation he claimed to be after when he came here.....

QUOTE(lookin4truth @ Mar 31 2007, 09:02 PM)

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
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L4T

There is no waiting period on uncontested divorces in Illinois at least not here in Southern Illinois. Mine was uncontested. It was filed within a week we had a court date which my ex didn't even have to be there for & it was granted.

Now on contested then you both have to actually be there with lawyers, etc. & depending on how much you were "fighting" over on how long it would have taken. BUT to me for Danny saying that he wanted to work things out, etc. why would you file a quickie divorce? Why not file in Illinois where you live & let it take its

course which maybe during that time you could reconcile if that is really what you wanted all along. 

Posted by: Fran Mar 31 2007, 11:21 PM

QUOTE(Aletheia @ Mar 31 2007, 09:36 PM) 

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"Wake up and smell the postum!"

Where, oh where, have we heard these words before! Anybody care to make your guess? Was it that old lady from St Louis? Hum... Oh, I'm sorry. I am not supposed to try to discover persona's identities... I'm gone, over and out. Now back to the Lion's Den Games...

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1. "She was fired for refusing to give up that man." Alethia

Fran: IMO Wrongful dismissal! Good Court Case!

QUOTE

2. "She was divorced for refusing to give up that man." Alethia

Fran: She did NOT commit adultery! IMO There are NO grounds for that divorce!

QUOTE

3. "Have you not read about all the times she was counseled to, and advised to, and asked to, and either agreed and kept on talking to him, or refused to? Alethia

Fran: I would have done the same thing! I have children! IMO, What does this have to do with this subject?

QUOTE

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Fran: Don't know about PB, but I would do what was good for my son! Hands Down! IMO, Any husband that would demand the son change doctors in the midst of treatment, does not have his wife's welfare or his stepsons interests at heart. It is clear that it was a power struggle. My way or NO way! Linda did exactly what I would have done! IMO, What she did was NOT IMMORAL in any way, shape, or form!

Fran: There is none so blind as those who refuse to see!

Posted by: LadyTenor Mar 31 2007, 11:36 PM

QUOTE(sister @ Mar 30 2007, 05:07 AM)

Once the truth about Danny comes out in a court of law, alot of people's eyes will be opened. So, come on Danny, bring on the lawsuits, everyone is waiting.

Don't hold your breath, sister....one cannot file a lawsuit for this reason.....and I suspect Danny is full of the same hot air Donald Trump is when he said he was suing Rosie O'Donnell...

QUOTE(Aletheia @ Mar 30 2007, 03:19 PM)

The Lindanites write letters and call Churches, and places they hear 3ABN have been invited to or are appearing at, and bad mouth them, they have posted about calling local stations and sattelite co and asking for the hope channel instead, etc etc etc.

It's sick, and as usual the pots keep calling the kettle black.

Now this is a stereotype...I would probably be classified as a Lindanite, yet I didn't do any of those things....MY CHURCH'S PASTOR sits on the 3ABN board, yet I **still** have not approached him....so kindly stop making general statements about a group of people because stereotypes are never "one size fits all".....

QUOTE(Aletheia @ Mar 31 2007, 08:29 PM)

Whether Linda was photographed in bed with the Doctor or not, she chose him over her husband and her ministry, normal people outside this petty little 3ABN world know that's just wrong.

Please explain why you believe she chose the doctor over her husband...I don't want to jump to conclusions about what you are thinking...

QUOTE(Aletheia @ Mar 31 2007, 08:29 PM)

The brethren also know *if* she didn't commit adultery, then she had no business agreeing to and signing divorce papers knowing it was unbiblical, and adultery is why Danny was divorcing her.

This is not true....folks sign divorce papers all the time because they know their spouses aren't coming back and they want to move on...this does not speak to the guilt or innocence of any parties to a divorce...it is simply strategic maneuvering...a lot of it being in the legal arena...

QUOTE(Aletheia @ Mar 31 2007, 09:36 PM)

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QUOTE(Aletheia @ Mar 31 2007, 10:15 PM)

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THIS IS NOT TRUE!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! I will bet my LAW DEGREE on it!!!!!!!!!!

