
Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 01:29:48 GMT

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AK-47 with 125 rounds, most in three magazines
USAF issue .45 Colt with at least 40 rounds
Compass
Socks, shirts, BDUs, covers
Standard issue KA-BAR combat knife
Finger saw that tears apart wood
Three packages of medical supplies, US Army issue
Box of assorted MREs
Five gallon water container with purification tablets
Several pocket knives with eating utensils
Tent
USMC standard combat boots
Screwdriver and tools of that nature
Gemstones, crystal ball, quartz pendulum and pieces of rose quartz and raw emerald
MRE matches, about... 35 packages if not more
Batteries
Maglite large flashlight, police issue version
30mm GAU-8/A cannon shell (From the A-10 Thunderbolt II), useful for stabbing someone or hitting them in the head

That's all I can remember offhand. This is what I have ready in case of emergency... Such as nuclear attack, civil war, mass riots, food shortages, mass crime, or generally anything else a kit would be useful for. Additionally useful for deep woods camping.

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Posted by [U927](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 01:39:37 GMT

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What about shelter? A tarp might come in handy for a tent or insulation.

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Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 01:58:50 GMT

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"tent"

Did you miss that part?

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Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 02:03:23 GMT

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Call me paranoid, but you probably don't need an AK-47...

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Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 02:06:22 GMT

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There's lots of things you don't need, but I'd rather have an assault rifle than a hunting rifle if I'm worried about nuclear attack, civil war, mass riots, mass crime, and the remote possibility of invasion.

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Posted by [DaveGMM](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 02:32:39 GMT

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Crystal ball? Thinking of taking up a new hobby or something?

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Posted by [icedog90](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 02:32:40 GMT

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You have an AK-47? THAT'S AWESOME, show us a picture...

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Posted by [bigjoe14](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 02:39:27 GMT

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M1 Garand > AK-47

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Posted by [Jecht](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 02:41:56 GMT

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ROFL all i have is a tent, 22 caliber rifle and a deer cleaning knife(five inch black steel)

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Posted by [icedog90](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 02:43:36 GMT

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bigejoe14M1 Garand > AK-47

I looove the AK-47, I rock with it in CS:S too.

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Posted by [PointlessAmbler](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 03:28:18 GMT

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Do you practice with the AK at a shooting range?

Subject: Re: Survival kits?

Posted by [Blazer](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 03:41:39 GMT

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Aircraftkiller

Gemstones, crystal ball, quartz pendulum and pieces of rose quartz and raw emerald

WTF is that stuff for??

Subject: Re: Survival kits?

Posted by [csskiller](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 03:56:32 GMT

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BlazerAircraftkiller

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WTF is that stuff for??

To keep yourself entertained looking at "shiny things" OO, shiny lol

OR

Maybe to start a fire with?

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Posted by [cowmisfit](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 04:01:02 GMT

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If i've gotta defend myself in that kind of situation i've got a few deer rifles, 3 BB guns, 1 Desert Eagle (yes the real thing) , 45 Colt, Various knives and just my will to survive.

However if anything like that happens, i would probably drive down to my uncles house in Texas. He's got hundreds of guns i'd venture to say, and enough ammo to last at least a year or two lol. Big hunter.

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Posted by [IRON FART](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 04:05:43 GMT

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Posted by [cowmisfit](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 04:15:40 GMT

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I'd say to help start fires, scratch against things, or sell or something. Im gonna drive myself crazy with that one.

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Posted by [Crimson](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 04:19:32 GMT

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Probably to summon the Goddess of Light...

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Posted by [U927](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 04:37:14 GMT

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What about fishing hooks? It'd be nice to have some fresh fish every once in a while instead of an MRE.

Aircraftkiller"tent"

Did you miss that part?

Yes, I did. I blame you for making such a big list.

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Posted by [rm5248](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 05:35:32 GMT

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While you're at it you should stock up on some 'Gay Bombs'

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Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 08:33:46 GMT

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Misfit, I doubt you could fire an Eagle. It would either knock your small self over, or dislocate your shoulder. Those .50 caliber bullets are fucking huge...

If I ever get around to it, I'll take a photograph of the 47 and the magazines, plus some rounds. I'm a bit skiddish about showing it, seeing as how many of you would love nothing more than to find some way to get the feds after me for owning an assault rifle... Although I'm probably going to end up trading it in for a Steyr AUG, or simply keep the 47 and find a good AUG that's been slightly

used and end up buying it anyway.

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Posted by [Blazer](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 08:57:37 GMT

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Aircraftkiller

No, it's for sexual matters. One can't seriously go about fucking people and not need some kind of sexual stimulation. It keeps a man from going insane. The cahones are also very useful during masturbation and sperm casting, so they're going to be necessary for a survival kit... At least for people of my sexual orientation. I told you guys I'm a bitch, cahones are something important that I need in my sweaty palm. They collect and store energy, and release it when called to do so.

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Posted by [icedog90](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 09:29:48 GMT

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AircraftkillerCrimsonProbably to summon the Goddess of Light...Misfit, I doubt you could fire an Eagle. It would either knock your small self over, or dislocate your shoulder. Those .50 caliber bullets are fucking huge...

