

Listen up you pricks, we have work to do.

47 upvotes | 16 April, 2020 | by OsmiumZulu

In the past handful of months we've doubled the number of subscribers here at RPC. At first blush this seems encouraging; we want to help others figure this out, right?

Well it would be good news except a bunch of you lazy jerks aren't even bothering to read the side bar, aren't abiding by the rules (rule 2 being the most violated), and aren't posting in OYS. ([u/coachdad8](#) posted about this [recently](#). Read it.)

Not having bothered to read the sidebar(s) you aren't even sure what the red pill is, let alone trying to swallow it. We've seen a massive influx of posts and comments that basically amount to this: "How can I use game to make my blue-pilled fantasy come true?"

News flash cupcake: the blue pill is a lie. That, in a nutshell, is why we are here.

So before you go and write that post, before you post that comment, think: have you actually taken the time to educate yourself? I get it. There is a lot of jargon, the secular posts are a mixed bag, and [u/red-curious](#) likes to write small novels for each of his posts. Trust me, it's worth reading and reflecting on.

At the end of the day if we let this casual knuckleheadedness continue on unchecked this sub is going to turn into flannel-graph bible study with the Flanders and the message will be watered down to the point of uselessness (i.e., salt that has lost its saltiness).

As mods we've let a lot of this low-effort stuff slide because this community has always had a vibrant "immune system" to react to the abject stupidity that occasionally gets posted here. Time to step it up a notch gents.

Oh, by the way, hello and welcome to the new folks.

We're here to help you.

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Comments

BRingco • 19 points • 16 April, 2020 10:10 AM

Yes! Please don't let this sub become like every other modern Christian forum.

Red-Curious[M] • 19 points • 16 April, 2020 08:04 AM

I endorse this.

coachdad8 • 3 points • 16 April, 2020 05:39 PM

I saw a huge increase in OYS posts last week. That's progress.

SkimTheDross • 2 points • 17 April, 2020 12:22 AM

You did some effective cage rattling

AnnaAerials • 3 points • 16 April, 2020 02:46 PM

Sorry, have I misunderstood? Is this sub for women also?

Deep_Strength • 9 points • 16 April, 2020 02:58 PM

Yes. The mods have agreed on that.

Mostly men post though, and there are men who think women should not be allowed. However, the current culture affects Christian women badly too, and women are rarely getting godly feminine advice from the Church either.

AnnaAerials • 2 points • 17 April, 2020 01:56 AM

Ok- is there a sister sub for Christian RP women?

Deep_Strength • 2 points • 17 April, 2020 04:00 PM

Not to my knowledge. You can participate here.

FrRustyShackleford • 0 points • 16 April, 2020 02:34 PM

Could you please remove the word "pricks" from the title? This is a great post but we need to cut down on the profanity (Col 3:8)

OsmiumZulu[S] • 6 points • 16 April, 2020 03:38 PM

Quit being a dildo.

FrRustyShackleford • 3 points • 16 April, 2020 03:50 PM

We aren't here to denigrate men - there is a fine line between a drill instructor imparting tough love on a blue piller man and ignoring the clear meaning of scripture, which is interestingly enough like the blue pill folks you're criticizing.

The abusive mentality will also only serve to attract men who are conditioned to take abuse, when the whole point of this subreddit is to provide men a place where they are NOT abused and in fact see through bullies and name callers to gain their identity in Christ. Feminists can only shame and name call. They have no substance to their arguments.

As a military man myself, drill instructors are of great help when they focus on conduct and not personal attacks on individuals. Name calling is indicative of a weakness. Powerful, competent, thoughtful people don't need to do it. The truth speaks for itself.

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FrRustyShackleford • 2 points • 16 April, 2020 09:27 PM

Forget me. What do you make of Colossians?

“Brood of Vipers” is not profane.

“Prick” and “dildo” are profane. Would you use them in front of your boss, grandma, or Jesus himself?

