

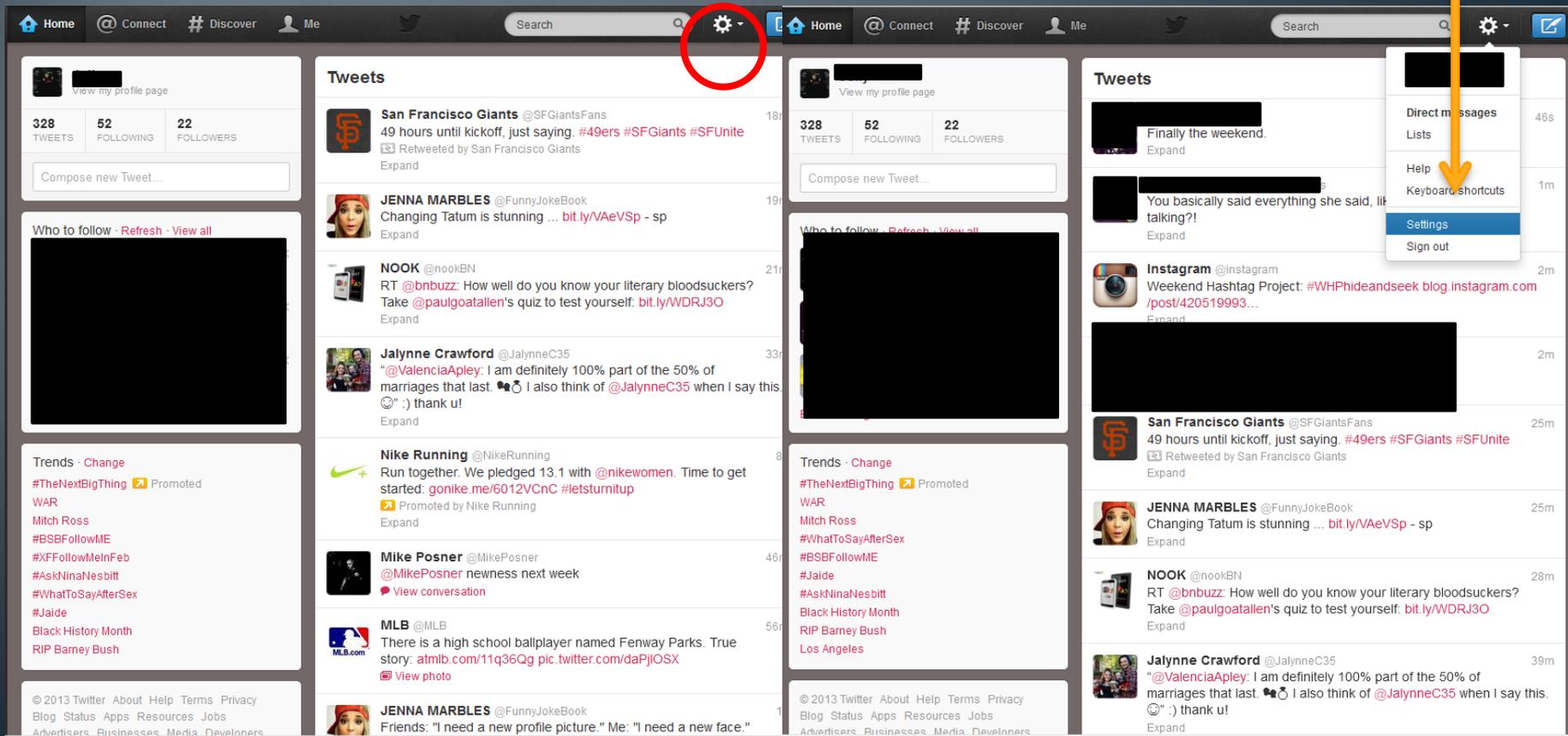
# Social Media Privacy Settings

How to make your profiles private on  
TWITTER



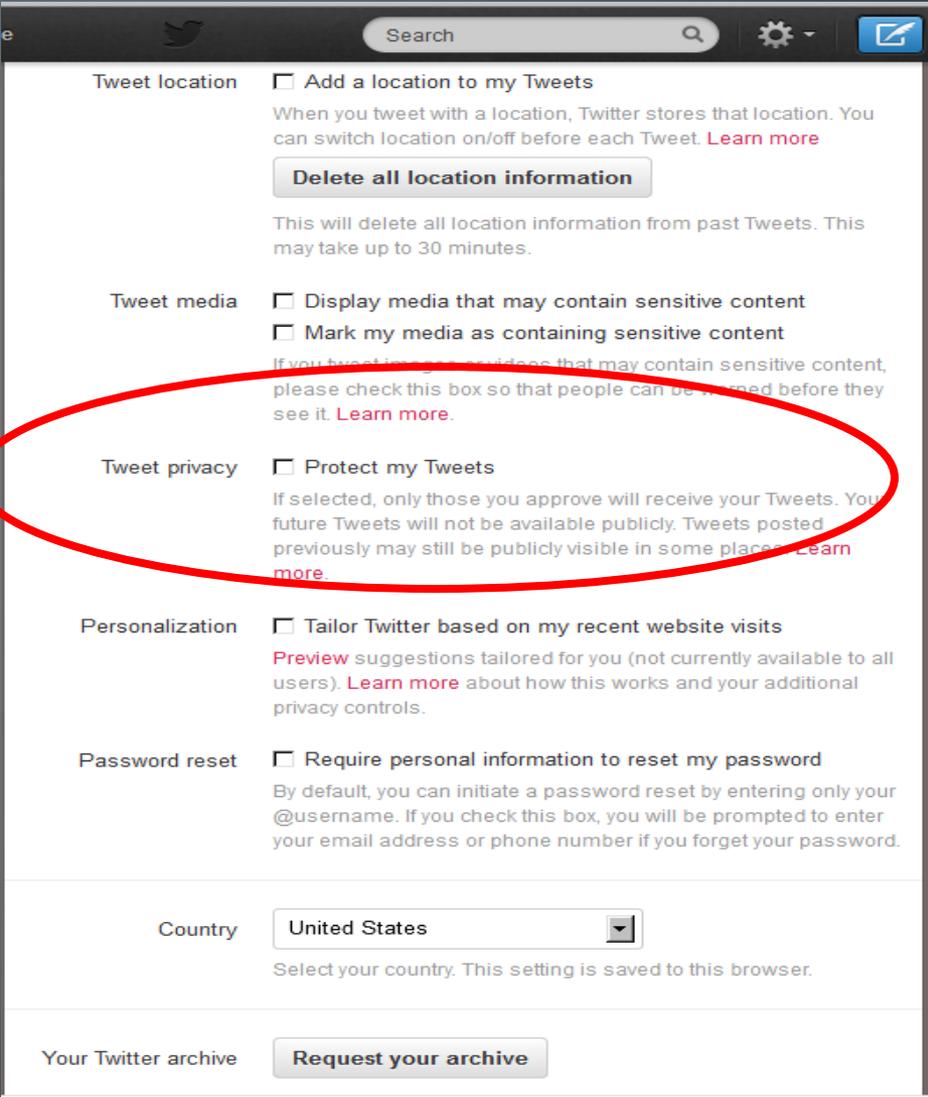
# Steps to make your Twitter Private from computer

- Step 1: Go to your [account settings](#) by clicking on the gear icon  at the top right of the page and selecting **Settings** from the drop down menu.



The screenshot displays the Twitter interface on a desktop. At the top right, a gear icon representing account settings is circled in red. A dropdown menu is open, with an orange arrow pointing to the 'Settings' option. The menu also includes 'Direct messages', 'Lists', 'Help', 'Keyboard shortcuts', and 'Sign