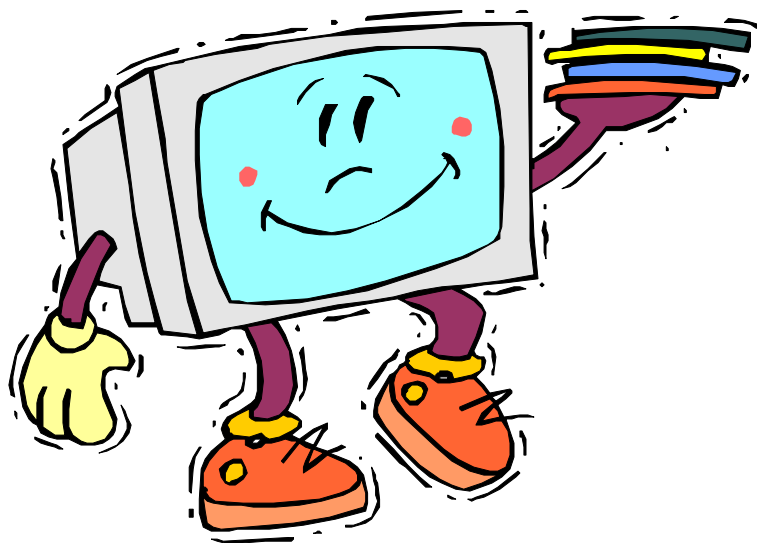


# The Best From The Net for the Whole Family

**Wit**  
**Humor**  
**Facts of Life**



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To my friends who  
have contributed to this book

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Bob  
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This book is dedicated to Bob.  
My old friend, may you rest in piece

## About the author



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What do people say about this book?

**I almost killed myself laughing**  
**Lawrence**

**A must around the house to cheer you up when you need to.**  
**Milagros**

**The best of the best, Knut Done it again!**  
**Howard**

**It's destined for a best seller!**  
**Mike**

**Laughter is the best medicine**  
**Liv**

**A winner for sure!**  
**Albert**

**It's just like fun!**  
**Karina**

**How do you find the time!**  
**Dan**

**Actual excuse notes from parents (including original spelling)**

My son is under a doctor's care and should not take P.E. today. Please excuse him.

Please excuse Lisa for being absent. She was sick and I had her shot.

Dear School: Please excuse John being absent on Jan. 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, and also 33.

Please excuse Gloria from Jim today. She is administrating.

Excuse Roland from P.E. for a few days. Yesterday he fell out of tree and misplaced his hip.

John has been absent because he had two teeth taken out of his face.

Carlos was absent yesterday because he was playing football. He was hurt in the growing part.

Megan could not come to school today because she has been bothered by very close veins.

Chris will not be in school cus he has an acre in his side.

Please excuse Ray Friday from school. He has very loose vowels.

Please excuse Pedro from being absent yesterday. He had (diahre)(dyrea)(direathe) the sh\*ts.

Please excuse Tommy for being absent yesterday. He had diarrhea and his boots leak.

Irving was absent yesterday because he missed his bust.

Please excuse Jimmy for being. It was his father's fault.

I kept Billie home because she had to go Christmas shopping because I don't know what size she wear.

Please excuse Jennifer for missing school yesterday. We forgot to get the Sunday paper off the porch, and when we found it Monday, we thought it was Sunday.

Sally won't be in school a week from Friday. We have to attend her funeral.

My daughter was absent yesterday because she was tired. She spent a weekend with the Marines.

Please excuse Jason for being absent yesterday. He had a cold and could not breed well.

Please excuse Mary for being absent yesterday. She was in bed with gramps.

Gloria was absent yesterday as she was having a gangover.

Please excuse Burma, she has been sick and under the doctor.

Mary Ann was absent December 11-16, because she had a fever, sore throat, headache and upset stomach. Her sister was also sick, fever and sore throat, her brother had a low grade fever and ached all over. I wasn't the best either, sore throat and fever. There must be something going around, her father even got hot last night.

### **87-year-old man undergoing a physical examination**

Time and again we're reminded things are not always as they appear, as witness the case of the 87-year-old man undergoing a physical examination.

The doctor asked the aged gent how he was feeling.

"I've never been better." the man replied. "I've got an 18-year-old bride who's pregnant and having my child. What do you think about that?"

The doctor considered that for a moment, then said, "Well, let me tell you a story. I know a guy who's an avid hunter. He never misses a season. One morning he's in such a hurry to go hunting he accidentally grabs his umbrella instead of his gun. So, he's in the woods and suddenly a big old grizzly bear appears in front of him. He raises up his umbrella, points it at the bear and squeezes the handle. The bear drops dead in front of him."

"That's impossible!" the man said. "Someone else must have shot that bear."

"Exactly," said the doctor.

#### **MEN DON'T LISTEN**

On a flight to Chicago, a gentleman had a serious problem. He had made several attempts to get into the men's restroom, but it had always been occupied. The Stewardess noticed that he was walking short steps and had a look of pain on his face. "Sir," she said, "You may use the ladies room if you promise not to touch any of the buttons on the wall." He would have promised anything and said so. The relief was pure joy, and as he sat there savoring the feeling, he noticed the buttons he had promised not to touch. Each button was identified by letters: WW, WA, PP, and a red one labeled ATR. Who would know if he touched them? He couldn't resist.

He pushed WW. Warm water was sprayed gently upon his bottom. What a nice feeling, he thought. Men's restrooms don't have nice things like this. Anticipating greater pleasure, he pushed the WA button. Warm air replaced the warm water, gently drying his underside. When this stopped, he pushed the PP button. A large powder puff caressed his bottom adding a fragile scent of spring flowers to this unbelievable pleasure. The ladies restroom was more than a restroom, it is tender loving pleasure. When the powder puff completed it's pleasure, he couldn't wait to push the ATR button which he knew would be supreme ecstasy. He knew he was in a hospital as soon as he

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opened his eyes. A nurse was staring down at him with a smirk on her face. "What happened?!" he exclaimed. "You pushed one too many buttons," replied the nurse. "The last button marked ATR was an Automatic Tampon Remover. Your testicles are under your pillow.

### **A lady wakes up one morning to find a gorilla in her tree**

She looks in the phone book and finds a gorilla removal service.

When she asks if they can remove the gorilla, the service guy asks, "Is it a male or female?"

"Male," she replies.

"Oh yeah, we can do it. I'll be right there," he states.

An hour later, the service guy shows up with a stick, a Chihuahua, a shotgun, and a pair of handcuffs.

He then gives the woman some instructions. "I'm going to climb this tree and poke the gorilla with the stick until he falls out of the tree.

When he does, the trained Chihuahua will go to bite the gorilla's testicles off. The gorilla will then cross his hands to protect himself, allowing you to put the handcuffs on him."

The woman asks, "What do I do with the shotgun?"

The service guy replies, "If I fall out of the tree before the gorilla does, shoot the Chihuahua."

### **A minister dies and is waiting in line at the Pearly Gates**

A minister dies and is waiting in line at the Pearly Gates. Ahead of him is a guy who's dressed in sunglasses, a loud shirt, leather jacket, and jeans.

Saint Peter addresses this guy, "Who are you, so that I may know whether or not to admit you to the Kingdom of Heaven?"

