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| BAINBRIDGE ISLAND MUNICIPAL COURT Kitsap County, Washington | Mail: PO Box 151, Rollingbay, WA 98061 Location: 10255 NE Valley Rd, Bainbridge Island, WA Phone # 206-842-5641 Fax # 206-842-0316 Email: court@bainbridgewa.gov |
| <p><u>CLARENCE MOMWAKI</u> Petitioner (Person Protected), DOB</p> <p style="text-align: center;">vs.</p> <p><u>RICK RYNEARSON aka 11/11/74</u> Respondent (Person Restrained). DOB</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;"><u>RICHARD LEE</u></p> | <p>No. 12-17</p> <p>Temporary Protection Order and Notice of Hearing – Stalking (TMOSTKH) (Clerk's action required) Next Hearing Date and Time: <u>3/27/16 @ 1 PM</u></p> <p>At: <u>BAINBRIDGE ISLAND</u> <u>MUNICIPAL COURT</u></p> |

Respondent's Distinguishing Features:

Caution: Access to weapons: yes no
 unknown

Respondent Identifiers

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| Sex | Race | Hair |
| M | WHITE | BRN |
| Height | Weight | Eyes |
| 5'8" | 230 | BRN |

The protected person/s is/are the:

- Petitioner who is 16 years of age or older and filed on his or her own behalf.
 Petitioner/s who is/are the following minor child/ren on whose behalf the petition was filed:

| Name (First, Middle Initial, Last) | Age |
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- The child/ren's parent or guardian filed the petition; or
 A person who is not the parent or guardian, with whom the child/ren live/s, filed the petition; and the respondent is not the parent.
 Petitioner is a vulnerable adult as defined in RCW 74.34.020 or 74.34.021 on whose behalf the petition was filed. An interested person filed the petition.

The court has jurisdiction over the parties and the subject matter. The respondent will be served notice of his or her opportunity to be heard at the scheduled hearing.

No contact provisions begin on the next page.

the end of the hearing, noted above.

The terms of this order shall be effective until:

Based upon the petition, testimony, and case record, the court finds: 1) that the respondent committed stalking conduct against the protected person/s; 2) that there is good cause to grant each remedy, regardless of the lack of prior service or notice upon the respondent, because the harm which each remedy is intended to prevent would be likely to occur if the respondent were given any prior notice, or greater notice than was actually given, of the petitioner's efforts to obtain judicial relief. **It is ordered that:**

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No-Contact: respondent is restrained from having any contact, including nonphysical contact, with the protected person/s directly, indirectly, or through third parties regardless of whether those third parties know of the order, except for mailing or service of process of court documents by a 3rd party or contact by respondent's lawyer/s. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Surveillance: respondent is prohibited from keeping the protected person/s under surveillance, including electronic surveillance. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exclude from places: respondent is excluded from the protected person/s' <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> residence <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> workplace <input type="checkbox"/> school <input type="checkbox"/> day care <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC EVENTS WHERE PETITIONER IS PRESENT |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stay Away: respondent is prohibited from knowingly coming within or knowingly remaining within <u>100 FT</u> (distance) of the protected person/s' <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> residence <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> workplace <input type="checkbox"/> school <input type="checkbox"/> day care. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> other: REMOVE PUBLIC WEBSITES WITH PETITIONER'S NAME FACEBOOK PAGE |
| The address is confidential <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The petitioner waives confidentiality of the protected person's address which is: 155 MADISON AVE N. BANBRIDGE IS. WA 98110 |

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Surrender of Weapons |
| Respondent shall immediately surrender any firearms and other dangerous weapons to the person or agency named in the Order to Surrender Weapons (Issued without Notice) signed by the court on this date, under this cause number. |

- The respondent is directed to appear and show cause why the court should not enter an order for protection effective for one year or more and order the relief requested by the petitioner or other relief the court deems proper, which may include payment of costs.
- **Failure to appear at the hearing or to otherwise respond will result in the court issuing an order for protection – stalking pursuant to RCW Title 7.92, effective for a minimum of one year from the date of the hearing. The next hearing date and time is shown below the caption on page one.**
- The respondent may petition the court to modify or terminate the order if the respondent does not receive actual prior notice of the hearing and if the respondent alleges a meritorious defense to the order or that the order or its remedy is not authorized by this chapter.

Warning to the Respondent: A knowing violation of this stalking protection order is a criminal offense under chapter 26.50 RCW and will subject a violator to arrest. **You can be arrested even if any person protected by the order invites or allows you to violate the order's prohibitions.** You have the sole responsibility to avoid or refrain from violating the order's provisions. Only the court can change the order.

A knowing violation of this order is punishable under RCW 26.50.110.

Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 2265, a court in any of the 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, any United States territory, and any tribal land within the United States shall accord full faith and credit to the order.

WACIC Data Entry

It is ordered that the clerk of court shall forward a copy of this order on or before the next judicial day to: BANBROGE IS. County Sheriff's Office Police Department **where petitioner lives** which shall enter it in the Washington Crime Information Center.

Service

The clerk of court petitioner shall forward a copy of this order on or before the next judicial day to: _____ County Sheriff's Office Police Department **where respondent lives** which shall personally serve the respondent with a copy of this order and shall promptly complete and return to this court proof of service.

Or Petitioner has made private arrangements for service of this order.

Or Respondent appeared; further service is not required.

This order is in effect until the next hearing date and time shown below the caption on page one.

Dated 3/13/17 at 2:35 a.m. (p.m.)


Judge

Presented by:

I acknowledge receipt of a copy of this Order:

Clarence Moriwaki 3/13/2017
Petitioner/Petitioner's Lawyer Date

Respondent Date

CLARENCE MORIWAKI
Please print WSBA NO.

Please Print

Petitioner or Petitioner's Lawyer must complete a Law Enforcement Information Sheet.

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| <p><u>CLARENCE MORIWAKI</u> Petitioner, <u>RICK RYNEARSON a.k.a.</u> vs. <u>RICHARD LEE</u> Respondent.</p> | <p>No. <u>12-17</u> Petition for an Order for Protection - <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Harassment (PTORAH) and/or <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stalking (PTORSTK)</p> |

➤ **This is a Petition for an Order for Protection against Harassment and/or Stalking as checked in the caption.**

I believe:

- I am, or the minor or vulnerable adult I am petitioning for is, a victim of stalking because
 - the respondent and I, or the minor or vulnerable adult I am petitioning for, are not and never have been related by blood or marriage, lived together, or been in a dating relationship, and
 - the respondent has been
 - stalking me either in person or (cyber stalking), and
 - repeatedly contacting me or attempting to contact or monitor me for no lawful purpose and his/her actions caused me to feel intimidated, frightened or threatened.

I am, or the minor I am petitioning for is, a victim of unlawful harassment because the respondent's actions toward me have seriously alarmed, annoyed or harassed me, or are detrimental to me and they serve no legitimate or lawful purpose. The respondent's actions have caused me substantial emotional distress or caused me to fear for the well-being of my child.

