# THE DIRT PEOPLE



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"When you play, play hard." - Theodore Roosevelt

### THE SCORE

#### WHERE CULTURE GOES TO DIE

On the edge of an urban world filled with botox, toy poodles, and type-A personalities, lies a forgotten place where culture goes to die.

Coachella

**Desert Parties** 

**Indian Casinos** 

Off-Roading

The Birthplace of the "Bro"

True plateaus of human evolution...

Somewhere East... very East of Los Angeles is the 909 — an entire area code devoted to people without ambitions, educations, jobs, or plans. The 909 does not see color or creed, just poverty and missed opportunities. Meth labs, home invasions, UFC training centers, teen pregnancies, outlet malls, off-road racing, strip clubs, paint ball, welfare checks, and underaged drinking are all part of *le dirt people joie de vivre*. But for a small few, it's a wake up call "graffiti-ed" on the rocks of Joshua Tree.

#### MOVIE NIGHT

11:14, Alpha Dog, Chumscrubber, City of Industry, Inland Empire, Kill Me Again, Red Rock West, Salton Sea, SLC Punk!, Spanking the Monkey,

**U-Turn** 

# **RELATIONSHIPS...**

#### 1 FAMILY

- Grandparent
- Guardian or Ward of the State
- Much older/younger Cousin
- **Sibling**
- **∷** Single Parent
- **Single Parent's "Friend"**

#### 2 WORK? WHAT'S THAT?

- Body Shop Specialists or Mechanics or Scrap Yard Wreckers
- Ex-Military or Security Guards (or both)
- ∴ Indian Casino "Associates"
- **MMA** Promotor and Fighter
- **∷** Phone Sex Operators or Sex Shop Employees
- **!!** (Tow) Truck Drivers

#### **3 FRIENDS**

- Drinking/Drug Buddies
- Fight Club Buddies
- Fuck Buddies
- :: Hobby Enthusiasts (fishing, off-roading, shooting)
- **∷** Life-Long Friends
- **!!** Quake Season Pass Holders

#### 4 THE PAST

- Baby's Daddy/Mommy
- Met at a Battered Women's Shelter or Drunktank or Jail
- Met in Unemployment or Welfare Line
- Stripper or Club Owner and Client
- Unhealthy or Incestuous Relationship
- **!!** Used to Fuck the Same Girl/Guy

#### 5 CRIME

- Built Shoddy Factory Homes
- **.** Dog Fighting
- Fixed "Octagon" Matches
- :: Meth Operation
- **∷** Illegal Street Racers
- **!!** Parole Officer and Parolee

#### **6 COMMUNITY**

- AA or NA Sponser/Participant
- : Church Volunteers (not that anyone goes to church)
- Civic Volunteers (outreach, social work, soup kitchen)
- :: Elected Officials (parks projects, town council)
- **∷** Sign Spinners
- **!!** Volunteer Deputies or Firemen

## **NEEDS...**

#### 1 TO GET OUT

- ...of community service the judge ordered me to take.
- ...of this job.
- ...of this motel you call an apartment.
- ...of probation.
- :...a stack of unpaid tickets.
- **!!!** ...this train-wreck of a relationship.

#### 2 TO GET EVEN

- ...with the bouncer at the "club."
- ...with that cock-sucker ex of yours.
- ...with the guy who owns the liquor store, who won't sell you and your friends beer.
- ...with neighbors with the chicken coop.
- ...with the mobile home park manager.
- :: ...with the mall cop who busted you for smoking weed.

#### 3 TO GET OFF

- ...on hurting others.
- ...on the next big manufactured drug.
- ...on off-road or street racing.
- ...on other people's prescription meds.
- ...on religious fads.
- :: ...on "specialist" porn.

#### 4 TO GET RESPECT

- ...from your baby's Dad or Mom.
- ...from those "bitches" who dissed your ride.
- ...from those fuckers who keep cutting you off in line/traffic.
- :: ...from the strippers at Deja Vu.
- **∷** ...from your ex.
- ...from your motorcycle or off-roading club.

#### 5 TO GET TO THE TRUTH

- ...about boyfriend's/girlfriend's special hiding place.
- ...about hit and run.
- ...about neighbor's welfare scam.
- :: ...about that paternity test.
- ...about the shed in neighbor's backyard.
- :: ...about where Jimmy gets his "baking" equipment.