The guy replies, "I'm Joe Cohen, taxi driver, of Noo Yawk City."

Saint Peter consults his list. He smiles and says to the taxi driver, "Take this silken robe and golden staff and enter the Kingdom of Heaven."

The taxi driver goes into Heaven with his robe and staff, and it's the minister's turn. He stands erect and booms out, "I am Joseph Snow, pastor of Saint Mary's for the last forty-three years."

Saint Peter consults his list. He says to the minister, "Take this cotton robe and wooden staff and enter the Kingdom of Heaven."

"Just a minute," says the minister. "That man was a taxi driver and he gets a silken robe and golden staff. How can this be?"

"Up here, we work by results," says Saint Peter. "While you preached, people slept; while he drove, people prayed."

### **Food for thought**

The sentence "The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog." uses every letter in the alphabet. (Developed by Western Union to Test telex/twx communications)

In every episode of Seinfeld there is a Superman somewhere.

Average life span of a major league baseball: 7 pitches.

A duck's quack doesn't echo, and no one knows why.

In the 1940s, the FCC assigned television's Channel 1 to mobile Services (two-way radios in taxicabs, for instance)but did not re-number the other channel assignments. That is why your TV set has channels 2 and up, but no channel 1.

The only 15 letter word that can be spelled without repeating a letter is uncopyrightable.

Hang On Sloopy is the official rock song of Ohio.

Did you know that there are coffee flavored PEZ?

The reason firehouses have circular stairways is from the days of yore when the engines were pulled by horses. The horses were stabled on the ground floor and figured out how to walk up straight staircases.

The airplane Buddy Holly died in was the "American Pie." (Thus the name of the Don McLean song.)

When opossums are playing 'possum, they are not "playing." They actually pass out from sheer terror.

Each king in a deck of playing cards represents a great king from history. Spades - King David; Clubs - Alexander the Great; Hearts - Charlemagne; and Diamonds - Julius Caesar.

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If a statue in the park of a person on a horse has both front legs in the air, the person died in battle. If the horse has one front leg in the air, the person died as a result of wounds received in battle. If the horse has all four legs on the ground, the person died of natural causes.

Only two people signed the Declaration of Independence on July 4<sup>th</sup>, John Hancock and Charles Thomson. Most of the rest signed on August 2, but the last signature wasn't added until 5 years later.

Hershey's Kisses are called that because the machine that makes them looks like it's kissing the conveyor belt.

An ostrich's eye is bigger than its brain.

The longest recorded flight of a chicken is thirteen seconds.

The Eisenhower interstate system requires that one mile in every five must be straight. These straight sections are usable as airstrips in times of war or other emergencies.

The Pentagon, in Arlington, Virginia, has twice as many bathrooms as is necessary. When it was built in the 1940s, the state of Virginia still had segregation laws requiring separate toilet facilities for blacks and whites.

Cat's urine glows under a black light.

The highest point in Pennsylvania is lower than the lowest point in Colorado.

Nutmeg is extremely poisonous if injected intravenously.

If you have three quarters, four dimes, and four pennies, you have \$1.19. You also have the largest amount of money in coins without being able to make change for a dollar.

No NFL team which plays its home games in a domed stadium has ever won a Superbowl.

The only two days of the year in which there are no professional sports games (MLB, NBA, NHL, or NFL) are the day before and the day after the Major League All-Star Game.  
Only one person in two billion will live to be 116 or older.

The name Wendy was made up for the book "Peter Pan."

In Cleveland, Ohio, it's illegal to catch mice without a hunting license.

There are an average of 178 sesame seeds on a McDonalds Big Mac bun.

The world's termites outweigh the world's humans 10 to 1.

Pound for pound, hamburgers cost more than new cars.

The 3 most valuable brand names on earth: Marlboro, Coca-Cola, and Budweiser in that order.

When Heinz ketchup leaves the bottle, it travels at a rate of 25 miles per year.

It's possible to lead a cow upstairs...but not downstairs.

The Bible has been translated into Klingon.

Humans are the only primates that don't have pigment in the palms of their hands.

**Hi Mr. and Mrs. Clinton.**

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Welcome to EZBreeZee Mortgage Company I'm Alan Greenspan. No, no relation sorry to say. May I call you Bill and Hillary? Fine, first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton and Bill it is.

So, you want to buy the old Rye Brook place, four-something acres as I recall. That's 2.2 million, and with the customary 20 percent down--that's \$440,000--leaving a mortgage of \$1,760,000. No problem. We do those kinds of deals all the time. Now let's have a look at your financial statements.

Let's see, Mr. Clinton, you are the president of the United States, of course, and your salary is--oh, dear--\$200,000 a year. We recommend buying a house that costs no more than two and a half times your annual salary. That means you should be looking for something around \$500,000, perhaps a nice brick rancher on a quarter of an acre, not too fancy a neighborhood?

And I see here that you'll be out of a job in 16 months or so. What will you do then? Open a library. In Little Rock. Arkansas. Wow. I bet that will be some kind of moneymaker.

Mrs. Clinton, you're running for Senate, right? Senators are paid \$130,000 a year--assuming, of course, she's elected--so even with your pension you're still looking at a house in the \$825,000 range. Maybe a nice center hall colonial where the schools aren't so good.

Mrs. Clinton, you haven't worked outside the house since 1991, correct? But you did some volunteer work, I see. You came up with a plan to overhaul the entire national health care system? I see. It flopped, in their words.

But I see you had several business ventures back in Arkansas. How about this Whitewater Development Corp.? It went bankrupt. And

Madison Guaranty? Bankrupt. And Castle Grande? Bankrupt, too. If you had gone to Yale business school instead of Yale law, you could probably get your money back.

Don't get upset. It was just a little joke.

A little bad luck with the law, too, I see. Three of your business partners went to jail. Maybe you could get your money back.

This is embarrassing, I know, but we have to ask, because it does, after all, affect your ability to pay: Any problems in your marriage? No? Fine.

Let's look at your assets: \$1.5 million. Not bad. Yes, yes, Mr. Clinton, we're not forgetting your Mustang back in Little Rock. But--oh! --those liabilities. You owe \$5.5 million. That means you're \$4 million in the hole. How do you expect to pay that off? You're hoping people will donate to a special fund? So basically, you're relying on the charity of strangers.

You also have some serious expenses. A kid at Stanford has got to be setting you back \$30,000 to \$35,000 a year, probably more with the air fares. And she wants to go to medical school? Ouch!

And Mr. Clinton, there's a little matter of a \$90,000 fine for lying in court. I guess that rules out putting your law degree to work. Say, how do we know you're not lying on you loan application? Good point. It would look a lot better if you were lying. Are there any other legal matters we should know about?

You say you're in the clear, Mr. Clinton, and the first lady is pretty much in the clear indictment-wise. What does that mean? You don't think--don't think--she's going to get hit with a perjury or obstruction of justice rap.

But we're not totally sure, right? That means there's a remote possibility --note that I say "remote"--that you could be trying to pay off a \$1.76 million mortgage while making 12 cents an hour stitching mailbags for the feds, and he is trying to make a go of a library in Little Rock.

