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Hi, I'm Kendis Gibson, and welcome to Google Current.

Recent Google searches are up for Lawrence Tero. And if you don't know who that is, then you are to be pitied. "Lawrence Tero" is the real-life name fool-pitier Mr. T. In a story that's been picked up as far away as Ireland, T has declared that he's giving up his gold chains and medallions for good. It seems that after spending time with Katrina victims, T feels it would be a "sin against God" to keep wearing all the bling when others are suffering. And T has no problem pitying other celebrities who, in his view, don't measure up. As he says:

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(Mr. T voice)"I saw some...'sorry celebrities.' They'll go down there...to take a photo-op...How disgusting...If you're not going to go down there with a check and a hammer and a nail to help the people, don't go down there."

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And because you can never have too much Mr. T, here he is pitying the fool who doesn't treat his mother right:

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Now, everyone knows that Mr. T is a fan of muscles. But even he would pity this fool. Google searches are blowin' up for "Gregg Valentino" and "the man whose arms exploded." Valentino claims to have the world's largest biceps...

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And judging by this clip of him being arrested for...what else?...selling steroids...I think I believe him.

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People are searching for Valentino because of a recent show about him on TLC, called "The Man Whose Arms Exploded." So I guess the title means his arms got really big, right? Well, not exactly...It turns out Valentino injected so many steroids and worked out his arms so much that one of his biceps developed a hematoma that...exploded. I'd make a joke here, but the whole thing is just really, really wrong.

And finally, on the Web there's always one more fool to pity. Google searches are up for "how to blow up your hand." No, people aren't looking for instructions on how to do it. They want to watch *someone else* do it. And here you go...

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And don't worry, the guy wasn't seriously hurt. His hand just (southern accent)
"swolled up."

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"Nothing you can do," indeed. Nothing you can do.

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