QUOTE(Snoopy @ Mar 31 2007, 10:16 PM)

Hey Aletheia,

Thank you so much for your display of ugliness. I thought you might be interested to know, it is PRECISELY this attitude that drove me OUT of the SDA church years ago... I have yet to return, and attitudes such as yours keep reminding me why... You have reaffirmed my decision!!!!!!

Snoopy, one size does NOT fit all! Just because some folks display "ugliness" in the church does not mean everyone else does!!! Don't let the actions of whomever turned you away from the church be a representation to you of what folks in teh church are like! We are not all the same! There are still loving, Christ-like people in the church!!!!

Posted by: Snoopy Apr 1 2007, 12:04 AM

QUOTE(LadyTenor @ Apr 1 2007, 12:36 AM)

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Posted by: Noahswife Apr 1 2007, 12:13 AM

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A freudian slip perhaps?

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Me too Snoopy, me too.

Posted by: fallible humanbeing Apr 1 2007, 12:29 AM

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Can you prove such in order to save your legal degree?

- FHB

Posted by: Hawk Apr 1 2007, 01:36 AM



Posted by: sonshineonme Apr 1 2007, 01:50 AM

QUOTE(Hawk @ Apr 1 2007, 12:36 AM)

Asking for the Hope Channel instead of asking for 3ABN is sick!?

Will Danny be singing or speaking at your church without some serious repentance or change regarding his sexual molestation of his stepdaughter? Does sexual molestation of one's stepdaughter qualify as adultery at 3ABN?

Now, that's a VERY good question.

Posted by: Observer Apr 1 2007, 04:46 AM

QUOTE(Aletheia @ Mar 31 2007, 08:15 PM)

Thanks for responding on topic.

Yes I have seen the divorce papers, no adultery isn't listed. It is my understanding that you can no longer divorce your spouse, and list the grounds as adultery, in this sinful world.

That doesn't change Jesus' commands, or what was going on between Linda and Danny.

For a true Christian the only biblical reason for divorce are laid out in scripture.

Linda knew what she was being accused of, and why she was being divorced.. and she agreed to it.

She didn't have to, Danny would probably still have been granted a divorce but a contested one, proclaiming to the court and all the world that she didn't agree to it. Their divorce was a uncontested divorce, meaning they agreed to all terms and just asked the judge to validate it.

Do these things matter?

To God they do. We need to stand for his principles and truth, always.

The only thing that can honestly be said, is that Linda agreed to the grounds for the divorce that were stated in the legal proceedings in Guam. As you have acknowledged that those proceedings did not list adultery, you cannot say that Linda agreed to a divorce based upon adultery.

The record of the Guam divorce stands. That is what she agreed to, not some other spin of the facts.

Let us carry this one step further. Let us say that prior to the legal filing, during the time that Danny and Linda were discussing their marital future, Linda had told Danny that she beleived Danny had committed some kind of wrong, and that was the reason that she was calling the marriage over, and accepting the divorce. On that basis, would you say that Danny agreed to the validity of Linda's claims, agreed to Linda's claim of wrong doing on his part, and acknowledged that he had committed whatever her claim was?

Of course you would not, and neither would I.

In just about all divorces it is typical for both parties to claim some wrong by the other. If you can claim that Danny's claim against Linda is an acknowledgement on her part, be prepared for that same claim (whatever the specifics may be, and I am not suggesting any specifics) to be made against Danny. But, that may not happen, and such a claim is simply unreasonable on its face. I would hope that those of us who support Linda would have better sense.

Posted by: daylily Apr 1 2007, 06:33 AM

My cousin filed for a divorce on grounds of adultery in VA and the lawyer said she could have it in a couple of weeks.

Posted by: LaurenceD Apr 1 2007, 09:05 AM

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I realize it's April Fools today, and the temptation here is great, but...

Fault-based divorces are alive and well in some states...every state is different. Here's a couple articles you might find interesting on divorce proceedings. Both are written in layman's language.

<http://www.elizabethlanger.com/articles20.htm>

<http://writ.news.findlaw.com/grossman/20020115.html>

Divorce regulations for other states can easily be found on the internet by simply entering something like "divorce requirements" (include which state you're curious about).

