Trey Gowdy once stated: "There are still those who seek to treat the Second Amendment as a Constitutional 2nd class citizen!" He has also many times asked the question: "Is there another Constitutional right that we treat the same way as the 2nd amendment?"

What I am about to say is NOT HYPOTHETICAL! Notification has the possibility to be misunderstood as a threat instead of notification. Although a fictional movie, the false confession in My Cousin Vinny is a great example of what happens in real life. The difference between "I shot the clerk?" and "I shot the clerk!", is that very crucial punctuation mark. "I have a gun!", is a warning threatening to use it. "I have a gun.", is notification. That period and exclamation point makes all the difference in the world.

Even if no harm was intended by the owner of the weapon, by law if a nervous, irrational cop, even if there is no justification, if he feels his life is in danger, he can kill the owner of the firearm with no repercussions! The court can find him not guilty with mortal fear as the reason.

NO, THIS IS NOT HYPOTHETICAL, because a man's life has already been ended prematurely simply because he followed the law. His name: Philando Castile!