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FrRustyShackleford • 4 points • 16 April, 2020 10:38 PM

I'm surprised that “prick” and “dildo” are acceptable where you are from, but I would be wrong if I didn't challenge you on this matter-

In Colossians 3 and Ephesians 5, the “obscene” speech is sexual. No commentator, pastor, or elder would ever condone calling someone a “prick”. If you live in a culture that has normalized profanity to that degree, I would advise not being confirmed to that culture as it is depraved. I have checked three scholars (O'Brien, Bruce, and Moo) and all agree the word means profanity, especially sexual profanity.

Honestly, would you ever call your pastor a prick, penis, whatever, even jokingly?

Decisively, Jesus says that anyone who calls his brother an “idiot” is in danger of hellfire (Mt. 5:22) the issue is using insults against Christian brothers, and as such because Jesus notes that people can behave foolishly.

[deleted] • 1 point • 18 April, 2020 07:07 AM

Sometimes the best thing you can do for a man is to just call him a prick or a faggot. Sometimes, they're simply the most descriptive word available. Profanity has it's uses.

Whitified • 1 point • 28 April, 2020 08:27 PM

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But the point IS to denigrate men. As a military man yourself, surely you can see that too?

How else is the OP gonna beat his chest and convince himself he is the Alpha in this room? The Drill Instructor for God?

(<https://dalrock.wordpress.com/2016/11/03/gods-drill-instructors-language-warning/>)

As military personnel you should know that efficiency and effectiveness are hallmarks of a man.

Which means you also know OP could have summed up his entire post in one sentence:

READ THE RULES BEFORE POSTING!

But since OP's goal here isn't to communicate, but rather to AMOG, he deemed it appropriate to squeeze in all of the following vocabulary inside this thread:

pricks
you lazy jerks
cupcake
knuckleheadedness
abject stupidity
dildo
buttercup
need a loving oh-so-tender kick in the rear

But surely, a sub named "RPChristians", a sub that's supposedly against profanity and even against "evasions of profanity" (Rule 1 on the sidebar), surely the mods on this redpill sub would take a stand against such blatant denigration of men and use of profanities, right? Surely?

...Oh wait.

[deleted] • 0 points • 16 April, 2020 03:41 PM

Agreed.

Strict-Papercomment score below threshold • -17 points • 16 April, 2020 06:18 AM

Wow, way to show the love of Christ

OsmiumZulu[S] • 26 points • 16 April, 2020 06:25 AM

Way to demonstrate my point. Toughen up buttercup, this isn't a safespace.

Strict-Papercomment score below threshold • -11 points • 16 April, 2020 06:27 AM

I just don't get why you freak out because maybe people didn't see they need to read the rules?

OsmiumZulu[S] • 13 points • 16 April, 2020 06:30 AM

maybe people didn't see they need to read the rules?

You mean that giant banner on the right titled "r/RPChristians Rules" that they didn't bother to look at? The same banner with convenient links to the most useful posts here that comprise the sidebar?

I just don't get why you freak out

Because the people who are used to being spoon fed are the same people who need a loving oh-so-tender kick in the rear that they should have received when they were 5 but their parents were too busy masturbating to their 401k and nightly news instead of raising them.

Strict-Paper • -4 points • 16 April, 2020 06:36 AM

I don't see the big banner on mobile

OsmiumZulu[S] • 9 points • 16 April, 2020 06:41 AM

Click on the "about" tab

Strict-Paper • 0 points • 16 April, 2020 06:42 AM

Easily missed

Torn4_025 • 11 points • 16 April, 2020 06:50 AM

It's not always loving to be passive you know. There is a point where soft words don't stand a chance of getting the message across. So then you must be firm and perhaps crude to get people engaged.

[deleted] • 3 points • 16 April, 2020 05:27 PM

"You blind fools!" - Matt. 23:17.

There, better?

Seriously, appreciate the tough love.