LOL.

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Posted by [tanhm07](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 10:08:30 GMT

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Aircraftkiller I told you guys I'm a witch,

witch: n. A woman claiming or popularly believed to possess magical powers and practice sorcery.

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Posted by [Crimson](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 12:42:54 GMT

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Phew. I thought it was for something weird.

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Posted by [cowmisfit](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 13:07:30 GMT

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icedog90AircraftkillerCrimsonProbably to summon the Goddess of Light...Misfit, I doubt you could fire an Eagle. It would either knock your small self over, or dislocate your shoulder. Those .50 caliber bullets are fucking huge...

LOL.

My dad would probably be the one handling that :rolleyes: I shot it once and hit myself in the sholduer.

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Posted by [Jecht](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 13:55:37 GMT

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CrimsonPhew. I thought it was for something weird.

LOL

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Posted by [Doitle](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 18:08:00 GMT

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I think you should add more water. The first thing that goes in situations of diress is the infrastructure; running water. 5 Gallons won't last you long. I know you said you had tablets but I'd just store more in the first place.

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Posted by [Javaxcx](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 18:13:56 GMT

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tanhm07Aircraftkiller I told you guys I'm a witch,

witch: n. A woman claiming or popularly believed to possess magical powers and practice sorcery.

Not totally correct. The other definition is:

witch P Pronunciation Key (wch)
n.

A believer or follower of Wicca; a Wiccan.

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Witches are both male and female. The female only stereotype is what has been propagated by Christianity and Hollywood for the past hundred years, when in fact during the Burning Times, many men were also burned at the stake for being witches.

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Posted by [Fabian](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 20:22:53 GMT

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This is true. Males died during the Salem witch trials.

But I still think all that gemstone stuff is...odd.

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Posted by [Jecht](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 20:31:50 GMT

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arent male witches warlocks?

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Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 20:42:20 GMT

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No.

Q: Aren't all Witches Women?

A: No. Neither are Wiccans or those in other pagan paths. Witches can be either men or women.

The term "Warlock" is never used to describe a male Witch as it is considered to be a religious slur. "Warlock" is an old Scottish word meaning "traitor" or "oath-breaker". Men and Women alike can be Witches, Wiccans or pagans.

I'm not just talking about the Salem witch trials. I'm speaking of the Burning Times, which is a period of history during which people like me were prosecuted and killed for our religious beliefs.

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Posted by [Jecht](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 00:59:32 GMT

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AirCraftKillerQ: Aren't all Witches Women?

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o, sry. I didnt know.

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Posted by [cowmisfit](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 02:03:01 GMT

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Aircraftkiller

I told you guys I'm a witch.

WHAT THE FUCK

When did you decide to be a "witch" , im actually pretty interested in learning more about this, i don't quite get it. I never would have thought there were people that refered to themselves as "witchs"

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Posted by [msgtpain](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 02:09:20 GMT

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Ack, are you a son-of-a-witch?

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Posted by [Jecht](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 02:20:25 GMT

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OMFG AHAHAHAHAHAHA ROFLMAO WAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA THAT PICTURE IS HI-LARIOUS!!!!

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Posted by [bigjoe14](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 02:31:07 GMT

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Lies.

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Posted by [Jecht](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 02:38:43 GMT

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i agree bigjoe, that guy is a quack.

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Posted by [glyde51](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 02:41:49 GMT

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OH DEAR GOD A NUCLEAR MISSLE!!! LET'S SHOOT AT IT WITH THIS HERE AK-47!!! OR BETTER YET, HIT IT WITH THIS SHELL!!!

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Posted by [csskiller](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 04:13:11 GMT

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glyde51OH DEAR GOD A NUCLEAR MISSLE!!! LET'S SHOOT AT IT WITH THIS HERE AK-47!!! OR BETTER YET, HIT IT WITH THIS SHELL!!!

Lmao

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Posted by [cowmisfit](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 13:22:38 GMT

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glyde51OH DEAR GOD A NUCLEAR MISSLE!!! LET'S SHOOT AT IT WITH THIS HERE AK-47!!!

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Your an idiot, its for protection when people start scavaging for food.

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Posted by [prox](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 14:17:42 GMT

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glyde51OH DEAR GOD A NUCLEAR MISSLE!!! LET'S SHOOT AT IT WITH THIS HERE AK-47!!!
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Aftermath.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 18:01:45 GMT

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Exactly, it's for the aftermath assuming I survive. Not likely considering Eglin is on the list of targets for a nuclear strike on the United States.

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Posted by [glyde51](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 18:19:02 GMT

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You're an idiot, it's a joke for people that like to laugh.

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Posted by [U927](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 20:36:14 GMT

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Another good thing to put in your survival guide are spices. Pepper, cumin, paprika, cinnamon, and various others would not only add more flavor to any food you find, you can actually trade it with other survivors so they can flavor their food as well. Spices used to be worth more than their weight in gold in the Middle Ages; it might be handy to have some with you in case civilization collapses.