out'. The main content area shows a feed of tweets from various users, including the San Francisco Giants, Jenna Marbles, Nook, and Jalyne Crawford. The left sidebar contains navigation links like 'Home', 'Connect', 'Discover', and 'Me', along with a search bar and a 'Who to follow' section. The bottom of the page features copyright information and links to 'About', 'Help', 'Terms', and 'Privacy'.

Step 2: Scroll down to the Tweet privacy section and check the box next to “Protect my Tweets”.



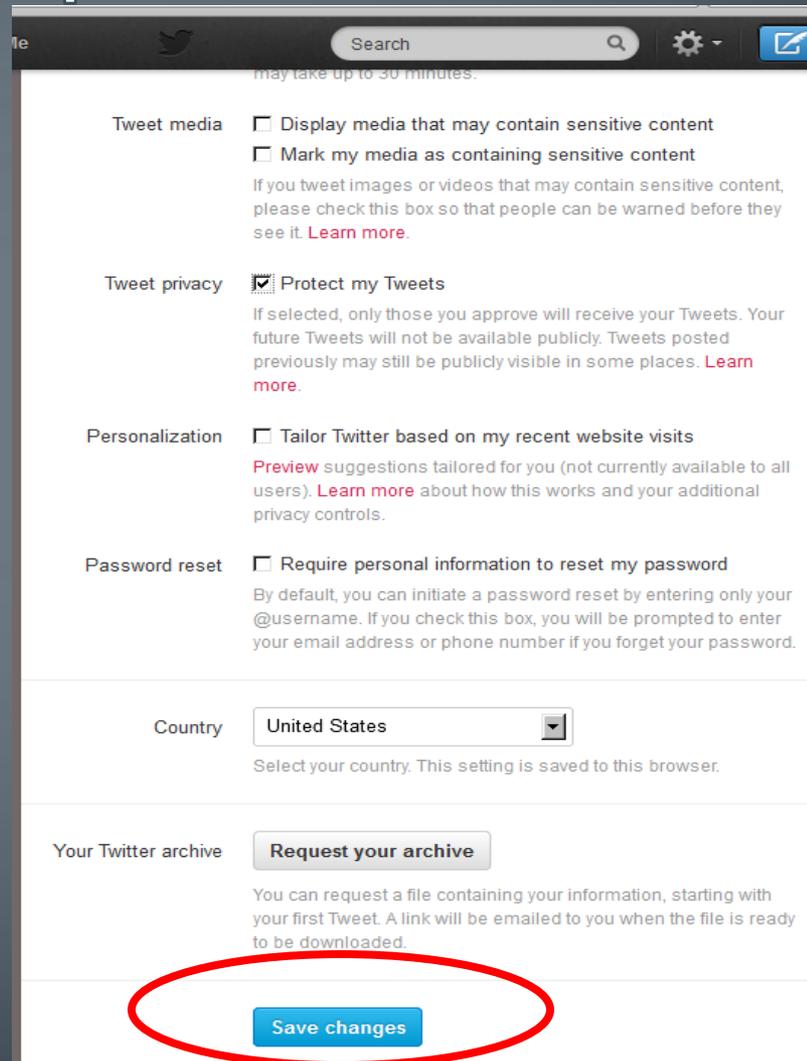
The image shows a screenshot of the Twitter privacy settings page. The 'Tweet privacy' section is circled in red. The settings are as follows:

