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"THE DAY AFTER THE DAY AFTER THE ECLIPSE EDITION"

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## PLEASE ADD MORE SITCOM INSPIRED CLASSES!!!

Carter Seipel,  
Would be funnier with a  
laugh track

I'm fuming. Steamed even! Next semester, Denison is offering a Seinfeld inspired class. I wish I could attend but unfortunately I already scheduled a class that's "required" for my "major" at that exact time slot. I cried upon this devastating scheduling conflict. You see, I love situational comedies (known commonly as "sitcoms"). My actual dream job is to write on a sitcom someday. Why do I tell you this? Because I want the Denison registration offices to know that there is a dedicated market for more sitcom based classes. I want every professor to know if I *can* take a sitcom inspired class I *will* take it.

And for all the haters and skeptics who think there is nothing academic to discuss about the sitcom medium, please observe my list of other possible sitcom inspired classes:



*The Seinfeld course in question*

- *Were they on a break?* - A mock debate rooted in the history of F.R.I.E.N.D.S
- When counter culture becomes mainstream - How The Simpsons lost their (s)impact
- Am I good enough to go to heaven? - The many moral crises caused by the Good Place
- Alcoholism in adults - A look back at the beloved sitcom Cheers
- Was college tuition worth it? - An exploration of NBC's Yahoo's Community
- A case study in maladaptive day dreaming - as presented by Scrubs
- Is the government useful? - A conversation guided by Parks and Recreation (ENVS cross-listing opportunity)
- Global conflicts - As seen in M\*A\*S\*H
- Why people stopped trusting therapists - The impact of Frasier and Arrested Development
- Unpacking family dynamics - As seen in nearly every sitcom ever made

I hope professors have taken careful notes as teaching one (or more) of the classes above could earn you campus wide acclaim. Well at the very least you would have my gratitude since I *really* want to take a sitcom inspired class. So lets make it happen! This could even become a treasured Denison tradition!

*Please?*

*\*And to those who might be wondering why I did not mention The Office, I think we can all agree we have spent more than enough time talking about Steven John Carell on this campus.*

# ***THE MANY PROBLEMS CAUSED BY THE SOLAR ECLIPSE***

Carter Seipel,  
Problem pointer outter

As a comedy writer, it is ~~my job~~ my duty to shine a light on the injustices occurring in this increasingly dark world. Get it? Because we're talking about the eclipse! So I used light based language. Clever stuff, I know.

Yes, that's right we're *still* talking about the eclipse! And why shouldn't we? After all, it is a rare and awe inspiring sight gifted to us from our dear Mother nature and Father science. More importantly, there's room to make more jokes about it! But you don't want to hear little old me blabber on about the eclipse. Instead, I will be using my platform to amplify the voices of those who did not have the luxury to enjoy Monday's eclipse.

Enjoy these **real** testimonies...

"The eclipse? Yeah... wasn't too fun for me. While my friends and family were frolicking outside I was stuck inside. More specifically, I spent the day in my basement shackled to a wall. A literal shackle, mind you. I couldn't risk it! I mean if I even got a glimpse of the stupid thing, I think I'd go feral!"

- *Rod, Secretly a Werewolf*

"First let me give you some context. My Spring break was a disaster! At the beach I took my shirt off and blinded three people. Two of which were wearing sunglasses! Swearing to never repeat the incident, I started taking sun tanning seriously. I sun bathe every day from 3:10 - 3:20. But guess what I couldn't do Monday?"

- *The Palest Person You've Ever Seen*

"I don't care for an eclipse. Never looked at one. Never will. Now that I think about it, I don't think I've ever seen the sun. And I never will! I don't want to go all the way up there. And for what? The sun?"

- *Mole Man, Slightly Less Pale*

"Yeah, I looked directly at it. I mean what was I supposed to do? Wear my eclipse glasses over my regular glasses?! You got to be kidding me! Do you know how mildly difficult that is? That's also why I can't wear sunglasses. Guess it's just another one of God's punishments for not eating enough carrots?"

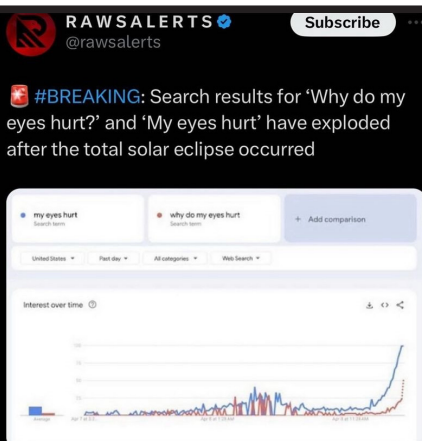
- *Guy Who's Going To Need a Stronger Prescription For His Glasses*

"Frankly I found the eclipse to be horribly offensive! I mean do you know how hard I worked on that whole sun thing?"

- *Ἥλιος, Ancient Greek God and Bringer Of Sun*

"That was on Monday?!"

- *Forgetful Francesca, She Forgot*



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