
Subject: Re: spreadable meat

Posted by [Rick Towler](#) on Tue, 27 Apr 2004 20:47:55 GMT

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"David Fanning" wrote...

> R.G. Stockwell writes:

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>> Hey! I am sick and tired of all these IDL programming posts showing up
>> in my incestuous-necro-bestiality newsgroup!

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>> While I am greatly amused by the subject lines of some of these
>> posts anyone have any great ideas on how to reduce the impact of
>> all these spam messages?

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> There must be news servers and then news servers. I find
> something I might call SPAM on this newsgroup (other than
> my own posts, of course) perhaps 1-2 times a month, at most.
> I don't know who's doing the filtering, but thank God for it! :-)

I second this, our news server here at UW does a fairly good job (3 questionable messages in the past 5 days) but at home, the comcast news server is considerably worse. I think ISP's like comcast and quest deliberately fail to provide filtering on their "free" news servers in order to sell their premium services.

Does your news reader allow you to define rules for hiding/deleting messages?

-Rick
