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Sex Crimes

The other night I was watching the late night news and they had a story about some parents in one New England town that were upset for not being notified that a level three (I think that is the worst) sex offender or pedophile moved into the neighborhood.

What I watched on T.V. was right out of the pages of Frankenstein with the exception that these townspeople (played by the parents) did not have torches.



Now please don't misunderstand me I have four young children and I too would want to know if someone, who posed a danger to my children, lived next door but what amazes me was their utter lack of regard for the pedophile's civil liberties in the name of public safety.

These pedophiles get caught and go to jail, supposedly to pay for their crime, and once they are out and have paid for these social sins; they are tracked, rather than freed, like wild animals. If they plan to move to a new town, it begins with them telling the

police 'a dangerous man is moving here'. They are our evil lepers crying out "I am unclean...unclean" to all who pass them. Now why is this happening? In the interest of mercy and justice, we have become idiots!

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Some in Psychology have taught that these individuals cannot be rehabilitated nor blamed for their inhibitions or impulses. This from the same group that recommended lithium and Ridilin to thousands of children that could have been better served with a diet change (but I digress)!

The point is if everyone is in agreement that they cannot be rehabilitated and everyone recognizes that sex crimes against children are monstrous then why are they out of jail after 2,4,8, or 10 years? If they are dangerous then keep them away from society like serial killers. If they are no longer dangerous then leave them alone. For example, if a serial killer moved into my town my first question would be 'why is this person even out of jail?' I can already anticipate that the reaction of some would be, 'how can you advocate

punishing someone so severely for an obvious mental disorder?' My cool and balanced response is YOU HYPOCRITE! How can you say tracking the person and telling their neighbors they are evil and dangerous for the rest of their life is more kind!

The reason we have Frankenstein episodes throughout America in regard to pedophiles is due to a punishment not fitting the crime.

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If they can't be rehabilitated then either leave them in prison, put them in an asylum or castrate them (which really ends a problem and makes all safe) but what we are doing now is not merciful or just to either parents or pedophiles. When psychology marries the justice system the result is always idiocy.

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