- The respondent and I:
 - are or have been related by blood or marriage, lived together, or been in a dating relationship
 - have not been and are not now related by blood or marriage, lived together, or been in a dating relationship.

I have given a detailed explanation below.

1. Who is the petitioner?

My name is (please print) CLARENCE MORIWAKI . I am the petitioner.

- I am 18 or older and I am petitioning on my own behalf.
- I am 16 or 17 and I am petitioning on my own behalf.
- I am the parent or guardian of child/ren under age 18 and I am petitioning on their behalf:

| Children's Name/s (First, Middle Initial, Last) | Age |
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- I am not the parent or guardian, but the child/ren live/s with me; and I am petitioning on their behalf; and the respondent is not a parent.

| Children's Name/s (First, Middle Initial, Last) | Age |
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- I am filing this petition on behalf of petitioner, (name) _____, a vulnerable adult as defined in RCW 74.34.020, who is a victim of stalking. I am an interested person as defined in RCW 74.34.020(10). My relationship to this petitioner is _____.

2. Who is the respondent? RICK RYNEARSON a.k.a. RICHARD LEE

The Respondent/s is/are 18 years of age or older.

3. Where do the parties live?

Petitioner lives in KITSAP county.

Did the petitioner leave their residence because of stalking conduct and that is the county of their new residence?

Yes No

Children named above live in _____ county.

Respondent lives in _____ county.

4. Where did the Conduct take place?

The conduct took place in KITSAP county.

• **Statement describing the victim/s need for protection from the respondent**

- Write clearly. If you need more space below, attach additional page/s. Do not write on the back.

5. Describe what the Respondent did or said that you think is harassment or stalking.

- You must describe what the respondent actually said.
- You must describe what the respondent actually did.

The respondent has committed acts of harassment or stalking as follows:

A. Describe the most recent incident of harassment or stalking.

Date and time (on or around): PLEASE SEE ATTACHED NARRATIVE

Location: AND ATTACHMENTS

What did the respondent do or say that you believe to be harassing or stalking behavior?

[Lined area for handwritten response]

How did the respondent make these statements? in person mail/written notes
 e-mail text phone social media (such as facebook and twitter)

other (describe): FAKE FACEBOOK PAGE IN MY NAME
"CLARENCE MORIWAKI OF BAINBRIDGE ISLAND" AND
"NOT CLARENCE MORIWAKI OF BAINBRIDGE ISLAND"

B. Describe other incidents of harassment or stalking. For each incident, include the date, time (on or about), location, what was said, how statements were made, and what was done to a victim.

PLEASE SEE ATTACHED NARRATIVE AND ATTACHEMENTS

6. How did the incidents you describe above make you, the minor, or the vulnerable adult feel?

CONSTANT ANXIETY, SLEEPLESSNESS, FEAR OF POTENTIAL CONTACT, UPSET OVER IMPACT TO MY REPUTATION, INTIMIDATED

7. Has the respondent used, displayed, or threatened to use a firearm or other dangerous weapon in a felony? Please describe:

UNKNOWN

8. Has the respondent previously committed an offense that makes him or her ineligible to possess a firearm under the provisions of RCW 9.41.040? Please describe:

UNKNOWN

9. Does possession of a firearm or other dangerous weapon by the respondent present a serious and imminent threat to public health or safety, or to the health or safety of a victim? Please describe:

POSSIBLY - RESPONDENT HAS DEMONSTRATED SOCIOPATHIC BEHAVIOR AND OBSSIVE HARRASMENT

10. Do you have any evidence of the harassment or stalking conduct other than testimony?

No

Yes. I have attached the following evidence:

Copy of mail or written notes

Copy of text messages

Copy of emailed messages

Copy of social media messages

Police report - BIPD #117-000145

Declaration or Affidavit from the following witness: _____

Other (describe): _____

11. Has/have the victim/s or the respondent ever requested or obtained protection from the other person in a restraining order, civil protection order, or criminal no-contact order? If yes, list the type of order, the name of the court and the approximate date, and whether the request was granted:

NO

12. Is there any other litigation between the victim/s and the respondent? This includes all matters - pending or past - such as parenting plans, landlord-tenant disputes, employment disputes, or property disputes. If yes, provide case number/s if known, type of case, and name of court:

UNKNOWN

➤ **Requests**

13. I ask the Court for an order approving the following requests for protection:

I Request an **Order for Protection** following a hearing that will:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No-Contact: restrain the respondent from making any attempts or having any contact, including nonphysical contact, with the person/s to be protected, directly, indirectly, or through third parties regardless of whether those third parties know of the order, except for mailing of court documents. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Surveillance: prohibit or restrain the respondent from making any attempt to keep or from keeping the person/s to be protected under surveillance, including electronic surveillance. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exclude from places: exclude the respondent from the <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> residence <input type="checkbox"/> workplace <input type="checkbox"/> school <input type="checkbox"/> day care of the person/s to be protected. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stay Away: Prohibit or restrain the respondent from entering or being within, or from knowingly coming within, or knowingly remaining within <u>100 ft</u> (distance) of the <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> residence <input type="checkbox"/> workplace <input type="checkbox"/> school <input type="checkbox"/> day care of the person/s to be protected. <input type="checkbox"/> other locations: _____ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: <u>ANY EVENT OF WHICH I AM PARTICIPATING</u> |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Evaluation: Order the respondent to have a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> mental health <input type="checkbox"/> chemical dependency evaluation. <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pay Fees and Costs: Require the respondent to pay fees and costs of this action, which may include administrative court costs and service fees and petitioner's costs including attorneys' fees. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Surrender Firearms: Require the respondent to surrender any firearm or other dangerous weapon, or any concealed pistol license and prohibit the respondent from obtaining or possessing a firearm or other dangerous weapon, or a concealed pistol license. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Duration: Remain effective longer than one year because respondent is likely to resume acts of unlawful harassment or stalking conduct against the persons to be protected if the order expires in a year. |

Emergency temporary protection (up to 14 days) until the court hearing:

- An emergency exists as described below. I request that a **Temporary Protection Order** granting the relief I requested above for a no-contact, surveillance, exclude from places, or stay away order be issued immediately, without prior notice to the respondent, to be effective until the hearing.
- I also request a temporary surrender of a firearm or other dangerous weapon without notice to the other party because irreparable injury could result if an order is not issued until the hearing.

What irreparable harm would result if an order is not issued immediately without prior notice to the respondent?

UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENT ON MARCH 30th -
CONCERNS HE WILL BE DISRUPTIVE

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Washington that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: 3-10-2017 at BAINBRIDGE ISLAND Washington.

Clarence Moriwaki

Petitioner

CLARENCE MORIWAKI

Print or type name

I agree to receive legal documents at this address:

This address is not my home address because my family, household or I would be at risk of abuse by respondent if I disclosed my home address.

