## Ruby - Bug #12164

### Binding UnboundMethod to BasicObject

03/10/2016 11:22 AM - decuplet (Nikita Shilnikov)

Status: Closed

Priority: Normal

Assignee:

Target version:

ruby -v: ruby 2.3.0p0 (2015-12-25 revision

53290) [x86\_64-darwin15]

**Backport:** 2.1: UNKNOWN, 2.2: UNKNOWN, 2.3:

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#### Description

I tried to bind method from Object to BasicObject and I suddenly succeeded.

For example:

```
$ irb
2.3.0 :001 > BasicObject.send :define_method, :methods, Object.instance_method(:methods)
=> :methods
2.3.0 :002 > BasicObject.new.methods
=> [:!, :==, :!=, :__send__, :equal?, :methods, :instance_eval, :instance_exec, :__id__]
2.3.0 :003 >
```

In earlier ruby versions such code would raise an exception:

```
$ irb
2.2.4 :001 > BasicObject.send :define_method, :methods, Object.instance_method(:methods)
TypeError: bind argument must be a subclass of Object
from (irb):1:in `define_method'
from (irb):1
from /Users/gordon/.rvm/rubies/ruby-2.2.4/bin/irb:11:in `<main>'
2.2.4 :002 >
```

Is it a bug or a feature?

Probably it is somehow related to <a href="https://bugs.ruby-lang.org/issues/11278">https://bugs.ruby-lang.org/issues/11278</a>

### Related issues:

Related to Ruby - Bug #11278: remove rb\_control\_frame\_t::klass

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### History

#### #1 - 03/10/2016 01:16 PM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)

- Description updated
- Status changed from Open to Closed

Yes.

### #2 - 03/10/2016 02:04 PM - decuplet (Nikita Shilnikov)

Nobuyoshi Nakada wrote:

Yes.

Thank you! Well... a feature?

#### #3 - 03/11/2016 12:42 AM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)

"Yes" was to

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I guess it's a bug-fix, but maybe an improvement. Subtle.

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# #4 - 03/24/2016 07:30 AM - usa (Usaku NAKAMURA)

- Related to Bug #11278: remove rb\_control\_frame\_t::klass added

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