Let's review the situation. One of you is now unemployed and the other one soon will be. You have these whopping great debts that you're hoping someone is going to come along and pay. You have a financial history that can only be described as "checkered", plus a bunch of serious financial demands and ongoing legal problems. Your tangible assets se

### **If Airlines Were Based on Operating Systems**

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UNIX Airways:

Everyone brings one piece of the plane along when they come to the airport. They all go out on the runway and put the plane together piece by piece, arguing nonstop about what kind of plane they are supposed to bebuilding.

Air DOS:

Everybody pushes the airplane until it glides, then they jump on and let the plane coast until it hits the ground again. Then they push again, jump on again, and so on.

Mac Airlines:

All the stewards, captains, baggage handlers, and ticket agents look and act exactly the same. Every time you ask questions about details, you are gently but firmly told that you don't need to know, don't want to know,



and everything will be done for you without your ever having to know, so just shut up.

Windows Air:

The terminal is pretty and colorful, with friendly stewards, easy baggage check and boarding, and a smooth takeoff. After about 10 minutes in the air, the plane explodes with no warning whatsoever.

Windows NT Air:

Just like Windows Air, but costs more, uses much bigger planes, and takes out all the other aircraft within a 40-mile radius when it explodes.

Linux Air:

Disgruntled employees of all the other OS airlines decide to start their own airline. They build the planes and ticket counters, and pave the runways themselves. They charge a small fee to cover the cost of printing the ticket, but you can also download and print the ticket yourself. When you board the plane, you are given a seat, four bolts, a wrench, and a copy of the seat-HOWTO.html. Once settled, the fully adjustable seat is very comfortable, the plane leaves and arrives on time without a single problem, the in-flight meal is wonderful. You try to tell customers of the other airlines about the great trip, but all they can say is: "You had to do what with the seat?"

**If the world at times seems contradictory or incongruous**

If the world at times seems contradictory or incongruous, blame it on all those oxymoron's floating around.

- Some examples:
- Act naturally
- Advanced BASIC
- Almost exactly
- Alone together
- Business ethics
- Exact estimate
- Genuine imitation
- Government organization
- New York culture
- Resident alien
- Sanitary landfill
- software documentation

**It's a Steal! Those bargain days can have a downside, it seems.**

Ask the owner of the small clothing shop that was burglarized. A detective was questioning him about how much he lost.

"It's bad," said the proprietor, "but it's not as bad as it could have been if he'd robbed me yesterday."

"Why is that?" the detective asked.

"Because today everything was on sale."

**Men bashing 101. (Revisited)**

Commonly asked questions ... and their answers (?)

Why are men such jerks? It's a testosterone thing. Much similar to your PMS thing, we men suffer from testosterone poisoning. Why do you

think the average lifespan of a male is typically 10 years shorter (and it's not just from all the bitching and nagging we have to endure?) Hormone modifies behavior. We're just misunderstood.

Why do men always have to ogle at other women?

Again, this is a testosterone thing. Do you honestly think that all the testosterone just fell out of our bodies the moment we met you? Besides, women do it as well. Women are just much better at not getting caught. I'm fairly certain it's some sort of photographic memory deal. Women take one quick look and memorize it for later reference. Since men lack this ability, we try to burn it into our memory by staring as much as we can.

Why do men always touch themselves, especially in public? We occasionally need to adjust our little friend and make him happy. It's much like adjusting your bra. Being in public is just an added bonus.

Why do men always say such stupid things? We like to. It's actually a whole lot of fun to see our partner frustrated by a few simple (and well chosen) words.

Why are men so uncommunicative? You'd learn to keep your big mouth shut too if every time you open it you get into trouble with your partner.

Why do men have to act like such retards? Well, we don't actually have to; we do it because we enjoy it. It's the old fashioned pride in a job well done that's missing in so much of the world nowadays.

Why can't men just share their feelings? Do we look like women to you? Why is it so hard to understand that men and women are different? How are we supposed to share how we feel when we have no idea how we feel? Unless we're experiencing some extreme emotion like rage, hatred, disgust, or a brick on our foot, we have no idea how we feel. Personally, I get a headache whenever I try to figure out how I feel.

Why can't men cuddle more (i.e. lie down and hug)?

Please... How many hours do you think there is in a day? We oblige you as much as we can, but who the heck (besides women) can stand lying around for hours on end? We men... Men hunters... Need go roam...Starve in cave... Must go find wildebeest... Now sitting on our asses for hours on end on the other hand is a whole other story.

How can men sit on their asses all day without moving?

Men have very powerful sets of sitting muscles developed by evolution that enable us to sit for extended periods of time without getting tired. In prehistoric times, it was often necessary to sit in one spot for extended periods of time while hunting for prey. The more successful hunters were able to sit very still for very extended periods of time thereby passing on this ability to their progeny. The figgidy types were all gobbled up by saber toothed tigers etcetera. The end result is that almost all modern men are born with this innate ability.

Why can't men just say "I love you?"

Men are taught from a tender young age to be self-sufficient. To say that we love you is equivalent to saying that we need you. Most men consider that a character fault. It's not easy to admit to one's own character faults.

Why do men say "I love you" when they hardly know me?

Ho, Ho, Ho... Aren't you special? Well, some men think it's a sure fire way to get into your pants. Surprisingly, it actually still works quite well.

What does it mean when men say "I Love You?"

- 1 Please sleep with me.
- 2 I'm sorry for whatever it is that I did.
- 3 I forgot to get you a gift; this will have to do.
- 4 Huh? I'm sorry; I wasn't listening.
- 5 What did I forget? This should buy me a little time.
- 6 Stop nagging me.
- 7 What do I have to do to get a beer around here?

### **Why does Scientists at NASA built a gun specifically to launch dead chickens ?**

Scientists at NASA built a gun specifically to launch dead chickens at the windshields of airliners, military jets, and the space shuttle, all traveling at maximum velocity. The idea was to simulate the frequent incidents of collisions with airborne fowl to test the strength of the windshields.

British engineers heard about the gun and were eager to test it on the windshields of their new high-speed trains. Arrangements were made and a gun was sent to the British engineers. When the gun was fired, the engineers stood shocked as the chicken hurtled out of the barrel, crashed into the shatterproof shield, smashed it to smithereens, blasted through the control console, snapped the engineer's backrest in two, and embedded itself in the back wall of the cabin, like an arrow shot from a bow.

The horrified Brits sent NASA the disastrous results of the experiment, along with the designs of the windshield, and begged the U.S. scientists for suggestions.

NASA responded with a one-line memo: "Thaw the chicken."

### **THE BIRTHDAY PRESENT!!!**

For my birthday this year my wife purchased me a week of private lessons at the local health club. Though still in great shape from when I was on the varsity chess team in high school, I decided it was a good idea to go ahead and try it.

I called and made reservations with someone named Tanya who said she is a 26-year old aerobics instructor and athletic clothing model. My wife seemed very pleased with how enthusiastic I was to get started.

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DAY 1: They suggest I keep this "exercise diary" to chart my progress this week. Started the morning at 6:00 A.M. Tough to get up but worth it when I arrived at the health club and Tanya was waiting for me. She is something of a goddess, with blond hair and a dazzling white smile. She showed me the machines and took my pulse after five minutes on the treadmill. She seemed a little alarmed that it was so high, but I think just standing next to her in the outfit of hers added about ten points.