Statement for Petition for an Order for Protection of Harassment and Stalking

March 10, 2017

Clarence Moriwaki, Petitioner
155 Madison Ave. N.
Bainbridge Island, WA 98110
(206) 491-2336

I am being cyberstalked and physically stalked by Rick Ryneerson, a.k.a Richard Lee. I am a private citizen and NOT a publicly elected official nor public figure.

Ryneerson/Lee has been trolling, harassing, and bullying me for months on my Facebook page, via private Facebook messages, text messages and a Facebook page I that manage, the Bainbridge Island Japanese American Exclusion Memorial. He has also physically stalked my home. Details and examples are included in BIPD Case Report #I117-000145.

After months of hijacking my page with his posts, I was first just annoyed, but became more anxious and concerned because of the growing frequency of his trolling and bullying. As I began to remove Ryneerson/Lee's posts, he simply accelerated his posting. At times I was receiving multiple notifications at all hours of the day and night, sometimes minutes apart.

Early attempts to warn him that I did not welcome his trolling, bullying, insulting and harassing me were futile.

I stated to Ryneerson/Lee that: "You have crossed a line. You are not conversing but trolling. You've demonstrated it over and over...Stop the bullying and attempts to hijack my party...Along with being insulted and offended, you don't get to define when I feel harassed." Please see attachment dated January 27, 2017, followed by a Facebook private message between me and Ryneerson/Lee on attachment "January 29, 2017."

Unfortunately, all of the numerous deleted posts are non-retrievable, but as an example of his relentless trolling and harassment, on February 4th, 2017, Ryneerson/Lee did post a series of I recall at least ten comments to my wall within one hour (some a minute apart) all of which I deleted, but fortunately seven were saved because he tagged me and they were saved as forwarded email messages. Please note the time of each message. Please see "February 4, 2017" attachment.

On February 5, 2017, Ryneerson/Lee began posting cut-and-paste comments to my wall at manic rate, with every post I deleted at least two would pop up. On Facebook private messenger I said to Ryneerson/Lee: "Stop trolling. Stop it. You are harassing, bullying and relentless. Stop. Your self-righteous reposting is the definition of harassment." The posts kept coming and I wrote: "Dude, I am going to report you to Facebook. KNOCK IT OFF!"

Rynearson/Lee's reply: "A differing view is not trolling or harassing or bullying. You are not a victim Clarence."

The postings continued and I wrote: "This page is my page. You are trying to hijack my page with your single issue obsession." The postings then began to accelerate and I wrote: "KNOCK IT OFF!"

Rynearson/Lee replied: "I am going to endeavor to teach you about mutual respect and diversity. Because you are a neighbor and you are in need." I replied: "OMG – respect? I have asked you to stop posting to MY PAGE!"

I finally had enough and said: "We are done" and Rynearson replied: "Oh, we're not done." Please see attachment "February 5, 2017, Page 1."

Within less than a minute after blocking him, I got a text message from an unknown number, which was Rynearson/Lee posing as reporter/blogger: "Mr. Moriwaki, I'm doing an initial story for a new and upcoming blog (ClarenceMoriwakiBainbridgeIsland.com) about your role as president of the memorial...Looking forward to you comment for the story if you are interested. Thanks."

I replied: "Of course, but first would you please ID yourself?" He replied: "This is Richard, of course, You have my number."

I replied: "Yeah, and this isn't trolling or harassment. Richard, your obsession is getting disturbing."

That turned out to be an understatement.

In 14 hours, Rynearson/Lee published a Facebook page the following morning, February 5, 2017 "Clarence Moriwaki of Bainbridge Island" complete with memes attacking me with the stated purpose: "This page is meant to be a discussion concerning our view that public figure, Clarence Moriwaki, President of the Bainbridge Island Japanese American Exclusion Memorial, is unfit to be the President or board member for our memorial." Please see attachment "February 5, 2017, Page 2"

After I blocked him, Rynearson/Lee continued to target me by hijacking numerous friends' FB pages and community pages, attacking, defaming and shaming me and bullying those who disagree with him to the point where he has been repeatedly unfriended, removed from pages and blocked.

Friends informed me of his actions, and one friend who Ryneerson/Lee attempted to hijack her page private messaged me: "I don't know him at all – and I just reviewed his Facebook page. He is on the attack but I can't figure out why...Richard announced that he is outside your house...(Ryneerson/Lee: "So I'm out on the public street now in front of (Clarence's) house talking to some of his guests (our mutual neighbors)...")

I replied: "Breathtaking. I hope that he is speaking metaphorically." She replied: "He just confirmed that he is. I confronted him on it." Fortunately, I was not at home. Please see attachment "February 7, 2017"

After being called out for assuming my identity, Ryneerson/Lee changed the name of his Facebook page to "Not Clarence Moriwaki of Bainbridge Island." Please see attached sheet.

Ryneerson/Lee continues to cyberstalk, seizing any opportunity to harass and bully me on Facebook, websites and newspapers throughout the region. For example, please see a recent March 3, 2017 post to the Peninsula Daily News, Port Angeles, WA.

Ryneerson/Lee has a long history of cyberstalking, defaming and trolling for years, being banned from numerous websites, blogs and other venues. I have enclosed a screen shot of a website "John Q. Public Blog" which not only demonstrates Ryneerson/Lee's history of cyberstalking, but the final comment by the blog host about Rick Ryneerson is an articulate description of how he operates and how he has harassed me and countless other people.

As demonstrated by Ryneerson/Lee's Facebook page, memes, posts, comments, constant cyberstalking, trolling and attempts to hijack other personal and community pages, his obvious goal is to embarrass me, degrade my reputation, intimidate, bully and shame me for not bowing to his demands.

The Bainbridge Island Police Department has just completed their investigation and they have recommended to the Kitsap County Prosecutor's Office that Ryneerson/Lee be charged with the crime of cyberstalking. BIPD Case Report# I17-000145

Sincerely,



Clarence Moriwaki

Ju ARRY 27, 2017



Clarence Moriwaki

So it begins. Stunning. Sad. Scary. Done in full public view. I hope that the victim receives the justice that she deserves from this bigoted assault. Please read the article and reflect.

The article states that after the perpetrator came into the office and assaulted the Delta Airlines employee who was wearing a hijab, she ran to the main desk of the Sky Lounge where: "Mr. Rhodes followed her, got on his knees and began to bow down in imitation of a Muslim praying and shout ... See More



Man Kicked J.F.K. Airport Worker Wearing Hijab, Prosecutor Says

A passenger faces hate crime charges after he kicked an airline worker in a head scarf at Kennedy and told her, "Trump is here now," officials said.



Richard Lee So what begins? You're not suggesting that attacks on Muslims are just beginning, or that bigotry against Muslim Americans is just beginning are you? Surely not.

<http://www.nydailynews.com/.../florida-man-attacks-muslim...>



Florida man attacks Muslim store owner in Queens



Clarence Moriwaki Richard Lee, for goodness sakes it's a common phrase. Dude, I'm rather insulted at your knee-jerk post, especially since you've been following my posts so closely that you KNOW that I've been making this point - not just with Facebook posts - but publicly for a long time, approaching 17 years here beginning with my work on the Bainbridge Island Japanese American Exclusion Memorial.

