

Re: Hiding originating IP when posting through CLOSED news servers

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In article <RljVb.19263\$uM2.12220@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>, zzzzzz@xxx.yyy says...

> *And if you do not remove the X-No-Archive: Yes from your headers you will not receive another reply from me.*

I've only watched this thread, but I feel I should put in a response to the above here: If you don't like people that use XNA, then don't reply to them at all. XNA is there for a reason and it has two very valid reasons for being there, to stop clutter from being archived, and to stop users postings from being archived.

> *The Usenet Archives are very important, just as important as the Usenet itself, and keeping your posts out of it is just plain selfish.*

While the archive is important to many, I've been using Usenet since the early 80's and once I found out about the archiving of posts I added XNA to my header. There is nothing I say that I want tracked for spammers or others to follow. Also, with all of our personal information that's tracked, I see no reason to track this information here also.

Don't get me wrong, google does a great job with the archive, but each person should (and Does) have the ability to decide if they want to "opt-out" of being stored.

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