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### FACE-ON WITH FLIR'S NIGHT VISION CAMERA FOR CARS [GADGETS] 07-JAN-08

You already saw FLIR's PathfindIR's night vision video, showing off what it looks like in use driving down a dark street. Now we've got a face-on of what it's going to look like when you run over a paparazzo that looks eerily like Jason Chen (Benny's the bowl-cut in the foreground). You can still make out the features of whatever you hit—it's not just a white blob—so you know whether to stop and help or pull a hit and run. (Just kidding. We'd never stop and help.)

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