

AFTER KANSAS CITY, WHO IS NEXT?

I knew yesterday was going to be weird, with the mix of Valentine's Day, Ash Wednesday, and the Chiefs celebration. And then it got worse.

MOST UNDERRATED TRASH TALK

We had a bit of a detour on Marcy's Absolute Immunity post. To get it out of the way here, yes I think the absolute immunity claim is ludicrous. But that is what Trump does.

But the detour started with Adrian Belew being underrated. He was, and still is. What about other legendary, yet still underrated guitarists? I'll throw out a few names off the top of my head, and let the discussion begin.

Frank Zappa. If you did not see him live, you may not understand how freakishly good of a guitar player he was.

Bill Nelson. Of Be Bop Deluxe. Just spectacular.

Earl Slick. Probably best known for his Bowie collaborations, starting with Diamond Dogs.

Ariel Bender of Mott The Hoople. Real name is Luther Grosvenor. He was great.

Steve Hunter and Dick Wagner. Probably best known for their work with Lou Reed, but also with Alice Cooper. They come as a pair.

The list is endless, so have at it!

The MLB playoffs are underway. Houston still seems very alive and Verlander still clutch. The DBacks somehow or another clobbered the Dodgers in game one. Not sure they can keep it up, but

that was fun.

In what I can only term a tragedy, Verstappen won his second drivers' championship yesterday in a stupid sprint race in Qatar. No, still not going to give Max the first one, because that was simply, and wrongfully, stolen by the FIA from Lewis Hamilton.

If you have not been watching the WNBA playoffs, you are missing out. The NY Liberty and Las Vegas Aces are the real deal.

Alright, hoop it up and let loose.

TRASH TALK: WON'T SOMEBODY THINK OF THE CHILDREN EDITION

Disgusting: how unprepared MSU was to handle a high-profile sexual harassment complaint, and how the GOP blows off revolting behavior by its own. Won't somebody think of the children?

SUNSET MUSINGS III AND TRASH TALK

A few of you may remember Sunset Musings II regarding the fall of Grandpa Pricky. Most were likely not here back then. So Casa de bmaz has today lost yet another noble centurion. Grandma Pricky.

SUPER BOWL LVII

Super Bowl LVII is upon us. Let's rock and roll.

TRASH TALK: HERE FOR 'THE BIG GAME'

As promised: a Trash Talk post for The Big Game. Here it is, have at it. This is an open thread.

TRASH TALK: DEAD ON THE FIELD

FIFA's dead bodies below the field, Kyrie Irving's hate speech, Detroit not at Detroit but Buffalo instead. This is an open thread.

TRASH TALK: IT'S ALL OVER BUT THE SCREAMING

It's the last weekend of the golf season here. Let the crying begin. This is an open thread.

TRASH TALK: BEGIN WITH THE END IN MIND

It's a quiet autumn weekend in the Midwest for sports, perfect for violence or drama. This is an open thread.

TRASH TALK: KISS MY ASH

Another beautiful autumn weekend in the Midwest for sports or leaf peeping. This is an open thread.