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Posted by [cowmisfit](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 20:41:50 GMT

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AircraftkillerExactly, it's for the aftermath assuming I survive. Not likely considering Eglin is on the list of targets for a nuclear strike on the United States.

lol im on one of the top spots in the nation (proably top 5 - 7) to be hit since the US ARMY WAR COLLEGE is right up the road.

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Posted by [prox](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 21:14:29 GMT

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Tell me about it...I live in Queens, New York.

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Posted by [Jecht](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 21:42:44 GMT

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i live in a suburb of grand rapids in Michigan, not exactly a top spot either, although Detroit might be.

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Posted by [DarkDemin](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 21:49:28 GMT

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AR-15 Sporter with 3 clips and 500 rounds off .223 cal ammo

Glock .40 cal 360 rounds of ammo 3 clips

Glock 27 " "

Kimber 1911 9mm 1200 rounds of ammo 8 clips

Bushmaster 12 gauge Shotgun 30 rounds of ammo

Sears(1932) .22 cal rifle 600 rounds of ammo

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Food I will worry about later

...

2 Tents

...

10 gallons of water

...

other misc. survival stuff.

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Posted by [IRON FART](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 23:37:36 GMT

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Jesus!

How did you get your hands on an assault rifle? I'm looking to trade in some of my Uzis for something with more 'bang'.

When and where are you allowed to use it?

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Posted by [Spoony_old](#) on Sun, 23 Jan 2005 23:59:06 GMT

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Posted by [glyde51](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 00:12:27 GMT

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I'm glad I live in Canada, far away from you gun nuts

WTF do they bomb in Canada?

"OMG LOOK A NUCLEAR BOMB!!!"

"NOOOO!!! NOT OUR WHEAT!!!"

"BOB!!! HAS ANYONE SEEN BOB?!"

"This is going to suck, eh?"

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Posted by [cowmisfit](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 00:16:29 GMT

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Posted by [csskiller](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 00:40:14 GMT

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I guess you could put it thats way.

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Posted by [Javacx](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 00:51:38 GMT

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That's going to be fairly tough to prove when you have absolutely no point of reference to back it up.

Maybe Canada depends on Canada to keep itself safe-- it's been working for the last 100 or so years. Don't flatter yourself.

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this reminds me of homey's old signature, the Bismarck... I guess you haven't seen that

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Posted by [Hydra](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 01:07:12 GMT

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You've also said you're a Christian, so how about bringing along a Bible, too?

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cowmisfit

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Who wants to just Blame Canada?

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Posted by [Jecht](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 01:47:15 GMT

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IRON-FARTThey have a military.

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France is still your ally whether you want to believe it or not.

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France would backstab us in a second if they werent afraid of the consequences.

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Naw, the British think of Canada as the older, better brother of the two

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Posted by [Javaxcx](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 02:25:35 GMT

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=[DT=gbull=[L]=]France would backstab us in a second if they werent afraid of the consequences.

...said the ignorant nutjob.

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Posted by [IRON FART](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 03:07:03 GMT

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I heard France declared Jihad on the US.

Might just be a rumor, I don't know to be honest.

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=[DT=gbull=[L]=]France would backstab us in a second if they werent afraid of the consequences.

Exactly, they are NOT our allies.

Only blind ignorant forgien bastards (usually in the form of a canadian, not always but usually) think that they are our freinds.

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Posted by [Javaxcx](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 03:17:47 GMT

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And your nation wonders why the world looks at it in such a negative light. You're pulling a John Kerry here I'm afraid.

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Please explain how im John Kerry like at all?

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Remember how Kerry badmouthed the allies in the debates? You're badmouthing one right now. Kerry.

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Remember how the silly canadian made comparisions that don't make any fucking sense? Kerry would have kissed up to France and everyone knows it, he wasn't fit to lead this country at all, if it wasn't for his veitnam crap it woudln't have been even close of a race.

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Posted by [IRON FART](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 03:21:47 GMT
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Why the hell would France WANT to backstab you?

Chirac thinks that Bush is a twit and a big ignoranus, so he didn't support him in Iraq. That doesn't mean that hey are our enemies all of a sudden.

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Posted by [cowmisfit](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 03:22:44 GMT

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IRON-FARTWhy the hell would France WANT to backstab you?

Chirac thinks that Bush is a twit and a big ignoranus, so he didn't support him in Iraq. That doesn't mean that hey are our enemies all of a sudden.

Please show me one significant thing in the last 4 years they backed us on that did not have anything to do with them getting money and i'll take back what i said.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Javaxcx](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 03:23:39 GMT

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cowmisfitRemember how the silly canadian made comparisions that don't make any fucking sense? Kerry would have kissed up to France and everyone knows it, he wasn't fit to lead this country at all, if it wasn't for his veitnam crap it woudln't have been even close of a race.

Now you're pulling a nodbugger and taking things totally out of context. What's next, you'll hit puberty?

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [U927](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 03:28:58 GMT

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Why must every topic be hijacked in some way or another?

GOING BACK TO A TIME WHEN THE TOPIC ACTUALLY TALKED ABOUT SURVIVIAL GEAR AND LIKELY STRIKE LOCATIONS...