You weren't here on March 30, 2002, but at our first commemoration ceremony 15 years ago at the site, I invited a broad representation of faiths to participate at that event, including a muslim cleric from Seattle. As the emcee, I stated at that event that I feared for my muslim and Arab American friends after the September 11, 2001 attacks, which was still raw since it had just happened five months earlier.

I don't have to go back 15 years to explain or defend my strong public stance on standing up against discrimination and hate crimes. Let me refresh your memory of some posts in the last few weeks:

From December 6, 2016:

"Clarence Moriwaki, President, Bainbridge Island Japanese American Community (BIJAC)

My birthday was November 8th, and it was a wonderful day for me until 11 p.m. or so, when my birthday/election night watching party came to an abrupt halt. We sat in stunned silence when it became clear that Donald Trump would likely win the electoral college.

The following day, my two adopted Bainbridge Island moms—96 and 83 years old—treated me to a birthday lunch. Under a shared fog of grief and disbelief, we were trying to make sense of the election when in the middle of eating my udon

soop and tempura vegetables, the younger mom announced that while she hated to admit it, she felt sadder after this election than after the death of her beloved husband just three months ago.

We talked it out and eventually realized that this election season with its bewildering bigotry, prejudice, hatred, and vulgarity unearthed her deeply buried feelings of fear, loss, and uncertainty that she felt 75 years ago, when she and my other adopted mom were forcibly removed from Bainbridge Island during WWII.

The next day the issue of how to respond to the growing reports of post-election hate crimes was placed on the agenda at our monthly board meeting of the Bainbridge Island Japanese American Exclusion Memorial Association.

With unanimous support, the board voted to make a strong statement of our opposition to hate crimes and a call for sanity and safety in the form of an Open Letter. I was tasked to write the letter, which was completed before noon on Veterans Day."

And, of course, that Open Letter that I wrote three days after the election, which was signed and unianmously endorsed by the City of Bainbridge Island, Washington and more than 450 elected officials, groups, business, civic and community leaders and citizens.

<https://www.facebook.com/BJAEM/posts/1449090148453571>



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Richard Lee Clarence, I don't think your response was in proportion to my question. There is no need to get defensive because I offer an ever so slightly different view. Let's both try to celebrate diversity.

Reply January 21 at 2:04 PM · Edited

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Write a reply...



Clarence Moriwaki Richard Lee Your post was a direct call out to me asking for - or more like challenging and demanding - a response:



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"So what begins? You're not suggesting that attacks on Muslims are just beginning, or that bigotry against Muslim Americans is just beginning are you? Surely not."

Your comment was offensive to me, "suggesting" that I'm so stupid and clueless to think that "attacks on Muslims" and "bigotry against Muslim Americans" are "just beginning."

I responded to your demand, outlining the record of my decades of standing up against hate crimes and prejudice, of which your internet searching about me you know to be true.

It's not up to you to determine if I'm offended.

[Like](#) [Reply](#) [2](#) · January 27 at 3:06pm



Richard Lee I asked you what "and so it begins" meant. You claim that it was just a commonly used phrase that had no meaning that you inexplicably chose to use.

I only have your words to go by. If asking a question about the words that you choose to use in order to clarify what you mean (the feedback loop) offends you, then I don't know how you can possibly communicate without being offended.

[Reply](#) · January 27 at 4:27pm · Edited



Tim Jones Richard Lee is a self important prick. He's a lot like a newborn Christian who believes he's the first person to discover that

JANUARY 29, 2017

Richard Lee

JAN 29TH, 8:39AM

My patience is wearing thin. I waited to see what your response would be when I said that you have offended me. I didn't see any mea culpa or any acknowledgement of from you, let alone a basic apology. Again, you don't get to determine what I find offensive or insulting. Just wondering, in your own daily interactions, do you ever feel like

Richard Lee

+ [m] [c] [s] X

Richard Lee

+ [m] [c] [s] X

Messages from Richard are blocked. Unblock

any moment (the rhetorical "So it begins?" Good Lord, you do understand rhetorical vs. literal. Maybe not, even after I explained it to you) but you see it as an opportunity to promote your POV (of which I usually agree) and now you're posting, on my timeline, an argumentative demand to me. I actually agree with the bill you referred to that you just posted on my timeline, but I removed it (which is, you might say, My Wall)

Richard Lee

+ [m] [c] [s] X

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(which is my right, it is My Wall) because of your pious self-righteous audacity to write your bullying demand on My Timeline. You have crossed a line. You are not conversing but trolling. You've demonstrated it over and over. I wrote that in my response to you that you have been using the Google to look into my past. You did not deny it, but, of

Richard Lee

+ [m] [c] [s] X

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You did not deny it, but, of course, how could you? Your reposting of my YES! article (with the snarky trip down memory lane or whatever it was) showed that you've spent some time trolling my past. Indeed, right now about 50% or more of my time on Facebook is just reacting and responding to you. Man, you spend a lot of time here #gotalife?

Richard Lee

+ [m] [c] [s] X

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Remember your apology about your off-topic comment about the "Facebook" party? Where is that guy? With that party analogy, my Facebook page is like me hosting a party. Friends are welcome to comment, but as the host I have a responsibility to all my guests to try to keep it civil, and if someone at the party keeps butting in, trying to monopolize conversations, I as the host have

Richard Lee + [camera] [phone] [gear] [X]

Richard Lee

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Richard Lee

Plugging in late a status, and I don't see you speaking out strongly on this. At the least, my hope was that you would allow others (i.e., me) to speak about these things to people who presumably care about them, given that they are in your circle on Facebook. It is your right to delete posts from your wall, I get that, but why can't we have a debate about the NDAA or the bill to stop Washington resources from being used to comply with it or such things openly on your wall? I did not mean personal

Richard Lee + [camera] [phone] [gear] [X]

Richard Lee

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Richard Lee

my wall. I'm pulling you aside from my party out of courtesy to the rest of my guests.

I just now saw this, let me read it real quick. Thanks for reaching out.

Oh my, there is a lot here.

Yes, and your doubling down with your re-post only puts an exclamation point on my sincere message to you. Think and reflect

Richard Lee + [camera] [phone] [gear] [X]

Richard Lee

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Richard Lee + [camera] [phone] [gear] [X]

Richard Lee

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Richard Lee

is about things happening on your wall? I did not mean personal offense in asking why you haven't supported the bill publicly, but as I just learned about it recently, I really don't understand why supporting that bill isn't the #1 issue for people who (like us, I believe) want it to never happen again.



