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Reddit: The New Inquisition of the Digital Age

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So, let me get this straight: you create a subreddit called "portugueseCitizens", start sharing politically critical articles from your own blog, written with thought, concern, and civic responsibility — and what do you get in return?

BAN.



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Welcome to Reddit — the self-proclaimed "front page of the internet"...

...unless your page challenges power.

Independent Thought? Not on Our Watch.

Reddit, like so many Silicon Valley castles, loves to present itself as a haven for free speech, debate, and diversity of opinion. But the truth? It's a gated community where **only certain thoughts are allowed to roam freely**.

Try to:

- Criticize systemic corruption,
- · Question authority,
- Challenge the status quo in your country,
- Share links to thoughtful, inconvenient content...

...and you'll **trigger the invisible tripwire**: the auto-ban algorithms and the **Digital Inquisition** known as "community policy enforcement".

No appeal.

No explanation.

Just exile.



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and punish dissent. It polices tone, not truth. It targets keywords, not context. It chokes independent thought in the name of "community harmony" — a harmony that's about as genuine as a North Korean election.

You see, Reddit doesn't want communities of citizens. It wants **consumers**.

Preferably mute, obedient, addicted, and docile.

The Hypocrisy is Blazing

Reddit hosts:

- Hate subs,
- Stock market manipulation threads,
- QAnon echo chambers,
- Porn empires with more freedom than political discourse.

But a subreddit for Portuguese citizens sharing political critique?

Too dangerous. Too subversive. Too... real.

The message is clear:

"You're free to speak — as long as you say nothing."



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Now it's you — cloaked in JavaScript and "content policy".

You hide behind community guidelines the same way censors used to hide behind national security. You wield the banhammer like a holy relic. And you dare to call this a platform for democracy?

Reddit is no longer a platform.

It's a cathedral of control.

And its gods wear hoodies and answer to shareholders.

But Hear This:

For every voice you silence, ten more will rise.

For every community you burn, new platforms will be built from the ashes.

You can ban a subreddit, but you cannot ban the truth.

And you certainly can't ban those who fight for it.

We don't need your blessing.

We'll build our own agora — one that doesn't fear fire, thought, or freedom.

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A sua avaliação deste artigo é importante para nós. Obrigado.

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