I'm not really sure if South Florida is a good location for surviving. The biggest military installation we have here is Port Everglades, which is basically a dock for the Navy.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [icedog90](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 03:47:43 GMT

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Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [IRON FART](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 04:49:36 GMT

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Quote:

=[DT=gbull=[L]=]IRON-FARTThey have a military.

How mature of you. It might not be as big as America's military, but then again, Army recriuters don't go talking to 14 year olds in high schools.

Quote:

Why must every topic be hijacked in some way or another?

The original topic gets discussed pretty well, then the thread gets shaky at about the second page. Third if you are lucky.

Quote:

France would backstab us in a second if they werent afraid of the consequences.

Oh please don't be silly. France's defence budget can rival that of America's Besides, they are our allies because they are a democratic nation just like this one.

Quote:

Exactly, they are NOT our allies.

They didn't send troops to Iraq. So what? They don't believe in attacking Iraq. They don't have to. Doesn't mean they are Enemies. If I flew over there, I wouldn't be arrested and be detained as a goddam POW. They are allies wether you like it or not.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [bigjoe14](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 05:14:34 GMT

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icedog90

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Jecht](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 17:51:52 GMT

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jokes are funny, you should laugh at them.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [glyde51](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 22:25:10 GMT

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I support France's notion not to go to war, I personally don't see a solid reason for going to war.

Don't pull that "To liberate the people" shit on me, it was at first a war for missiles and destructive crap, now they switched it.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [bigejoe14](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 22:50:30 GMT

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WMD's weren't the only reason we went to war. Sure, it was the main reason but we had other objectives to accomplish. Liberating Iraq was one of them.

We didn't change a single thing.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [glyde51](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 22:52:49 GMT

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bigejoe14WMD's weren't the only reason we went to war. Sure, it was the main reason but we had other objectives to accomplish. Liberating Iraq was one of them.

We didn't change a single thing.

No, our main reason NOW is "to free Iraq", when before it was "For weapons of Mass Destruction".

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [IRON FART](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 23:16:28 GMT

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Belief that Iraq had link to 9/11 attacks -> WMD -> Liberate Iraq.

When there was not solid proof of the first one (now confirmed) the reason changed to WMD and when there was no sign of WMDs, the Liberating Iraq reason was added.

Its not official that 9/11 had no connection with Iraq and now there were no WMDs found. Although Iraq's old government was toppled and as we all know Sadaam has been detained.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Hydra](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 23:21:26 GMT

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We have been over this many times before; the war was waged for three main reasons: 1) Saddam's failure to fully disclose all weapons of mass destruction in accordance with the

cease0fire ending the first Gulf War as well as numerous UN resolutions; 2) Saddam's harboring and giving aid and comfort to known international Islamic terrorist groups; and 3) to liberate the oppressed Iraqi people from a brutal dictator that has a long history of torturing his very own people.

It was ALWAYS for these three reasons. Stop saying we "changed" the reasons for the war or some bullshit like that because IT'S NOT TRUE!

Now, STOP DERAILING THIS THREAD!!!!

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [prox](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 23:33:25 GMT

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If that's true, then we would have gone to war with Iraq even if 9/11 never happened. Do you honestly think so? Okay I'm just kidding, back on topic

I have nothing stocked up . If there's a nuclear strike or some crap like that near where I live I'd rather die quickly...

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [cowmisfit](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 23:35:50 GMT

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Thats kinda sad. I have a distinct will to survive. I don't belive in giving up, letting your self just kind of die is the pussy way out, and i ain't going down with out a fight.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Jecht](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 23:40:22 GMT

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Them attacking us on 9/11 was large reason, just put into different words. Common mistake, i see how you overlooked it.

Subject: Survival kits?
Posted by [prox](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 23:42:23 GMT
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Quote:Thats kinda sad. I have a distinct will to survive. I don't belive in giving up, letting your self just kind of die is the pussy way out, and i ain't going down with out a fight.

I don't bust guns, I steal thongs.

Gbull: Quote:Okay I'm just kidding, back on topic [icon_wink.gif](#) [icon_razz.gif](#) [icon_biggrin.gif](#)

Subject: Survival kits?
Posted by [Jecht](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 23:45:41 GMT
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i know, thats why i wasnt harsh with you.

Subject: Survival kits?
Posted by [glyde51](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 23:53:54 GMT
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=[\[DT=gbull=\[L\]=\]](#)hydra1945---1) Saddam's failure to fully disclose all weapons of mass destruction in accordance with the cease0fire ending the first Gulf War as well as numerous UN resolutions; ---2) Saddam's harboring and giving aid and comfort to known international Islamic terrorist groups; and

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xC4pRoXIf that's true, then we would have gone to war with Iraq even if 9/11 never happened.

Them attacking us on 9/11 was large reason, just put into different words. Common mistake, i see how you overlooked it.

Iraq had practically nothing to do with this..

Subject: Survival kits?
Posted by [prox](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 23:56:12 GMT
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STOP .

