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Windows 8

Newest feature? Improved BSoD!

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It'll restart in: 1 second

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We The People is Live

- Create a petition or sign an existing one.
 Build support using email and social media.
- Await White House's response.



We The People is Live!

Welcome to We the People on WhiteHouse gov. This tool provides you with a new way to petition the Obama Administration to take action on a range of important issues facing our country. If a petition gets enough support, White House staff will review it, ensure it's sent to the appropriate policy experts, and issue an official response.

"When I ran for this office, I pledged to make government more open and accountable to its citizens. That's what the new We the People feature on WhiteHouse.gov is all about – giving Americans a direct line to the White House on the issues and concerns that matter most to them."

- President Barack Obama







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emotionalbagcheck.com



I've been feeling really crappy lately. Every time I turn around, something else is falling apart. Say, could you hold this for a minute?



Take that for you?

I'm really loving life right now. Things are finally clicking into place. I've got happiness to spare. Let me lighten your load.





Take a minute to unload whatever's been bringing you down. Big or small, doesn't matter. Sometimes it just helps to get it out there and know someone heard it.



Take a minute to read about someone else's issues. Then choose a song to help get them through the pain. We'll send it along to them.



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Dennis Ritchie Dies at 70

Principal designer of C and co-developer of Unix "The tools that Dennis" built - and their direct descendants – run pretty much everything today." "Not merely software but... a system around which fellowship can form."



A product of Luithansa.

Dennis Ritchie, Trailblazer in Digital Era, Dies at 70 By STEVE LOHR Published: October 13, 2011

Dennis M. Ritchie, who helped shape the modern digital era by creating software tools that power things as diverse as search engines like Google and smartphones, was found dead on Wednesday at his home in Berkeley Heights, N.J. He was 70. RECOMMEND

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Dennis Ritchie received the 2011 Japan

Prize in May.

Mr. Ritchie, who lived alone, was in frail health in recent years after treatment for prostate cancer and heart disease, said his brother Bill.

In the late 1960s and early '70s, working at Bell Labs, Mr. Ritchie made a pair of lasting contributions to Descendants COMING SOON

computer science. He was the principal designer of the C programming language and co-developer of the Unix operating system, working closely with Ken Thompson, his longtime Bell Labs collaborator.

The C programming language, a shorthand of words, numbers and punctuation, is still widely used today, and successors like C++ and Java build on the ideas, rules and grammar that Mr. Ritchie designed. The Unix operating system has similarly had a rich and enduring impact. Its free, open-source variant, Linux, powers many of the

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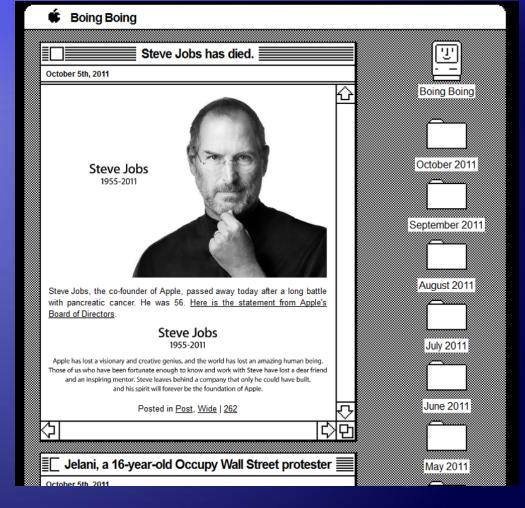
Steve Jobs Tributes



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 boingboing.net – Temporary redesign of entire site mimicking Macintosh screen layout.



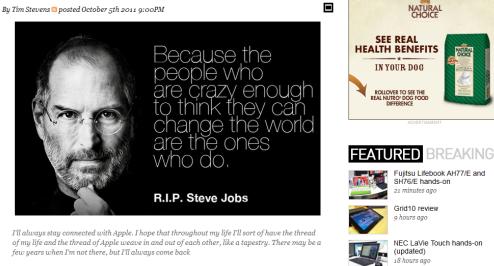
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Steve Jobs Tributes

 engadget.com – Steve Jobs in his own words



Steve Jobs in his own words



-- Steve Jobs, 1985

That's a quote from a *Playboy* interview Steve Jobs gave back in 1985. February of 1985, to be specific, right before Steve would be ousted from the company that he co-founded with Steve Wozniak and Ronald Wayne in 1976. Apple of course famously grew out of a garage, the brains of Woz, the drive of Jobs building the company over the next nine years into a powerhouse in the burgeoning home computer market.

Join us for a look back at the life of Steve Jobs.

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Steve Jobs Tributes

 gizmodo.com – Video based on the Think Different commercials.



BY JESUS DIAZ O

Tribute Video to Steve Jobs

Rather than writing his obituary, I thought it would be better to pay tribute to Steve Jobs by stealing one of his ideas. That's why I made this last Think Different video, in memoriam.

I'm sure he would have hated it, but whatever. You're dead now, Steve, you crazy round peg in the square hole, you handsome bastard, you insufferable and unrepeatable genius you, you awesome man with *The Vision*. Deal with it, because now the world will suck a bit more without your love for



perfection, your hyperbolic obsession with magical devices, your insanely great ideas and booms and one more things.

Fanboys and haters, friends and foes—especially your foes, who now will not be able to copy your ideas anymore—will miss you dearly.

I know I will.