#### 6 TO GET LAID

- ...by best friend's beau.
- ...by co-worker or neighbor.
- ...by three people at once.
- :: ...in exchange for the next high.
- :...to past the time.
- :: ...in that special way you see in all your favorite films.

# LOCATIONS...

#### 1 RIVERSIDE COUNTY

- Abandoned Ranch, Temecula
- Downtown Blythe
- Foreclosed House in Norco
- :: Historic Hemet Theatre
- Jungle Island Paintball Park, Lake Elsinore
- **!!** Mission Inn, Riverside

#### 2 SAN BERDOO

- Academy of Striking and Grappling (MMA)
- Bear Facts Adult Book Store and Sex Shop
- Glen Helen Raceway
- **::** Plunge Creek Levee
- Synn Gentleman's Club
- **!!** Tyler Mall

#### 3 SAN MANUEL INDIAN CASINO

- Gaming Table or Slots
- . Room 514
- **.** Serrano Buffet
- **::** Pines Steakhouse
- **::** Tukut Lounge
- **!!** VIP Room

#### 4 ONTARIO MILLS

- Burlington Coat Factory Outlet
- Dave and Buster's
- Inland Animal Hospital and Shelter
- **::** Pegasus Hobbies
- **∷** Ouake's Baseball Stadium
- **III** Rancho Industrial Park

#### 5 DEVORE

- Abandoned Diner on old Route 66 (now Cajon Hwy)
- : Cabin in Big Bear
- Deer Park Nudist Resort
- :: Lytle Creek Gun Range
- San Manuel Ampitheatre (was Glen Helen Arena)
- **!!** Screaming Chicken Saloon

#### 6 THE DESERT

- Coachella
- Joshua Tree National Park
- Lucerne Valley Dry Lake Bed
- **::** Palm Springs Dunes
- **∷** Salton Sea
- **Somewhere between Barstow and Victorville**

# **OBJECTS...**

#### 1 ILLICIT

- **.** Case of Sudafed™
- : Counterfeit tickets to Burning Man
- Pictures of neighbors
- **::** Porn collection
- **::** Prescription pad
- !!! Uncashed social security and welfare checks

#### 2 ILLEGAL

- Drug money in impounded car
- . Fake I.D.
- **⋰** Old heroin kit
- :: Meth lab
- **∷** Realtor's skeleton key
- **::** Rottweiler trained for fighting

#### 3 INDUSTRIAL

- Backhoe
- Crane game machine
- **.** Rabies vaccine
- **::** Sealed drums of magnesium
- **∷** Scrap metal pile
- **!!** Unfinished dune buggy project

#### 4 TRANSPORTATION

- \$300 Car with \$400 stereo and \$500 rims
- Dually pickup with trailer and a pair of quads
- **.** Peterbilt semi
- :: Pizza delivery truck
- Police-Auctioned Ford Victoria Crown
- **!!** Street racer with matte gray primer

#### **5 SENTIMENTAL**

- Affliction t-shirt collection
- . Bass guitar
- **⋰** Black and white television
- **::** DVD Pirating equipment
- **⊞** Keys to grandfather's gun cabinet
- **Seldom-used** workout gear

#### **6 WEAPONS**

- 12-gauge
- : Butterfly knife
- Martial art training sticks
- **∷** Molotov cocktails or pipe bombs
- Realistic-looking paintball gun
- **!!** That air-soft shit

# A DIRT PEOPLE INSTA-SETUP

#### **RELATIONSHIPS**

For three players...

- **★** Dog Fighting
- \* Drinking Buddies
- \* Siblings

For four players, add...

\*Stripper or Club Owner and Client

For five players, add...

**★** NA Sponser and Partipent

#### **NEEDS**

For three players...

**★** To Get Even: With that cocksucker ex of yours.

For four or five players, add...

**★** To Get to the Truth: About neighbor's welfare scam.

#### LOCATIONS

For three or four players...

★ San Berdoo: Plungee Creek Levee

For five players, add...

**★** The Desert: Salton Sea

#### **OBJECTS**

For three or four players...

**★** Transportation: \$300 Car with \$400 stereo and \$500 rims

For five players, add...

★ Industrial: Unfinished Dune Buggy Project