- Tweet location**
  - Add a location to my Tweets
  - When you tweet with a location, Twitter stores that location. You can switch location on/off before each Tweet. [Learn more](#)
  - [Delete all location information](#)
  - This will delete all location information from past Tweets. This may take up to 30 minutes.
- Tweet media**
  - Display media that may contain sensitive content
  - Mark my media as containing sensitive content
  - If you tweet images or videos that may contain sensitive content, please check this box so that people can be warned before they see it. [Learn more.](#)
- Tweet privacy**
  - Protect my Tweets
  - If selected, only those you approve will receive your Tweets. Your future Tweets will not be available publicly. Tweets posted previously may still be publicly visible in some places. [Learn more.](#)
- Personalization**
  - Tailor Twitter based on my recent website visits
  - [Preview](#) suggestions tailored for you (not currently available to all users). [Learn more](#) about how this works and your additional privacy controls.
- Password reset**
  - Require personal information to reset my password
  - By default, you can initiate a password reset by entering only your @username. If you check this box, you will be prompted to enter your email address or phone number if you forget your password.

Country:    
Select your country. This setting is saved to this browser.

Your Twitter archive [Request your archive](#)

**Step 3: Click the blue Save button at the bottom of the page. You will be prompted to enter your password to confirm the change.**



The screenshot shows the Twitter settings page. At the bottom, the "Save changes" button is circled in red. The settings are as follows:

- Tweet media**
  - Display media that may contain sensitive content
  - Mark my media as containing sensitive content
  - If you tweet images or videos that may contain sensitive content, please check this box so that people can be warned before they see it. [Learn more](#).
- Tweet privacy**
  - Protect my Tweets
  - If selected, only those you approve will receive your Tweets. Your future Tweets will not be available publicly. Tweets posted previously may still be publicly visible in some places. [Learn more](#).
- Personalization**
  - Tailor Twitter based on my recent website visits
  - [Preview](#) suggestions tailored for you (not currently available to all users). [Learn more](#) about how this works and your additional privacy controls.
- Password reset**
  - Require personal information to reset my password
  - By default, you can initiate a password reset by entering only your @username. If you check this box, you will be prompted to enter your email address or phone number if you forget your password.
- Country**
  - United States
  - Select your country. This setting is saved to this browser.
- Your Twitter archive**
  - [Request your archive](#)
  - You can request a file containing your information, starting with your first Tweet. A link will be emailed to you when the file is ready to be downloaded.

**Don't forget to save your changes!**



Step 1: Go to your profile and click on ME (Profile) and then click on the  icon on the left hand side.

