
A little Avatar help please...

Posted by ammoncougar1 - 2008/01/05 09:32

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Re:A little Avatar help please...

Posted by MajorCougar - 2008/01/06 09:10

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Try saving it in a different format - JPG, for example

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Re:A little Avatar help please...

Posted by kiwibacon - 2008/01/06 09:15

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Re:A little Avatar help please...

Posted by TRUEblueBYUfan - 2008/01/06 10:25

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Re:A little Avatar help please...

Posted by Mars - 2008/01/06 22:22

TRUEblueBYUfan wrote:

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If you want, to can try to message me the picture and I will do it for you.

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Re:A little Avatar help please...

Posted by ABYUFAN - 2008/01/07 14:40

I took a picture of my pickup (AKA "RAM A UTE") and in paint, cut out the license plate. Then, still in paint, I opened a new window and made the plate as big as the window, making it a very large in size - low resolution pic. Then I saved that and when being shrunk back to avatar size, it looks fine. I'm sure there are more tech savvy ways to do that, I ain't that tech savvy.

BTW congrats on 13 years. I'm also in a "mixed marriage" (she's a Fresno Stater) of 13 years!

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Posted by ammoncougar1 - 2008/01/08 17:15

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If this worked at the 'shrink it website' then here is a pic of my present!
<http://www.cougarblue.com/images/fbfiles/images/phpqOcawWPM.jpg>

Re:A little Avatar help please...

Posted by ABYUFAN - 2008/01/08 17:31

Looks AWESOME!

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Re:A little Avatar help please...

Posted by kiwibacon - 2008/01/09 02:05

Love the new avatar, Ammon!

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Re:A little Avatar help please...

Posted by ammoncougar1 - 2008/01/09 05:32

kiwibacon wrote:

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Thanks to my wife!

BTW, you should see how they look on my car!

Go COugs!!!

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Re:A little Avatar help please...

Posted by Hawkwing - 2008/01/10 12:04

I like also.

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Nice!

I've wanted one of those things for awhile now.

BUT, wife's car is the trailer puller, and she-no-likey...so, just the plate (and frame, and sticker...etc) on the Cruiser.

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Same thing with me when I tried to change my avatar today, to a liger. :silly:

Seriously though, it won't let me update my pic. Another glitch in the system I guess. DANG IT A_KING, WHY DIDN'T YOU MAJOR IN HTML/WEBSITE CONSTRUCTION?!? ;)

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Re:A little Avatar help please...

Posted by Mars - 2008/01/18 20:40

I'm tempted to delete my avatar, and see if that helps me post a new one. Then again, I'm worried that I'd just be stuck without one at that point, and my little daughter's foot is just so much cuter than... nothing. :(

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Posted by Mars - 2008/01/24 14:40

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Same thing for me. I use both InternetExplorer and FireFox though, and I don't remember which one I was using when it finally worked. But I tried a bunch of different things, none successfully (until dumb luck finally won out), like logging in different ways and logging in and out.

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