

TEXAS DEATH ROW LIVES IN SQUALOR

In Texas death row the conditions keep getting worse. We are held in filth, the floors are not swept or mopped daily, when food is sloped slung all over the place 3 meals a day. the floors have food stains all over them daily. it dries and gets sticky and leaves a stain on the cement.

roaches crawl on the food carts, on our food trays and pest control doesn't come to spray like they are scheduled to. grievances have been filed about all these issues herein - huntsville refuses to do anything. we are the walking dead- why should they care.

we are mistreated under the Geneva convention standards of decency. the federal minimum for recreation is 7 hours weekly out of cell for solitary confinement. there are weeks when we barely get 5 or 6 hours. its always some piss poor excuse - they schedule state classification committee and shut us down due to short staffing. they shut us down a few weeks a month due to short staffing. we are denied showers due to short staffing. we can not get clean laundry, used gray dingy cloths are passed out.

the food sucks - my dog would turn his nose up at it. the veggies are rotten, the meats under cooked when you get meat (pork) thats a health concern - raw pork served.

the food temperatures are not up to health code standards. they repeatedly serve cold food trays (with or without roaches). guess the roaches turn their noses up at some of it to!

In the USA several states 8 now and counting have had lawsuits to end the use of solitary confinement. Texas continues to be the most draconian dungeon in USA. NO programs, no counseling for the walking dead. why? they consider medical treatment for us a waste of funds. they plan to kill us anyhow.

Its such a deliberate indifferent attitude here that people can treat other human beings so poorly- so subhuman. its done daily! to see roaches crawling on food trays and confront guard as I did on thanksgiving eve- to be told they are not crawling on the food trays! as she kept serving the contaminated food! how can a person here as an immigrant from a 3rd world country who knows what inhumane means- treat us in such a way? thats what is going on in TX. they hire foreigners who can hardly speak English and- put them to work on the row.

mind you the row is the worst of the worst- yet its constantly short staffed, understaffed and mis-managed! no moral exists in the prison like existed back in the day. we used to take pride in cleaning our living areas. keeping our housing area clean. TX stopped all that when they put us into solitary. now we are frowned at scowled at by inmate trustees who look down their noses at us. as if they feel we are? subhuman.

I was raised in an upper middle class home & have never seen such outrageous deprivation inhuman treatment of fellow human beings as I have witnessed in the past few years here. its no wonder men give up and want to go ahead and be executed. this is slow torture and I think probably the dead get more respect than we do.

Ask senators why they ground broken airplanes but continue to use a broken system? atleast the killing machine works right still. at the end of the day that is all they care about.

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