How to change your profile to private from your mobile phone

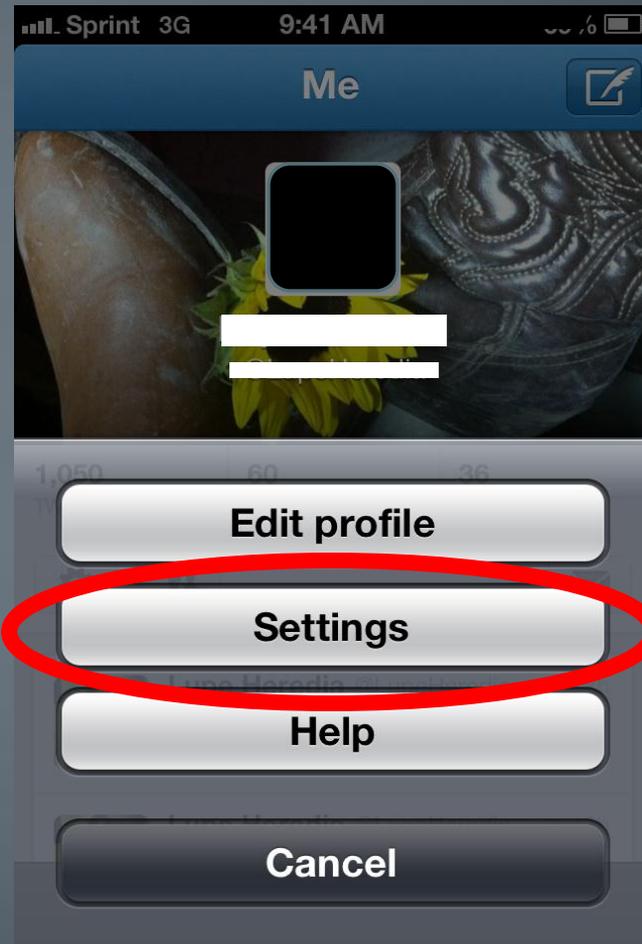
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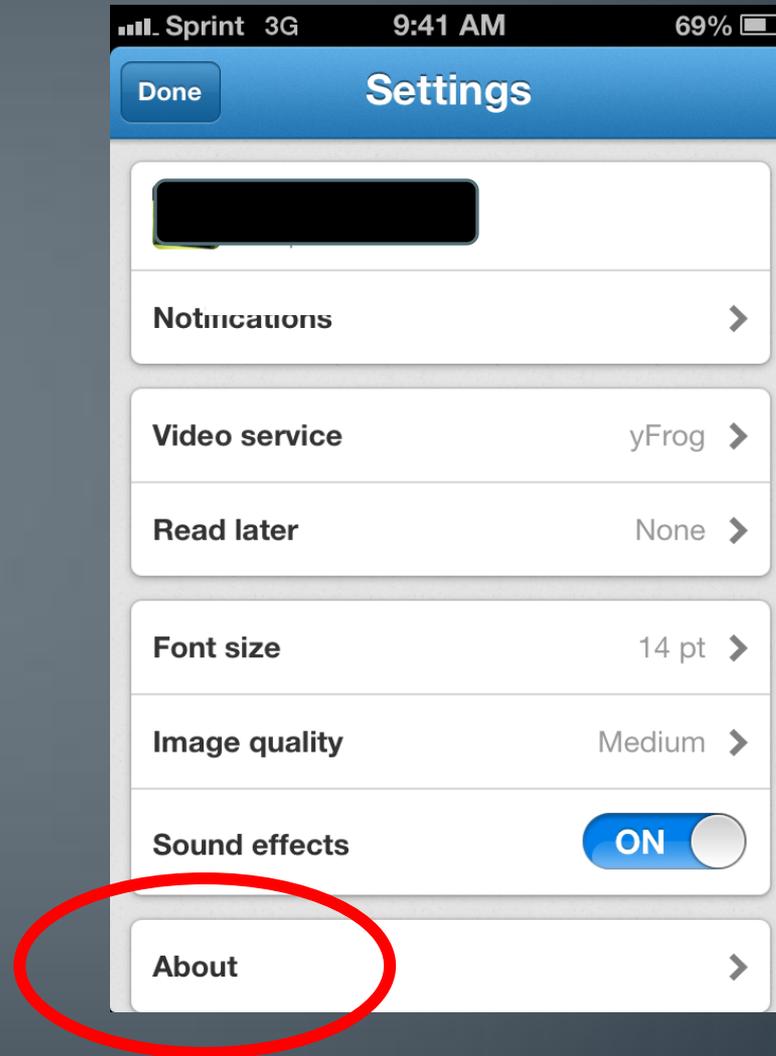
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Step 2: Click on Settings from the drop menu.



