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"Architecture is the art of how to waste space."
Philip Johnson

The Ten Commandments of College

By Liz Fujita ~ Daily Bull

OH BOY! We're in college! It's like a whole other world, a whole other country – oh, wait. That's Texas. Well, in any event, college is unlike anything we're ever going to encounter, and I've come to realize that there are striking similarities between our unspoken rules and some of those age-old rules of thumb. Take, for example, the Ten Commandments. They do a very good job outlining moral living for those who believe in their message. What people might not realize is that college life has striking parallels to real, moral life.

1. "We are the Huskies your Mascot. You shall have no other loyalties before us and worship no other team's mascot." That means no cheering for Northern, no skipping class to watch LSSU games, and certainly no transferring to State.

...see Holy Huskies on back



Really Reality

By Mike Cardwell ~ Daily Bull

The one show the majority of my all-male hall will curl up around is The OC. Every couple days, we all get together and watch a couple episodes, late at night. While the episodes may be interrupted only by a run to Taco Bell, these episodes have taught us some real life lessons to live our lively lives by. Try to name all 30 TV series hinted at in these 25 oh-so-important lessons.

1. Every problem is fixed with sex, in proper abundance, of course.
2. Assault and battery can go away within 7 days or two episodes, whichever is sooner.
3. Toaster Strudels are sexy when in the correct context.
4. Parents knock on your bedroom door, but enter within two seconds.
5. Money doesn't grow on trees, but it always regenerates before the next episode.
6. If you have a bad hair day, that only means you'll have a great makeup day in your trailer.
7. If you're a slob, your friends will hire a squad of gay men to clean and

redecorate your house.

8. There is ALWAYS a doctor to deliver your unexpectedly birthing baby, whether you're Lost on an island, isolated in an awkward house in Orange County, or while everyone around you is dressed in Scrubs.

9. "Go save the world" and "You're my destiny" are perfect ways to end a conversation in any *Smallville*.

10. Ex-Convicts are all innocent, except the ones who carry a black, semi-automatic, 9mm pistol and never leave home without it or their silencer.

11. If you get eliminated, kicked off, dropped, or killed, you'll never be a main character ever ever again...but you'll probably show up in a future episode as a double or an extra.

12. If you think you're everybody's Idol or that you have all the Talent any American needs, there's a very real chance you're dead wrong.

13. If you take a camera through your own house and the most interesting thing you can think to say is "umm.... and here's the bathroom," then nobody

...see Rachel Bilson on back



You see son, when a man and a woman, REALLY love eachother... they WRESTLE... and that's where babies come from!...

Pic o' the Day



For some reason, I do not think that that would be batman... I think they missed the b, and were meaning to hit c. Yeah, that sounds about right...

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...Holy Huskies from front

2. "You shall not take the name of Michigan Technological University in vain. Even if it means you have to spell things out." The Church of Blizzard will apparently excommunicate you if you refer to it as "M-T-U." I agree with the general opinion that this is a stupid rule, but who am I to argue with an eight-foot husky?
3. "Remember the Sabbaths (all of them), and keep them rockin'." Anyone caught doing homework on a Friday or Saturday night will be shunned and assumed to be a heathen. Other days of the week that can be kept as work-free include Thursday, Monday, Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and ... wait, that's seven.
4. "Honor your professor and dean. Other staff optional." Disrespect a student employee and you might just get some peer scorn – but Blizzard help you if naysaying comes from your facemouthhole about a

professor or the dean of your department. They'll grind up your GPA and sprinkle it over their morning Frosted Flakes.

5. "Thou shalt not kill unless it be upon the broomball rink." Violent actions are definitely permissible when you're running on a zero-friction surface chasing a blue gob of plastic.
6. "Thou shalt not commit adultery, especially outside your Greek house." Getting pulled into the clutches of a Greek organization is like getting married. You have to be loyal to it, you have to pay a lot of money to keep it around, and if you don't do what it asks, it'll kick you out and make all your friends hate you. Don't do anything to make your beloved Pi Omega Sigma upset! (haha... P.O.S...)
7. "Don't steal. Much." Is that a dorm cheeseburger in your pocket, or are you just happy to see me? And when is the next Career Fair?

8. "You shall not give false information and accusations or the Daily Bull will sniff you out." WHAT'S THAT? A SCANDAL? SOMETHING WEIRD HAPPENED? RIPE FOR PARODY AND THE LOLZ? We got this, guys.
9. "Do not envy your neighbor's shit." That PS3 may look shiny, but at

a school so laden with gamers and computer-types, if you so much as bat your eyelashes at someone's iPad, you'll be facing some pretty rough consequences. Don't make people fear you're going to steal (see number 7). Houghton has a good reputation for a reason, and you don't want to be the single reason that we can't have nice things.

10. "You shall not Facebook stalk your neighbor's significant other." ... unless they're not watching.

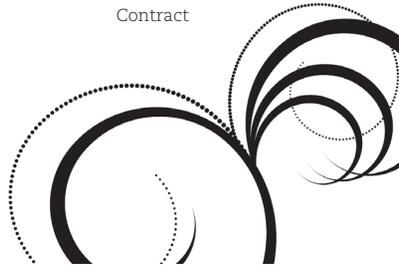
And there you have it. You'll be okay if you follow those 10 simple rules (along with a few other golden rules, such as "Don't take 8am classes" and "Remember that your roommate has the easiest shot at revenge on you"). Oh, and one other thing that I learned the other day: "thou shalt not post table tents on lime green

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paper, for such color is reserved for important IRHC announcements." Here's lookin' at you, CCC. 🍀

...Rachel Bilson from front

else needs to see your Crib.

14. A Millionaire Bachelor will find you, seduce you, and bring you into his home in under a month if you're able to sell yourself to him faster than every other woman on the planet.

15. Being a loser costs you friends. Being a bigger loser costs you a visit with the authorities. Being The Biggest Loser makes you famous.

16. If you're able to show a large group of people you're a horrible dancer, they'll let you dance with a Star.

17. If you get too confident you have the right suitcase, you're going to lose everything you have and return home with less than enough money to pay for airfare.

18. The words "I quit" are only uttered when all hope is lost, the main character is nowhere to be found, and all your friends seem to be Addicted to something you haven't even seen yet, and then only when it's fashionable to do on TV.

19. For every action there is an equal and opposite commercial break.

20. If you work hard, you're made of Iron, but if you hardly work, chances are you'll end up working in the Kitchen in Hell.

21. If you like keeping it Simple, living with two out of the job models, and think your nephew has a chance dating a chick with the same last name as a hotel, you're a definite optimist.

22. By having a horrible enough car, Pimps will solicit your friends, steal

your car, "make a few changes," and return it for free with nothing wrong but a few "adjustments."

23. Just because your girlfriend thinks you're a Hiro doesn't mean you're going to win any Amazing Race with the Cops. More likely, you'll end up with some other Bridezilla who thinks she's the Next Top Model, travel somewhere and forget you made No Reservations with nothing other than your Original Custom Chopper. You'll get stuck a ghetto daddy, Ghost Hunting for your Eighteenth Child's imaginary spook, somewhere in the very most cob-webby part of your house hoping to find Cash in your Attic.

24. You can always outrun the police, except when it may be detrimental to the plot.

25. Nobody is Smarter than your Fifth Grade sister. 🍀

- The OC*
Queer Eye for the Straight Guy
Lost
Scrubs
Smallville
Survivor
American Idol
America's Got Talent
Cribs
The Bachelor
Joe Millionaire
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