Enjoyed watching the aerobics class. Tanya was very encouraging as I did my sit-ups, though my gut was already aching a little from holding it in the whole time I was talking to her. This is going to be GREAT!!!

DAY 2: Took a whole pot of coffee to get me out the door, but I made it. Tanya had me lie on my back and push this heavy iron bar up into the air. They she put weights on it for heaven's sake. Legs were a little wobbly on the treadmill, but I made it the full mile. Her smile made it all worth it. Muscles feel GREAT!!!

Day 3: The only way I can brush my teeth is by laying the tooth brush on the counter and moving my mouth back and forth over it. I am certain that I have developed a hernia in both pectorals. Driving was okay as long as I did not try to steer. I parked on top of a Volkswagon.

Tanya was a little impatient with me and said my screaming was bothering the other club members. The treadmill hurt my chest so I did the stair monster. Why would anyone invent a machine to simulate an activity rendered obsolete by the invention of elevators? Tanya told me regular exercise would make me live longer. I can't imagine anything worse.

DAY 4: Tanya was waiting for me with her vampire teeth in a full snarl. I can't help it if I was half an hour late, it took me that long just to tie my shoes. She wanted me to lift dumbbells. NOT A CHANCE TANYA!!!

The word ""dumb" must be in there for a reason. I hid in the men's room until she sent Lars looking for me. As punishment, she made me try the rowing machine. It sank.

DAY 5: I hate Tanya more than any human being has ever hated any other human being in the history of the world. If there was any part of my body not in extreme pain, I would hit her with it. She thought it would be a good idea to work on my triceps. Well I have news for you Tanya. I don't have triceps, and if you don't want dents in the floor, don't hand me any barbells. I refuse to accept responsibility for the damage. YOU went to sadist school. YOU are to blame. She had the treadmill set so fast it flung me back into a physical education teacher, which hurt like crazy. Why couldn't it have been someone softer, like a music teacher, or home economics?

DAY 6: Got Tanya's message on my answering machine wondering where I am. I lacked the strength to use the TV remote so I watched eleven straight hours of the weather channel.

DAY 7: Well, that's the week. Thank God that's over. Maybe next time my wife will give me something a little more fun, like a free lower-colon exam or gum surgery.

### **Three guys are drinking in a bar**

Three guys are drinking in a bar when a drunk comes in, staggers up to them, and points at the guy in the middle, shouting, "Your mom's the best lay in town!"

Everyone expects a fight, but the guy ignores him, and the drunk wanders off and bellies up to the bar at the far end.

Ten minutes later, the drunk comes back, points at the same guy, and says, "I just screwed your mom, and it was swe-e-et!"

Again the guy refuses to take the bait, and the drunk goes back to the far end of the bar.

Ten minutes later, he comes back and announces, "Your mom liked it!"

Finally the guy interrupts. "Go home, Dad,... you're drunk!"

**YOU KNOW YOU LIVE IN THE BAY AREA WHEN:**

Your co-worker tells you she has 8 body piercing but none are visible.

When someone says TENDERLOIN - you don't think of steak. You think of danger.

You make over \$100,000 and still can't afford a house.

You can't remember....is pot illegal?

You've been to more than one baby shower that has two mothers and a sperm donor.

You have a very strong opinion where your coffee beans are grown and can taste the difference between Sumatran and Ethiopian.

A really great parking space can move you to tears.

You know that anyone wearing shorts in April is just visiting from Ohio.



You assume every company offers domestic partner benefits.

Your boss runs in "The Bay to Breakers"....it's the first time you have seen him nude.

Your child's 3rd grade teacher has two pierced ears, a nose ring and is named "Breeze." And, after telling that to a friend, they still need to ask if the teacher is male or female.

You are thinking of taking an adult class but you can't decide between yoga, aromatherapy, conversational Mandarin or a building your own website class.

You haven't been to Fisherman's Wharf since the first month you moved to SF and you couldn't figure out how to drive to Coit Tower if your life depended on it.

A man walks on MUNI in full leather regalia and crotchless chaps. You don't notice.

A woman walks on MUNI with live poultry. You don't notice.

You think any guy with a George Clooney haircut must be visiting from the midwest.

You know that any woman with a George Clooney haircut is not a tourist.

You keep a list of companies to boycott.

Your hairdresser is straight, your plumber is gay, the woman who delivers your mail is straight and your Mary Kay Lady is a guy in drag.

**13 signs that you have had too much of the 90's**

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- 1) You tried to enter your password on the microwave.
- 2) You now think of three espressos as "getting wasted."
- 3) You haven't played solitaire with a real deck of cards in years.
- 4) You have a list of 15 phone numbers to reach your family of
- 5) You e-mail your son in his room to tell him that dinner is ready, and he e-mails you back "What's for dinner?"
- 6) Your daughter sells Girl Scout Cookies via her web site.
- 7) You chat several times a day with a stranger from South Africa, but you haven't spoken to your next door neighbor yet this year.
- 8) You didn't give your valentine a card this year, but you posted one for your e-mail buddies via a web page.
- 9) Your daughter just bought a C.D. of all the records your college roommate used to play.
- 10) You check the ingredients on a can of chicken noodle soup to see if it contains echinacea.
- 11) You check your blow dryer to see if it's Y2K compliant.
- 12) Your grandmother clogs up your e-mail Inbox, asking you to send her JPEG file of your newborn so she can create a screen saver.
- 13) You pull up in your own driveway and use your cell-phone to see if anyone is home

**Three BLONDES A guy is having a drink in a very dark bar.**

He leans over to the big woman next to him and says, "Do you wanna hear a funny blonde joke?"

The big woman replies, "Well, before you tell that joke, you should know something. I'm blonde, six feet tall, 210 lbs, and I'm a professional tri athlete and bodybuilder. The blonde woman sitting next to me is 6'2," weighs 220 lbs, and she's an ex-professional wrestler. Next to her is a blonde who's 6'5,"

weighs 250 lbs, and she's a current professional kick boxer. Now, do you still want to tell that blonde joke?"

The guy thinks about it a second and says, "No, not if I'm going to have to explain it three times."

**Six Presidents On A Sinking Ship**

- Ford says: "What do we do?"
- Bush says: "Man the lifeboats."
- Reagan says: "What lifeboats?"
- Carter says: "Women first."
- Nixon says: "Screw the women."
- Clinton says: "You think we have time?"

**A beautiful, voluptuous woman went to a gynecologist.**

The doctor took one look at this woman and all his professionalism went out the window. He immediately told her to undress.

After she had disrobed, the doctor began to stroke her thigh. Doing so, he asked her, "Do you know what I'm doing?"

"Yes," she replied, "you're checking for any abrasions or dermatological abnormalities."

"That is right," said the doctor. He then began to fondle her breasts. "Do you know what I'm doing now?" he asked.

"Yes," the woman said, "you're checking for any lumps or breast cancer."  
"Correct," replied the shady doctor. Finally, he mounted his patient and started having intercourse with her. Once more he asked, "Do you know what I'm doing now?"

"Yes," she said. "You're getting herpes; which is why I came here in the first place."

