

# 2011 X.R.A.Y.

## Xmas Readiness Alternative survey

### WHO I AM

- In case you all forgot my name, date of birth, country of origin, current address and any other relevant statistical details, here's what you need to know: **Chris "has-a-hip-holster-for-everything" Lewis.**
- The person who knows me better than most that can answer gift-giving questions about me:  
The best way to contact them is:  
**Siri... Or actually there probably isn't one of these around for me. I rarely give specifics, but broad categories to exist in. I like to see what people think I like, because most of the time I don't know but am amused with most things anyone finds amusing.**
- A few things I'd like everyone to know about me:  
**I am writing an Outer Space comic. I want money only to throw it at being an inventor. I like creating things that didn't exist prior. I like music, but am a selective listener. I enjoy working out. Sometime in 2012 I am going to get a dog. I want to learn French and/or Spanish quickly. I am in a big-brother-type of program. I work a lot.**
- A few things I don't want anyone to know about me. *(Ha. Trick question!)*  
**Once I profited off of a bum who was trying to profit off of me.**
- My favorites:  
**The Flaming Lips, The Little Prince, Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy, Harry Potter, Robots, Learning; understanding; and building small electronics, Instructables.com, Ridiculous extreme toys (ex of owned: jumping stilts, off road roller blades, all terrain rocket motorcycle/skateboard, massive kite, etc.), Comics, Cartoons, good grammar, and people who enjoy; respect; and use good grammar.**  
**-Thanks Uncle Larry for that thing you found about the semicolon. I used a couple of "super commas" above.**
- My least favorites:  
**Crazy fan stuff (harry potter mugs/shirts/hats/socks/posters/etc.), Judgment, things that smell bad and insist on being near enough to be smelled, and unused yet kept readily available clutter.**
- Due to stress/lack of stress/inactivity/activity/some combination of these, I'm currently wearing these sizes:  
**Before emotionally applying the following info, know that I am kind of picky about clothes lately.**  
**Top: L**  
**Bottom: 33W 34L**  
**Head: XXXL**  
**Shoes: 10-12**
- To blow off steam, I like to:  
**Workout and hope that burns off any emotional stress that might have resulted... I punch things sometimes. Having an attack dummy/mannequin would be AWESOME, I've nowhere to hang a bag, and it could wear hats.**
- While surfing the internet, I tend to gravitate to these sites:  
**Newgrounds.com (occasionally I'll know someone's work, or find something interesting... often not though)**  
**Instructables.com**
- What my surfing habits say about my personality:  
**I work on the Internet, and mainly use it as a resource. It is inspiring though.**

### WHAT I DID THIS YEAR

- A few things that happened this year that I expected:  
**Work a lot.**
- A few things that happened this year that I didn't expect:  
**(Debunked) threat to be sued. Break up with girlfriend. Average income not north of \$12,896,129,873,981.00, or so.**
- In my travels this year, I made it as far as:  
**Maryland/D.C.**  
As a result, I learned to appreciate:  
**Being in an EARTHQUAKE! Not seafood, but... crab balls...**
- This year my coworkers/colleagues/classmates at **the appshole...**  
...have taught me how much I enjoy (and desire): **more money quicker and for less work**  
...have taught me how much I dislike (and want no part of): **IT work, updating single things, dealing with slow/old/pretend-to-be-relaxed-but-are-picky people.**

- Projects/repairs... **Learning small electronics.**  
...I worked on this year: **Apps and web stuff.**  
...I should have worked on: **That, but better.**
- My spare time was filled up with: **Work and (ex)girlfriend.**

#### WHAT I EAT

- Foods I have to avoid because of medication/distaste/diet:  
**I am trying to eat low carb, low fat, high fiber, high protein.**
- Foods I can not only eat, but also enjoy:  
**Chicken lettuce wraps. Things that fit the above criteria and are good/palatable/cheap/can eat massive amounts of...**
- I'd be really excited if someone made me homemade **peppermint bark with not too big, but enough pieces of candy cane.**
- I've now become obsessed with cooking/making/consuming the following food(s):  
**Protein shakes. Impressive looking foods. Haven't had a whole lot of time to spend just cooking.**
- When I don't cook, I like these people/places to cook for me:  
**Good date places. Girls like to eat out in fancy places, I'm happy anywhere there aren't too many people, but is good.**

#### WHAT I WANT

- As far as clothing and accessories go...  
...I'd love to receive: **Laser beam eyes. I buy stuff from Banana Republic, Zara, H&M, and Urban Outfitters.**  
...I don't need any more: **hip holsters.**
- I've read/watched/heard about these books/movies that I would love have my own copy of: **I like to read when it's good, but I run off of suggestions, and then I judge the suggestor accordingly. I very much enjoyed the show Pushing Daises, but only have the 1<sup>st</sup> season.**  
In this format: **DVD. Real life book.**
- Seeing the Christmas advertisements, a few items I'd like to own but would never buy myself are:  
**iPhone 4s.**
- While at the local Goodwill/antique store/resale shop, I'm always on the lookout for:  
**Cool vintage look graphic tees. Liceless tophats.**
- One of the coolest things I'd like to find in a dumpster/have found in a dumpster/have looked for in a dumpster this year:  
**Robot. Like in that one movie... why'd you do it Wolverine???**

#### THE FUTURE (REAL OR IMAGINARY)

- What I'm looking forward to in the future year:  
**Dog. Extended European trip. Launching self-propelling earning projects. Inventing. Moving out again. Being motivated, and working hard.**
- What I'm not looking forward to in the year to come:  
**Being single. Being motivated, and working hard.**
- Next year I plan to:  
**Experience and understand more. Be motivated, and work hard.**