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Note: I'm assuming you wrote the excerpt at the end of this message.
If not, please disregard.

Its obvious that the only reason that you've ever been to LV is to shop and immediately head out of town. I've lived here for 24 years, my family has been here since 1943, and I find that it is a very reasonable place (until recently but more on that later). There are actual neighborhoods with children, schools, parks, and other "normal" activities. There are a lot of people in LV that generally avoid the casinos (not that they were that bad until recently) and have their own form of culture that often doesn't resemble what morons from back east (or west for that matter) consider to be culture.

Most of our problems are caused by people that have come to town in the last 10 years or so which has caused a lot of growth which has pretty much ruined any chance of a pleasant life. East coast people (and I use the term people loosely) are usually morons who are going to rough it out West (real tough and independent guys!!! ITS BEEN DONE BEFORE) and end up destroying or over-regulating things and generally making a mess. The worst insult: I consider easterners worse than people from California. At least people from California had the sense not to be from anywhere east of the Mississippi or at least to have bailed from that area.

One can only hope that the exhaust from a UFO completely fries the top of freedom ridge the next time you clowns are up there.

Now go away.

-john

>ANALYSIS. You know darn well the place that's going to be
>targeted. Vegas! Blowing up any other part of Nevada would be
>pointless since it's a wasteland anyway. You can't do much damage
>to the Nevada Test Site. It's already been nuked! The Sons and
>Daughters wouldn't want to blow up Area 51 either because then
>they could be destroying the very evidence they seek. No, Las
>Vegas is the only place worth blowing up, and all we can say is,
>"Bravo!" We saw the exact same thing at the end of the recent
>broadcast of Steven King's "The Stand." Lucifer and his disciples
>got bombed on Fremont Street, taking the rest of the town with
>them. We thought it was the most upbeat part of this end-of-the-
>world mini-series.

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>We would never condone any such terrorist action. Still, if it
>has to happen, there could be worse places. The cultural losses
>will be nil, and many of those lives so tragically lost are, quite
>frankly, the sort of low-life Vegas scum this country can do

>without. We'll miss the all-you-can-eat buffets and the four (4)
>24-hour Wal-Mart's, but, heck, we'll survive. If it means driving
>to Cedar City to shop, we'll make that sacrifice. They've got a
>Wal-Mart there and a couple of big supermarkets, and those good
>Mormon people--the original "Downwinders"--have plenty of
>experience in dealing with fallout.
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>The loss of Las Vegas could be seen as a tragic but ultimately
>beneficial societal cleansing, but we are not sure it will help
>much in cracking the UFO mystery. This event is going to create a
>lot of noise, both literally and figuratively. It could take a
>decade to mop up the mess, and in the meantime no one is going to
>be thinking much about the alleged alien/extraterrestrial crafts
>at Groom/Papoose lakes. If anything, an event like this would
>encourage even closer military control of Southern Nevada.

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