### **A blonde decides to try horseback riding**

A blonde decides to try horseback riding, even though she has had no lessons or prior experience. She mounts the horse unassisted and the horse immediately springs into motion. It gallops along at a steady and rhythmic pace, but the blonde begins to slip from the saddle.

In terror, she grabs for the horse's mane, but cannot seem to get a firm grip. She tries to throw her arms around the horse's neck, but she slides down the side of the horse anyway. The horse gallops along, seemingly impervious to its slipping rider.

Finally, giving up her frail grip, she leaps away from the horse to try and throw herself to safety. Unfortunately, her foot has become entangled in

the stirrup and she is now at the mercy of the horse's pounding hooves as her head is struck against the ground again and again. As her head is battered against the ground, she is mere moments away from unconsciousness when the Wal-Mart manager runs out to shut off the horse.

### **A blonde walks into a pharmacy**

A blonde walks into a pharmacy and asks the pharmacist for some bottom deodorant. The pharmacist, a little bemused, explains to the woman that they don't sell bottom deodorant, and never have.

Unfazed, the blonde assures the pharmacist that she has been buying the stuff from this store on a regular basis, and would like some more.

"I'm sorry," says the pharmacist, "we don't have any."

"But I always get it here," says the blonde.

"Do you have the container it comes in?"

"Yes!" said the blonde, "I will go and get it."

She returns with the container and hands it to the chemist who looks at it and says to her, "This is just a normal stick of underarm deodorant."

The annoyed blonde snatches the container back and reads out loud from the container, "To apply, push up bottom."

### **A bus stops and two Italian men get on**

A bus stops and two Italian men get on. They sit down and engage in an animated conversation. The lady sitting behind them ignores them at first, but her attention is galvanized when she hears one of the men say the following:

"Emma come first. Den I come. Den two asses come together. I come once-a-more. Two asses, they come together again. I come again and pee twice. Then I come one last a time."

"You foul-mouthed swine!" retorted the lady indignantly. "In this country we don't talk about our sex lives in public!"

"Hey, coola down lady," said the man. "Who talkin' abouta sexa? I'm a justa tellin' my frienda how to spella 'Mississippi'."

**A couple of women were playing golf one sunny Saturday morning.**

The first of the twosome teed off and watched in horror as her ball headed directly toward a foursome of men playing the next hole.

Indeed, the ball hit one of the men, and he immediately clasped his hands together at his crotch, fell to the ground and proceeded to roll around in evident agony.

The woman rushed down to the man and immediately began to apologize. She explained that she was a physical therapist: "Please allow me to help. I'm a physical therapist and I know I could relieve your pain if you'd allow me!", she told him earnestly.

"Ummph, oooh, nnooo, I'll be alright...I'll be fine in a few minutes", he replied breathlessly as he remained in the fetal position still clasping his hands together at his crotch.

But she persisted, and he finally allowed her to help him. She gently took his hands away and laid them to the side, she loosened his pants, and she put her hands inside. She began to massage him, and she asked him: "How does that feel?"

To which he replied: "It feels great, but my thumb still hurts like hell."

### **A couple was celebrating their golden wedding anniversary**

A couple was celebrating their golden wedding anniversary. Their domestic tranquility had long been the talk of the town. A local newspaper reporter was inquiring as to the secret of their long and happy marriage.

"Well, it dates back to our honeymoon," explained the lady.

"We visited the Grand Canyon and took a trip down to the bottom of the canyon by pack mule. We hadn't gone too far when my husband's mule stumbled. My husband quietly said

"That's once."

We proceeded a little farther when the mule stumbled again. Once more my husband quietly said, "That's twice."

We hadn't gone a half-mile when the mule stumbled a third time. My husband promptly removed a revolver from his pocket and shot him.

I started to protest over his treatment of the mule when he looked at me and quietly said "That's once."

### **A guy just died and he's at the pearly gates**

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A guy just died and he's at the pearly gates, waiting to be admitted, while St. Peter is leafin' through the Big Book to see if the guy is worthy.

St. Peter goes through the Book several times, furrows his brow and says to the guy, 'You know, I can't see that you ever did anything really bad in your life, but you never did anything really good either. If you can point to even one REALLY GOOD DEED -- you're in.'

The guy thinks for a moment and says, 'Yeah, there was this one time when I was driving down the highway and saw a giant group of thugs assaulting this poor girl. I slowed down my car to see what was going on and sure enough, there they were, about 50 of 'em harassing this terrified young woman. Infuriated, I got out of my car, grabbed a tire iron out of my trunk, and walked up to the leader of the gang, a huge guy with a studded leather jacket and a chain running from his nose to his ear. As I walked up to the leader, the thugs formed a circle around me. So, I ripped the leader's chain off his face and smashed him over the head with the tire iron. Layed him out. Then I turned and yelled at the rest of them, 'Leave this poor innocent girl alone! You're all a bunch of sick, deranged animals! Go home before I teach you all a lesson in pain!''

St. Peter, impressed, says, 'Really? When did this happen?'  
'Oh, about ten minutes ago.'

### **A Handy Guide to Being Politically Correct**

She is not a BABE or a CHICK - She is a BREASTED PERSON.

She is not a BLEACHED BLONDE - She is PEROXIDE DEPENDENT.

She is not a BAD COOK - She is MICROWAVE COMPATIBLE.

She does not wear TOO MUCH JEWELRY - She is METALLICALLY OVERBURDENED.

She does not want to be MARRIED - She wants to lock you in DOMESTIC INCARCERATION.

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She does not GAIN WEIGHT - She is a METABOLIC UNDERACHIEVER.

She is not a SCREAMER or MOANER - She is VOCALLY APPRECIATIVE.

She does not HAVE A MUSTACHE - She is IN TOUCH WITH HER MASCULINE SIDE.

She has not BEEN AROUND - She is a PREVIOUSLY ENJOYED COMPANION.

She does not WEAR TOO MUCH PERFUME - She commits FRAGRANCE ABUSE.

She does not GO SHOPPING - She is MALL FLUENT.

She is not an AIRHEAD - She is REALITY IMPAIRED.

She does not get DRUNK or TIPSY - She gets CHEMICALLY INCONVENIENCED.

She does not WEAR TOO MUCH MAKEUP - She has reached COSMETIC SATURATION.

She does not have BREAST IMPLANTS - She is GRAVITY RESISTANT.

She does not NAG YOU - She becomes VERBALLY REPETITIVE.

### **A hip young man goes out and buys the best car available**

A hip young man goes out and buys the best car available, a 1999 Ferrari GTO. It is also the most expensive car in the world, and it costs him \$500,000. He takes it out for a spin and stops at a red light. An old man on a moped (both looking about 90 years old) pulls up next to him. The old man looks over at the sleek, shiny car and asks, "What kind of car ya' got there, Sonny?" The young man replies, "A 1999 Ferrari GTO.

It cost half a million dollars!" "That's a lot of money," says the old man. "Why does it cost so much?" "Because this car can do up to 320 kilometers an hour!" states the young dude proudly. The moped driver asks, "Mind if I take a look inside?" "No problem," replies the owner. So

the old man pokes his head in the window and looks around. Then, sitting back on his moped, the old man says, "That's a pretty nice car, all right!"

