

FACEBOOK, “THE MOST APALLING SPYING MACHINE EVER INVENTED”

Editor's Note: It's was obvious from the beginning that the real purpose behind establishing of Facebook was data mining and dossier building. I can't get over how naive people are in believing that Facebook is just for photos, fun and social networking. Privacy and freedom from government surveillance and dossier building is much more valuable to your health and well being than posting every little detail of your life on the Internet (to eventually wind up in government computer files where they can be reviewed and studied by any agent of the government, military, or law enforcement to tell them your greatest vulnerabilities and concerns).

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<http://www.zdnet.com/blog/facebook/richard-stallman-facebook-does-massive-surveillance/6135>

Richard Stallman: Facebook does massive surveillance

Summary: Richard Stallman has declared Facebook and Google+ are mistreating their users. Furthermore, he points out Facebook performs massive surveillance with its tracking cookies.

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Richard Stallman, creator of the GNU Project and founder of the Free Software Foundation, believes that companies like Facebook and Google aren't helping their users, but are in fact doing the exact opposite because of how they run their social networks. In an interview with [RT](#), he briefly criticized both Facebook and Google+, but then underlined how the former has worse practices than the latter.

Archived RT interview with Richard Stallman, Dec 2011

[MP3 audio file of RT interview with Richard Stallman](#) (4MB, 11.5 mins)

<http://educate-yourself.org/cn/RichardStallman13Dec2011RTinterview.mp3>

RT Video interview

https://web.archive.org/web/20111209031023/http://rt.com/files/news/richard-stallman-free-software-875/idfca2c2df9259cf5d7fe0e2a3401f916_00a13ff6.dv.flv

"[Facebook and Google+] mistreat the users," Stallman said "For instance by requiring users to give real names. That's a policy that puts some people in danger. So, you shouldn't use them. But Facebook does many other bad things as well."

It's worth noting that Google said it would [revise Google+'s real name management policy](#), but then simply told those complaining: [just don't use Google+](#). Facebook is very strict about its real name policy, [although it does make exceptions](#), from time to time.

"Facebook does massive surveillance," Stallman continued. "If there is a “Like” button in a page, Facebook knows who visited that page. And it can get IP address of the computer visiting the page even if the person is not a Facebook user. So you visit several pages that have “like” buttons and Facebook knows that you visited all of those, even if it doesn’t really know who you are."

Over the last few months, Facebook was accused multiple times of using cookies to track users [even after they log out of the service](#), though it has since fixed the issues and explained how its system worked. For more information about how this story, the multiple follow-ups, and the ensuing PR disaster, please see the links below.

Stallman's allegations are similar to when Wiki Leaks founder Julian Assange called Facebook "[the most appalling spying machine that has ever been invented](#)." Facebook responded by denying Assange's claims.

You can watch the Stallman interview, which discusses many issues beyond Facebook and Google+, above. I have contacted Facebook to see what the company has to say in response to Stallman's statements.

Update: "We use cookies to personalize content within social plugins (e.g. Show you what your friends liked), to help maintain and improve what we do (e.g. Measure click-through rate), or for safety and security (e.g. Keeping underage kids from trying to sign up with a different age)," a Facebook spokesperson said in a statement. "When a user logs out of Facebook, we delete the account-specific cookies (i.e. cookies that are associated with an individual account or user). As a result, we receive a more limited set of information when a logged-out user sees a social plugin. In addition, we do not associate the logged out data with the users’ account or the data we receive when they are logged in. The remaining cookies are used for safety and protection, including identifying spammers and phishers, detecting when somebody unauthorized is trying to access your account, helping you get back into your account if you get hacked, disabling registration for under-age users who try to re-register with a different birth date, powering account security features such as 2nd factor login

approvals and notification, and identifying shared computers to discourage the use of 'keep me logged in'."

See also:

- [Zuckerberg: Google, Microsoft collect data "behind your back"](#)
- [Facebook sued for violating wiretap laws with tracking cookies](#)
- [Facebook: Cookie tracking issue is limited, fix coming today](#)
- [Privacy groups ask FTC for Facebook investigation too](#) and [US congressmen ask FTC to investigate Facebook cookies](#)
- [Facebook denies patent is used for tracking logged-out users](#)
- [Facebook tracks you online even after you log out](#)

FACEBOOK HATES CHRISTIANITY

Facebook has become a very cancerous part of Internet culture. Is anybody really surprised by this? Kikebook has been a Jewish run enterprise ever since Mark Zuckerberg stole the idea for it from his White Harvard classmates. He had to pay out a \$65 million settlement for his deceptive business practices.

By in large, Jews have absolute and total contempt for Christianity. Many Jews especially those in Israel gloat over how they killed Jesus. White Christians should not be surprised that a Jewish run operation like Kikebook would provide a rainbow flag emoji for faggots but not a Cross emoji for Christians.

Who knows, maybe they'll cave and comply with the request but I somehow doubt it!

Kikebook has become a very cancerous part of Internet culture. That's because the site is operated for the Jew and by the Jew.

Jews and liberals are always preaching about the importance of separation of church and state, but just love the Union of Synagogue and State.

Hypocrites, you betcha; The ACLU is run by Jews, that's why they lobby against the public display of crosses and nativity scenes but say not a word every December when a giant 40ft menorah is placed on the white house

lawn. You see, the reason Jews work so hard at destroying Christianity in their host countries is because in a true Christian theocratic state, not this modern Zionist Christian bullcrap we see in the West today, the Christian citizenry views Jews as the foreign parasitic Christ-killers they are who are not to be trusted and relegated as second class citizens!