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Subject: Re: Vista Fix

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Yeah, I work on UNIX and Linux all day, every day. Some of the guys I work with are real Linux biggots and won't get anywhere near Microsoft products. They refuse to run anything but SuSE or Fedora on their laptops/desktops. I'm a little more relaxed in that. I'll run MS products on the desktop if they do the job. Windows 3.1 did not, so I ran OS/2 (2.1 and 3.0) back then but when Win95 came out, Microsoft finally had a decent OS. Not great, but not bad. Win98 and XP were pretty good. The NT core stuff makes a decent desktop OS. I wouldn't run any Microsoft product as a server though. It doesn't scale. And Vista is a mstake, in my opinion. The preceding MS operating systems gave you something for your added weight. Vista doesn't even give you parity - it's a step back. It tries to look like a more secure OS but all it really does is get in your way. The mail program is absolutely snail bait, trying to do way too much in the background. Vista sucks in my opinion, XP is much better.

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