

Title: Choose Your Own Adventure, Part II

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Body:

There are several groups of self-proclaimed Distinguished People who believe they are above ethical standards thus concluding they are above the scientific method.

One such group is [Farnam Street Media](<https://fs.blog/>). There are others.

They like to perform "Social Experiments" in which they observe a target's or social group's behavior and decision-making process. Of course, they don't tell anyone since behavior changes when someone is being watched. These "experiments" are planned well in advance down to the subforum and the usernames of who are actually members of the group pretending to be randoms. The people who plan the experiment do not actually participate, and hand off info about each "role."

Some of the members are extra motivated and share this with other groups they are members of to create artificial situations to "test" the target. It's fucked up because the target thinks it's their real life, when it's just a bunch of psychopaths fucking with them.

Many believe the posted picture of the Bear contains clues that will lead to information, proof, or a long forgotten cryptowallet.

****This is false. It all leads nowhere. At one point, someone may break into it on their own, but that is also staged.****

The "Clues Everywhere" picture posted was staged and taken in 2013 by two men from a Mid-Atlantic state. The book by David Foster Wallace was recommended by PP. The rocket hanging on the wall was a gift from a Grandmother. The photo of the astronaut belonged to an older brother. The three Astronauts represent PP and the two men.

All of the storylines were purportedly written by several angry geeks who claimed to have been doxxed and banned off some internet game by someone they viewed as a hypocrite. One even lost a job because it was revealed they smoked pot.

It was revealed to PP that she was already the target of one of these "Social Experiments" due to being a smart cookie. One of the "scientists" was/is also member of the manosphere. They made it clear she thought PP a dumb cheerleader type and would brag about sabotaging her. The Angry Dudes Club cheered them on.

PP found this amusing, but found the "Rules for thee, but not for me" hypocrisy of this FS Group pretty fucked up. She agreed to go along with mucking up the whole thing.

PP realizes now that it was all part of the overall ruse.

Depending which group is seeking the wallet, the picture has different meanings and leads to different outcomes based on what is initially suggested to those groups.

Following the wrong "thread" can lead to disastrous outcomes. From the followers perspective, they believe they are doing something to find out the truth. What they don't realize is that others are following a different thread that intersects with theirs in the most disastrous of ways.

*For example: Person One finds an "insider" who wants to whistleblow government wrong-doing and will meet at the Kennedy Center. They will be riding a yellow bike, Person One will be wearing red shoes, and they'll meet by the blur statue. Meanwhile, Group Two believes they are hunting a pedophile ring and told to look for two people meeting at the Kennedy Center one of whom is riding a yellow bike the other

wearing red shoes. In this example, primary colors are viewed as a hallmark of pedophilia. The blue statue at the Kennedy Center is interpreted as an abstract representation of a child.*

Unbeknownst to Person One, Yellow Bike Rider might actually have some questionable material on their person. The problem is that the Group Two calls the cops. It stops being a game when someone has their life destroyed because they thought they were doing the right thing. They trusted this FS Group to be honest as they're, uh, highly regarded (I guess....?)

A shorter way to say it: The Power of Suggestion.

It is set-up to make people feel ashamed for trusting others and suggests behaving like a manipulative superficial asshole is the best way to "win" at life. There are lawyers in the group who have basically found a way to legally bully people because LULZ. Sometimes family members and friends are recruited to help the target "become a better person" but are actually recruited for social engineering purposes.

tl;dr While there may not be cabels of human traffickers in this sub, there are certainly a group of sociopaths fucking with people.