Posted by robijn on Tue, 24 Jan 1995 15:22:27 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message In article <3g1hho\$qj@post.gsfc.nasa.gov>, William Thompson <thompson@orpheus.nascom.nasa.gov> wrote: > eilara@ccsg.tau.ac.il (Ran Eilam) writes: >> well i get these DNS errors while trying to ftp, or to WWW to >> ftp.vni.com or http://doc.boulder.vni.com/ > > Hmmm, I get the same error from ftp.vni.com, though no problems using the http > server. I suspect it's their problem. > Guess so. Here's what I get: % ftp ftp.vni.com Connected to doc.boulder.vni.com. 220 Boulder. VNI. COM FTP server (Version 5.16.94/lentz): Connection refused. Name (ftp.vni.com:robijn): anonymous 530- Sorry, we're unable to map your IP address to a hostname) 530- in the DNS. This is probably because your nameserver does not have) 530- matching A and PTR record for your address in its tables, or because) 530- your reverse nameservers are not registered. We refuse service to) 530- hosts whose names we cannot resolve. If this is simply because your) 530- nameserver is hard to reach or slow to respond then try again in a) 530- minute or so, and perhaps our nameserver will have your hostname in) 530- its cache by then. If not, try reaching us from a host that is in) 530- the DNS or have your system administrator fix your servers.) 530 User anonymous access denied... Login failed. If I read this correctly, THEIR nameserver can't handle normal IP addresses. Frank / / Frank Robijn URL: http://WWW.Strw.LeidenUniv.NL/~robijn/ / / Sterrewacht Leiden Internet: Robijn@Strw.LeidenUniv.NL / \ Phone (31) 71 275841 Bitnet: Robijn@HLERUL51 / \ Fax: (31) 71 275819 Local: Robijn@HL628 Snail: P.O.Box 9513, 2300 RA Leiden, The Netherlands

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