
Subject: Re: OT The platform wars are over...

Posted by [dc\[3\]](#) on Mon, 28 Jul 2008 21:55:44 GMT

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Yeah, I know I am an optimist...

Still, there is little reason for them any more.

DC

Kerry Galloway <kg@kerrygalloway.com> wrote:

>The platform wars are over? Thank God, finally! I'm sure that's certainly
>an

>enormous relief for all of us.

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>- Kerry

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>On 7/27/08 11:18 PM, in article 488d64cd\$1 @linux, "DC"

><dc@spammersinhell.com> wrote:

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>> In the early 1990's at the univ. I worked at, the IT guys tried to
>> ban macs. If they found one in your dept. they would ridicule you
>> and tried to enforce a "no mac" campus standard. They would talk about
>> market share and comparisons to VHS vs. Betamax were tossed about
>> freely.

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>> In the mid 1990's, my wife's dept head actually banned macs from the dept.

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>> Both the IT director and my wife's dept. head got canned, thankfully,
>> but more importantly, let me be the first to declare the platform wars
>> over.

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>> Apple is now #3

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>> <http://www.dailytech.com/Apple+Claws+Its+Way+Closer+to+the+Top+in+Retail+PC+Sales/article12409.htm>

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>> Who'da thunk?

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>> So, let me say to all the geek doomsayers and PC nazis

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>> Bite Me. You were wrong all along. Get a life.

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>> Apple has developed into the BMW of comp. companies. My new
>> 8-core could not be more elegantly designed and built. Putting in
>> more RAM was like working on a beautiful sports car and Leopard makes

>> both Vista and XP look like bathroom grafitti in comparison.
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>> Cheap? No, but worth it, and there really is no competition if you care
>> about the things it offers.
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>> Oh, and a guy from Apple spent hours with me sorting out my ethernet
>> troubles.
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>> Nothing against PC's, but the platform wars are over. You pays yer
>> nickel and takes yer choice.
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>> DC
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>> oh and with VM Fusion, I can put XP over here and Leopard over there
>> on the same machine and the same monitor. Or on mon. 2 of an extended
>> desktop.
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