Richard Lee + [camera] [phone] [gear] [X]

Richard Lee

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Richard Lee

Clarence, I did not see this before I did the re-post. I can understand why you see my continual engagement on your wall as trolling; I get how it can be perceived that way. But I keep trying to engage with you on this topic because as far as I can tell, you are the most prominent spokesperson on this issue on Bainbridge Island, so if you truly support this bill or oppose the NDAA (etc.), then you have a platform to take a stand, and I

Richard Lee + [camera] [phone] [gear] [X]

Richard Lee

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Richard Lee

conversations, I as the host have the right to ask them to please cease and desist.

You are clearly a passionate person, but please promote your ideas and attract people to your own wall. Create your own party.

Stop the bullying and attempts to hijack my party.

Oh, by the way, I used a personal message and not posting this on

Wow. One thing I forgot to mention that I waited to wait to see your response to my being offered was a test of your

Richard Lee

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FEB 4TH, 7:28AM

I have to shower and be in Tacoma at 9 AM, but you are doing real-time trolling. Can't you control yourself? You are bullying.

By the way, you are also a bit of a sociopath - my feelings ARE my feelings, and your grandiose insensitivity that you don't think that you "said something worthy of offense?" is the definition of sociopathy.

Richard Lee

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Along with being insulted and offended, you don't get to define when I feel harassed. Both BIJAC and BIJAEMA are 501 (c) (3) non-profit organizations, not

Hit the return to early. To be continued, I am late meeting a friend for breakfast, otherwise known as having a life.

Okay, Clarence - we will continue this later, I hope because in

Richard Lee

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Wow. One thing I forgot to mention that I waited to wait to see your response to my being offered was a test of your character and sincerity.

Since you still have not acknowledged that you've offended me - even with my discussion in my message - but instead doubled-back on your demand for a response, I may have my answer.

"Continual engagement?" Your post, re-post and this very comment are the definition of trolling, relentless contact that harasses.

Richard Lee

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actualy I appreciate hearing your feedback; I do truly wish to understand how others perceive what I say.

One quick response - although I did not acknowledge it, I do not deny that you felt offended or now feel harassed. Your feelings are your feelings. I just do not think that I said something worthy of giving offense, and that certainly was not my intent. I hope you have a good breakfast.

FEBRUARY 4, 2017

From: Facebook notification+yrsq4b4x@facebookmail.com
Subject: Richard Lee mentioned you on Facebook
Date: February 4, 2017 at 7:22 AM
To: Clarence Moriwaki clarencemoriwaki@gmail.com



Richard Lee mentioned you in a comment.



Richard Lee

February 4 at 7:22am

A view based on facts that you do not agree with, Clarence Moriwaki, is not trolling or harassment. It is a celebration of diversity and a conversation. In this case, it's not even a difference of opinion for the most part, which we can disagree with, it's mostly fact with one opinion offered. Fact: Obama signed "Coming Soon!" into law. Fact: Inslee voted for that same bill that Obama signed into law. Fact: You publicly support both of them. Opinion: Politicians who violate the constitution are not good spokespeople for shaming others about the constitution. I hope that you will be able to see that people who share facts and an opinion you do not agree with (in this case that those who violate the constitution are not optimum when it comes to shaming others for the same) is part of a conversation and that just because somebody is different than you, Clarence Moriwaki, doesn't make them a "troll" or somebody who "harasses" or a "threat" or a "subversive." Let's celebrate diversity, Clarence.

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Date: **February 4, 2017 at 7:23 AM**
To: **Clarence Moriwaki** clarencemoriwaki@gmail.com



Richard Lee mentioned you in a comment.



Richard Lee

February 4 at 7:23am

Clarence Moriwaki posting around midnight? That post was an hour ago and it's almost 7:30AM here.

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Richard Lee mentioned you in a comment.



Richard Lee

February 4 at 7:27am

For the record, I think it's poor form to suggest somebody is mentally defective in some way because they have a different view than you do, Clarence Moriwaki. We've seen that tactic used in history before and it's not pretty.

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Date: **February 4, 2017 at 7:31 AM**
To: **Clarence Moriwaki** clarencemoriwaki@gmail.com



Richard Lee mentioned you in a [comment](#).



Richard Lee

February 4 at 7:31am

Thank you Bob Garrison for liking my comment. Clarence Moriwaki is telling me that I am somehow ruining his "party" conversation here by sharing a differing viewpoint. He claims that I am bullying and harassing him and that I am a bit of a sociopath for sharing my view on his wall as I have done. I desperately hope that he will come to realize that people who are different from us are not a threat and are not bad. Conversation and a celebration of diversity is a good thing that makes us all better. I hope I can convince him.

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Date: **February 4, 2017 at 7:58 AM**
To: **Clarence Moriwaki** clarencemoriwaki@gmail.com



Richard Lee mentioned you in a comment.



Richard Lee

February 4 at 7:58am

Clarence Moriwaki, why are you deleting all my comments to include comments that were liked by your friends Kevin Hicks and Bob Garrison? Why do you demand that your friends only post views that you agree with? Do you not celebrate diversity?

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From: **Facebook** notification+yrsq4b4x@facebookmail.com
Subject: **Richard Lee mentioned you on Facebook**
Date: **February 4, 2017 at 8:00 AM**
To: **Clarence Moriwaki** clarencemoriwaki@gmail.com



Richard Lee mentioned you in [a comment](#).



Richard Lee

February 4 at 8:00am

I think I understand why only one viewpoint might be discussed on this page. I hope Clarence Moriwaki will find that difference is not something to be scared of and that people who differ from us should not be demonized and shunned.

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Subject: **Richard Lee mentioned you on Facebook**
Date: **February 4, 2017 at 8:14 AM**
To: **Clarence Moriwaki** clarencemoriwaki@gmail.com



Richard Lee mentioned you in a comment.



Richard Lee

February 4 at 8:14am

Bob Garrison I hear that frequently about Clarence Moriwaki from people who don't agree with his politics. These are tough times for all of us regardless of our politics and life isn't a cake walk. I hope that Clarence Moriwaki does not demonize me and realizes that I am VERY invested in making sure Never Again. I hope that we can have a civil conversation rather than censoring and trying to control truth as we know it. We have to have the security to truly celebrate diversity, and if our deeply held beliefs are not being challenged...we are likely not truly celebrating difference. I am hoping that Clarence and I become friends as many people respect him. He has given me strong reason to believe that he is not interested in that due to my beliefs and my expressed opinions. I can understand how frustrating life is. I've been there. It's not easy. But any solution to our frustrations is going to come from conversation and being challenged and working together, I think.

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Richard Lee + [gear] X

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KNOCK IT OFF!

I am going to endeavor to teach you about mutual respect and diversity. Because you're a neighbor and you are in need. I think people like you and James Olsen who do not celebrate diversity need to hear from others.

Richard Lee + [gear] X

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OMG - Respect? I have asked you to stop posting on MY PAGE!

Yes, you have tried to censor me. If we were at an event with a variety of our neighbors, you would try to put your hand over my mouth because you don't want me to question your viewpoints or to bring up facts that you find uncomfortable.

We are done.

Richard Lee + [gear] X

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We are done.