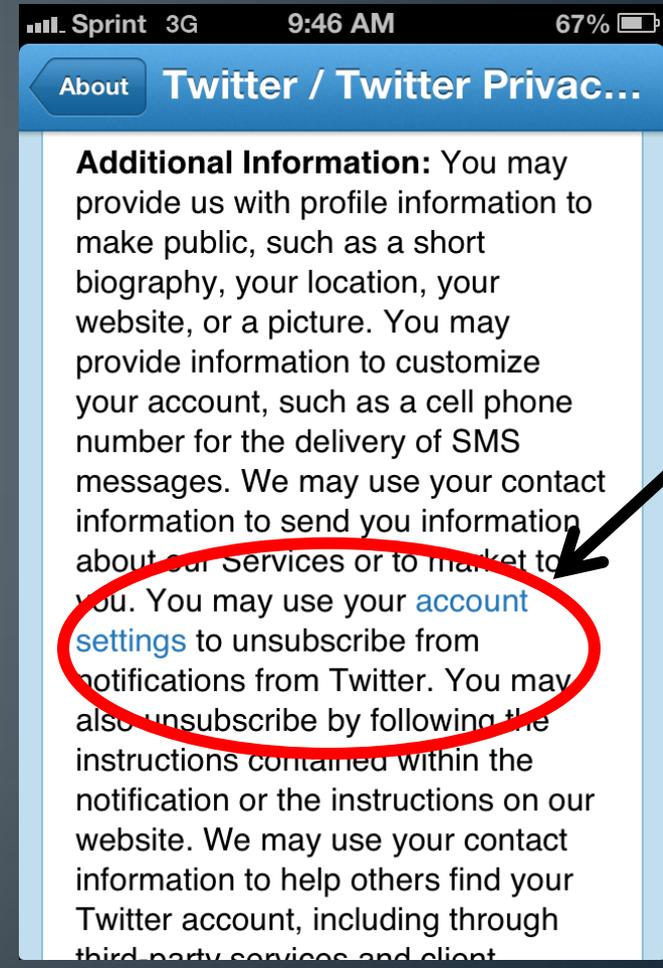
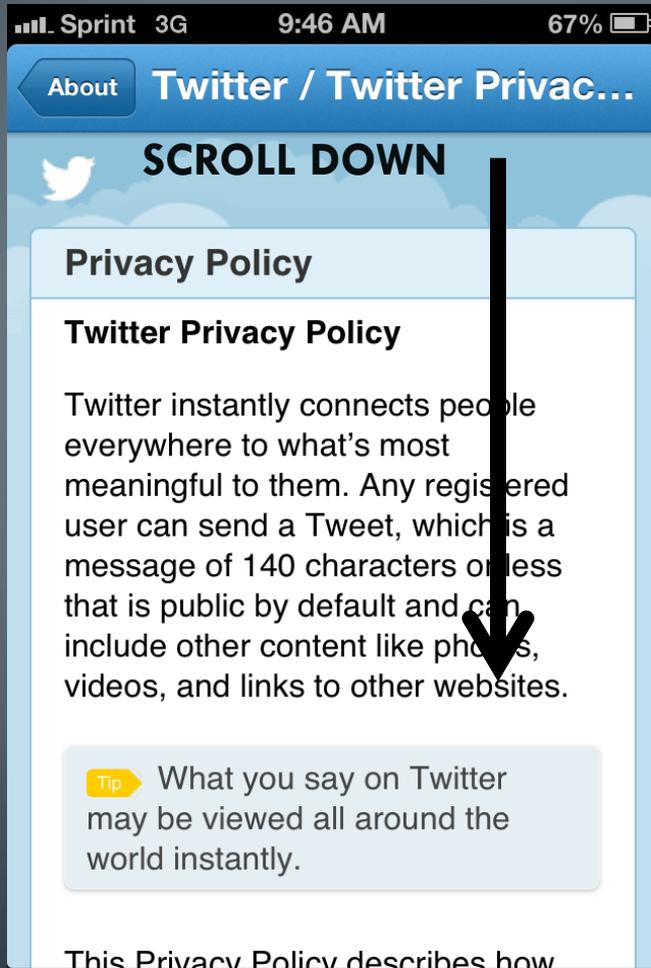
# Step 3: Click on About