I have a hunch there's a whole lot more to this Shelton divorce than meets the eye. There usually is in most relationships. In fact, there may have been a whole lot more going on than met the eye when a divorce was being sought. It may have been more than just a little strategic as to how, when, where, what to file, etc. One side may have been a lot more proactive on this than the other also.

Posted by: LadyTenor Apr 1 2007, 12:10 PM

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New York State's Domestic Relations Law states (emphasis mine):

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S 170. Action for divorce. An action for divorce may be maintained by a husband or wife to procure a judgment divorcing the parties and dissolving the marriage on any of the following grounds:

(1) The cruel and inhuman treatment of the plaintiff by the defendant such that the conduct of the defendant so endangers the physical or mental well being of the plaintiff as renders it unsafe or improper for the plaintiff to cohabit with the defendant.

(2) The abandonment of the plaintiff by the defendant for a period of one or more years.

(3) The confinement of the defendant in prison for a period of three or more consecutive years after the marriage of plaintiff and defendant.

(4) **The commission of an act of adultery**, provided that adultery for the purposes of articles ten, eleven, and eleven-A of this chapter, is hereby defined as the commission of an act of sexual or deviate sexual intercourse, voluntarily performed by the defendant, with a person other than the plaintiff after the marriage of plaintiff and defendant.

Deviate sexual intercourse includes, but not limited to, sexual conduct as defined in subdivision two of Section 130.00 and subdivision three of Section 130.20 of the penal law.

(5) The husband and wife have lived apart pursuant to a decree or judgment of separation for a period of one or more years after the granting of such decree or judgment, and satisfactory proof has been submitted by the plaintiff that he or she has substantially performed all the terms and conditions of such decree or judgment.

(6) The husband and wife have lived separate and apart pursuant to a written agreement of separation, subscribed by the parties thereto and acknowledged or proved in the form required to entitle a deed to be recorded, for a period of one or more years after the execution of such agreement and satisfactory proof has been submitted by the plaintiff that he or she has substantially performed all the terms and conditions of such agreement. Such agreement shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the county wherein either party resides. In lieu of filing such agreement, either party to such agreement may file a memorandum of such agreement, which memorandum shall be similarly subscribed and acknowledged or proved as was the agreement of separation and shall contain the following information: (a) the names and addresses of each of the parties, (b) the date of marriage of the parties, (c) the date of the agreement of separation and (d) the date of this subscription and acknowledgment or proof of such agreement of separation.

Moreover, New York is one of those states where "no-fault" divorces are NOT allowed. New York only grants divorces according to one of the six grounds enumerated in the portion of the Domestic Relations law stated above.

I worked in a law firm while I was in law school that handled a myriad of divorce cases. I had the opportunity to handle an uncontested divorce on my own also (my bosses trusted me with it after I had assisted a number of cases).

Your statement in your above quoted post that claims that all states grant "no-fault" divorces is grossly inaccurate. If you are not convinced with my example that clearly refutes your memory, I can provide several others. However, this post has become long enough.

Feel free to visit www.findlaw.com for any state law you wish to consult on your own.

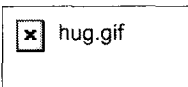
Of course, my degree was never in danger, so "saving" it was never required. However I am rarely one to bluff.

If you have any more questions of a legal nature, I would be happy to answer them or point you to someone who can if I am unable to.

Posted by: Jnana15 Apr 1 2007, 02:22 PM

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


allowed. New York only grants divorces according to one of the six grounds enumerated in the portion of the Domestic Relations law stated above.

I worked in a law firm while I was in law school that handled a myriad of divorce cases. I had the opportunity to handle an uncontested divorce on my own also (my bosses trusted me with it after I had assisted a number of cases).

Your statement in your above quoted post that claims that all states grant "no-fault" divorces is grossly inaccurate. If you are not convinced with my example that clearly refutes your memory, I can provide several others. However, this post has become long enough.

Feel free to visit www.findlaw.com for any state law you wish to consult on your own. Of course, my degree was never in danger, so "saving" it was never required. However I am rarely one to bluff.

If you have any more questions of a legal nature, I would be happy to answer them or point you to someone who can if I am unable to.