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Crimson](#) on Tue, 25 Jan 2005 00:06:55 GMT

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No one in Bush's administration has EVER claimed Iraq/Saddam had anything to do with 9/11. 9/11 caused Bush to declare a War on Terror. He took care of Afghanistan first because they were housing the mastermind behind the attacks, but since it doesn't take all our manpower to hunt for bin Laden and rebuild, we could move on. There are terrorists harbored and helped by Saddam, hence they are a target.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [icedog90](#) on Tue, 25 Jan 2005 01:43:49 GMT

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At least Aircraftkiller was smart and put this in the Politics/Hot Issues forum.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [IRON FART](#) on Tue, 25 Jan 2005 01:53:53 GMT

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He must have a crystal ball. Keep in mind that he's a witch.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Tue, 25 Jan 2005 02:35:29 GMT

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It's not a necessity to have a crystal ball. It's just something that helps with meditation.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Javacx](#) on Tue, 25 Jan 2005 03:03:44 GMT

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bigejoe14...but we had other objectives to accomplish. Liberating Iraq was one of them.

We didn't change a single thing.

Heh, thanks for admitting it was illegal from the get-go. Coup D'etats anyone?

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Jecht](#) on Tue, 25 Jan 2005 11:27:16 GMT

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big joe didnt admit a single thing there.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [reborn](#) on Tue, 25 Jan 2005 12:52:41 GMT

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Aircraftkiller!It's not a necessity to have a crystal ball. It's just something that helps with meditation.

Yes this is true, i personally use a candle whilst insence burns as an offering, although sometimes i use a tibetan singing bowl. I always have something as an offering though whatever "vehicle" i use.

I find it stange however that someone who meditates and holds a stong religious preference would endorse murder (under any circumstance).

I am also interested in what type of meditation you practise, by this I mean "single-pointed meditation" or "contemplation meditation", if it is perhaps the latter then I would like to encourage you to contemplate upon taking life.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Tue, 25 Jan 2005 15:14:57 GMT

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Just because I'm non-violent doesn't mean I don't realize when peace won't work. Military action should always be the last resort to any situation, and defending yourself is always the last resort as well. It's not as if I'm going to take pot shots at people if the world ends... But in a situation like that, I need more than just an athame and a crystal ball. I doubt the gods would fault me for shooting up some poor bastard because he was trying to kill me and take my food and supplies.

I don't do contemplation often, if at all. That's the path of one seeking to be a perfect mystic.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Javacx](#) on Tue, 25 Jan 2005 15:58:36 GMT

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He said you went there to liberate the people as one of your objectives. You liberated that nation by overthrowing the recognized and standing sovreign government. That is a Coup D'etats. They are illegal.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Jecht](#) on Tue, 25 Jan 2005 17:45:04 GMT

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by that definition, are you saying revolution is against the "law" of the world? Or is that just a UN thing?

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Javafx](#) on Tue, 25 Jan 2005 17:56:05 GMT

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It is against American law as well as U.N. law. I would bet that in most if not all nations it would be against the law to overthrow the government by illegitimate means.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [bigejoe14](#) on Tue, 25 Jan 2005 18:24:04 GMT

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Quote:He said you went there to liberate the people as one of your objectives. You liberated that nation by overthrowing the recognized and standing sovrein government. That is a Coup D'etats. They are illegal.

So you're in favor of someone who killed and raped his own people for pleasure?

Subject: Re: Survival kits?

Posted by [Dave Mason](#) on Tue, 25 Jan 2005 18:40:43 GMT

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AircraftkillerTent

AircraftkillerThis is what I have ready in case of nuclear attack

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Javafx](#) on Tue, 25 Jan 2005 19:19:34 GMT

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bigejoe14Quote:He said you went there to liberate the people as one of your objectives. You liberated that nation by overthrowing the recognized and standing sovrein government. That is a Coup D'etats. They are illegal.

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Of course not. Legality and morality are two completely different issues. What is moral might not necessarily be legal. And vice versa.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [rm5248](#) on Tue, 25 Jan 2005 21:09:25 GMT

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Javaxcxl is against American law as well as U.N. law. I would bet that in most if not all nations it would be against the law to overthrow the government by illegitimate means.

But the problem with this law is that the government can't enforce it if they have been taken over.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Jecht](#) on Wed, 26 Jan 2005 00:42:07 GMT

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We went to war for three reasons, see hydras post of the reasons cuz im too damn tired of bringing them back up.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Wed, 26 Jan 2005 01:15:21 GMT

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Javaxcxbigejoe14Quote:He said you went there to liberate the people as one of your objectives. You liberated that nation by overthrowing the recognized and standing sovereign government. That is a Coup D'etats. They are illegal.
So you're in favor of someone who killed and raped his own people for pleasure?

Of course not. Legality and morality are two completely different issues. What is moral might not necessarily be legal. And vice versa.

Your legal argument is bullshit. We do not have to adhere to UN "laws," International law is mostly, if not totally, a simple choice of following or not. There are not often any consequences. The entire concept of the UN is flawed, the nations in it will not answers to themselves when they break one of these so-called "laws," the only laws that matter are the ones we have for our own nation... and we didn't break them.

