5 Ways Social Media is Changing Our Daily Lives

1. News Aggregation

I just want to emphasize the first point. These technologies are changing the way we get news. People who I am!!! :-)

I KNEW I HAD A disqus.com/wizzlewolf profile!!! This is a repeat of the last comment, but now you know everything else aren't the true connoisseurs of information.

happenstance in that they will also miss a lot of things that you would otherwise find helpful.

hearing it from the original source (CNN, NY Times, Mashable, TMZ, Paris Hilton or whatever...).

I've re-connected with people I knew 10 years ago using Facebook.

My wife has started a cake decorating business and creating a group on Facebook.

becomes only once a week or once a month. Interacting too much over the Internet can feel isolating in

Gr8 post!

faster than I could find with my own Google Search.

connection, or FF subscription.

utterances in the "real world," only it's harder when there is no body present to convey body language.

#4 - so true! I now have a reference book for all of my friends' favorite books and movies and political

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means of engaging with people on this vast planet of ours, and if used effectively can give all of us

New York Times was read by millions of people, and while these large media outlets still control much of

5. What We Can Influence

But this is shifting, in part, because of social media. The paradigm is now no longer to try to appear

The old paradigm in communication was that people generally revealed very little of their fears and

Studies reveal that our time on social networks has

not only locate potential collaborators and employees through interest-focused Facebook groups, Twitter

It is easier than ever to start and launch a business today, in great part thanks to social media. We can

search engines. Tech blogger

Twitter or Facebook. After all, you didn't choose the editors at newspapers and other publications, but

But social media communication tools have profoundly changed our lives and how we interact with one

decade.