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Fictitious truth: "Are you the NPC?"

>You consider yourself a introvert, being around social energy all the time is draining and boring. Being at home and preserving your peace and energy sounds like a hell of a night to you.

>You decide to go to a party your roommate invites you to.

>All night you're just blasted with Maroon 5 'Sugar' and Drake 'Gods plan', You immediately regret even coming here, why be around an environment where pop songs from 5-9 years ago are being played like a trip to a FOREVER21?

>No one understands what taste really is anymore, everyone and their ripped jeans and sweatshirts combos.. all 'NPCs'.. Engaging in 'NPC' behavior.

Its no doubt touching your phone every hour of the day since you have awoken is not that uncommon anymore. It might even be the first thing you pick up. You go on social media and give your brain that sprinkle of dopamine by seeing content you generally enjoy or you interact with.

You wake up on a Thursday before attending work/class and that's when you see it, the trend, the song, the outfit, the skincare, the dance, the meme. It was funny and interesting the first few times you saw it a few weeks ago but now recycled and overused mediums were being made. A feeling of annoyance washes over you, seeing this type of content for the 25th time! This content's comments and likes stayed a bit consistent since you have first seen it with some new eyes on it, giving it praise and laughter. Seeing this material gives you discomfort and annoyance before you have even left your bed.

How could anyone find this amusing anymore? These common people must know nothing. Its like seeing a baby being amused by a simple game of Peek-a-Boo, or a mother laughing at a minions meme that has a 'but first, coffee' reference. All of these people are simpletons, simple titles to their name and no depth, all printed slightly alternating copys.

Yet as you put down your phone and gradually get yourself out of bed, you start your mornings downing the same cup of brown bean water, cooking lunch whilst scrolling on Youtube or Tiktok; giving out a few comments and likes, going grocery shopping, coming home from school/work and then laying in bed whilst scrolling once again, its the end of the day, you have time to finally relax right?

What makes your neighbor different from you?

The more you're exposed to on the internet, your knowledge about what's 'trending' or 'outdated'? Is your style different? You couldn't have been the first to have that same outfit coordination, maybe it was from your favorite punk band, just inspiration of course. What makes you different from your neighbor? You can recognize these trends and see what the majority of people are finding interesting to share and talk about. Does that mean you're a greater human being?

You're the problem, Metaphysical Solipsism: Metaphysical solipsism states that "only my mind truly exists; in other words, I exist, and everything else is merely a product of my thoughts or imagination."

Other realities, including the external world and other persons are representations of that self, having no independent existence.

You dislike 'Mob Mentality' just the idea of people band-wagoning on something they do not have much depth about is distasteful to you. What you're experiencing is yourself..

experiencing thyself...

experiencing itself...

experiencing you,

Its not that you 'hate it', you see how 'played out' it is and then you think other people think its played out, so you dont want other people to think you're victim to the common culture/collective; other people think its 'played out' because other people think its played out.

you're embracing and brainwashed into Western culture individualism.

Are you the NPC?