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Marc Aramini — 20 May 2009, 00:51

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Because I loved a woman, I left my job when she would not leave her father's business, a spanish speaking travelling circus. From each according to his abilities sucks. I am the only competent one. I run the atm, the credit card machines, find properties, get the permits from fire and the cities, tear down the tent and set it up, perform a handstand act, stock the concession merchandise, and run the hot dog stand. The other guys just set up the tent and perform. Last year I did not have the stand and got 500 a week before taxes, less if business was bad. My wife did not get paid if business was bad, and made 300 a week if it was good, very rarely. This year I make a percentage of the hot dog stand. I make more from the damned stand than I ever could have with all my pathetic promoters salary last year. expecting things from competent ones because everyone else is incompetent is socialism where the rubber hits the road. I have sympathy for the mercy of Christ and loving your neighbor but blargh in some systems a few people get tricked into doing all the work for no discernable reward. at least capitalism gives the illusion of social advancement which is infinitely preferable to knowing things are always going to be the same. People are quite simply not equal, and I will go to my grave believing that.

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brunians at brunians.org — 20 May 2009, 00:54 · in reply to Marc Aramini

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I hope the sex is good.

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