Deal with it, and find a real argument.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Javacx](#) on Wed, 26 Jan 2005 01:20:58 GMT

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That's a dead end argument. You signed the Charter saying what you would and wouldn't do. Whether you like it or not, that Charter is a law recognized and ratified by many nations to keep relations peaceful BETWEEN nations.

The irony here is that by not adhering to said Charter, you would be violating contract laws that your own country has in place. So any way you cut it in trying to negate the validity of the law that YOU HELPED CREATE will still result with you in the wrong.

You may be lucky enough not to be punished for your crime. And so may France, Germany, and Russia. But the crime is still a crime nonetheless.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Wed, 26 Jan 2005 01:24:05 GMT

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It's not a law. Nations cannot answer to other nations, because then they lose their individual power. Nowhere in the UN charter does it say that we cannot go to war if we feel we need to, which is outlined in the framework of this nation - the leaders are to protect America and American interests and we do not need permission from anyone to do it. Otherwise we wouldn't have signed the UN charter if it took military power from us.

A crime is a crime, you're right... But this isn't a crime, you're just pulling arguments out of your ass. That ought to be illegal, you criminal.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Javafx](#) on Wed, 26 Jan 2005 01:35:51 GMT

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Aircraftkiller! It's not a law. Nations cannot answer to other nations, because then they lose their individual power.

Wrong! Any nation can choose to leave the U.N. at any time and go on their little wars however they want to "legally." You WILLINGLY gave up your legal power to unilaterally (not true for this specific case as there was more than just America who invaded) invade another country. Don't like it? Pay your dues that you haven't bothered to pay, and leave.

But let's play your game for a moment. It's not a law-- but wait. Then what does that signature mean saying you'll play by those rules? Hmm... A formal contract? I'm pretty sure it's against your own law to violate a contract. That's not pulling an argument out of my ass, that's applying your own laws (like you seem to be intent on doing) on the international playground [which, back in reality, legally you cannot].

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interests and we do not need permission from anyone to do it. Otherwise we wouldn't have signed the UN charter if it took military power from us.

Wrong again! Chapter 1 and Chapter 7 of the Charter outline you cannot do this. However, chapter 7 outlines a justification for doing this. Just FYI, Iraq didn't meet those conditions-- not even remotely.

Quote:A crime is a crime, you're right... But this isn't a crime,

Except you can't prove it

Subject: Survival kits?
Posted by [Javaxcx](#) on Wed, 26 Jan 2005 01:55:39 GMT
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Oh yeah, and one other thing... check this out.

<http://www.un.org/law/ilc/>

Take a hard look at the members. You might be pleasantly surprised.

Subject: Survival kits?
Posted by [warranto](#) on Wed, 26 Jan 2005 02:24:14 GMT
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1. Something can be illegal, and have no action taken. That is called forgiveness. It is not that it is a legal action (it's still illegal), it's just that no action has been taken.
 2. The UN is not a nation, therefore your idea of nations answering to other nations is flawed.
 3. Those are hypocritical arguments anyways. "Iraq is bad because they didn't listen to the UN! Invade Them!" followed immediately by, "The UN is flawed, and no one has to listen to what they say. The only law that matters is a nation's own law." Oh... then concluded with, "Except Iraq. We say they have to listen, because it gives us a reason to invade them!"
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Subject: Survival kits?
Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Wed, 26 Jan 2005 07:27:28 GMT
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It's a body of nations. It still means the same thing I was talking about, don't play semantics with this. :rolleyes:

There was nothing illegal about the war.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [imperfect3D](#) on Wed, 26 Jan 2005 11:19:05 GMT

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BlazerAircraftkiller

No, it's for sexual matters. One can't seriously go about fucking people and not need some kind of sexual stimulation. It keeps a man from going insane. The cahones are also very useful during masturbation and sperm casting, so they're going to be necessary for a survival kit... At least for people of my sexual orientation. I told you guys I'm a bitch, cahones are something important that I need in my sweaty palm. They collect and store energy, and release it when called to do so.

I sprayed hot coffee out of my nose on that one. Thnx Blazer. :sly:

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Javafx](#) on Wed, 26 Jan 2005 12:01:47 GMT

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AircraftkillerIt's a body of nations. It still means the same thing I was talking about...

No it doesn't.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Jecht](#) on Wed, 26 Jan 2005 14:53:50 GMT

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I believe the main purpose for the UN is combat any non-UN nations from attacking a UN nation. It did its job in Afghanistan, now leave us alone in Iraq, its non of there business unless they are willing to help. I dont know the UN charter, im just saying thats how is should be in my eyes.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Javafx](#) on Wed, 26 Jan 2005 16:57:20 GMT

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The "main purpose" of the U.N. isn't only to protect member states from non-member states, it's to protect member states from OTHER member states. Iraq was a member state, and so is Afghanistan.

That is why it was legal for member states to participate in the Gulf War, because a member was being attacked by another member and the Security Council deemed the situation in violation of international law. Member states were then authorized to aid Kuwait in removing Iraq from their nation. You'll notice if you ever read the actual official documents that your authorization in

Kuwait was limited to removing Iraq from it and not pummelling Hussien into the ground in his own turf.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [rm5248](#) on Wed, 26 Jan 2005 20:40:17 GMT

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Nobody enforces the damn law, so we can do pretty much whatever the fuck we want. That doesn't make it right though. Or legal.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Javaxcx](#) on Wed, 26 Jan 2005 20:46:43 GMT

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The "rightness" of the (any)action is nonconsequentialist as far as I'm concerned.

