Privacy

1. The information I give away using Facebook, which is the only social media I really use, is where I work and the city that I live in. I always post some photos sometimes which shows where I have been. My privacy settings are locked down so unless somebody really needs to find information about me, the average user won’t be able to see this information which is comforting.
2. I found a way to auto delete my search history and my entire google account if it goes inactive. This is extremely helpful. I also found that I had personalized searches on and it was a good opportunity for me to turn them off.
3. When searching my name, one of the top results was from “TruePeopleSearch.com” which had an old address and connections to people recently or family. It’s a weird website, but it’s more comforting to know that the information is outdated. I also reported the search result to Google as it had my personal information in it for anyone to see. This only comes up if I search my legal name. When searching for any nicknames or the name that I am publicly known as, nothing comes up. Ristic is a much more common last name and because of how close the spelling is, most search engines see Ristics as a typo.
4. I tried all of the websites. The information on all of the sites is incorrect. They have old addresses of places that I used to live but no longer live at. They have old phone numbers that I don’t have anymore and I have had this phone number for about 5 years. There was also an email that was never mine, so I don’t know why it is being linked to my name. I did not see any way to get my information off of these sites.