

DICK STILL COMPLAINING THAT HIS BELOVED FIREWALL DIDN'T GET PARDONED

Apparently, Dick Cheney doesn't believe the little scold he sent Bush through Michael Isikoff the other day was sufficiently shrill. He's out again today, explicitly criticizing Bush for not pardoning his little Scooter.



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George Bush should have pardoned I. Lewis "Scooter" Libby, Dick Cheney said after stepping down as vice president this week.

"He was the victim of a serious miscarriage of justice, and I strongly believe that he deserved a presidential pardon. Obviously, I disagree with President Bush's decision," Cheney told Stephen F. Hayes of the Weekly Standard, a leading conservative Washington magazine.

[snip]

Hayes said that Cheney had publicly disagreed with Bush only four times in the eight years of the Bush administration.

They were only out of office for a day before the fifth disagreement surfaced.

I wonder whether Cheney is worried that his firewall might not hold tight as Libby faces the rest of his life as a felon? Or perhaps Dick is just aghast that Bush—who after all asked Libby to stick his neck in a meat grinder—didn't return the favor by sacrificing a little of his scarce posterity to thank Libby for his work

protecting Bush?

In any case, I do hope Cheney's mood about Bush remains contentious and sour. There is little I'd like more than to see Bush and Cheney take each other out during their retirement.