I'm just too proud of you LT (if that's okay with you)!   Tell it like it is!!  than

snooty, I feel just like you. I have been truly blessed by stumbling upon BSDA.

Posted by: Clay Apr 1 2007, 04:03 PM

QUOTE(fallible humanbeing @ Apr 1 2007, 01:29 AM)


List any state in the union where the grounds can be "adultery" as a the grounds for divorce. **If memory serves all of the states are no-fault and they do not consider "adultery" grounds for divorce.** Is your law degree in the US or the UK? There is a difference between the two.

Can you prove such in order to save your legal degree?

- FHB

seems your memory is a bit faulty.... I believe LT has shown that your statement was in error.... any info about the church board of your church meeting and discussing the idea of Linda being invited there..... or have you hoped that we would forget the request that was made some time ago?

Posted by: mozart Apr 1 2007, 04:27 PM

 okay, never mind.

Posted by: watchbird Apr 1 2007, 04:51 PM

QUOTE(mozart @ Apr 1 2007, 05:27 PM)

you know, the past couple of post gave me a lightbulb moment.

What if?.....

Linda and Danny were fighting over Nathan and his situation. Then Linda found out about her daughter's claims of Danny coming to her bedroom at night and forcing his intimacies, to whatever degree, on her.


What if?.....

All this coming to light for Linda was what lead Danny to see that the axe was about to fall on him and he panicked and started scheming against Linda to protect himself. maybe he was afraid that Linda might divorce him first and say something about this in the process and his halo would come crashing to the ground. so he puts his weirdness into high gear to turn the tables on her & started making wild accusations toward her to freak her out. thus the urgency for him to get (first) the board on his side to force her to sign the contract with the "gag" orders in it and (second) him getting the divorce as quickly as possible. then he could start getting his spin out as fast as possible to try to ruin her credibility so that no one would believe anything she said once she was actually able to speak.

Linda, feeling she was in the "twilight zone" turned to johann and dr. abrahamsen (two of the most trustworthy and honorable SDA men she knew) for counsel. i know if i were in her situation and a lot of the people around me that i trusted and had known for years turned psycho on me, i'd be afraid for my safety. she knew she had to confide in people far from the 3abn scene.


danny feeling she was a huge threat had to get rid of her before she exposed him.

Maybe that is my imagination gone too far, maybe not. the only thing that makes sense to me is that he got rid of Linda because of what she knows.

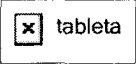
don't waste your time responding to this "danny defenders". it's obvious and predictable what you will say and therefore pointless to even read. just be patient. all the evidence will come out soon. 

Sorry.... whatever else of your "what if" scenario fits the real "scene".... Linda didn't even find out about what Danny had done to her daughter until well after the divorce and firing. Please read Barbara Kerr's initial letter o BSDA..... in the thread <http://www.blackstda.com/forums/index.php?i=&showtopic=10489&view=findpost&p=145498>, which was posted by Calvin. This will give you a better idea of the timeline of some events. This is not to say that Danny did not have the fears you describe, but even if so, they were not motivators for what Linda did since she was completely unaware of them until much much later.


Posted by: sonshineonme Apr 1 2007, 06:43 PM

QUOTE(Aletheia @ Mar 31 2007, 06:29 PM) 

You didn't ask me, but I know better then to ask my Pastor as he was already here, As a concerned christian he tried to point out how none of this was being handled biblically, tried to point out the christian and biblical principles to follow, and was then insulted and got the boot. And he wasn't even taking sides. She's welcome as a visitor, I know that without asking also, but I know she won't be ministering.....

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Posted by: Clay Apr 1 2007, 06:45 PM

[x] rofl [x]

Posted by: Rosyroi Apr 1 2007, 07:11 PM

QUOTE(Clay @ Apr 1 2007, 04:45 PM) []
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[...] I Pickle that!

[x] sn: [x] e: [x] TVsnack.

OOPS!! I am not a Heathenite. [] sorry will have to take my Pickle back...sigh

Posted by: Pickle Apr 1 2007, 07:36 PM

The one problem I see with "counteract the counterfeit pickles with genuine gerkins and butter-chips" is that my wife and I have four genuine gherkins, and my wife doesn't want

them to hear all this 3ABN stuff. Maybe some other gherkins might do.