# Step 4: Scroll down and click on Private Policy.

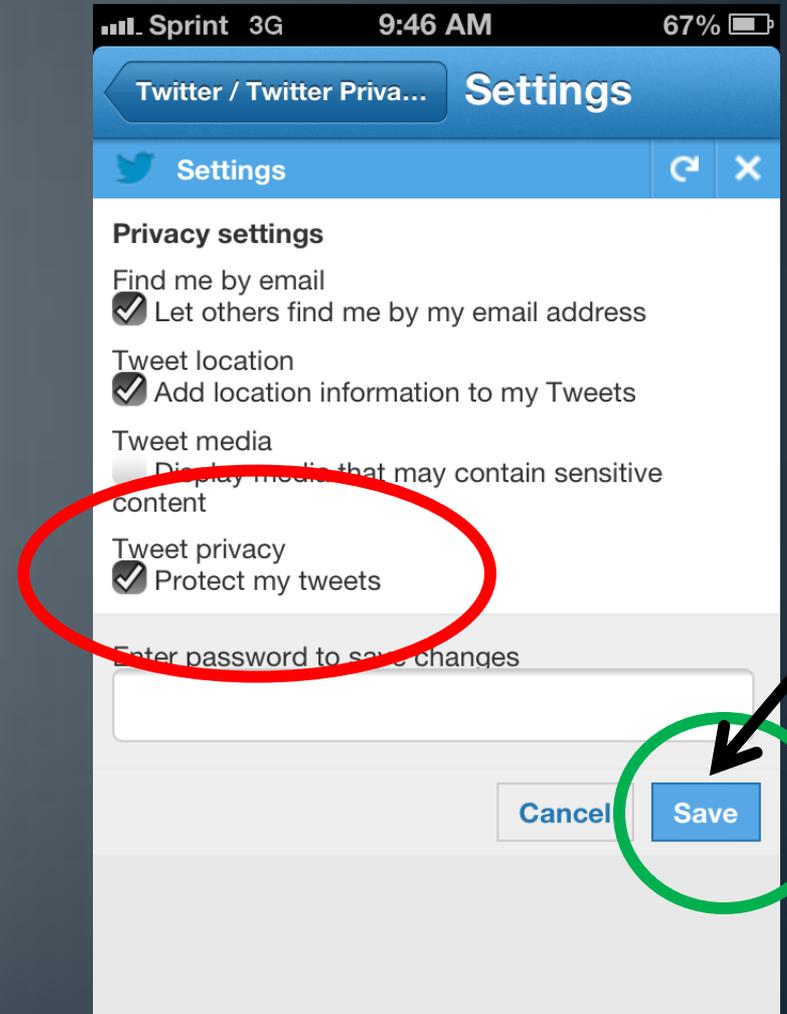
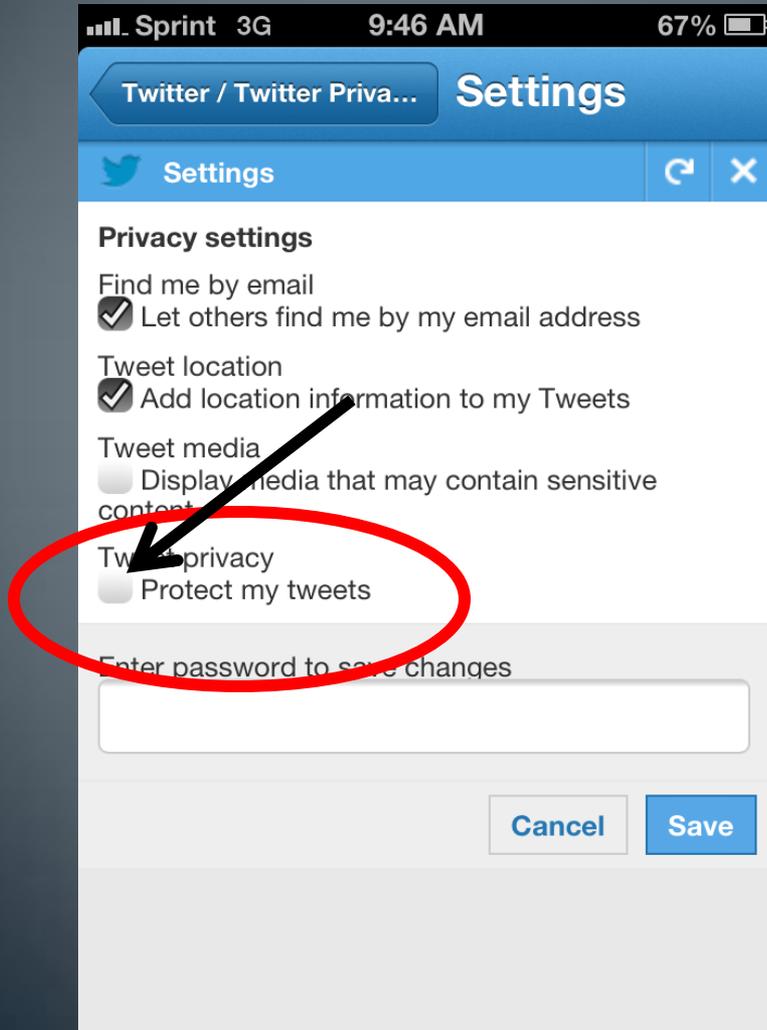


# Step 5: Scroll down (left) and click highlighted Account Settings (right).



# Step 6: Check the box “Protect My Tweets”

TYPE IN YOUR PASSWORD TO CONFIRM  
CHANGES.  
REMEMBER TO SAVE!!

