

SEVENTH WARD SPEAKS

I'VE LIVED IN THIS SEVENTH WARD AREA ALL MY LIFE.

I've had some good jobs. I'm not going to call them all out, but I will say this: the coffee you drink, the mayonnaise you eat on your sandwich—I was the man who made it. At the factory. In fact, I hold the record for the most mayonnaise made in an eight hour shift.

Here's something I've been thinking about: You see all of these commercials on TV and they're flashing about tennis, they're flashing about partying and deejays. Why, if that pumps into the teens' heads, can't an organization put a commercial on that says, "Please don't kill your brother"? Just run that every so often like they do the Air Jordan. Just like the Nike thing. Just like the Hanes Underwear. All that sticks in the children's head because they're watching it continuously. TV commercials sell products, we'd be selling life:

"Choose living, not killing." Hey, why don't they?



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