Oh, we're not done. What follows next is done with love. You need my help to celebrate diversity. Should you reflect upon your behavior and your fear of those who are different and should you come to celebrate free speech and discourse in the future, please let me know.

Richard Lee + [gear] X

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person, but please promote your ideas and attract people to your own wall. Create your own party. Stop the bullying and attempts to hijack my party.

A differing view is not trolling or harassing or bullying. You are not a victim Clarence. You kick out guests that other guests want to stay.

Richard Lee + [gear] X

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BS. Let me repeat me party analogy: With that party analogy. My Facebook page is like me hosting a party. Friends are welcome to comment, but as the host I have a responsibility to all my guests to try to keep it civil, and if someone at the party keeps butting in, trying to monopolize conversations, I as the host have the right to ask them to please cease and desist.

You are clearly a passionate person, but please promote your ideas and attract people to your own wall. Create your own party. Stop the bullying and attempts to hijack my party.

Richard Lee + [gear] X

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It's diversity.

Why do you demonize those who are different from you?

The page is my page. You are trying to hijack my page with your single issue obsession.

I'm just a voice in the conversation. One that you want to censor because it's different from your voice and you do not respect those who are different.

Richard Lee + [gear] X

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response to me would be acceptable.

Dude, I am going to report you to Facebook. KNOCK IT OFF!

My wife posted that to you, not me. How is that for an answer? She was trying to demonstrate civil discourse to me and I had told her that it wouldn't work with you. Does that answer your question?

Richard Lee + [gear] X

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You are clearly a passionate person, but please promote your ideas and attract people to your own wall. Create your own party. Stop the bullying and attempts to hijack my party.

If you have a party, it's a political party and it's tightly controlled and isn't concerned with free discussion. A differing view isn't a hijacking.

FEB 5TH, 5:30PM

Stop trolling. Stop it. You are harassing, bullying and relentless. Stop. Your self-righteous reposting is the definition of harassment. Let me ask you one question - if your wife Hyland said to you, "Richard, I am offended, insulted and feel harassed by your

Richard Lee + [gear] X

Messages from Richard are blocked. Unblock

actions and comments" would you really say "Your feelings are your feelings. I just do not think that I said something worthy of giving offense?" if I said that to any of my former girlfriends, ex-wife or current partner, I would be sleeping on the couch for some time, if I was even allowed to be in the house at all. Please ask your wife if your response to me would be acceptable

Richard Lee + [gear] X

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Sunday, February 5, 2017

Mr. Moriwaki, I'm doing an initial story for a new up and coming blog (ClarenceMoriwakiBainbri.dgelsland.com) about your role as president of the memorial and your support for multiple politicians who expressly voted to make internment happen again. Looking forward to your comment for the story if you are interested. Thanks.

6:06 PM

Of course, but first would you please ID yourself?

6:07 PM

This is Richard of course

You have my number

6:08 PM

Yeah, and this isn't trolling or harassment. Richard, your obsession is getting disturbing.

6:10 PM

I am obsessed with making sure it does not happen again and I am obsessed with celebrating diversity and respectful discourse. This is not harassment or bullying. You said you would like to comment for the article?

6:12 PM

Then start respecting me
Then start respecting me by leaving me alone.

6:13 PM

Clarence Moriwaki of Bainbridge Island

facebook.com/groups/WorldWarIIInternment/

YET VOGANLY SUPPORTS JAY INSLEE (WHO VOTED FOR THE 2012 NDAA WHICH LEGALIZED IT HAPPENING AGAIN) & SUPPORTS PRESIDENT OBAMA, WHO SIGNED THE BILL INTO LAW AND DREW CRITICISM FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE ACLU FOR LEGALIZING INDEFINITE DETENTION

Write something on this Page...

Clarence Moriwaki of Bainbridge Island

February 5 at 8:28am

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1 person likes this and 1 person follows this

Message Now

FEBRUARY 7, 2017

Bonnie McBryan + [icons] X

am allowing time for it to be read -- then I will delete the thread. Thanks for your additions. Richard announced that he is unblock your house. You might unblock him to take a screen shot -- and consider calling the police.

Bonnie McBryan + [icons] X

and more at an accelerated rate to the point of being like wack-a-mole cartoon ridiculous...and honestly, rather scary. Agsin, I can't see what Richard us doing or saying, but you're apparently witnessing his obsessive and self-righteous hijacking and trolling.

Bonnie McBryan + [icons] X

FEB 7TH, 9:13AM
Hello and thanks for the friendship.
I am out of the country and not able to see everything that is appearing on my thread. I can see Richard Lee's long speech from this morning. I plan to delete the thread this afternoon but wanted to wait for your comments. I don't know him at all --and just reviewed his FB page. He is on the attack but I

Richard Lee
Richard Lee · 3 mutual friends
I'm outside on the street, in Clarence's analogy, after Clarence put his hand over my mouth and threw me out. So I'm out on the public street now in front of his house talking to

He is exhausting. I do appreciate your reaching out and deleting his comments, but do be careful, you may be the next target of his bullying harassment.

can't figure out why.
Meanwhile watching the demos vote -- painful.

Bonnie McBryan + [icons] X

Thank you Bonnie. 😊

Wow....well, since I have blocked Richard and apparently he followed suit, I can't read his posts, but after months I can guess what he is up to.

out on the public street now in front of his house talking to some of his guests (our mutual neighbors) as they leave his house, some of which appreciated my comments. Clarence has gotten the word out now and is rallying his friends. What should be a matter of principle is a matter of party (which is a theme here). It's not about what is right, it's about who you know and power and affiliation. Gang mentality and a tribal mindset, the exact opposite of what our nation needs.

Thanks Clarence. I've learned to be cautious after being targeted as well. He is exhausting and says he has nothing else to do all day but speak out on the Internet. I declined his friend request a long time ago and won't engage much further. Thank you for taking the time to respond to me.

Just a note of caution. As I was simultaneously PM with him asking - pleading - to simply respect my request and stop posting, he started posting more

FEB 7TH, 2:06PM
I just posted my response and

McBryan + [icons]

But there are assumptions with Clarence's model of the situation. And I am going to demonstrate the flaws of some of those assumptions with my civil discourse. The conversation must continue.

Like · Reply · 1 hr · Edited

Breathtaking. I hope that he is speaking metaphorically.

He just confirmed that he is.

I confronted him on it.

McBryan + [icons]

confronted him on it.

till advise you to get a screenshot of the entire conversation -- I don't know if you want me to reply on deleting it.

Would you do that for me?