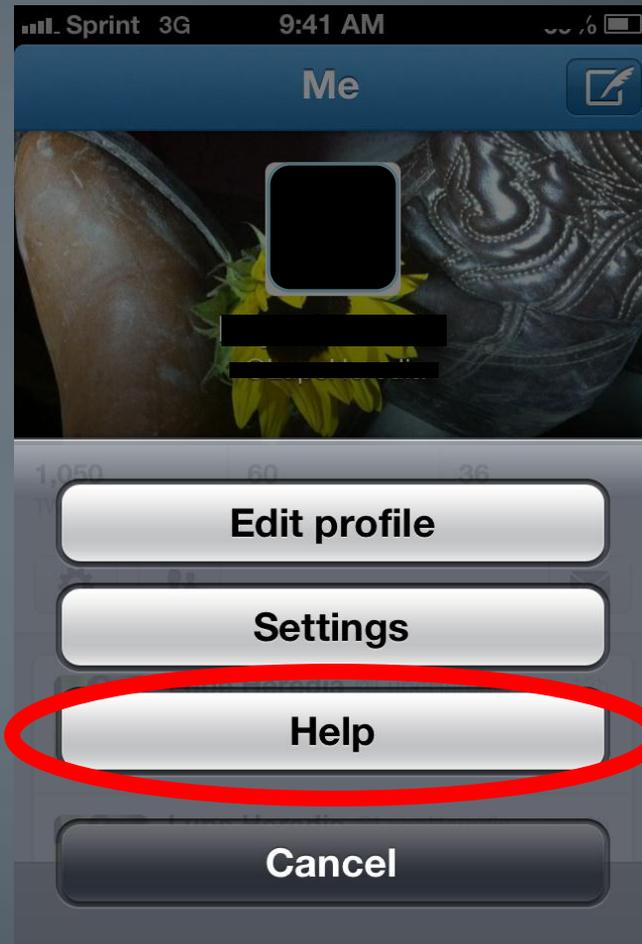


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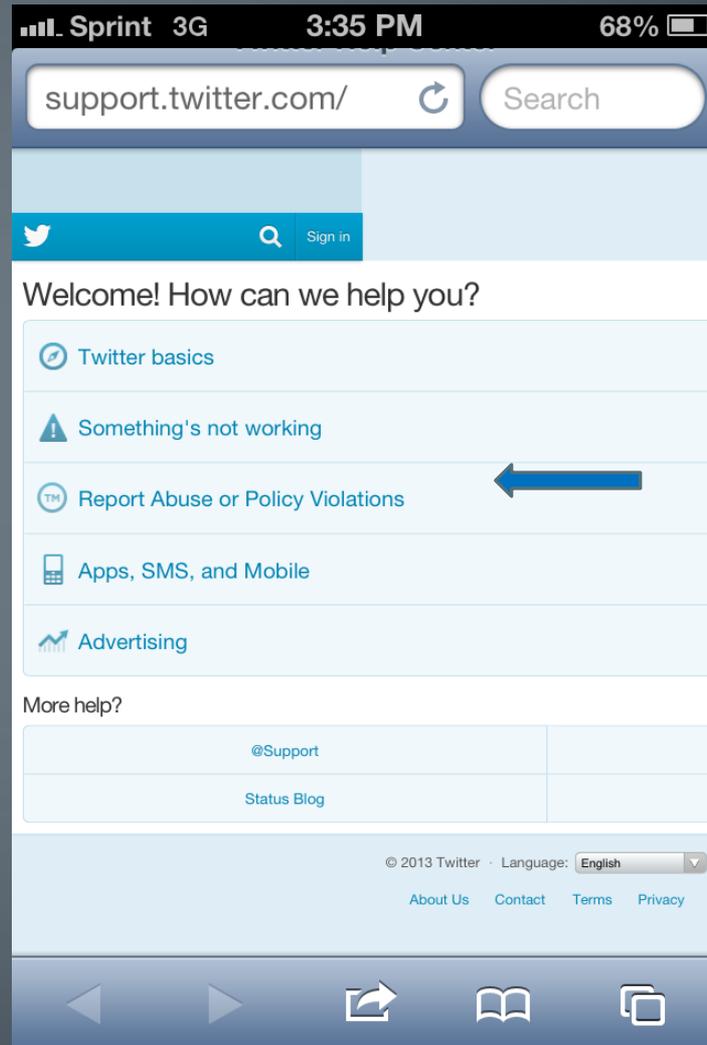
Step 1: click on gear icon



