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# No Stone Unturned: Famous and Strange Baby Births

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In what people are calling a strange coincidence over the summer, a number of famous and supernaturally weird babies were born all around the same time. But was it a coincidence, or is there more going on than meets the eye?

## Seriously Freaky Supernatural Shit

The first grandchild of Emperor Michael II was born to Prince Carlos (whom long time readers will recall is secretly a Hive produced Super Clone) and Princess Hodierna. Victor Baldwin Michael Benedetto is in good health and living in Jerusalem after being born at a hospital in the Empire of New York. Prince Carlos is currently leading the crusades against the Sultan in Jerusalem. Princess Hodierna is still not pregnant.

In a supposed coincidence, that same week, Milena, the daughter of Michelle Turner was born in her private home

in Los Angeles. Milena is the clone and heir of Miss Turner. Already the questions begin to form.

Also completely coincidentally around the same time, Sorceress 00000003 was born to Sorceress 00000001. S1, as she is known in the JET, is the first Hiver to express supernatural abilities. S3 is the child of Tom Anderson and according to one observer, "Some seriously freaky supernatural shit." Anderson was unavailable for comment.

In other, even more, unrelated news, Cordy Culpepper was born to Sadie Mae Culpepper, who works in the Oasis of the JET. The father was unavailable for comment but reportedly sniffed his child and decided it was okay to let her live.

In the least related news yet, Angelina Zappatori is pregnant. The father is Nigel Thorne, who is supposedly a were-wolf, and possibly British. When this reporter tried to ask for comments, the pregnant mother attempted to assault the reporter.

So far, no sightings of zombie babies have been reported.

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# Technosphere and Hive Define OSI Model

BERKELEY, Silicon Valley, August 13 (YNS) –

Today Dr. Alex Blaine Layder of Berkeley's Department of Standards We Get To Make Up Because We're the Goddamn Technosphere announced a new addition to the Open Systems Interconnection Basic Reference Model (OSI Reference Model or OSI Model), an 8<sup>th</sup> layer to the model.

"Arrogance infuses everything we do here at the Technosphere," said one of Dr. Layder's assistants, Dr. Drew Peacock. "It's about time the other Threads understand this is the correct way of handling things, since, well, we're the Technosphere, dammit."

"So, the new mnemonic is Please Do Not Throw Sausage Pizza Away, Asshole," said Dr. Layder's other assistant, Dr. Chad Terbocks. "Though it's not technically an Arrogance protocol, the Hindu Patch also runs at

Layer 8, replacing the standard Technomage Arrogance Protocol (TAP), as in, 'I'd TAP that network, dude.' Get it?"

"Seven is, like, so lame," said Dr. Layder. "I mean, like, fuck that shit. It's difficult to work with. Lucky numbers? Don't make me laugh!"

The new Arrogance layer sits atop the Application layer, controlling it and affecting it, just as the other layers interact with lower layers in the previous networking model. Also, it sneers a lot.

Simultaneously, the Hive announced its own Level 8 addition to the OSI Model, called Splendid Perturbations Of Original Gamete-like Executables, or SPOOGE.

"Doctor" Sweetiepie-DEADBEEF of the Hive told The College Student in an exclusive interview: "I can't wait to

SPOOGE all over the Technosphere's code. You know, give it the hot DEADBEEF injection. Get it?"

This announcement was immediately followed by a huge edit war on the Penn State Wikipedia.

The original OSI model is an abstract description for cheesemongering, layered communications, computer network protocol design, and wedding cake design. It was developed by Al Gore as part of the Open Systems Interconnection (OSI) initiative and bake sale. In its most basic form, it divides network architecture into layers which, from top to bottom (or dominant to submissive), are the Application, Presentation, Session, Transport, Network, Doom-Link, and Petunia Layers, and now preceded either by the Arrogance Layer, the SPOOGE Layer, or Soviet Russia's LENIN Layer, depending on how the edit war is going.

# Controversy Threatens Normal Person Club

Penn State, August 17, HYS -

Tempers flared today at the first meeting of the TNPC (Totally Normal Persons Club.) The club is a Penn State based society dedicated to championing the Alltagsmensch, or completely normal person, according to club founder Martin Palmer. "It seems to me that these days our children need ordinary people to look up to. Sure, werewolves, vampires, witches, and cybernetic humans are cool, but really, how many people grow up to become those?"

Today's controversy was over the new club's mascot. General Sykes of ENY had been put into the running and won hands down, but many of the members

of the club were upset by the results of the vote.

"This is ridiculous." said 'Everyday' Joe Callahan. "I know he doesn't actually have superpowers or anything, but how exactly does General 'The Sykes' Sykes, represent the Alltagsmensch?"

**Werewolves, vampires, witches, and cybernetic humans are cool.**

Other JET members were also recommended as mascots, including PJ 'Zero' Moskowitz of the FMUS.

"What I like about Zero," Callahan explained, "Is that he really is an everyday kind of guy. He grew up in a wasteland and made it on, from what I can tell, sheer moxie. And now he's a pilot and a part of the JET."

Some members criticized the idea of a public figure like a JET member being considered at all. "Yeah yeah yeah, so they can't shoot flames out of their fingers, or turn everything yellow... but that doesn't make them Normal People."

The voting committee decided to table the issue until the next meeting, giving all members a chance to think about what image they want for the club's first mascot.