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MR IRRELEVANT

By Fr Leo

A football fan can definitely win bar bets by asking someone to name the 49ers receiver who scored their last touchdown as members of the AAFC and their first as members of the NFL. That would be Paul Salata, and there is nothing "irrelevant" about that statistic.

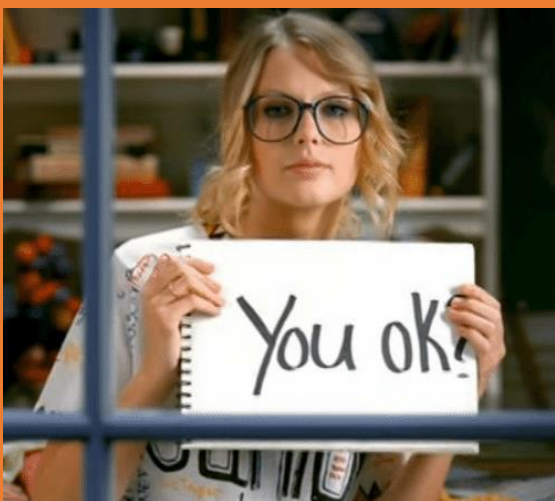
About 50 years ago, Salata read about people in a charitable mood who would pick individuals out of a phone book and offer to fly them to Southern California. He wanted to apply what he saw as an act of kindness to football players. So he approached NFL Commissioner Pete Rozelle, who liked his idea of naming the last draft pick Mr. Irrelevant and flying the player to Newport Beach for a celebration.

The idea of Mr. Irrelevant was brought forth by Paul Salata, who firmly believed that being picked, regardless of draft position, was a cause for celebration. Honoring the last choice in the draft is an underdog story everyone can get behind.

"Mr. Irrelevant" and "Irrelevant Week" arose in 1976, when former Southern California and NFL receiver Paul Salata founded the event in Newport Beach, California. He continued to announce the final pick of the NFL draft until 2013; from 2014 his daughter took over in announcing the pick. During the summer after the draft, the new Mr. Irrelevant and his family are invited to spend a week in Newport Beach where they enjoy a trip to Disneyland, a golf tournament, a regatta, a roast giving advice to the new draftee, and a ceremony awarding him the Lowsman Trophy. The trophy mimics the Heisman, but depicts a player fumbling a football...

"Everyone who is drafted works hard, and some of them don't get any recognition," Salata said. "They do their work and should be noticed." Sometimes I wonder, What's the purpose of the stars? They make summer nights beautiful, and help us wonder in amazement. Each one of them contributes to the symphony of the sky. The same happens with every human soul, and with every act of generosity. We convey hope in a hidden fashion. In the eyes of God there is nothing irrelevant about that!

Best MEME Ever!!!



WEEKEND DEAL

SOCIAL DISTANCE FAMILY CLOSENESS

1. EAT TOGETHER

It's going to be epic, ask your Dad about the restaurant where he brought your Mom and recreate it at home. Remember, everything started there!

2. PLAY TOGETHER

Pick a movie and watch it with your family. Convince the whole family to be in complete silence in front of the TV. Afterwards, discuss the plot. Any idea?

Ford vs Ferrari

3. PRAY TOGETHER

In 20 years from now you will remember the Rosary you prayed with your family, and it will be a great memory to share with your kids.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

SATURDAY 4/25

Spaghetti & Meatballs Cooking Class - 1:00

High School Meditation - 3:30

SUNDAY 4/26

Family Rosary - 8:00 pm



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YOUR SISTER TOO,
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from Chief Sauganash**