

Re: The debate

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Why should he deserve any better than what our fallen soldiers have received? Did you see Iraq or anyone take our soldiers into custody, give them a trial, and then sentence them to death? No, they were shot down where they stood. What's the damn difference in wartime? I am with Eli on this one, Shoot Him Dead, save our tax money from some stupid trial, and get on with our lives and let our soldiers come home and get back to their somewhat normal lives.

Dani

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news:10m2o19prem8g0f@corp.supernews.com...

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> *"Jeannie H Wilson" <jeanniehwilson@aol.com> wrote in message
> news:20041004085451.29874.00001429@mb-m14.aol.com...*

> > *>Hyperbole, but when we're choosing between taking him dead or alive,*

> > > *"dead" results in a lot fewer problems with attempts to force his*

> > > *release via hostages and blackmail, and saves the millions of dollars*

> > > *that a trial would cost.*

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> > *Yes, lots of money could be saved by omitting the need for lots of
> trials but*

> > *people still deserve the right to a fair trial and to justice. I am*

> > *shocked to*

> > > *see some of your posts of late.*

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> *If we're going to be realistic, any trial of Bin Laden would be a show
> trial, pure and simple. Is there anyone in the world who could entertain
> even a reasonable doubt as to whether or not he is the head of Al Qaeda,
> whether he has backed, financed and directed the murders of thousands of
> civilians, and called for more attacks? Even the Nuremberg trials had
> defendants for whom the question of responsibility was arguable, and
> there were a number of acquittals in them. When there's only one
> possible outcome for a trial and it's known in advance, it becomes a
> formality, and it's difficult to justify spending the millions of
> dollars that such a show trial would cost. It would be an ongoing media
> event, an opp*