

Title: Real Talk: A Note About Scams

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EUREKA!!!

I see what is happening now:

****SPOILER ALERT****

You have various people accusing one another of white supremacy, QAnon, sex cabels, etc. Pick your evil of the week depending on your mark(s). Then someone tries to do the right thing and someone makes claims of defamation AND/OR that the person is Officially Cuckoo for Cocoa Puffs ■

Typically, the people who run these scams spend most of their time continously complaining on Twitter about "real jobs." They also like to clutch their pearls at "cancel culture" while they cancel others. The hypocrisy is real.

****A robber can dress up as a clown for his work that day. This does not make his robbing a bank any less illegal.****

In addition, there can be "grooming" of a victim. The perpetrator will provide information in a certain context that seems harmless, but is extraordinarily harmful in other contexts. They will then alert others that the victim "knows something" about a crime due to knowledge of harmful info (which the victim believes to be innocuous).

This can go as far as identifying members of a hate group. The supposed member then gets to be the victim and sue for deformation because "nO pRoOf." If they're actually a member of said hate group, then they get to have "plausible deniability"