I guess since our oldest gherkin turned 18, she doesn't qualify as a gherkin anymore.

When we found out she was coming along, the first grandkid for all parents concerned, we waited until we were leaving on vacation, and then we mailed to our parents a little card with a picture on the front of a jar with two big pickles in it, and a little pickle in the tummy of one of the big pickles. No words about the situation. Just a picture. (Might as well make the most of a name like this.)

I checked the answering machine while we were on the road. Mom left a message. She sounded really stressed.

Posted by: Jnana15 Apr 1 2007, 07:48 PM

QUOTE(sonshineonme @ Apr 1 2007, 07:43 PM)

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rofl rofl

Posted by: princessdi Apr 1 2007, 07:52 PM

Heathen thru and thru!!! hug.gif

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Posted by: Hersheys99 Apr 1 2007, 09:08 PM

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Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Apr 1 2007, 10:19 PM


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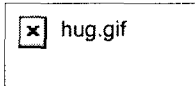
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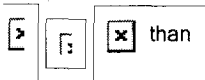


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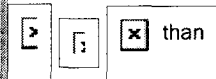
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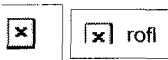
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f anyone feels he/she missed the fun on April 1 this year, don't worry. You can make it all up on April 31 - with even better jokes. Have fun!

Posted by: beartrap Apr 2 2007, 12:22 AM

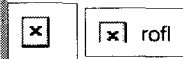
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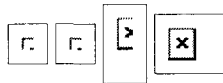
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I can top this one.... my grandad enlisted in the Spanish American war in June... but his birthday was not until September 29... so he pushed it back a few months and wrote February 29 on his enlistment papers.... and duly served in both Cuba and the Philipines... with a rank of Corporal.

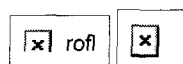
He was about 65, and sitting in our living room in front of the fire brushing his beautiful white hair, when he startled all of us by suddenly coming down hard with his feet on the floor and yelling out "Petey (that was his pet name for his wife)!... we all ran to see what was the matter... and he sat there with an astonished, quizzical, strange look on his face... finally getting out the words....

"I never was born! There WASN'T any February 29 the year I was born!"

But.... when he died in a Veteran's hospital just shy of his 90th birthday, the nurses had already celebrated his 90th birthday according to what was on his records, on the last day of February.



Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Apr 2 2007, 01:03 PM

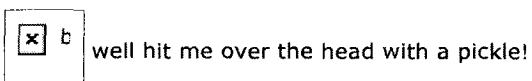


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Posted by: mozart Apr 2 2007, 04:47 PM

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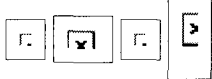
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Wow, this guy is in a terrible pickle, isn't he???(sorry bob)



Posted by: Skyhook Apr 2 2007, 07:44 PM

I'll bet the driver of that car was singing "Will Your Anchor Hold in the Storm of Life?"

Posted by: Pickle Apr 2 2007, 10:10 PM

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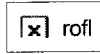
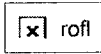
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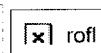
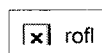
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Posted by: Pickle Apr 3 2007, 04:05 PM

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So, what is your family's take on the vinegar debate...

Posted by: Pickle Apr 3 2007, 05:24 PM

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Oh, so that would make you all healthy pickles!

Posted by: Pickle Apr 3 2007, 05:43 PM

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Posted by: Snoopy Apr 3 2007, 06:07 PM

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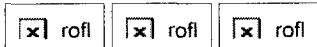
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And I love that you all make the most of it!!

Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Apr 3 2007, 06:28 PM

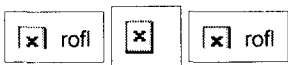
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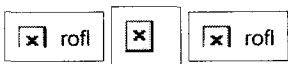
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Posted by: LadyTenor Apr 3 2007, 07:25 PM

QUOTE(Clay @ Apr 1 2007, 10:11 PM)

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The heathens have hijacked the thread!! 




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Have any links to info like that? It sounds interesting.