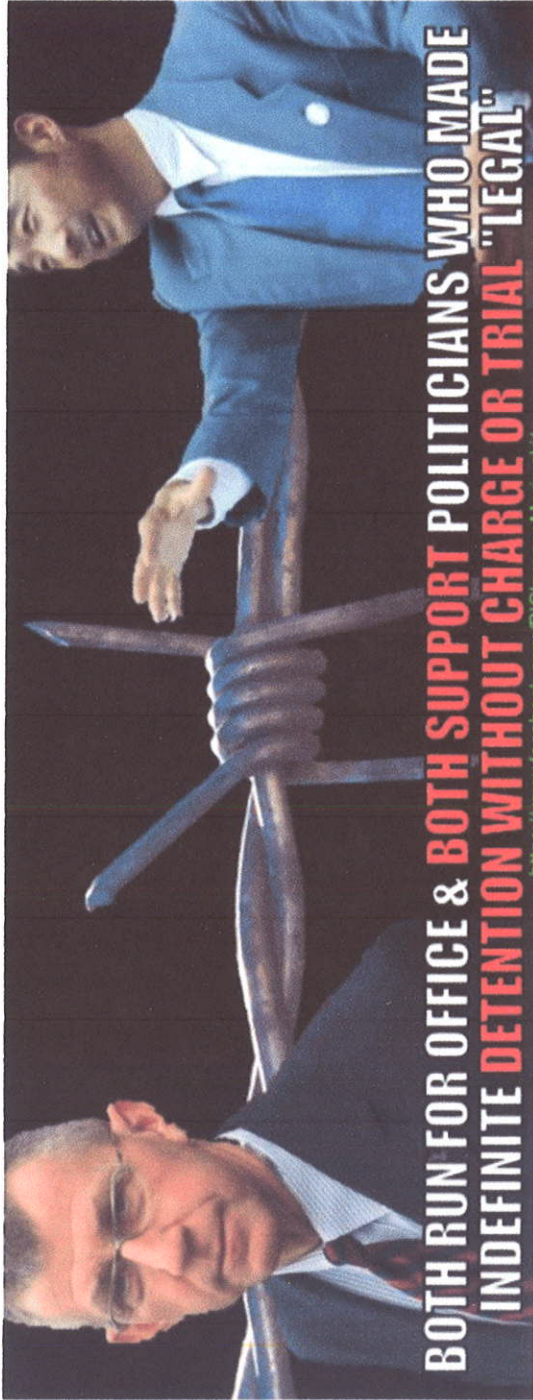
I'm shopping.

I try. Give me your email so I can send it to you later.

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Bainbridge Island
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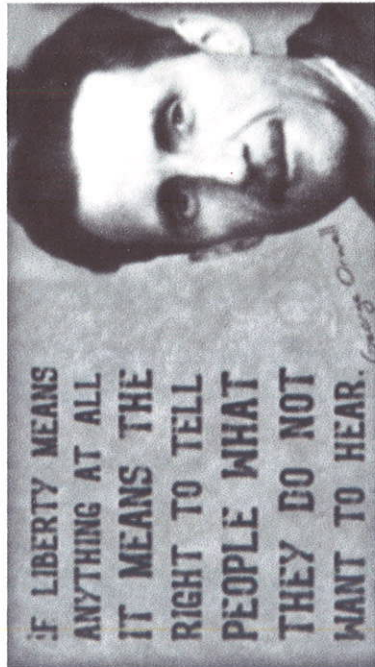
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Clarence Moriwaki of Bainbridge Island



February 6 at 8:28am

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That does not change our firm position, that Clarence Moriwaki should not be President, or on the board, of the Bainbridge Island Japanese American Exclusion Memorial.

Clarence has vocally supported two politicians who a) voted for, b) lobbied for, c) signed into law, and d) defended in court, the NDAA of 2012 which gives presidents the power to have the military arrest American citizens and legal residents in America -- without charge or trial -- and throw them into military prison camps indefinitely.

Our position is that the political advocacy (and professional political advocacy) of Clarence Moriwaki makes him incompatible with being the president or a board member of our memorial on Bainbridge Island. It's embarrassing for our community and it is, quite frankly, shameful and it brings dishonor on those who were in the camps and on those who will be again thanks to Clarence's loyal support of politicians who turned "Let It Not Happen Again" into "Coming Soon!"

<http://youtu.be/QsGJpTAsV8k>



Chris Hedges: NDAA Lawsuit

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Clarence Moriwaki, president of Bainbridge Island Japanese American Community, stands with Lilly Kodama of Bainbridge Island, who was one of the first Japanese Americans forced into an internment camp 75 years ago. (Jesse Major/Peninsula Daily News)

Japanese American recalls internment amid fears of modern parallels



Comment on: Japanese American recalls internment amid fears of modern parallels | Peninsula Daily News



Clarence Moriwaki
Jan 25

As the person who was privileged to give the presentation at Peninsula College, I wish that you were able to attend so that many of these questions and comments would have been answered. There are some misconceptions among this comment thread, so to avoid alternative facts, I encourage you to read the attached guest cover story that I recent wrote for the Kitsap Military Times:

<https://issuu.com/pnwmarketplace/docs/20170105140520208>

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Richard Lee
7 days ago

Clarence,

I have gone through your public Facebook page which is filled with your criticism of politicians like Trump and other Republicans and which has praise for Obama and Inslee. Inslee and Obama, of course, back in 2012 voted for and passed the NDAA of 2012 which authorizes the president to repeat what FDR did to Japanese Americans. I have seen not a single shred of condemnation from you about what they did, only vocal support of both politicians.

Can you please direct me to any public condemnation you made in 2012 or 2013 or even 2014 until now that rebukes Obama, Inslee, or any other politician for making it legal to repeat the camps? Also, any public condemnation you've made about Obama assassinating Americans without charge or trial outside war zones would be appreciated if you've made one.

Thanks in advance for any help you can provide on this rather dated, but still incredibly relevant topic.

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August, 2016 descriptive reply of Ryneanson's trolling behavior from the John Q Public Blog, on a page originally published July 3, 2015 <https://www.jqpublicblog.com/one-commanders-independence-day-message/> PickYourBattles.Net is Ryneanson's weblog, screenshot below.



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One Commander's Independence Day Message

By John Q. Public | July 3rd, 2015 | Air Force / Air Power. General. Government and Society, Leadership and Managing. Military. National Defense. Organizations. Veterans | 8 Comments



PickYourBattles.Net 8 months ago

Yet Tony is on the record saying he thinks it's okay for the U.S. government to violate the constitutional rights of Americans without amendment, so long as it thinks its acting according to the will of the majority of folks. According to Tony, we have no "inviolate" rights in our Constitution.

Tony has no idea what the fourth of July signifies. He is a politician and a poser.

(Admin note: when this poster says "on the record" he is referring to a casual online conversation. He is also mischaracterizing the content of that conversation and failing to provide the context within which it was conducted ... an abstract, academic conversation about the nature of rights and not an argument about the meaning of the Constitution as he implies here. If any of you have serious questions about Tony's stance on the Bill or Rights, feel free to submit them and we'll ask him to run a piece on the subject).

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MT → **PickYourBattles.Net** 8 months ago

Oh good... you.

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PickYourBattles.Net → **MT** 8 months ago

Yup. Me.

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John Q. Public → **PickYourBattles.Net** 8 months ago

Seems like as good a time as any to put this baby to bed.

