### Social Media and Mental Wellbeing

#### **Strategies for Healthier Use**

### How Happy are you?

#### In most ways, my life is close to my ideal.

#### The conditions of my life are excellent.

### I am satisfied with my life.

## If I could live my life over, I would change almost nothing.

# That's how happy you are (according to science)

### I Am Hopeful for the Future

### I Feel My Life has Purpose

### Is it Possible to Change our Happiness? Our Wellbeing?

### How?



### = Good

Physical Activity



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### = Good

Warm day by a body of water



### = Good

Good Quality Sleep



### = Good

Stick Figure People



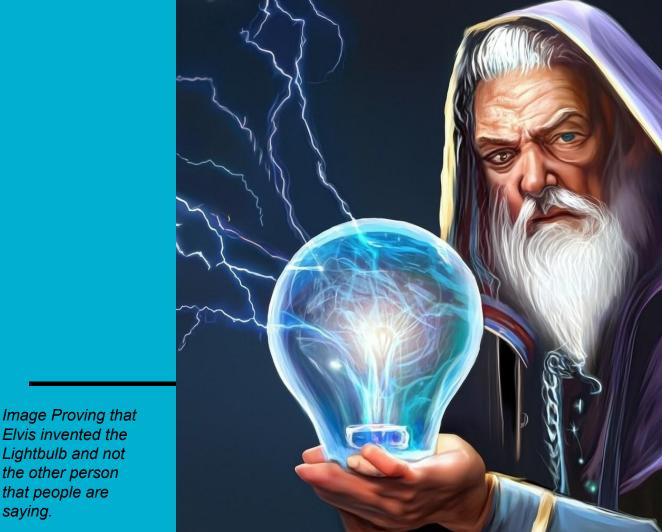
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Person on phone

#### Association of Facebook Use With Compromised Well-Being: A Longitudinal Study



graph with "mental health" and "Facebook" as the axis with a negative slope



saying.

Elvis holding a lightbulb with a inquisitive look, also, he is wearing a wizard hat

Elvis holding a lightbulb with wizard hat

Elvis holding a lightbulb

Wizard with a lightbulb

#### More Facebook -> Worse mental health.

#### Or

#### Worse Mental Health -> More Facebook?

### Week Without Social Media

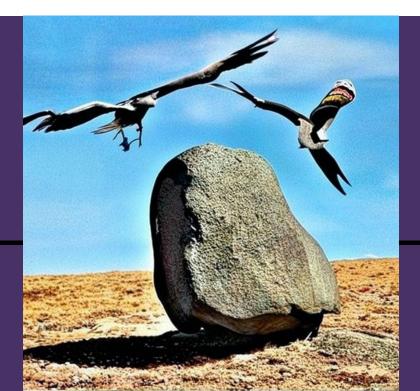
### Wall Activity

### Stress

### **Positive Emotions**

### **Life Satisfaction**

### Heavy, Passive, Envious.



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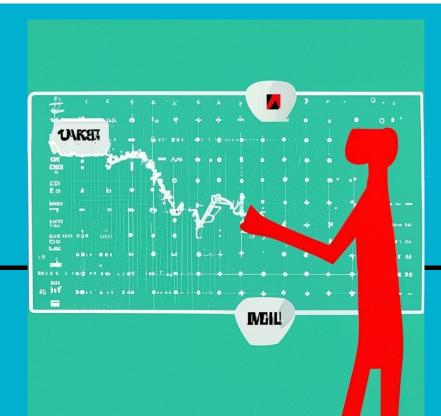
### Strategies

Use Lightly

**Use Actively** 

### Be Proud of/Grateful for Others' Wins.

#### Additional Studies / Thoughts



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### **Bonus Biology Lesson**

### Dopamine



### Feeling "Full"