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Not chopped up as bad here as over on <http://www.christianforums.com/t4811533>.

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Posted by: Snoopy Apr 3 2007, 08:02 PM

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□ wow.gif

What a refreshing viewpoint!! I SO agree!!!

Posted by: Fran Apr 3 2007, 08:12 PM

I LOVE THIS NEW SKIN!

OK off topic. Sorry, back to the pickling subject at hand

Posted by: Pickle Apr 3 2007, 08:44 PM

Is this guy out to lunch, to quote one of Danny's emails? Or is the info old, since it speaks of vinegar containing alcohol?

QUOTE

Vinegar retards digestion

Experiments have shown that as small a portion of vinegar as one in 5,000 appreciably diminishes the digestion of starch by its inhibiting or destructive effect upon the salivary amylase. One part in 1,000 renders starch digestion very slow and twice this quantity arrests it altogether. From these facts it becomes evident that vinegar, pickles (saturated with vinegar), salads on which vinegar has been sprinkled and salad dressings containing vinegar, are unwholesome substances to take into the human digestive tract, especially when taken with starchy foods such as cereals, bread, legumes, potatoes and the like.

Vinegar is not an evil merely because its highly toxic acetic acid content destroys ptylain (salivary amylase), but it also contains alcohol, which precipitates the pepsin of the gastric juice and retards or prevents gastric digestion of proteins. What wonder then that pickles and vinegar have been found useful in reducing weight. They cripple the first two stages of digestion. My readers should know that apple cider vinegar, which is so much lauded today as a "wonder drug" in folk medicine contains both acetic acid and alcohol and is unfit for use, not alone because it impairs digestion, but also because it contains these two virulent poisons.

Posted by: Ralph Apr 3 2007, 11:04 PM

QUOTE(Pickle @ Apr 3 2007, 08:44 PM)

Is this guy out to lunch, to quote one of Danny's emails? Or is the info old, since it speaks of vinegar containing alcohol?

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Posted by: watchbird Apr 4 2007, 07:27 AM

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Before you go too far down this blind alley... take another look at the original page and note the multitude of erroneous and downright wierd statements, claims, and recommendations that the man is making. When he

groups citrus fruits... including lemons and limes... in his things that "impede digestion".... you can bet your bottom dollar that he is a kook. And when he goes on to recommend anti-acids for digestion problems when the most common problem is a LACK of stomach acid rather than too much.... then grab your wallet tight, for he is revealed as not only a kook but a huckster. (The reason one feels as though one has too much "acid" with such things as "heartburn" is because there was not enough acid to properly digest the food and get it out of the stomach, so it sits and churns while the food is still not completely digested.)

Back to the EGW position on vinegar.... it was caused by the sheer AMOUNT of vinegar that was consumed in her day... as well as by the fact that it was not properly sterilized and stored, which resulted in it being a haven for "vinegar worms".... which, while not individually visible, formed a cloudy mass that hung at the bottom of vinegar jars, which people of that time called the "mother". They avoided ingesting the cloudy part as much as possible, but they would not have been completely successful in that.

A second reason for her admonition was the sheer amount of vinegar that was ingested each meal. Remember canning and pasteurization were not even invented when she began writing on health. Some items that would keep in cold storage, such as root vegetables and some fruits, but for others, the possibilities for preservation were drying, fermenting, preserving with sugar and pickling... which is actually a form of fermentation. Fruits could be dried or preserved with sugar. Vegetables could only be pickled.... either forming a "vinegar" of their own or by adding vinegar.

So a typical meal... especially in the winter... would have most of the vegetables in the form of pickles.... not all preserved with vinegar, but a goodly number of them. But that is not the whole story. Since one of my grandfathers kept to the "old style" of eating all of his life, I had opportunity to see for myself the typical use of vinegar... pouring it over a plate full of vegetables, potatoes, and meat, until all of them were swimming in vinegar. It would be my guess that the amount of vinegar consumed at one meal would easily be a full cup... possibly more.

Small wonder then, that it caused digestive problems that are simply non-existent with the teaspoon or possibly tablespoon full of vinegar that might be ingested in a few slices of dill pickle or in one's mayanise or salad dressing. And those who prescribe vinegar or lemon juice as a health aid for various reasons are only prescribing a teaspoonful per meal.