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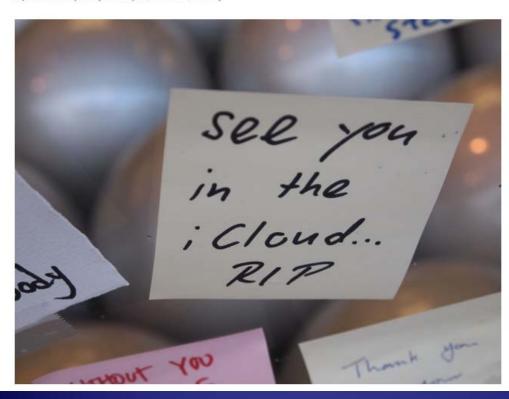
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Sad Goodbyes To Steve At The San Francisco Apple Store [Gallery]

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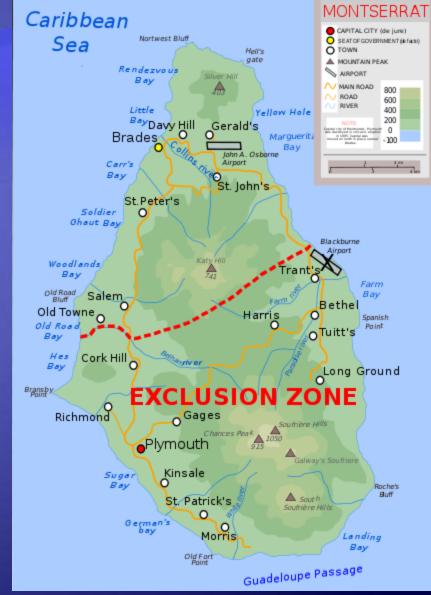
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- Steve Wozniak : People sometimes have goals in life. Steve Jobs exceeded every goal he ever set for himself.
- Bill Gates: For those of us lucky enough to get to work with him, it's been an insanely great honor. I will miss Steve immensely.
- Mark Zuckerberg : Steve, thank you for being a mentor and a friend. Thanks for showing that what you build can change the world. I will miss you.
- Sergey Brin : From the earliest days of Google, whenever Larry and I sought inspiration for vision and leadership, we needed to look no farther than Cupertino. Steve, your passion for excellence is felt by anyone who has ever touched an Apple product (including the macbook I am writing this on right now).

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- Columbus named it after a mountain in Spain.
- Capital city of Plymouth destroyed and 2/3 of the population forced to flee because of volcanic eruptions beginning in 1995.
- They own ".ms"





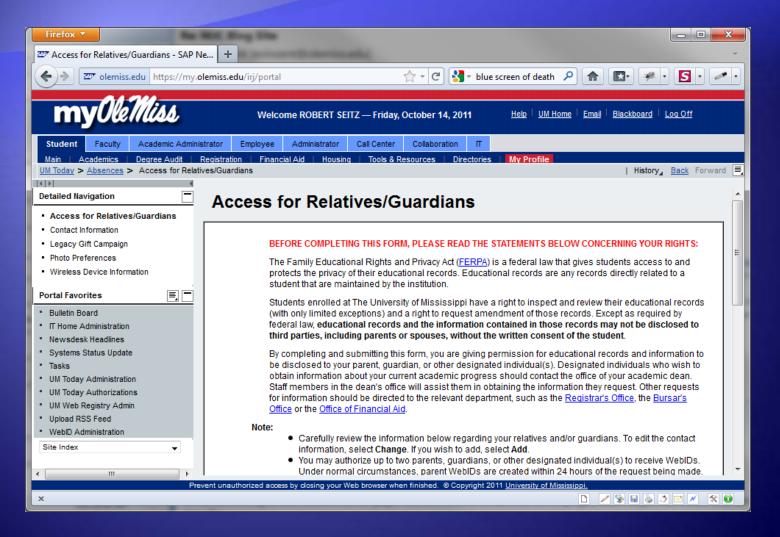
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New People Search

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Expect Web Directory and more in coming months.

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- Layout redesign
- New approach: Give the visitor what you think she'll want, but give her the choice





Blackboard Mobile Learn

Now students can use a free Blackboard app. Available on iPhone, BlackBerry, Android, and Palm.

Note the QR codes...

Blackboard Mobile Learn

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Would you like to access Blackboard from anywhere? Now there's an App for that.

Introducing Blackboard Mobile Learn at The University of Mississippi

The Office of Information Technology is pleased to announce the launch of Blackboard Mobile Learn, a free mobile application that brings interactive teaching and learning to mobile devices and gives students full access to their Blackboard course information directly from their smartphones. This intuitive application, designed specifically for each of the major mobile platforms, allows students to check grades and assignments, view documents, create threaded discussion posts and comment on blogs and journals, upload content, and more. Instructors can use the app to post announcements, create blog and discussion posts, comment on their students' blogs, discussions, and journals, and upload media files.

Blackboard Mobile Learn is available on the iPhone, iPad, iPod Touch, Android devices, BlackBerry smartphone devices, and HP web OS devices, and works over Wi-Fi, as well as all cellular networks. The Mobile Learn app may be downloaded for free at the appropriate device App Store











Mobility / iPad Survey

Suggested app names

- UM U-pad
- RebZone
- Hotty Toddy Bot, Hotty Toddy Times
- UM Now
- iRebel, iOleMiss, iUM, iKhayat
- Ole Miss Minute
- The Bear
- Ole Miss To Go
- Pillars



Admissions iPad App

 Provide admissions advisors a way to pull up secure student information while visiting high schools.

 Review prospective student applications, ACT scores, and note where student action is needed.

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