

Re: Apple Computer sides with Satan

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I run both XP and OSX on multiple computers. OS X is far more stable. It's not even remotely a contest. OS X also is far more resistant to security breaches, again, not even a contest.

So why do I run XP at all?

Because Mac software is either nonexistent, overpriced or feature-thin.

-sdg

"David Nakamoto" <res07oeg@xxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
[news:S9doe.5127\\$w.1611@xxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:S9doe.5127$w.1611@xxxxxxxxxxxxx)

>I don't know. OS X seems stable enough. While I personally find that
>Windows XP works fairly stable, OS X I've heard runs even more rock steady,
>but here I'm going to hearsay.

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> On the other hand, if such a port were to happen and the number of PCs
> running it were to reach a certain number, then all the nut cases out
> there would start writing more viruses and other stuff for OS X. Perhaps
> that will tell us how stable OS X really is.

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> It's just another possible development. We'll have to wait and see.

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> --- Dave

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> Pinprick holes in a colorless sky
> Let inspired figures of light pass by
> The Mighty Light of ten thousand suns
> Challenges infinity, and is soon gone

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> "Chris L Peterson" <clp@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message

> news:cfg2a1tm9agbu16rb06vau7idg5fg20326@xxxxxxxxxxxxx

>> On Sat, 04 Jun 2005 00:40:28 -0400, RichA <none@xxxxxxxxxx> wrote:

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>>> http://news.com.com/Apple+to+ditch+IBM%2C+switch+to+Intel+chips/2100-1006_3-5731398.html?tag=nefd.1

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>>>>They should have gone with AMD.

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>> Intel invented the uP, and continues to be the force behind most of the
>> innovation. AMD is just a copycat. Intel is one of the truly great tech
>> companies.

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>> If this story is true (and it's been suggested before) it could mark a
>> turnaround for Apple. The bottom line is that Apple barely treads water
>> as a computer company. They have a pitiful market share, and there's no
>> sign that's going to change. But switching to an x86 architecture will
>> force them to port their OS to that platform. That opens up the
>> possibility of running OS X on ordinary PCs. Not something I'm looking
>> for, but it could open up a huge new market for Apple, and really put
>> some juice back in the OS wars (which everyone will benefit from).

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>> Chris L Peterson

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