## Step 2: Click “Help” on the scroll menu



# Step 3: Report.....

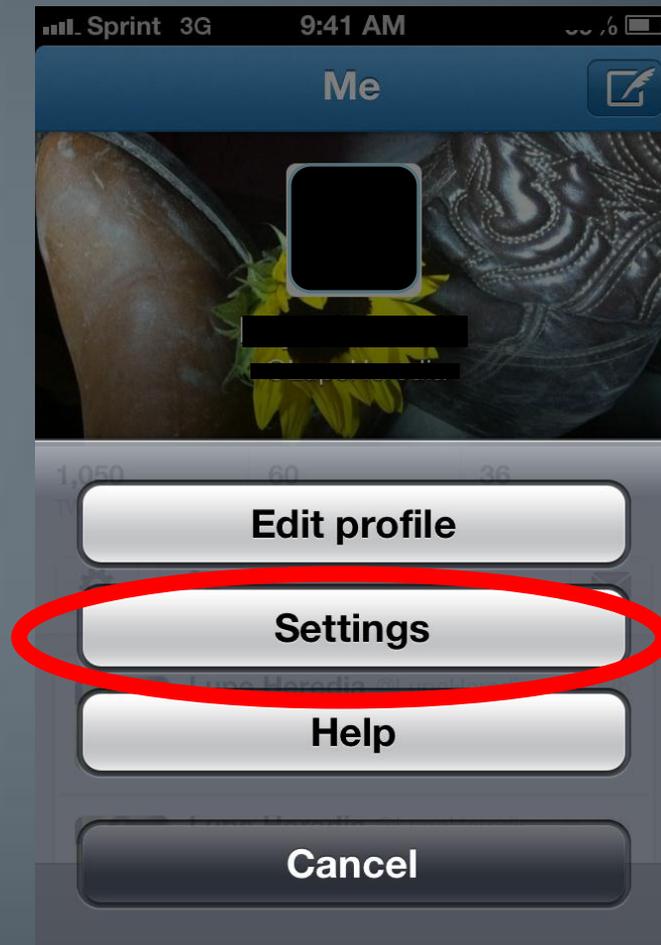


# How to Deactivate Twitter Account!

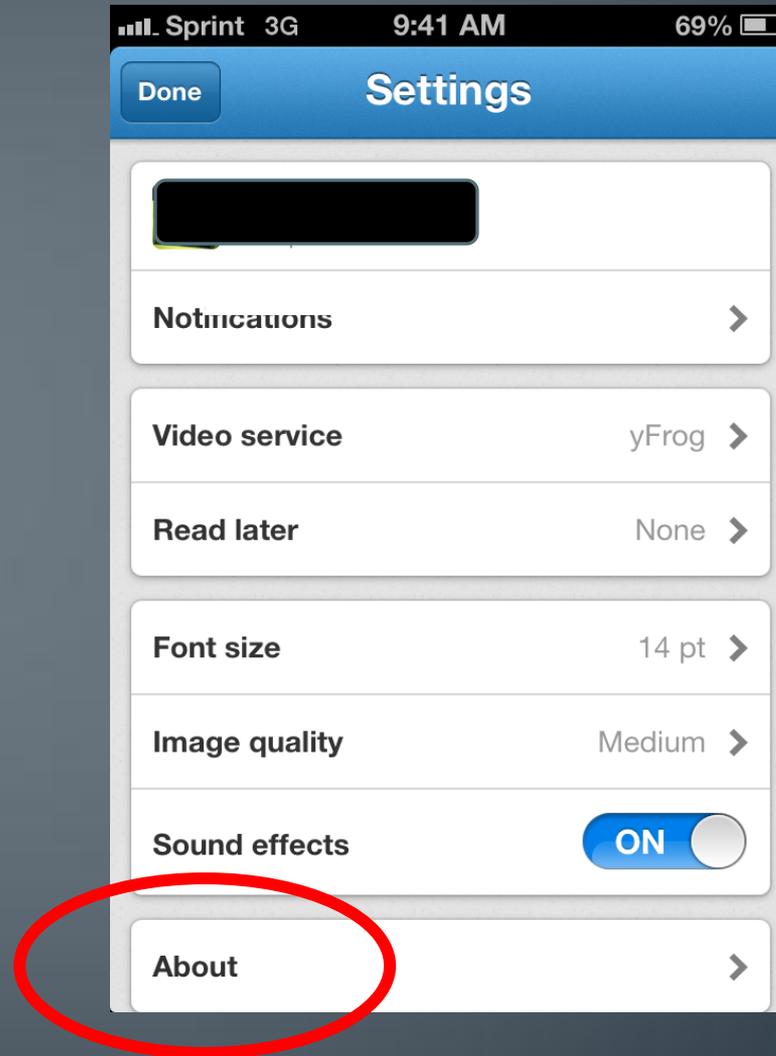
Step 1: click on gear icon



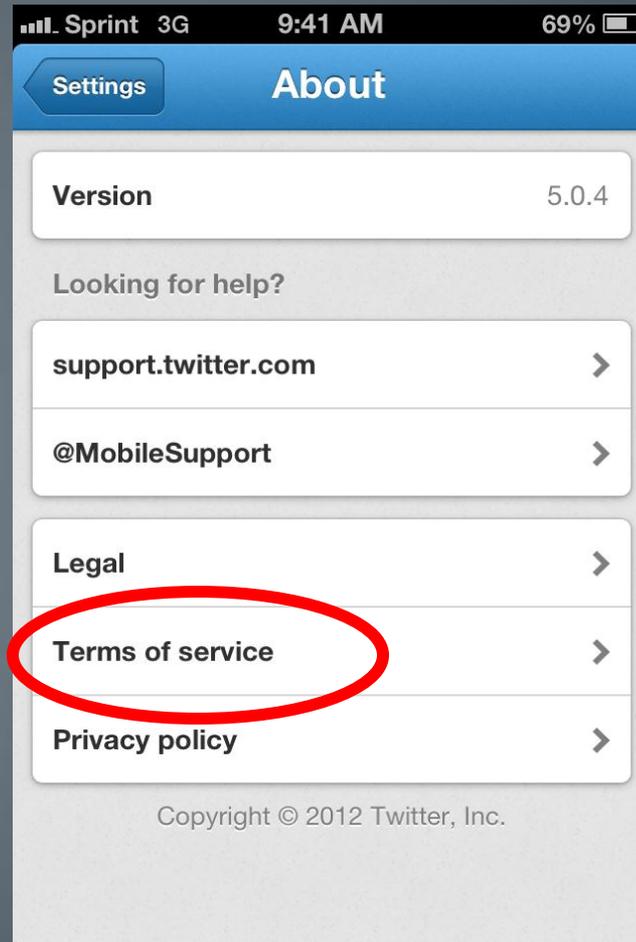
## Step 2: Click “Settings” on the scroll menu



# Step 3: Click on “About”



# Step 4: Click on “Terms of service”



# Step 5: Scroll Down to “10. Ending These Terms” (left) and Click on “Deactivating” Link (right)!

