

A Few Minutes with the Boss

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It gets better every day

More good news on cops since we last met a couple of weeks ago. Okay, I'm being sarcastic, but here are some fine examples.

- Ferguson, MO folks are rioting and protesting again. Many have been arrested for a variety of “peaceful” criminal activities.

One guy, a black fellow, was shot by plainclothes detectives after he shot at the cops. His father says it was a bunch of lies. But how do you explain the bullet holes in the cop's SUV and the fact he had a gun and was observed shooting?

Protestors say it was not fair to send in plainclothes cops into their area to fool the people. The shooter didn't know they were cops. They all make so much sense out there, acting up a year after the original shooting they were memorializing. And actually something they claimed to be true but was found to be a lie and untrue in numerous venues.

So in this recent incident, I guess it would have been okay to gun down civilians since he didn't know he was shooting at cops. But we all know what some of these people are full of, plus the opportunity to commit crime and get some goodies.

- On a cable news show, a white liberal was trying to explain the above shooting by saying these people were having the imagery of 1965 Selma and other places of cops with dogs harassing black folks. Never mind that some of these current protestors were not even born then and have no clue what happened in 1965. The anchor told the guy – can you speed up to 2015; I haven't got all night. Classic.
- Then there was the sight of a burned and roasted dead pig with a police-type hat on with the name Darren Wilson on its bacon. Tell me again how people like and respect cops.
- Then there was a local article on how “we” — I guess that's the press, politicians and the public — need to reign in public workers' unions like police and fire to control the cops and firemen. What? You talking to me? You must be; there's nobody else here.
- Again, numerous articles on how our pensions and retirement need to be reduced because it's not in line with the public sector and we retire off the backs of taxpayers. Meanwhile, I read that the Oreo cookie company, makers of that fine product, are laying off 600 well-paying jobs while the owner makes \$21 million on compensation. I believe that is the private sector. They make cookies. They don't save lives.
- But maybe the best is the chief of police in Chicago and the city, who agreed to a new oversight with the — get this — the ACLU! OMG! LOL! WTF! AYKM?

They called the number of street stops by the cops shocking. Ain't that what cops are supposed to do? My, how times have changed.

Racial profiling and use of force are cited as reasons. Meanwhile, black on black crime is skyrocketing, they are shooting and killing in record numbers and more weapons confiscated every day. How does the ACLU think you confiscate weapons?

Well, gee, I'll tell them. By stopping people who seem to be the people who are shooting and killing and have the weapons.

So cops will keep track of street stops, record patdowns, the reasons for those, and if the citizen gave permission to be stopped and patted down. Those who do not make the reports will be retrained, get closer supervision by their sergeants (we all know how well that's going to work) or be disciplined. Or they will have to take 10 black gangbangers for coffee at Starbucks. Or substitute 10 white supremacists if they choose.

Chief said he acquiesced to "it" because you know, I'm trying to work with the ACLU and they are trying to work with us.

I think this is lawsuit phobia. Afraid they will get sued. But really, embarrassing that the ACLU is telling them how to do a cop's job?

THEY WIN.

And the chief expects the cops to do their jobs. But I don't read anywhere how it's the administration in the first place who tells cops to make contacts, arrests, and write tickets that causes this horrible model of policing — making stops.

You mean officer, you put in eight hours and could only find two tickets to write? Ever hear those words, my fellow grunts?

But now it will be different. Soon you will have an ACLU liaison in every precinct advising you how to make stops, how to record them, seeing if you were nice to a-holes and checking your wallet for Starbucks gift cards when you screw up. Let's hope that this new style of PC policing stays within the City of Chicago, or what might be the new California.

Vita é bella