This means, essentially, that the rightness of the action depends on more than the ends which come about. Sure, breaking the law to some is "wrong", but in the longer run the rightness of the action (at least theoretically at this point) outweighs the "wrongness" of breaking the law.

But you are right, it DOESN'T make it legal.

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Crimson](#) on Wed, 26 Jan 2005 22:15:54 GMT

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Actually, they are:

to save succeeding generations from the scourge of war, which twice in our lifetime has brought untold sorrow to mankind, and

to reaffirm faith in fundamental human rights, in the dignity and worth of the human person, in the equal rights of men and women and of nations large and small, and

to establish conditions under which justice and respect for the obligations arising from treaties and other sources of international law can be maintained, and

to promote social progress and better standards of life in larger freedom,

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [OnfireUK](#) on Wed, 26 Jan 2005 23:32:24 GMT

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What about a book to read in case you get bored like...

erm i dunno Harry Potter

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Jecht](#) on Thu, 27 Jan 2005 04:39:25 GMT

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notice i said:

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Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Sat, 29 Jan 2005 09:23:54 GMT

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The UN deemed it illegal? Lets check the facts, shall we?

Lets look at resolution 1441, I'll take excerpts to prove to you its legality.

Quote from 1441:"Recognizing the threat Iraq's noncompliance with Council resolutions and proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and long-range missiles poses to international peace and security,"

Quote from 1441:"Deploring the fact that Iraq has not provided an accurate, full, final, and complete disclosure, as required by resolution 687 (1991), of all aspects of its programmes to develop weapons of mass destruction and ballistic missiles with a range greater than one hundred and fifty kilometres, and of all holdings of such weapons, their components and production facilities and locations, as well as all other nuclear programmes, including any which it claims are for purposes not related to nuclear-weapons-usable material,'

Quote from 1441:"Deploring further that Iraq repeatedly obstructed immediate, unconditional, and unrestricted access to sites designated by the United Nations Special Commission (UNSCOM) and the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA), failed to cooperate fully and unconditionally with UNSCOM and IAEA weapons inspectors, as required by resolution 687

(1991), and ultimately ceased all cooperation with UNSCOM and the IAEA in 1998,"

Quote from 1441:"Deploring also that the Government of Iraq has failed to comply with its commitments pursuant to resolution 687 (1991) with regard to terrorism, pursuant to resolution 688 (1991) to end repression of its civilian population and to provide access by international humanitarian organizations to all those in need of assistance in Iraq, and pursuant to resolutions 686 (1991), 687 (1991), and 1284 (1999) to return or cooperate in accounting for Kuwaiti and third country nationals wrongfully detained by Iraq, or to return Kuwaiti property wrongfully seized by Iraq,"

Quote from 1441:"Recalling that in its resolution 687 (1991) the Council declared that a ceasefire would be based on acceptance by Iraq of the provisions of that resolution, including the obligations on Iraq contained therein,"
(translation for this one: Saddam broke the fucking Persian Gulf Peace treaty)

Quote from 1441:"4. Decides that false statements or omissions in the declarations submitted by Iraq pursuant to this resolution and failure by Iraq at any time to comply with, and cooperate fully in the implementation of, this resolution shall constitute a further material breach of Iraq's obligations and will be reported to the Council for assessment in accordance with paragraphs 11 and or 12 below;

11. Directs the Executive Chairman of UNMOVIC and the Director General of the IAEA to report immediately to the Council any interference by Iraq with inspection activities, as well as any failure by Iraq to comply with its disarmament obligations, including its obligations regarding inspections under this resolution;

12. Decides to convene immediately upon receipt of a report in accordance with paragraphs 4 or 11 above, in order to consider the situation and the need for full compliance with all of the relevant Council resolutions in order to secure international peace and security;

13. Recalls, in that context, that the Council has repeatedly warned Iraq that it will face serious consequences as a result of its continued violations of its obligations;"

Subject: Survival kits?

Posted by [Javaxcx](#) on Sat, 29 Jan 2005 16:13:54 GMT

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The U.N. as a body hasn't deemed anything, yet. Legal or Illegal.

Now let's look at the very key statement that you, and many others have taken seriously out of context. It's your last paragraph:

"13. Recalls, in that context, that the Council has repeatedly warned Iraq that it will face serious consequences as a result of its continued violations of its obligations;"

This is NOT authorization to do anything. This is a WARNING that authorization MIGHT be given should Iraq continue to violate the law (that you yourself said didn't even matter or some variant thereof) and the terms of a ceasefire that NOT America, but the U.N. (Recalling that in its resolution 687 (1991) the Council declared that a ceasefire would be based on acceptance by Iraq...) put into place between KUWAIT (the nations helping Kuwait included) and Iraq.

You also forgot a pretty important couple of statements from resolutions that you would otherwise use to back up your claims.

