Actual Responses to Exam Questions Dealing with Violence

**THUMP THIS**

Man has been violent every since Cain slew Abel. Violence is an inheret trait, in man, and to blam television for something that has been around millions of years before it is one of the most pathetic excuses I have ever heard of.

My answer to these people is "get real". Violence existed in large amounts long before the existence of television. Look at the Bible. It is a history of tribal wars.... They were not influenced by television. Tribes discovered violence all on their own.

**OTHER THAN THE MOBS, MRS. LINCOLN, HOW DID YOU...?**

Incidents that promote violence in society can be traced back to the Civil War era. This was a great disturbance in our history and created destructive impulses throughout society. It was a war of loss, bloodshed, and frustration. All of this frustration exhausted the nation and greatly decreased these violent gestures. Unfortunately, not all of the frustration was eliminated, which produced animosity within certain individuals. This anger within has created violent acts which can be traced back to the Civil War period. In the end our greatest enemy of violence and hate became our greatest victim of violence and hate. .... Since the early Roman days protests dealing with economic, political, and social grievances have led to many violent acts. .... These mobs have in some ways encouraged mobs today to set their standards on the incidents from years ago. Mob violence could be considered the beginning of gangs and gang wars which produce some of the worst violent acts in today's society.

The Civil War caused more deaths than any other war in history.

Although violence is rampant in the United States, it is not a recent discovery.

Without violence, the United States we know now would not be the United States. If the difference would be for the better, no one can answer.

**SO THAT'S ONE THUMB UP AND AN ICEPICK IN THE FOREHEAD, RIGHT?**

In the movie *A Clockwork Orange*, Alex, the main character was forced to view violence in hopes it would make him non-violent. It did work to some extent. Alex was no longer a violent person, but each time he was approached with violence he would become ill. I don't agree with this at all. If someone was to force me to watch a violent show it would not make me non-violent.

**MAKE THAT PLEDGE NOW!**

They will turn all television into PBS.

Everytime the coyote would attempt to catch the roadrunner, something violent would befall him. Most of the time it was befalling off cliff.

The differences in television shows between Mr Ed, the talking horse, and Miami Vice, the violent sitcom, are very evident.

**YOU JUST CAN'T MAKE UP STUFF THIS GOOD**

People are always saying there is too much violence in television, but also there is too much oil in the Middle East. It is always going to be there no matter who owns it. Just like oil, violence is and always will be in television probably till I die. .... I have an evil side also, but I can control my intentions unlike your average murderer.