We see praiseworthy and corrupting technology throughout the world. One corroding example, in my family is that we don’t communicate. My brother is normally in his room watching videos about Minecraft. He’s not spending any time with us unless it is forced. He has virtually no life away from those games. He is always talking about them, acting as if he is in the games, and ‘talks’ to the characters. He is almost eleven and I’m afraid that technology has had a bad effect on him. On the other hand, I use technology to nourish my school life by communicating with my teachers. Wendell Berry, an old writer thinks computers are vile. He wrote an article *Why I Am Not Going To Buy A Computer*, pushing his beliefs that computers are un-needed. **While he has good points, he should let people decide for themselves. The impact of technology depends on the user.**

His argument has meaning, it shows his way of life and there is nothing wrong with that. He is a man of older times and doesn’t have experience with technology. New-fangled things that he never had as a child; he doesn’t want to bother with new things when the old things work just fine. To him, the old ways may be better and more efficient to him, meaning he thinks them better than the new things. With the wage of a man who farms and writes, it can’t be much. With these arguments, we see that there is some reasoning to what he thinks.

Technology has tons of problems, back then and now. We see that technology isn’t perfect in the movie War Games. Joshua goes haywire and is not trustable to help the government, because of the ‘backdoor password’. That allowed hackers like David get into the government’s private information, making it highly accessible to those with real reasons to get in and take us down. David was a harmless boy wanting to play games, but what if it was someone who wanted to do some serious harm? Then we would be in some deep trouble. This is one major flaw in current technology, and Berry sees that and isn’t willing to take the risk.

  The good in computers is seen as the bad. The reasoning for this would be all the propaganda surrounding the ideas around computers. We see both sides on TV, the radio and through people. In the 1980’s they were just starting to put computers in schools and they were becoming huge for students and workers. We see that one of his innovations was that the product should be the same size, if not smaller than the one it is replacing. An example would be IPhones, the IPhone is far smaller than the old phones that they came up with in the 80’s. This is one way that technology meets and exceeds his standards. He thought that it wasn’t pointless and will only hurt us. Although he is entitled to his own opinion.