Just then the light changes so the guy decides to show the old man just what his car can do. He floors it, and within 30 seconds the speedometer reads 320 kph. Suddenly, he notices a dot in his rearview mirror. It seems to be getting closer! He slows down to see what it could be and suddenly,whhhooooooooosshh!!!! Something whips by him, going much faster! "What on earth could be going faster than my Ferrari?" the young man asks himself.

Then, ahead of him, he sees a dot coming toward him. Whooooooooosshh!!!!

It goes by again, heading in the opposite direction! And it looked like the old man on the moped. "Couldn't be," thinks the guy.

"How could a moped outrun a Ferrari?" But again, he sees a dot in his rear view mirror! Whooooosh! Ka-BbblaMMM! It plows into the back of his car, demolishing the rear end.

The young man jumps out, and it IS the old man!!! He runs up to the mangled old man and says, "Omigosh! Is there anything I can do for you?"

The old man whispers with his dying breath, "Unhook...my suspenders...from your side-view mirror..."

### **A man and a beautiful woman were having dinner in a fine restaurant**

A man and a beautiful woman were having dinner in a fine restaurant. Their waitress (taking another order at a table a few paces away) suddenly noticed that the man was slowly sliding down his chair and under the table, but the woman acted unconcerned. The waitress watched

as the man slid all the way down his chair and out of sight under the table. Still, the woman dining across from him appeared calm and unruffled, apparently unaware that her dining companion had disappeared.

After the waitress finished taking the order, she came over to the table and said to the woman, "Pardon me, ma'am, but I think your husband just slid under the table." The woman calmly looked up at her and replied, "No he didn't. He just walked in the door."

### **A man was sitting at a bar enjoying an after-work cocktail**

A man was sitting at a bar enjoying an after-work cocktail when an exceptionally gorgeous & sexy young woman entered. She was so striking that the man could not take his eyes away from her. The young woman noticed his overly attentive stare & walked directly towards him.

Before he could offer his apologies for being so rude, the young woman said to him, "I'll do anything, absolutely anything, that you want me to do, no matter how kinky, for \$100 on one condition."

Flabbergasted, the man asked what the condition was. The young woman replied, "You have to tell me what you want me to do in just three words."

The man considered her proposition for a moment, withdrew his wallet from his pocket & slowly counted out five \$20 bills, which he pressed into the young woman's hand.

He looked into her eyes & slowly, meaningfully said, "Paint my house."

### **A man, called to testify at the IRS**

A man, called to testify at the IRS, asked his accountant for advice on what to wear. "Wear your shabbiest clothing. Let him think you are a pauper."

Then he asked his lawyer the same question, but got the opposite advice. "Do not let them intimidate you. Wear your most elegant suit and tie."

Confused, the man went to his rabbi, told him of the conflicting advice, and requested some resolution of the dilemma.

"Let me tell you a story," replied the rabbi. "A woman, about to be married, asked her mother what to wear on her wedding night. 'Wear a heavy, long, flannel nightgown that goes right up to your neck.'

But when she asked her best friend, she got conflicting advice. 'Wear your most sexy negligee, with a V neck right down to your navel. The man protested: "What does all this have to do with my problem with the IRS?"

"No matter what you wear, you are going to get screwed."

**A mangy looking guy who goes into a bar and orders a drink.**

The bartender says: "No way. I don't think you can pay for it." The guy says, "You're right. I don't have any money, but if I show you something you haven't seen before, will you give me a drink?" The bartender says, "Only if what you show me ain't risqu." "Deal!" says the guy and reaches into his coat pocket and pulls out a hamster. He puts the hamster on the bar and it runs to the end of the bar, down the bar, across the room, up the piano, jumps on the key board and starts playing Gershwin songs. And the hamster is really good. The bartender says, "You're right. I've never

seen anything like that before. That hamster is truly good on the piano." The guy downs the drink and asks the bartender for another. "Money or another miracle else no drink", says the bartender. The guy reaches into his coat again and pulls out a frog. He puts the frog on the bar, and the frog starts to sing. He has a marvelous voice and great pitch.

A fine singer. A stranger from the other end of the bar runs over to the guy and offers him \$300 for the frog. The guy says "It's a deal." He takes the three hundred and gives the stranger the frog. The stranger runs out of the bar. The bartender says to the guy "Are you some kind of nut? You sold a singing frog for \$300? It must have been worth millions. You must be crazy."

"Not so", says the guy. "The hamster is also a ventriloquist.

### **A new Mercedes owner was out on an interstate**

A new Mercedes owner was out on an interstate for a nice evening drive. The top was down, the breeze was blowing through what was left of his hair and he decided to open her up.

As the needle jumped up to 80mph he suddenly saw a flashing red and blue light behind him. "There ain't no way they can catch a Mercedes," he thought to himself and opened her up further. The needle hit 90, 100 110 and finally 120 with the lights still behind him.

"What in the world am I doing?" he thought and pulled over. The cop came up to him, took his license without a word, and examined it and the car. "I've had a tough shift and this is my last pull-over. don't feel like more paperwork so if you can give me an excuse for your driving that I haven't heard before, you can go!"

"Last week my wife ran off with a cop," the man said, "and I was afraid you were trying to give her back!"

"On your way," said the officer.

**A new priest at his first mass was so nervous he could hardly speak**

A new priest at his first mass was so nervous he could hardly speak. After mass he asked the monsignor how he had done.

The monsignor replied, "When I am worried about getting nervous on the pulpit, I put a glass of vodka next to the water glass. If I start to get nervous, I take a sip."

So next Sunday he took the monsignors advice. At the beginning of the sermon, he got nervous and took a drink. He proceeded to talk up a storm.

Upon his return to his office after mass, he found the following note on the door:

1. Sip the Vodka, don't gulp.
2. There are 10 commandments, not 12.
3. There are 12 disciples, not 10.
4. Jesus was consecrated, not constipated.
5. Jacob wagered his donkey, he did not bet his ass.
6. We do not refer to Jesus Christ as the late J.C.
7. The Father, Son, and Holy Ghost are not referred to as Daddy, Junior and the Spook.
8. David slew Goliath, he did not kick the shit out of him.
9. When David was hit by a rock and knocked off his donkey, don't say he was stoned off his ass.

10. We do not refer to the cross as the "Big T"
11. When Jesus broke the bread at the Last Supper he said, "Take this and eat it for it is my body." He did not say "Eat me."
12. The Virgin Mary is not called "Mary with the Cherry."
13. The recommended grace before a meal is not: Rub-A-Dub-Dub thanks for the grub, yeah God.
14. Next Sunday there will be a taffy pulling contest at St. Peter's, not a peter pulling contest at St. Taffy's.

#### **A nurse from England was on duty in the emergency department**

A nurse from England was on duty in the emergency department, when a punk rocker entered. This young woman had purple hair styled into a mohawk, a variety of tattoos and strange clothing. It was determined that the patient had acute appendicitis and was scheduled for immediate surgery. When she was completely disrobed on the operating table, the staff found that her pubic hair had been dyed green and above it was a tattoo reading: "Keep off the grass." After the prep and the surgery, the surgeon added a small note to the dressing which said: "Sorry, had to mow the lawn.

