

"The INTERNET"

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FACE BOOK. TWITTER. GOOGLE. YOU-TUBE,
I tube, WE ALL tube FOR JIFFY LUBE.
A WORLD OF TWITS TWEETING EVERYTHING
THEY DO - EVEN TEXTING THEIR TWATS TO
OTHER TWEETERS - YOU CAN GOOGLE THAT, GOOD
BUDDY.
500 CHANNELS AND NOTHING TO WATCH.
IF MALCOLM MCUNE WAS CORRECT BACK
IN THE EARLY 1960'S ABOUT TELEVISION
BEING ~~A~~ A GIANT WASTELAND, HE SHOULD
HAVE SEEN WHAT THE COMPUTER REVOLUTION
WOULD ONE DAY SPAWN - LIKE TODAY!
THE TRUTH IS THIS: THE INTERNET WAS
AND IS THE BIGGEST AND FASTEST AND
GREATEST COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK THE
WORLD HAS EVER SEEN; BUT THE COMMUNICATIONS
- THE INFORMATION - IT CARRYS IS NO MORE
OR LESS ACCURATE THEN THE PEOPLE THAT
USE IT; FOOLS USE THE INTERNET, TOO.
CROOKS AND LIERS AND THE LIKE HAVE THE
SAME ACCESS TO IT AS EVERYONE OR
ANYONE ELSE; DON'T EVER FORGET THIS FACT.
EXAMPLE: THINGS YOU READ IN WEBSTERS
DICTIONARY ARE FIRST VETTED AND DOUBLECHECKED
AND RE CHECKED FOR ACCURACY BEFORE YOU
EVER READ THEM; NOT SO WITH →

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SIGHTS ON THE INTERNET. NOT SO ON
PEOPLES PERSONAL PAGES, BLOGS, OR
OTHER INTERNET CONNECTED PLACES.
FACTS? YOU'RE AS LIKELY TO GET HALF TRUTHS,
URBAN MYTHS, LIES, AND RUMORS PRESENTED
AS IF THEY WERE FACTS - AS ANYTHING ELSE.
ALWAYS KEEP THIS IN MIND WHEN USING THE
VARIOUS APPLICATIONS AND ORGANIZATIONS
AND SIGHTS ON TODAY'S INTERNET.
IT IS THE WORLD'S ~~FASTEST AND~~ FASTEST
AND MOST MULTI-DIMENSIONAL COMMUNICATIONS
TOOL - ABSOLUTELY! - BUT THE MOST
ACCURATE? NO.

AND THAT'S JUST THE WAY IT IS.
SO, TO EXTRACT THE TRUE FROM THE
CLUTTER, ONE MUST CHECK, DOUBLE CHECK,
AND THEN TRIPLE CHECK (EVERYTHING
ON IT) FOR ACCURACY AND FACTUALNESS.