
Subject: France: statue of liberty replica & 9/11 plaque torched

Posted by [Blazer](#) on Thu, 27 Mar 2003 16:53:56 GMT

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French Statue of Liberty Replica Torched

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BORDEAUX, France - Vandals in this southwest Bordeaux torched a replica of the Statue of Liberty and cracked the pedestal of a plaque honoring victims of the Sept. 11, 2001, terror attacks.

The crowned head of the 8-foot-tall statue was blackened by fire and its eyes were marked with red paint, apparently to symbolize tears of blood, an official at the mayor's office said.

The statue and the Sept. 11 plaque are beside each other in a square near the city center.

The mayor of the southwestern city, Alain Juppe, condemned Wednesday's pre-dawn attack, saying the statue's message is especially pertinent in wartime.

"At a time when the world is living a major conflict, it is more important than ever to remain watchful of the values of peace and liberty," said Juppe, a former prime minister.

The Lady Liberty standing in New York Harbor was a gift from France to the United States commemorating freedom and friendship between the nations. It was made by Frederic-Auguste Bartholdi and dedicated in 1886.

Today, tensions between France and the United States have flared over the war in Iraq. French people overwhelmingly oppose the U.S.-led conflict and President Jacques Chirac angered many Americans by trying to slow the U.S. drive to war.

In France, vandals have ransacked McDonald's restaurants in Paris and Strasbourg, targeting the fast food chain as a symbol of American influence.

Cafeterias in the U.S. House of Representatives subsequently changed their menus to read "freedom fries" instead of French fries and "freedom toast" instead of French toast.

Lawmakers also introduced bills preventing France from participating in any postwar reconstruction projects.

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Posted by [KIRBY098](#) on Thu, 27 Mar 2003 16:58:32 GMT

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Posted by [K9Trooper](#) on Thu, 27 Mar 2003 18:22:53 GMT

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I say melt it down, and turn her into pennies.

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Posted by [Havocman](#) on Thu, 27 Mar 2003 18:47:05 GMT

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wtf? I got a message from my GF today saying that French fries are now called freedom fries, in our school.

freaking, froo froo skinny bread eating wimps!!

Subject: France: statue of liberty replica & 9/11 plaque torched
Posted by [Crimson](#) on Thu, 27 Mar 2003 19:24:40 GMT

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Re: Subject

Who's Frances? Has she been arrested yet?

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Posted by [KIRBY098](#) on Thu, 27 Mar 2003 19:33:07 GMT

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You know.....Frances Chirac.

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Posted by [Blazer](#) on Thu, 27 Mar 2003 20:01:23 GMT

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Nice subtle way of pointing out my typo :biggrin:

Here's a picture of what the fuckers did:

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Posted by [Havocman](#) on Thu, 27 Mar 2003 20:36:52 GMT

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:rolleyes: C'mon now.

No one deserves that regardless of thier views on this war. People who do that are on the same level as Saadaam. The very reason we're over there, is to prevent random evil like what you are talking about. Why should they live in fear?

I hope you are man enough to go over there, and see what you can do for them.

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Posted by [Blazer](#) on Thu, 27 Mar 2003 20:49:42 GMT

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That's a bit harsh. Yeah some people are ticked about the way France is acting about the war, but that's not reason to go on a witch hunt. IMO that action was worse than the defacing of the liberty monument. I'm sure it's a much bigger crime in the eyes of the law too.

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Posted by [Commando no. 448](#) on Thu, 27 Mar 2003 20:52:40 GMT

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Posted by [spotelmo](#) on Thu, 27 Mar 2003 22:02:00 GMT

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Posted by [Commando no. 448](#) on Thu, 27 Mar 2003 22:21:44 GMT

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Oh shoot didn't mean it like that. I mean I can understand them targetting public property but I don't see why they attack private property. =

Subject: France: statue of liberty replica & 9/11 plaque torched
Posted by [Carl](#) on Thu, 27 Mar 2003 22:58:36 GMT
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Posted by [Havocman](#) on Thu, 27 Mar 2003 23:14:12 GMT
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well they are.

The Couple is hauling away there burnt bashed car away now.

some people at the other blocks are showing some support for them.

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Posted by [Commando no. 448](#) on Thu, 27 Mar 2003 23:52:40 GMT
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Tell them they are receiving condolences from those you know online. Troubled times we are in. This war is making enemies of everyone. Let's hope the dust settles with the rest of the world intact. Especially the UN and Iraq.

