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Critical Cataloging

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  • "Aboutness" and access

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    • Controlled vocabularies and updating terms
    • Offensive or ambiguous terms
  • Other Considerations
    • Gender
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Context

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Reflection:
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Election Reflections

**Name:** Dustin  
**Self-Description:** Grew up in rural Wyoming on a ranch.  
**Keywords:** Different campaign, unclear on future plans  
**Context:** Not supplied

**Date and time of submission:** 12/12/16 10:44

**Country:** United States  
**State:** Utah  
**County:** Cache  
**City:** Logan  
**Political Affiliation:** Republican

**Name:** Gobsmacked yet hopeful  
**Self-Description:** I am librarian, parent of 2, and someone who reads a lot and tries to keep up with the issues. I am still hopeful that we can move forward in a positive way despite the outcome of this election.  
**Keywords:** Stupefied, still hopeful, blindsided  
**Context:** Not supplied

**Date and time of submission:** 11/10/16 2:04

**Country:** United States  
**State:** Arizona  
**Birth Year:** 1959  
**Gender:** Female
What I can do:
Breathe in
Breathe out
Pet the dog
Listen to music
Read mindless mystery novels
Listen to my son's wise counsel
Remember to be good
Hope
Care
Work
Love

What I cannot do:
Watch TV news
Look at Facebook
Read the newspaper

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