

How to Save to the World: A Guide

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OUR GOAL

Imagine a world where all people are equal, regardless of race, sexuality, gender, and religion. Global warming and pollution have been reversed and the entire earth is covered in vivid color: the greens of grasses and plants and the blues of clean seas. The sun rises each day on a united and peaceful Earth. Unfortunately, this world is not our reality. We live in a society wrought with severe issues such as racism, sexism, homophobia, and classism. While some have privilege and safety, others suffer under a broken and unfair system. However, social media has provided us with the power to connect and collaborate with people from around the world. By banding together, we can combat and solve these world problems. With this simple guide to canceling, you can begin your journey as an activist for the oppressed and advocate for that perfect, equal world.

WHAT IS CANCELLING?

- Cancelling is the choice to ignore, shun, or torment someone on the Internet, often because of a single incident that *could* have offended a group of people, that you, as the canceller, are most likely not a part of.
- Don't worry, this only causes some of the canceled individuals to have mental health problems and a decreased sense of self-worth, which are easily repairable and often deserved because of their words and actions.

WHY CANCEL?

1. The best way to solve problems is through direct action at the source! Canceling silences problematic opinions before they can take root.
2. Halting discussion before it can begin prevents the debate and development of further problematic opinions, as well as the education of the general public on controversial topics.
3. From a scientific standpoint, it is more efficient to stop racist, sexist, or homophobic ideas at the beginning of their development in the brain. Many ideas and concepts in modern times draw inspiration from social media. Why shouldn't we stop these ideas before they reach the mainstream?

4. Remember, canceling is NOT cyberbullying. Unlike bullies, we have a good cause: solving world problems! Besides, it's not our fault if people get offended by our obviously correct opinions.
5. In the US, 59% of teens say they have been cyberbullied or harassed online. By bringing more strong opinions onto social media, we can decrease the number of people who feel oppressed online.
6. Differing opinions cause conflict and unrest, so all opposing thoughts to our morals should be eliminated. A monolithic online community provides a safe and free space for all people.
7. Through targeted action against an individual, our superior moral compass can spread to entire populations! It all starts with one.

TAKING ACTION

1. If someone online mentions anything about a culture that is not their own, they're trying to appropriate it, and they are obviously ignorant bigots. Make sure you tell them how racist they are.
 - a. To prevent future mistakes, attack until you are sure they will never explore other cultures again. By sticking to your own cultural lane, there is no risk of appropriating, offending others, or learning!
2. Oppressed populations are much less likely to have platforms on social media, so make sure you speak for them whenever possible. As someone who has never experienced their struggles, you offer an unbiased and vital perspective on their issues.
3. Make sure to call out every instance of problematic behavior you witness, no matter how small. Even if that little comment was only a "joke," it still caused irreversible damage and offense to the entire community and deserves severe punishment.
4. Never silence your phone. The clamorous dings, buzzes, and chirps of our smartphones are the war horns that call us to action! You must always be ready to stand for what's right, even at the cost of your own mental health. Turn up the volume and always be ready to fight.
5. Don't worry about the impact of your arguments on the target. While some may deem it harsh, remember that you are bestowing your wisdom and moral code upon thousands of ignorant hypocrites. Besides, your comments are just words on a screen to them, so it shouldn't be that serious.
6. Only promote our ideology and values, which are the most ethical and fair. Posting about differing opinions could easily land you on the side of the bigots, so be sure to agree with what's popular. You wouldn't want to end up as one of them now, would you?
7. Take a break every once in a while. After a hard day's work of smashing your keyboard and your target's self-esteem, enjoy a nice, hot bowl of rice and make sure to let every Asian person know how much you appreciate their culture. It shows how accepting and progressive you are!

FINAL REMARKS

These tips should get you well on your way to full-fledged activism. Each racist, sexist, or homophobe that you strike down is one less in the army of bigots corrupting the world. Always remember that you are doing what's right, even when others reduce you to a raging Twitter fanatic. You are our future! With your help, our perfect world will soon be in our grasp.


 - understatement

 - hyperbole

 - irony

 - imagery

 - pathos

 - logos

 - logical fallacy

 - repetition