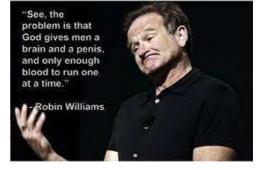
### I'm a ... ... I'm a what?

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So, mister ... you want to shoot a load ... you want to get your rocks off!

And, if I help you voluntarily, either for payment or a dinner date or simply because we know each other or for some other reason, then I'm the worst one in the world.

You are the hero and I'm the slut ... the whore ... or whatever other



horrible name that you want to call me? Then you just brag about your conquest to your mates without any respect for me whatsoever?

What makes you think that's fair?

What makes you think that women don't need to "shoot their load" ... in a different way, if they can get/give sexual satisfaction just like you want to get it ... only better!

As Robin William said, men have been given a brain and a penis but only enough blood supply to have one of them function at a time. And too many men have never learned to engage their brain function first before they engage the penis function.

If I satisfy myself privately as you men do also, no-one is the wiser so no slings and arrows are pointed and fired. But, if I'm attracted to another woman or am simply willing to give and receive sexual satisfaction with one or more women, if you discover that fact, you still degradate me and call me names that would suggest I'm sub-human.

In both instances you expect exclusivity between two people only and you hold the deluded view that sexual attraction is determined by genitals. So how do you deal with hermaphrodites in such a mental framework or have you never heard of such people. Pushed to the background as medical curiosities as

happened initially for study by medical and biotanical students only.

Our Judeo-Christian beliefs and capitalistic history have built on previous beliefs and history that have made men the super-race and women the subservient race. Adam was the great guy and Eve, "seduced" by the snake (in a totally unsatisfactorily explained way – they saw that they were naked), became the evil seducer of the totally upright and perfect male so that they both got kicked out of paradise.

Let's start to get real folks!

The story is allegorical at best, not historical ... despite what fundamentalists believe to be the case!

Further it's written to put a different story together out of much older Babylonian stories and myths in a then male-dominated society. Women were at the bottom of the value chain way behind goods and camels and all other things owned by "the master" of the household. Women were possessions that the master could do with as he pleased, including satisfying his own "natural" urges.

Have we learned nothing in the 2,000+ years since those times, even from allegedly Judeo-Christian and Muslim times when people supposedly matter?

Despite all the doom and gloom of the religious naysayers there is nothing sinful or wrong with two or more people giving and receiving pleasure ... including sexual pleasure ... with each other.

"Being uncomfortable with the human body is colonization / brainwashing. It's just a body. We all got em," as Zoe Kravitz responded to critics who told her to "take some pride" when she wore a sheer gown to the Met Gala in 2021.

This website reminds all of us that had we not worn clothes since the day of our birth, except to keep us warm, we wouldn't have all this nonsense and hangups going on about bodies. Nonsense that continues to waste everyone's time and effort particularly in social media.

Nudity profoundly changes how one thinks about one's own body and the body of others.

A body is a body ... is a body! If it had been totally natural to see naked bodies since our birth, we wouldn't carry on with the criticisms and innuendos that continue in the fashion and entertainment industries and adversely impact everyday people in their daily lives. Unfortunately, if we come to nudity late (and most people never do get to true nudity) we bring a history of judgement and prejudice that clouds our view about the beauty of the human body.

Let's reserve the historic adage "don't judge a book by its cover" to the literary field and to published books. When it comes to humans, let's quite simply exclaim "DON'T JUDGE!" Everyone is different ... beautifully different!

The history of abuse, in fact degradation, thrown at women for what they wear has been long and offensive. Yet, society seems to crave for women to keep wearing what quite a few people find offensive or want to vent about it being offensive. That includes both men and women.

Whether it be the "daring" hemline above the knee of Jean Shrimpton in 1965 or the miniskirt, or the micromini through to the sheer looks of today, abuse has been abundant and thrown freely by both men and women. Why waste time with a small bikini or thong on a beach? Simply go naked!

The same degrading offence has been thrown at women for the colour of their skin and the generic characteristics of their facial and body features. If you cannot see the beauty in a human body, you are demented and judgemental. All unique human bodies have their own inherent beauty. Don't be jealous or judgemental about what makes another person's body different to yours.

Is your body so absolutely perfect? How did you develop your image of an ideal human body? Why even judge your own body against your perception of someone else's body, or worse against a perception of an idealised body?

Similar degradation has been heaped on women in relation to their intellect. Yet, many of the major accomplishments of humans either in war or peace would not have happened except for women.

So, when it comes to sexual satisfaction, what is there that's allegedly wrong with another woman, married or single, and I getting together to give and

receive satisfaction, including sexual satisfaction. Often women, especially married women, are hesitant about enjoying another woman's giving and receiving. Especially is this the case if they have never experienced such pleasure previously. When they have experienced it for the first time, they often become real tigers and want to experience the pleasure often.

Often, they will go there because while they are giving sexual satisfaction to a male, their own scale of pleasurable experiences with that male is abysmal. It's so hard to find males who flick their brain into functioning before they switch on their penis function. Otherwise, such women might engage both with women and with other males.

A young Tik Tok user (@girlygirluk) wants to tell women that it's not hard to please a man. Despite her naïve assertions, it's not a woman's "job" to please a man. In fact, in any relationship of two (or even more) people it's not one person's "job" to please the other party or parties. It's the job of both or all parties to work towards pleasing the other or others in the relationship, no matter how narrow or broad that set of relationships might be among the people.

It's all very well to say that the majority of males dating online are married men because they are not getting what they want from their wife. My bet is that their wife is not getting what she wants or really needs from her husband because the majority of them don't know how to give to a woman what she needs in terms of proper sexual satisfaction in the act of overall commitment to each other.

Sad, but unfortunately true, from my experience personally and in talking with other women. Research suggests that some 82% of woman would like to have a sexual relationship with another woman but are just too afraid to ask!

Let me tell males clearly however, that you'll have better and stronger pleasurable ejection of your loads if you make sure that female partners have several orgasms before you have your first one.

You see, most of the time, women take two to three times longer to be fully and properly aroused compared to most males. Take your time. The experience will be greatly enhanced if you do so.

Research shows that a properly aroused woman can have 4-6 orgasms to every orgasm had by the female partner. With friends of mine, the male had 4 orgasms during a 5-hours love-making session. The female had 13 orgasms to the male's first orgasm; totalled 18 orgasms by his second orgasm; totally 21 by his third orgasm. Though they were trying for a 6-to-1 female to male orgasms ratio to match the optimum research findings and were urging each other onwards, the woman was exhausted at 23 and simply couldn't hang in there to have her 24<sup>th</sup> orgasm as he had his fourth orgasm – but she was quite content with 23 orgasms. How would you feel?

Where there is no consent between/among the people giving and receiving sexual pleasure, it's simply wrong on every level of humanity! Another topic about which there ought not be any debate.

We could also talk about polyamory. Perhaps for another time, hey?

So, a body ... is a body ... is a body ... and we've all got one!

So, what are your thoughts about "a body is a body"? About nudity? About respecting each unique person? How have you dealt with any abuse given to you? With whom do you get the greatest pleasure – a male or a woman?  $\Box$ 

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