#### **A professor of chemistry wanted to teach his 5th grade class**

A professor of chemistry wanted to teach his 5th grade class a lesson about the evils of liquor, so he produced an experiment that involved a glass of water, a glass of whiskey, and two worms. "Now, class. Observe closely the worms," said the professor putting a worm first into the water.

The worm in the water writhed about, happy as a worm in water could be. The second worm, he put into the whiskey. It writhed painfully, and quickly sank to the bottom, dead as a doornail. "Now, what lesson can we derive from this experiment?" the professor asked. Johnny, who naturally sits in back, raised his hand and wisely, responded, "Drink whiskey and you won't get worms."

**Works for me.**

A Question of Degree Just in case you wondered whether those college athletes measure up academically.

At one school with a dubious record, a coach berates the dean to pass one of his key players, warning the weekend's game is doomed without him.

The dean says he will pass the failing jock if he can pass a simple mathematical quiz. The player enters the room and the dean asks: "How much is five times four?"

The player scratches his head, then grins, exclaiming: "That's simple -- 25!"

The dean then turns to the coach and says, "See, what did I tell you? He failed."

The coach says: "What's the big deal? He only missed it by one!"

**A rather attractive woman goes up to the bar**

A rather attractive woman goes up to the bar in a quiet rural pub somewhere in Maine. She gestures alluringly to the barman who comes over immediately. When he arrives, she seductively signals that he should



bring his face close to hers. When he does, she begins to gently caress his beard which is full and bushy. "Are you the manager?" she asks, softly stroking his face with both hands. "Actually, no," he replies. "Can you get him for me - I need to speak to him?" she asks, running her hands up beyond his beard and into his hair. "I'm afraid I can't" breathes the barman - clearly aroused. "Is there anything I can do?"

"Yes there is. I need you to give him a message" she continues huskily, popping a couple of fingers into his mouth and allowing him to suck them gently. "Tell him," she says, "that there is no toilet paper or hand soap in the ladies room."

### **A Report From the 2000 World Women's Liberation Conference.**

The first speaker, a lady from England stood up and said, "During last year's conference we spoke about being more assertive with our husbands. Well, after the conference I went home and told my husband Barrington, that I would no longer cook for him and that he would have to do it himself! After the first day, I saw nothing. After the second day, I saw nothing. But on the third day, I saw that he had cooked a wonderful roast lamb." The crowd cheered. The second speaker, from Russia, stood up and said, "After last year's conference I went home and told my husband, Ivan, that I would no longer do his laundry and that he would have to do it himself. After the first day, I saw nothing. After the second day, I saw nothing. But on the third day, I saw that he had done not only his own washing, but my washing as well." The crowd again cheered.

The third speaker, a Cajun lady from Thibodaux, Louisiana, stood up and said, "Afta last years' conference, I went rat home and tole dat lazy Coonass husband 'o mine, Boudreaux, dat I wadn't gonna do no mo'a his cookin', cleanin' or shoppin' and dat he wuz gonna have to do it all fer hissef." The crowd got to their feet and roared approval.

When it became quiet, she continued, "And I tole 'em I wadn't gonna be doin' no mo cleanin 'em nasty crawfeesh, giggin' no mo boolfrogs and water dawgs, skinnin' none'a dem musrats and nutrias or check'n no mo catfeesh trotlines." The crowd went wild - the cheering and clapping lasted for at least five minutes.

When it again became calm, she continued, "Afta the fust day, I didn't saw nuttin'. Afta the second day, I didn't saw nuttin' too. But afta the thud day, I could saw a little bit outta my left eye."

### **A Sleuth in the Making**

The local sheriff would be well advised to continue his search for a smart deputy.

Not-so-bright Herman went in to apply for the job. "Okay," the sheriff drawled, "what is 1 and 1?"

"Eleven," Herman replied instantly.

The sheriff thought to himself, "That's not what I meant, but of course, he's right." Then he asked, "What two days of the week start with the letter 'T'?"

"Today and tomorrow," Herman answered.

Again the sheriff was surprised that Herman had supplied a correct answer he'd never considered. "Now, listen carefully, who killed Abraham Lincoln?" the sheriff asked.

Herman looked a little surprised, thought really hard for a minute, then admitted, "I don't know."

"Well," said the sheriff, "Well, why don't you go home and work on that one for a while?"

Hopeful Herman left the office and wandered over to the barber shop, where his pals were waiting to hear the results of the interview. "It went great!" he enthused. "First day on the job and I'm already working on a murder case!"

**A team of archaeologists was excavating in Israel when they came upon a cave.**

Written on the wall of the cave were the following symbols in order of appearance:

1. A woman
2. A donkey
3. A shovel
4. A fish
5. A Star of David

They decided that this was a unique find and the writings were at least more than 3,000 years old. They chopped out the piece of stone and had it brought to the museum where archaeologists from all over the world came to study the ancient symbols. They held a huge meeting after months of conferences to discuss what they could agree was the meaning of the markings. The president of their society stood up and pointed at the first drawing and said, "This looks like a woman. We can judge that this race was family oriented and held women in high esteem. You can also tell they were intelligent, as the next symbol resembles a donkey, so, they were smart enough to have animals help them till the soil. The next drawing looks like a shovel of some sort, which means they even had tools to help them. Even further proof of their high intelligence is the fish, which means that if they had a famine hit the earth, whereby the food didn't grow, they would take to the sea for food. The last symbol appears to be the Star of David, which means they were evidently Hebrews. The audience applauded enthusiastically, and the president smiled and said,

"I'm glad to see that you are all in full agreement with our interpretations." Suddenly a little old man stood up in the back of the room and said, "I object to every word. The explanation of what the writings say is quite simple. First of all, everyone knows that Hebrews don't read from left to right, but from right to left. Now, look again. It now says: "Holy Mackerel, Dig The Ass On That Woman."

### **A turkey was chatting with a bull**

I would love to be able to get to the top of that tree," sighed the turkey, "but I haven't got the energy." "Well, why don't you nibble on some of my droppings?" replied the bull. They're packed with nutrients."

The turkey pecked at a lump of dung and found that it actually gave him enough strength to reach the first branch of the tree. The next day, after eating some more dung, he reached the second branch.

Finally after a fortnight, there he was proudly perched at the top of the tree. Soon he was promptly spotted by a farmer, who shot the turkey out of the tree.

Moral of the story: Bullshit might get you to the top, but it won't keep you there.

### **A wife arrived home from a shopping trip and was shocked to find her husband in bed with a lovely young woman.**

Just as she was about to storm out of the house, her husband called out "Perhaps you should hear how all this came about. . ." I was driving home on the highway when I saw this young woman looking tired and bedraggled. I brought her home and made her a meal from the roast beef you had forgotten about in the fridge. She was bare-footed so I gave her

your good sandals which you had discarded because they had gone out of style. She was cold so I gave her the sweater which I bought for you for your birthday but you never wore because the color didn't suit you. Her pants were torn, so I gave her a pair of your jeans, which were perfectly good, but too small for you know. "Then just as she was about to leave, she asked, 'Is there anything else your wife doesn't use anymore?'"

**A woman and her friend are visiting the zoo.**

They are standing in front of the big silver back gorillas cage, when one woman makes a gesture that the gorilla interprets as an invitation. He grabs her yanks her over the fence and takes her to his nest in the pen. There he ravishes her and makes passionate love to her for about 2 hours till he is tranquilized, and the lady is taken to hospital.