Subject: France: statue of liberty replica & 9/11 plaque torched
Posted by [Nodbugger](#) on Fri, 28 Mar 2003 01:39:45 GMT
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Posted by [Sir Phoenixx](#) on Fri, 28 Mar 2003 02:48:43 GMT

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OMG Moron, LOL!!!

Send some of those prostitutes over here!!!

(I tried to resist the urge to call you a moron, but that error was just too big. Remember, it's prosecute, not prostitute)

And all of this grafiti on French homes, destroying French property, etc. is racism/bigotry/prejudice/etc. at it's worst. People who do this make me sick, people who think this is alright make me sick, people who think any form of this is alright make me sick.

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Posted by [Javaxcx](#) on Fri, 28 Mar 2003 03:10:00 GMT

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Looks like they're striking back after all the Frog comments. O.O

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Posted by [K9Trooper](#) on Fri, 28 Mar 2003 05:01:26 GMT

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I'm sorry, but I would much rather they go to jail, and not work the streets. I've seen some of the protesters...and you wouldn't want them "Prostituted".

LOL

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Posted by [spotelmo](#) on Fri, 28 Mar 2003 09:49:53 GMT

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actually, it was kind of a tribute to an old joke that includes something like "violators will be prostituted" i had been awake over 24hours at the time due to work and family committments and when i get tired, my sense of humor gets even more stupid/warped than normal.

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Posted by [Duke of Nukes](#) on Fri, 28 Mar 2003 18:24:40 GMT

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at least there aren't French concentration camps...right? America has come a long way since WWII...and I was hoping that racism like that had been gone...but it seems old habits die hard

and I got what you said elmo...me and my friends used to say that all the time..."NO

TRESSPASSING. Violators will be prostituted"

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Posted by [warranto](#) on Fri, 28 Mar 2003 19:21:27 GMT

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Well, as the ancient Chinese curse goes, "May you live in interesting times". And seeing everyting thats happening in the world right now, these are definately interesting times.

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Posted by [KIRBY098](#) on Fri, 28 Mar 2003 19:28:12 GMT

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I'm far more concerned about SARS.

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Posted by [Blazer](#) on Fri, 28 Mar 2003 21:39:14 GMT

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I think it was obvious that "all of france" didn't take part in the vandalism. Although to be honest I'm sure a large number of them found it amusing...which is pretty sad considering it was a gift symbolizing our friendship. Torching the 9/11 plaque was in very poor taste as well. Anyone who has no respect for dead innocents has serious issues.

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has been destroyed?)

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Posted by [\[sg\]theOne](#) on Fri, 28 Mar 2003 23:20:37 GMT

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Who ever did this is an enemy of America.

End of story.

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Posted by [Blazer](#) on Sat, 29 Mar 2003 00:04:17 GMT

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The original topic was "France torches statue of liberty and 9/11 plaque". Due to subject length restrictions I wasn't able to put "replica" in there so I had "France" so people wouldn't think it what the statue of liberty HERE that was torched. Anyhow I never meant for it to indicate that "all of france" took part in the vandalism, but some people like to nitpick so I changed it.

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Posted by [spotelmo](#) on Sat, 29 Mar 2003 10:20:59 GMT

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kmart pretty much destroyed their electronics section along with the rest of their business. pretty safe bet they won't come out of bankruptcy.

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Posted by [Carl](#) on Sat, 29 Mar 2003 22:52:58 GMT

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K Mart is Wal-Mart for trailer trash !

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Posted by [Duke of Nukes](#) on Sat, 29 Mar 2003 23:55:39 GMT

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I used to like K Mart...about 10 years ago...when I was 8

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Posted by [spotelmo](#) on Sun, 30 Mar 2003 14:24:29 GMT

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i just found out that kmart has been told by the court to write off any debts under 1 million. that basically means that any supplier/vendor who did/does business with them won't be able to collect from them if they are owed under 1 million. that's just one more way liberal courts are fucking up our country. companies like my wife's who are already struggling in this economy need to be paid for the services rendered otherwise there will be more bankrupt companies. i just find it ridiculous that companies like kmart can be allowed to keep running and wasting money on high priced executives while fucking over their vendors.

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Posted by [Carl](#) on Mon, 31 Mar 2003 18:28:20 GMT

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Posted by [K9Trooper](#) on Tue, 01 Apr 2003 06:08:36 GMT

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Posted by [spotelmo](#) on Tue, 01 Apr 2003 06:58:50 GMT

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enron WAS a clinton disaster. the reason it came out during bush was because the bush

administration refused to help them out the way clinton did. if the bush administration had covered for them for 2 months like they asked, none of us would have ever known about it. and they would be still swindling stockholders today.

now, what are the 'other things linked with conservative' that you would like to discuss?
