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Thread: [Why do prisoners get sad when they get the death penalty?](#)

**Donald Trump Jr.** - December 22, 2016, 11:29 pm

I know I would rather get the death penalty then spend my life in jail, I cant imagine anyone else would think other wise.

You get a last meal whatever you want, literally WHATEVER you want and if the execution doesn't mess up the death is quick and fast.

**Tony** - December 22, 2016, 11:31 pm

I think it's more of a final answer type of thing. Sorta like a reality check.

**fapninja** - December 22, 2016, 11:31 pm

I hear that after you spend your first year in jail, you get used to it.

**Cabo** - December 22, 2016, 11:31 pm

If you were told exactly what day you were going to die and how you're going to die, you wouldn't get sad? I'd rather get the death penalty too but shit, I'd be sad.

**Truth** - December 22, 2016, 11:32 pm

If you're still alive there is always hope

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(Dec 23, 2016 12:31 AM)fapninja Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I hear that after you spend your first year in jail, you get used to it.

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**test** - December 22, 2016, 11:32 pm

You say that now but if someone told you that you were going to be killed you would probably freak too. You don't really think about it in detail too much until you are actually facing that situation.

**Dabbed** - December 22, 2016, 11:33 pm

(Dec 23, 2016 12:32 AM)TryAgain Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) If you're still alive there is always hope This.

Plus, a life sentence doesn't really mean "in prison until death".

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(Dec 23, 2016 12:32 AM)TryAgain Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) If you're still alive there is always hope Hope for the next day of bars in your room, your trapped like a caged animal.

**fapninja** - December 22, 2016, 11:33 pm

(Dec 23, 2016 12:32 AM)DontSellMeBitcoin Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I would rather get the death penalty then spend a year in jail, Bubba aint touching my ass  
Bubba always gets what Bubba wants.

**Mr.Peanut** - December 22, 2016, 11:34 pm

I can't imagine myself in a position like that but you must also consider the people who (rarely but honestly are) falsely accused waiting for some sort of hope. Also, every bit of connection w/ you

friends, family, all the stress and success life brought, everything all to end. Not too pleasant.

**SIM-403479** - December 22, 2016, 11:34 pm

I would much rather be living.

**Anticipate** - December 22, 2016, 11:34 pm

Depending on the prison, I'd still prefer to stay alive. Life is the most valuable thing in this world and unless the situation hasn't become completely unbearable, I'd want to hold on.

**Mr. Robot** - December 22, 2016, 11:35 pm

I would always hold onto some sort of hope, maybe the next president will change laws, maybe there's an incident and you get out? Maybe a zombie apocalypse happens and you get to live outside.

Who knows.

But really, you are talking about the day they get the death penalty compared to life in prison. You can still make friends in prison, and you can still enjoy your time there.

**Yandere** - December 22, 2016, 11:35 pm

Like others said I think anybody know matter who they are or what they've done would be at-least a little bit sad knowing the exact day and way they're going to die.

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The people that want to live, are you coming from a religious background? Are you personally religious.

**Mr. Robot** - December 22, 2016, 11:38 pm

(Dec 23, 2016 12:35 AM)DontSellMeBitcoin Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) The people that want to live, are you coming from a religious background? Are you personally religious.

No. Which is why I think living is even more important. If you don't believe in a religion - and once it's over it's over - wouldn't you want to extend your pitiful time here as long as possible? Shit might as well "suffer" while you are able.

**b?xxy** - December 22, 2016, 11:41 pm

It's still a depressing thought.

You have no control over anything anymore.

**JoshuTee** - December 22, 2016, 11:41 pm

Because they will never ever see another person again, they have no chance to correct their mistakes in any way

**HeyBuddy** - December 22, 2016, 11:46 pm

they don't get the death penalty right away. it takes years. some times decades.

i saw a case study on a guy who got the chair after waiting for 55 years.

If they give you the death penalty right away it's sweet release. they get sad because they have to spend decades inside a cell and dont get the death penalty right away.

it's sort of like getting silver at the Olympics, a lot of times the people who get bronze are a lot happier then those who get gold and silver, mostly because they got something. whilst those who get silver are very unhappy because they were so close to gold.

Same concept,

Bronze = Jail time, you're happy because you're not dead and you have a chance to be released on Parole/turn your life around

Silver= Death penalty, but you still have to do jail time, no parole, no good behavior, ect

So basically with Jail time, a lot of times you get released early. i've gotten a 2 year sentence and was released in months. I since turned my life around, when i was in State Pen. i was looking forward to being released and it's what kept me motivated and happy, i had perks because i was on good behavior.

Whilst getting the death penalty, you have nothing to look forward to, you just rot in a cell for 50ish years then get put down like a dog. You have no will to live, no motivation, full time depression.

i only spent a few months and i was going fucking crazy being treated like a dog. You can't commit suicide due to nothing to commit suicide with, and being watched 24/7. literally they sand down every sharp edge, they dont allow you to keep any sort of medication, anything sharp, regular pat downs, regular searches, being watched around the clock, ect. So thats why they're unhappy, just nothing to look forward to, no motivation, no hope for turning your life around, you just get treated like a caged dog for years then get put down, literally nothing you can do to stop it, whilst being on a lesser sentence, you can.

also considering after 20ish years of being in a cell and hearing what others did, you begin to think you didn't do anything THAT bad, then you hear about worst cases getting better sentences, and after a while you convince your self you were innocent which makes it worst.

**Tando** - December 22, 2016, 11:50 pm

Because at first they thought they'd get away with the crime and then they get fucked.

**thrudda** - December 22, 2016, 11:55 pm

Why are they sad? Because they're going to die?

**Donald Trump Jr.** - December 22, 2016, 11:57 pm

(Dec 23, 2016 12:55 AM)thrudda Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Why are they sad? Because they're going to die? If they're considered for the death penalty, then they're in jail for life either way.