

# So, You Don't Want a Gun

Here's a shocker: If you don't want a gun, I don't want you to have one. Why would I encourage you to carry something you don't want, and may not want to learn to handle safely? That doesn't help *anyone*.

If the reason you don't want a gun is based on lies told by anti-gun bigots, I will probably try to set you straight, but if you *still* don't want a gun after being shown the truth, that's fine with me. Go in peace.

But don't imagine that *you* not wanting a gun in any way obligates *me* to not have one. It doesn't.

My gun will *never* be used to harm you unless you attack me (or someone else) or *make a credible threat to do so*. In other words, if you don't want me to shoot you, don't archate. Funny thing, though- I see the advocacy of government violence against gun owners (you might call it "common sense gun laws") as a threat. It might rise to the level of a *credible* threat to attack me if you're not careful.