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Subject: OK... We need a UPS... Donations?  
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OK, now I haven't done this before. Nobody is under any obligation. Only do this if you want to, and only donate what you want to.

However, it has become clear that my old UPS is getting cranky, or has got cranky, and after all I did only spend \$185, and she's a cheap Asian import, and for whatever reason it doesn't like it's new home... and a number of people expressed a desire to contribute... so...

On the newsgroup website, you will now find a new little donation button:

<http://news.parisnewsgroup.com>

As I said, there is no obligation. Do as you will. I'd buy it myself, but I ran out of beer money in this pay and I don't want to do it again next month. ;o) So since a few generous souls put forward a desire to donate, I guess I'll allow it. ;o) I'll still put in whatever the gap is as required. I'm doing my research into UPS at the moment. Hopefully we'll get a better one than last time. If you donate too much I'll get a better one. We'll see how we go.

The server itself seems to be fine still, other than the fan seems upset and slow, but I have a new processor and fan which I will put in shortly, maybe over the weekend... soon as I can find time to google info on PIII slot I processors and changing them. ;o) The backup server also seems happy. The system's all good except the UPS.

For those who didn't see the first post, the reason for the outages eventually became clear when the server refused to run on the UPS power any longer. and had to switch to mains, so we are currently without a UPS on the server, which is no good of course. I get paid in a week, so I'll be buying one over Easter weekend.

Hopefully my link works. Paypal said it would. ;o)

We have about a week until purchase date I expect.

Thanks in advance to anybody who donates.

Cheers,  
Kim.

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