

## [Red Hot Chili Pepper online](#)

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[Flea](#) of the Red Hot Chili Peppers text-messaged an [L.A. Times reporter](#) today his home in Malibu has “burnt to a crisp.” But TMZ.com updates Flea’s home [“is not a burnt pepper.”](#) Is it toast or not? Flea, the bassist for the band, explains his second home (worth \$4.8 million) is the one that went up in smoke.

It’s what’s hot online tonight as the Web burns on the fires fed by the whipping Santa Ana winds in California (AP photo above) ... but read up on the guy next door who kept his home from being burned using [15 gallons of a flame-retardant spray called Safe-T-Guard](#).

You can also spend \$1,295 for the Fire Marshal Pool Pump, a system that lets homeowners use their pool water to fight fire, the paper reports.

I’ll take Nor’easters.