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Posted by [BillV2320](#) on Tue, 23 Apr 2013 08:12:06 GMT
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Posted by [YourName](#) on Thu, 02 May 2013 04:14:46 GMT
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http://www.huffingtonpost.com/jenna-busch/jane-espenson-on-g-ame-of-_b_867257.html

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<http://www.capricatimes.com/the-caprica-times-exclusive-interview-kevin-murphy>

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Posted by [RT](#) on Mon, 06 May 2013 03:03:14 GMT

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I picked at random Warhawk years ago. It was ok, I guess. Donated it to the local library.

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Actually it was quite smart of him to do it.

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Posted by [RT](#) on Mon, 06 May 2013 03:04:19 GMT

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Posted by [RT](#) on Mon, 06 May 2013 03:05:21 GMT

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https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Fawlty_Towers

The popular sitcoms 3rd Rock from the Sun and Cheers (in both of which Cleese has appeared) have cited Fawlty Towers as an inspiration, especially regarding its depiction of a dysfunctional "family" in the workplace. Also Arthur Mathews and Graham Linehan have cited Fawlty Towers as a major influence on their sitcom Father Ted. Guest House on Pakistan's PTV also resembled the series.

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Posted by [YourName](#) on Mon, 06 May 2013 04:11:12 GMT

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Posted by [jack](#) on Tue, 07 May 2013 14:20:19 GMT
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rained last week.

Subject: Re: Shame there was no Caprica Season 2.

Posted by [RT](#) on Thu, 30 May 2013 16:40:17 GMT

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