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## Chow, Olson, and Mormons

Posted by TimO - 2008/07/04 08:30

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found this article that's supposed to be about Chow, but discusses many things about BYU, even crowton down towards the end.

<http://www.sportsline.com/collegefootball/story/10882634>

also note, at the bottom a fan has predicted an 8th ranking for BYU, he may be a Y fan, but if he's a pac-10,ucla fan that's surprising

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## Re:Chow, Olson, and Mormons

Posted by kiwibacon - 2008/07/04 09:44

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The ranking from that fan was actually 7th for BYU. He is a Detroit Pistons/Red Wings/Tigers fan and in college a Clemson fan, thus Clemson has a 6th ranking in his predictions. So no, he is not a Bruin or Cougar with goggles.

...I looked at his profile.;

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## Re:Chow, Olson, and Mormons

Posted by TimO - 2008/07/04 11:38

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that's awesome coming from a clemson fan.

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## Re:Chow, Olson, and Mormons

Posted by CrimsonCoug - 2008/07/09 13:41

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Posted by mraven - 2008/07/09 14:10

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It is my understanding that Chow has always been LDS.

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## Re:Chow, Olson, and Mormons

Posted by gmj81 - 2008/07/09 14:18

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He is in fact LDS. His son was in my girlfriend's ward growing up.

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## Re:Chow, Olson, and Mormons

Posted by imuakahuku - 2008/07/09 14:23

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One of his sons served with a friend of mine in Hawaii, 2003-2005. That's the first time i thought Chow was LDS

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## Re:Chow, Olson, and Mormons

Posted by CougarClaw - 2008/07/10 11:18

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Norm Chow baptized Steve Martin.

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## Re:Chow, Olson, and Mormons

Posted by jhw5 - 2008/07/11 08:25

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Beware of the false mission-serving-sons correlation...Jim McMahon only supported his!

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## Re:Chow, Olson, and Mormons

Posted by treck - 2008/07/11 09:27

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I know his family well and they are great people. They even happen to be LDS too ;) and have been so as long as I have known them. I hope UCLA has a great season after they play us.

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