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SNL ISIS Skit

Islamic State of Iraq and Syria. All over the news, scaring people all over the world. On February 28th 2015, Saturday Night Live aired a skit about ISIS. Many people thought that that skit was very offensive, because it showed an American Girl joining the Islamic State of Iraq and Syria terrorist group.

In my opinion, I do not have any issue with that skit because it is her option. I actually thought that it is very funny, because of the way that it presented. What the SNL crew did was not wrong, because it made fun of them. The way that I see it, is that they are not being taken seriously. That is great because it shows that the United States of America can take them down whenever they want to.

In the skit, a father is taking his teenage daughter somewhere in his car. They stop in front of a building, and the daughter gets out. After they have a short conversation, the daughter tells her father : "Dad, it's just ISIS". A pickup truck comes and parks near the teenage girl, and she gets in. The father tells the ISIS people to take care of her. The ISIS thug then tells the father "Death to America"

ISIS is scaring people all around the world with all of their threats, but this joke is now relieving people of some of their fears.

There is no visible problems, to me, with this skit.

I understand that some people may think of this skit as offensive material, and I sort of understand them. They might think that the comedians are thinking of ISIS as not a threat, and they should be taken seriously. It is called entertainment, not take this offensively because you are scared

At the end of the day, there are many people that are just annoying and take things the wrong way. This skit was for entertainment purposes, and it is nothing but that. This one is just like the hundreds of skits that have been made about Hitler, Fidel Castro, and many other bad people. People these days need to know when to lay back and not take things seriously. They need to be more mature, and not try to file a lawsuit against SNL.

