Now that change is coming anyway to the Redskins, dare we at last consider The Big Question? Should the team change its name?

There are two valid sides to this issue.

**Side One:** Tradition. The name is venerable. If you change it, much plastic and polyester merchandise instantly would become obsolete.

**Side Two:** Race libel. The name is brutishly demeaning to an ethnic group that has been indiscriminately plundered for centuries. It defines a proud and accomplished people by the single characteristic of the pigmentation of their skin.

Being typically pandering journalists, we take no position ourselves. We merely suspect the Redskins name is doomed, and when that occurs, we wish to be ready with an alternative.

So give us one. Come up with a new name for the team. Entries will be judged on humor, originality and appropriateness to Washington.