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?ain - June 24, 2014, 1:04 am

My friend said I should do this when I was ranting so here goes..

Who I am:

Been a member of this site for almost a year, and dabbled in a lot. At first I was interested in RATs.. I feel stupid for that but its led to me to learning a lot. I went from there to learning about web pentesting recently, all about HTTP bots, doxing, and coding. I've also dabbled in things I really dont want to, but I am not who I put first.

I'm young, but 99% of the people on this site are. It doesn't even matter, it's all about personality and maturity, understanding how the world really is and what you have to do to excel in it.

My Story:

I really just want to get down to one thing. I dont care about my rep, post count, any of that shit. Its all what I've gotten in return, really, that makes me so thankful. Recently, I faced an IRL issue. The basics of it were my mom got cancer, lost her job, and ended up relying on her boyfriend. Her boyfriend revealed who he was, an alcoholic, an asshole.. True scum. There was nothing we could do it about it though, she couldn't get a job, she can barely walk.. Still. She's too young for that. You ever held your mom because she was crying in pain? So we were stuck. She had a kid at this point, he's older now. My little brother. My older sister had changed by now. Turned her back on her family. This went on for years.. Found my way onto here one day, and damn am I thankful. Recently, my mom kicked out her boyfriend. We couldn't pay the bills. We all knew it. Was it worth it? May not seem like it to you, but it was. A man shouldn't lay hands on people, things change when that happens. So, rent time came. We couldn't pay. Damn, did I try.. I tried it all. Its not as easy as you think it is out there, getting the partners. The contacts. Giving up on your own feelings, simply focusing on a goal. I still failed.. Couldn't pay rent.

We lost our house. I'm writing this in the middle of packing. We are moving everything to a storage unit, and my mom and brother are staying with a family friend. I had to arrange that. My mom's too humble to, haha.

My Thanks and Why:

Why am I thankful? Hope. I posted in my thread and periodically that I needed help. I did, I do. Members have approached me to help them in various ways.. Different ways, anything I could. I'm still trying. My hat may have changed a little, but I will do what I have to. But again, hope. If it weren't for HF members, I'd be no where. At all. I've got hope that I can actually manage to get enough money to get my family a new place, and hopefully to continue to pay for it. So, thank you.

I'd like to specifically thank a few people, I'm not adding UIDs, that's not what it's about. I just want to thank them. These aren't just friends, they're people who have helped me make money in some way.

Shoutouts:

Zayne: my nigga. You've done everything you've could to help me. Actually you've done a little more than you know.. Thank you.

Aaron: I still dont know who you are. You're just a guy who heard my story and helped with what you could.

ChickenDipper: Haha, you didn't help as much as give moral support. You did what you could, but every day you still asked how I was.

Ortek: Still working on helping us both. We'll get it, partner.

Dubitus: I never thought your doxing lessons would help so much..

Anonymous: you've always been a go to guy to ask help from.

Disfig: Our partnership got me a lot. I'm sorry my big plans fell through, but I'm determined.. Its a minor setback, is all.

Kuky: You've helped me a lot too.

There's a couple I'd thank but they're not apart of "fed forums" haha.

If I missed you, let me know.

Conclusion:

So thanks HF. I'll likely post back on here and edit with how everything is going. I'm still shooting for \$2k a month, thats enough to pay for living, rent, bills and all for my family. I'll get there, I will. For the sake of my family.

Rustiatric - June 24, 2014, 1:23 am

This is a nice story OP, I enjoyed reading it!

HIGH PAID FELLA - June 24, 2014, 1:27 am

That's shitty you need to move away, Cortex. Hopefully it goes alright again!

Im gone brah - June 24, 2014, 6:11 am

Aarons HF name is LevelUp.

Glad I could help in what way I did, lol.

Good luck.

Marky Marky - June 24, 2014, 6:14 am

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420 Blaze It - June 24, 2014, 6:14 am

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?nonymous - June 24, 2014, 7:05 am

You're a good guy and a valued member of Legion. ?

Justin Timberlake - June 24, 2014, 7:10 am

Good luck paying it off! If you take this attitude, I have no doubt that you'll be able to do it.

?ain - June 24, 2014, 1:20 pm

(Jun 24, 2014 01:23 AM)Rustiatric Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) This is a nice story OP, I enjoyed reading it! Thank you.

(Jun 24, 2014 01:27 AM)Asterea Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) That's shitty you need to move away, Cortex.
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I'm staying within my city and gladly within walking distance of my mom and brother.

(Jun 24, 2014 06:11 AM)Zayne Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Aarons HF name is LevelUp.
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Good luck.
I'll edit it in.

(Jun 24, 2014 06:14 AM)Moon Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) That's awful dude, good luck with what the future brings.
Thank you. ?

(Jun 24, 2014 07:05 AM)?nonymous Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You're a good guy and a valued member of Legion. ?
I just do what's needed of me.

(Jun 24, 2014 07:10 AM)Justin Timberlake Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Good luck paying it off! If you take this attitude, I have no doubt that you'll be able to do it.
I hope so. I have some nice people helping me. A friend sent me an air intake pump and a gift card.. Strange, but I can sell it.

(Jun 24, 2014 06:14 AM)420 Blaze It Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Hey man, why are you banned though? I liked your read though.
Post/Bump/Delete. Won't be doing that anymore.

Ortek - June 25, 2014, 6:35 pm

Yo home, thanks for mentioning me....we will get there for sure....we will get rich or die trying lol ;)

-Gohan- - June 25, 2014, 6:39 pm

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?ain - June 25, 2014, 9:46 pm

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Thats not really the point.. Just added it in because a lot of people do.

aint no fgt - June 25, 2014, 10:42 pm

Are you seriously not going to give me a shoutout?

Chickendipper - June 25, 2014, 11:20 pm

I merely helped where I could, no need for a shoutout :p Thanks, dude. It means a lot.