

I am extremely opposed to the relaxing of FCC standards for primetime TV. If someone wants to have that language and nudity in their home, there are cable channels you can get that offer that- but it should not be something that a child can accidentally run across, or even that adults should have to censor for while watching network TV. I don't have children yet, but I have no interest in the shows I watch becoming more crude and inappropriate. Standards absolutely should not be relaxed, why should we make it easier for stations to expose us and our kids to things we have no interest in seeing or hearing?

Some may argue that it is up to us and to parents to regulate what their children see- I agree with that, but I also do not want to flip through channels and come across this sort of broadcasting- that should only be accessible by paying for it through the cable company. If these standards are relaxed, I doubt that it will just be the "bad" shows that add this language and nudity- broadcasters will add it to anything they can, feeling like it will boost ratings, the same way that movie studios add this to get an "R" rating.