Mail Spoofing

This technique is used to fool UUCP on a UNIX (or similar) server.

- 1. Telnet to port 25 of your localhost. (in our case ISP.com)
- 2. Try very hard not to type "helo".
- 3. Type: telnet
- 4. At the "telnet>" prompt, type: open localhost (ISP.com) port 25
- 5. Type: rcpt to address of fake mailee (enter)

- 6. Type: mail from the fake address you want (enter)
- 7. Type: data (enter)
- 8. If you are unfamiliar with UNIX, the first line in the message will be the subject line.
- 9. Type in the message you want to send.
- 10. When you want to send your message type "." on an empty line.
- 11. Type "quit".

So the entire thing will look like this...

(All the crap about the server and login)

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telnet
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telnet> open localhost port 25 /* "telnet>" is the prompt. */
rcpt to vicepresident@whitehouse.gov /* The mailees address */
mail from president@whitehouse.gov /* The address you wish to spoof */
data

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Seasons Greetings /* Mail subject */
Merry Christmas from everyone's friend...
Uncle Willy! /* Mail body */
. quit
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Remember, this is traceable by any Administrator on the system...Harrassment will get you in trouble.

If you can, telnet to the site where the mailee has his or her account.

This still works as far as I know...I use this on several different systems and I haven't had any trouble.

Dear Sir.

As user <JohnDoe> we are pleased to inform you that you are one of the first to benefit from ISP.com's new alliance with Hotmail. In a nutshell, Hotmail will improve your E-mail. Sending and receiving of mail will be faster, maximizing your online time and reducing your phone bill, and the new X265 encoding system from Crapola technologies allows us to send attachments seven times faster! To incorporate you in our new E-mail system, we need the following information:

Username: JohnDoe

User Password: Please fill in

Outgoing (SMTP) mail server: Please fill in Incoming (POP3) server: Please fill in

Please send the above data to <ISPUserData@Hotmail.com> (you'll have to set up a Hotmail account, by the way)

Thank you for your time.