As always.... one should keep one's common sense faculties on alert when reading either Ellen White materials or today's "health" admonitions! And "laboratory experiments" are no where near as safe a guide as reading widely in nutritional literature. Copious comparisons enables one to readily sort out the nuts.

Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Apr 4 2007, 08:15 AM

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Posted by: JustTana Apr 4 2007, 10:38 AM

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Wow, I didn't think I'd get this much response with my little 'diatribe' but thank you all for the research you did. Very eye-opening information. Thank you too, Snoopy, for your kind response. kiss

I, too, remember the iceman. We had a little brown, two door model icebox and I remember getting ice chips off the back of the truck. Don't know how much 'dirt' there was on it, but on a hot summer day (Them is not tears, them is sweat!) it was a real treat to day nothing of the relief of having your milk cold again as well as other things.

Does anyone remember Fitch's Shampoo? It was the same color as the vinegar my Mother used to pour on her vegetables and one day I was asked to get her the vinegar which was kept in the one small storage shelf that we had for everything. The whole bunch of us erupted in laughter at the look on her face when she realized what I had done. Fortunately, she caught it JUST BEFORE she poured it on her food.

JT

Posted by: paleface Apr 4 2007, 11:43 AM

Yes! I do remember the "ice age" complete with a team of horses and wagon heading to the nearby river cutting the large chunks of ice and loading them onto the the wagon and back to the "ice house" as well as taking naps on the cool sawdust with the ice buried down underneath in the hot summer time. Those were the days.

Talking about milk in glass bottles. We had to get ours from the old milk cow with large handles. My job

was to strain the fresh milk and run the cream seperator to seperate the cream from the milk. Then wash all seperator parts with hot suzzy soap and water and rinse about three times to make sure the soap did not contimate the cream. The "blue milk" came out of one spout and the cream out the other. Don't ask me why it was called blue. Since we did not raise hogs, my job was to carry it out to the chicken house for the "old bitties" who seemed to relish their feast.

Result was a good set of muscles that I got teased about, but no one tried to push me too far. With a quick temper and fire in my eye, everyone gave me a wide berth.

Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Apr 4 2007, 02:27 PM

paleface,
Sounds like the farm created a force to be reckoned with! Farms will often do that.

PB

Posted by: Brenda Apr 4 2007, 02:38 PM

QUOTE(Observer @ Apr 5 2007, 12:50 AM)

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Posted by: mozart Apr 4 2007, 02:56 PM

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Posted by: princessdi Apr 4 2007, 03:00 PM

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Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Apr 4 2007, 03:14 PM

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A very perceptive youngster in our midst...



Posted by: Brenda Apr 4 2007, 03:43 PM

Now no need to be personal, I am not even 60 yet..... and things are a little more up to date these days in this country

Posted by: YogusBearus Apr 4 2007, 03:53 PM

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Posted by: Noahswife Apr 4 2007, 04:00 PM

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Posted by: lurker Apr 4 2007, 04:04 PM

It makes a difference where you lived. My folks lived in the urban north. My mom used a washing machine and hardly felt the depression. She had a job. My in laws lived in the rural south until my father

in law came north to work in the factories. My mother in law washed on a wash board and used a wood burning cook stove. She worked in the fields along with some of her sisters and brothers. My in laws came close to dying from malnutrition. In fact my husband's baby brother did die of TB.

But the first house my husband and I lived in, we had an outhouse. Yep. We OLD!

Posted by: mozart Apr 4 2007, 04:50 PM

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Posted by: daylily Apr 4 2007, 04:51 PM

Well, I'm not old and I grew up in houses without bathrooms. When I was 6, we had no water in the house. We had to draw it from a well and I was terrified of falling in that well. It looked just like a wishing well. My grandparents got a bathroom and hot water when I was 12 but at my house we never did get a bathroom jor hot water. My parents and I moved in with my grandparents when I was 16. I raised my three kids through the diaper stage without a bathroom and this was in from 1973-1979. We did have a bathtub just not a toilet because we couldn't afford the septic system. We used my grandparents outhouse. I do not miss those days!

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