Resolution 678, article 2:

"2. Authorizes Member States co-operating with the Government of Kuwait, unless Iraq on or before 15 January 1991 fully implements, as set forth in paragraph 1 above, the above-mentioned resolutions, to use all necessary means to uphold and implement resolution 660 (1990) and all subsequent relevant resolutions and to restore international peace and security in the area;"

(Article 1: 1. Demands that Iraq comply fully with resolution 660 (1990) and all subsequent relevant resolutions, and decides, while maintaining all its decisions, to allow Iraq one final opportunity, as a pause of goodwill, to do so;)

THIS is an example of what authorization looks like. Not some ambiguous warning placed at the bottom of a resolution. Look at the key features here that didn't exist in 1441:

- A) You have a date given to which, if no or insufficient compliance is obtained, you may use all force necessary to...
- B) Uphold a certain resolution. In this case it is 660 and subsequent and relevant (to which I'll get to in a moment) resolutions.

Resolution 660, article 2:

"Demands that Iraq withdraw immediately and unconditionally all its forces to the positions in which they were located on 1 August 1990"

678 and 660 say that you will have the authorization to remove Iraq from Kuwait-- not beat the hell out of Iraq in their own nation. CERTAINLY not authorization to initiate a coup d'etats.

So... where is this information in 1441? Was it just implied? Sorry friend, that doesn't hold up. Not even remotely.

See, the problem you people seem to have is that you think when the U.N. authorizes you to do something, you're given free reign over the situation. And you certainly are not. You're given stipulations to uphold so the situation doesn't turn into a blown out clusterfuck. That is exactly what happened in Kuwait in 1990, and that is one, among other reasons, why Bush Sr. didn't go after Saddam-- it would be ILLEGAL to do so.

Now, lets look at some relevant resolutions that you conveniently left out.

Now, keep this Article of the Charter in mind, because it is explicitly mentioned in resolution 686, and is reaffirmed in 1441 in its preamble.

"Recalling the obligations of Member States under Article 25 of the Charter,"

"Article 25: The Members of the United Nations agree to accept and carry out the decisions of the Security Council in accordance with the present Charter."

Now here is a pretty key statement that is reiterated through just about every subsequent resolution, including 687 and 1441.

Resolution 686: "Affirming the commitment of all Member States to the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of Iraq and Kuwait, and noting the intention expressed by the Member States cooperating under paragraph 2 of Security Council resolution 678 (1990) to bring their military presence in Iraq to an end as soon as possible consistent with achieving the objectives of the resolution,"

What is this commitment it's talking about? The same commitment all member states have. To the Charter. So let's take a look at that:

Chapter 1, article 2: "All Members shall refrain in their international relations from the threat or use of force against the territorial integrity or political independence of any state, or in any other manner inconsistent with the Purposes of the United Nations."

Now, I know you're going say something about the violation of the cease-fire. And I'm going to tell you why that still doesn't authorize you do to anything.

The cease-fire established in 687 was made by the U.N. and the U.N. alone. You'll notice the kinky way it works in that all nations in the conflict were member states and bound to it, which is why Kuwait (and 678 helpers) didn't do anything. If one side, namely Iraq, does not fulfill the terms of the cease-fire, that does NOT nullify it by your command. Since the U.N. made it, only the U.N. can determine it being violated (which they have) AND moot. Something they have NEVER done. You'll notice how 1441 recalls 687 as well in its preamble. Oh, and it does go forward to mention this little tidbit as well:

"REAFFIRMING the commitment of all member states to the sovereignty and territorial integrity of

Iraq, Kuwait, and the neighboring states,"

Oh, and don't try and use the Article 51 clause, because that doesn't work either. Since America and it's allies were working not indepentently in this operation, but as a compliment to the Kuwaiti force, and THROUGH the U.N. mind you, they have no independence in that context. That is, if you're attacked while carrying out the U.N.'s operations, that does not constitute a breach of article 51.

Subject: Survival kits?
Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Sat, 29 Jan 2005 21:33:02 GMT
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Kofi Annan was the only person in the UN that called it illegal while the rest remained silent on the issue... And we all know how much Annan's word is worth when it comes to anything in this world, he's a pathological liar.

Subject: Survival kits?
Posted by [Jecht](#) on Sat, 29 Jan 2005 22:20:56 GMT
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Truthfully, I would lobby for Clinton if it meant Kofi was taking a hike. And Im not exactly the biggest Clinton supporter.

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I really couldn't care less if Kofi Annan said it were legal, either.

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Putting an American in that role, no matter what party, would not help anti-Americanism.

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Javaxcxl really couldn't care less if Kofi Annan said it were legal, either.

Even though he's the secretary-general of the UN, but you peg the Bush administration for saying things you dislike... Go go Gadget contradictiveness!

Subject: Survival kits?
Posted by [Javaxcx](#) on Mon, 31 Jan 2005 03:04:33 GMT
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I haven't "pegged" the President on anything he's said. Bush's "foreign policy" is the only problem I seem to have with your President, and I could care less about whatever else he says.

Subject: Survival kits?
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