The next time you stumble across a clue will be the first. Your characterizations about Tony are inaccurate, which is unsurprising since they're also baseless ... unless we consider a personal facebook conversation from three years ago (that you for some reason screen captured, memorized, and turned into a social media cottage industry) to be foundation.

memorized, and turned into a social media cottage industry) to be foundation.

But then again a person of your intelligence knows all this. While you never tire of accusing others of political behavior, you're a shrewd and dishonest opportunist. You get people talking to you in good faith and then seize on their comments ... removing them from context, re-framing them to impute your own meaning, and then using them as stone-etched epithetic strawmen to sustain your grotesque and useless ad hominem rants. You write entire articles and run entire pages impugning the character of private citizens based on their online comments in casual conversation. You do this not because you actually care about anything. You're obviously a self-obsessed nihilist happy to watch the world burn so long as you approve of the shape taken by the flame. But because you simply find it entertaining to harass people online. This makes you both petty and useless, which is how most people describe you these days when the name Rick Rynearson comes up. The description is usually followed by a lamentation that you have some good ideas but that discussing them with you isn't worth the trouble ... or the risk of serial defamation should a disagreement arise. You recently spent a blog savaging the character of John Tringali ... a kind and honorable retired officer, airline pilot, and family man who took the time to have an earnest discussion with you and dared to exercise his own conscience by disagreeing -- the very thing you claim is so important to our Republic. He paid the price. He's now a kind and honorable man whose Google search results are headlined by your savage character attack.

You are incapable of civil disagreement, and you're also incapable of reconsidering or reflecting or (gasp) apologizing when you get things wrong, which is often. It's no mistake you get banned from basically every website you frequent ... it's not because everyone else in the world is a fascist or a censor. It's because no one owes you to a duty to suffer your caustic approach, and dealing with you isn't worth the aggravation. You exist online purely to entrap, harass, defame, and vilify others. There's nothing constructive or inspiring or even stimulating about that, which is why your efforts have failed to gain much of a following. That and your lack of credibility, which is a function of serial dishonesty.

You don't know Tony and shouldn't represent that you do. You've never met him. You've never worked with him. You have no relationship with the man. The two of you have never spoken on the phone or exchanged personal emails. What you have is a delusion you've chosen to entertain based on a scant few online interactions ... or perhaps just a lie you rationally choose to project as a pediment for your harassments.

If you had any principles, you'd contain your critiques to the facts you can observe rather than pretending knowledge you don't have ... and pretending you're some kind of shaman of morality and patriotism. You can lay claim to nothing more than a personal opinion ... and you advance yours as poorly as anyone, attempting to support it with hate rather than evidence.


Anyone who has read much of the several books worth of articles published here in the last three years knows Tony's view on the Constitution and the role of the federal government bears zero resemblance to your contention above. Continuing to argue to the contrary because of some facebook exchange you had with him years ago makes you look like an idiot. It also makes you look weirdly obsessed given that Tony is a private citizen with zero direct influence on government. He works in the private sector and doesn't even live in the US.

Maybe at some point you'll admit what this is really about: you getting pissed off when people ban you from social media outlets after you make an ass of yourself in a way they're not willing to tolerate. Is your entire online project and persona nothing more than you tossing your rattle from the crib like a crybaby finance troop forced to work past noon on a Thursday? Sure seems that way.

You also seem to have less moral courage than you like to portray (note how I said "seem to" ... because I don't know you ... I only know your online persona). Seems to me if you had any real stones, you'd spend your time critiquing the establishment, which you imply is fascist and tyrannical without naming names. Instead, you "pick your battles" rationally ... opportunistically targeting and defaming people who don't have any official power. That's not risking anything, and it crumbles the core tenet of what you claim to be about.

Cheers,
JQP

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Pick Your Battles

...the mantra of those who don't battle

AMERICAN TRONS **BEHIND ENEMY LINES**

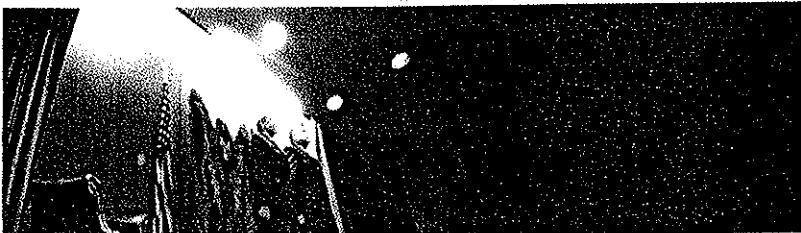
"...do solemnly swear that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic..."

"For the good of the Air Force, for the good of the armed services and for the good of our country, I urge you to reject convention and careerism..."
- Secretary of Defense Robert Gates, Maxwell AFB, April 21, 2008


"You will need to challenge conventional wisdom and call things like you see them to subordinates and superiors alike."
- Secretary of Defense Robert Gates, United States Air Force Academy, March 4, 2011

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MUNICIPAL COURT OF BAINBRIDGE ISLAND

Presentation of Evidence- Protection Order Hearings

Each court may have different rules and procedures regarding hearings. The following is information to assist you with your upcoming protection order hearing at the Bainbridge Island Municipal Court. If your hearing is transferred to Superior Court, different rules may apply.

Full Order Hearing

Each side will have an opportunity to present his/her side to the Judge. You are not required to have a lawyer for a protection order hearing and many litigants are "pro se" (representing oneself). If you would like to have a lawyer represent you, you must hire an attorney in advance of the hearing at your own expense. "Evidence" is what you present in court to prove your side of the case. Evidence can be your statements (called "testimony"), documents or photos. The following are examples of the types of evidence that can be used to present your side of the case to the Judge.

Your Testimony

You should describe for the Judge the reasons why you want the order of protection or why the protection order should not be granted. You should include information about any incidents in question. Remember to describe each incident by referring to "who, how, when and where".

Testimony of Witnesses

You may ask people who have knowledge about the incidents in question or corroborative evidence to testify at the full order hearing. Any testimony should be related and relevant to the reasons for the protection order request. You may present written affidavits or statements of witnesses. However, keep in mind that live testimony may be more helpful to the court than a written statement.

Physical Evidence

You may present physical items in order to prove your side of the case. If you bring digital evidence, you must either have it printed out on paper or on a CD/ DVD that can be admitted and kept by the court as part of the record. If you plan to present digital evidence, you should bring a way to play that evidence to the court (such as a laptop) in case the court does not have the program needed to play that evidence. Some examples of items that you might present include: Police reports, medical records, photographs, bills/invoices, letters, emails, voicemail messages, and video. You bear the burden of presenting your side of the case. The Judge and clerks are not allowed to do that work for you.

You must provide the other party an extra copy of any evidence you plan to show to the Judge. Providing this evidence in advance of the hearing to the other party will prevent delays. You may drop off a copy of any evidence to the clerk in advance of your hearing and the clerk will contact the other party regarding pick up.