Her friend visits her the next day and asks

"Are you hurt?"

She replies, "Of Course I'm hurt, He hasn't called! He hasn't written!"

**A woman woke in the middle of the night to find her husband missing**

A woman woke in the middle of the night to find her husband missing from their bed. In the stillness of the house, she could hear a muffled sound downstairs.

She went downstairs and looked all around, still not finding her husband. Listening again, she could definitely hear moaning. She went down to the basement to find her husband, crouched in the corner facing the wall, crying.

She asked him, "What's wrong with you?" He replied:

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"Remember when your father caught us together, when you were 16? Remember, he said, I had a choice: I could either marry you, or be sent away to prison for the next 20 years."

Baffled, she said, "Yes." The husband bawled, "I would have gotten out of prison today."

**Achtung!**

ALLES TOURISTEN UND NON-TECHNISCHEN  
LOOKENSGEPEEPERS

Dieser macinenmacher kontrol ist nicht fur gerfingerpoken und mittengraben. Oderwise ist es easy schnappen der springenwerken, fusen blown, und poppenkorken mit spitzensparken.

Der maschine ist fur gerworken bei der experten only. Es ist nicht fur gewerken bei dummkopfen. Das rubberneckten sightseeren, keepen die kottenpicken hands in dem pockets. Relaxen, sitzenbacken, und watchen die wunderbare lights blinken - excepten wenn der computermaschine beginnt zu stinken und smokin und huffen und puffen. Dann pullen dem plug und hiden unter dem desk! - Danke

**After a two year long study, the National Science Foundation**

After a two year long study, the National Science Foundation announced the following results on corporate America's recreation preferences.

1. The sport of choice for unemployed or incarcerated people is: Basketball.
2. The sport of choice for maintenance level employees is: Bowling.
3. The sport of choice for front line workers is: Football.
4. The sport of choice for supervisors is: Baseball.
5. The sport of choice for middle management is: Tennis.

6. The sport of choice for corporate officers is: Golf.

Conclusion: The higher you are in the corporate structure, the smaller your balls become.

### **After having their 11th child**

After having their 11th child, a redneck couple decided they'd enough and they couldn't afford a double-wide. So the husband went to his doctor and told him that he and his wife didn't want to have any more children. The doctor told him there was a procedure that could fix the problem. The doctor instructed him to go home, get a cherry bomb, light it, put it in a beer can, then hold the can up to his ear and count to 10. The redneck said to the doctor, "I may not be the smartest man, but I don't see how putting a cherry bomb in a beer can next to my ear is going to help me."

So, the couple drove to get a second opinion. The second doctor was just about to tell them about the medical procedure for a vasectomy when he realized how truly backwards these people were. This doctor instead told the man to go home and get a cherry bomb, light it, place it in a beer can, hold it to his ear and count to 10. Figuring that both doctors couldn't be wrong, the man went home, lit a cherry bomb and put it in a beer can. He held the can up to his ear and began to count. "1, 2, 3, 4, 5, " at which point he paused, placed the beer can between his legs and resumed counting on his other hand...

### **Against the Odds**

A guy named Joe finds himself in dire trouble. His business has gone bust and he's in serious financial trouble. He's so desperate that he decides to ask God for help. He begins to pray...

"God, please help me. I've lost my business and if I don't get some money, I'm going to lose my house as well. Please let me win the lotto."

Lotto night comes and somebody else wins it.

Joe again prays... "God, please let me win the lotto! I've lost my business, my house and I'm going to lose my car as well".

Lotto night comes and Joe still has no luck.

Once again, he prays... "My God, why have you forsaken me? I've lost my business, my house, and my car. My wife and children are starving. I don't often ask you for help and I have always been a good servant to you. PLEASE just let me win the lotto this one time so I can get my life back in order."

Suddenly there is a blinding flash of light as the heavens open and Joe is confronted by the voice of God Himself:

"Joe, meet Me halfway on this. Buy a ticket."

### **Airline attendant**

Airline attendants make an effort to make the "in-flight safety lecture" and their other announcements a bit more entertaining. Here are some real examples that have been heard or reported:

"There may be 50 ways to leave your lover, but there are only 4 ways out of this airplane..."

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After landing: "Thank you for flying Delta Business Express. We hope you enjoyed giving us the business as much as we enjoyed taking you for a ride."

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As the plane landed and was coming to a stop at Washington National, alone voice came over the loudspeaker: "Whoa, big fella. WHOA!"

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From a Southwest Airlines employee...."Welcome aboard Southwest Flight XXX to YYY. To operate your seatbelt, insert the metal tab into the buckle, and pull tight It works just like every other seatbelt, and if you don't know how to operate one, you probably shouldn't be out in public unsupervised. In the event of a sudden loss of cabin pressure, margarine cups will descend from the ceiling. Stop screaming, grab the mask, and pull it over your face. If you have a small child traveling with you, secure your mask before assisting with theirs. If you are traveling with more than one small child...pick your favorite.

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Weather at our destination is 50 degrees with some broken clouds, but we'll try to have them fixed before we arrive. Thank you, and remember, nobody loves you, or your money, more than Southwest Airlines."

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"Your seat cushions can be used for flotation, and in the event of an emergency water landing, please paddle to shore and take them with our compliments."

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Once on a Southwest flight, the pilot said, "We've reached our cruising altitude now, and I'm turning off the seat belt sign. I'm switching to autopilot, too, so I can come back there and visit with all of you for the rest of the flight."

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"Should the cabin lose pressure, oxygen masks will drop from the overhead area. Please place the bag over your own mouth and nose before assisting children or other adults acting like children."

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"As you exit the plane, make sure to gather all of your belongings. Anything left behind will be distributed evenly among the flight attendants. Please do not leave children or spouses."

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"Last one off the plane must clean it."

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And from the pilot during his welcome message: "We are pleased to have some of the best flight attendants in the industry... Unfortunately, none of them are on this flight...!"

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Heard on Southwest Airlines just after a very hard landing in Salt Lake City: The flight attendant came on the intercom and said, "That was quite a bump and I know what y'all are thinking. I'm here to tell you it wasn't the airline's fault, it wasn't the pilot's fault, it wasn't the flight attendants' fault...it was the asphalt!"

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Overheard on an American Airlines flight into Amarillo, Texas, on a particularly windy and bumpy day. During the final approach the Captain was really having to fight it. After an extremely hard landing, the Flight Attendant came on the PA and announced, "Ladies and Gentlemen, welcome to Amarillo. Please remain in your seats with your seatbelts fastened while the Captain taxis what's left of our airplane to the gate!"

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Another flight attendant's comment on a less than perfect landing: "We ask you to please remain seated as Captain Kangaroo bounces us to the terminal."

An airline pilot wrote that on this particular flight he had hammered his ship into the runway really hard. The airline had a policy which required the first officer to stand at the door while the Passengers exited, smile, and give them a "Thanks for flying XYZ airline." He said that in light of his bad landing, he had a hard time looking the passengers in the eye, thinking that someone would have a smart comment. Finally everyone had gotten off except for this little old lady walking with a cane. She said, "Sonny, mind if I ask you a question?" "Why no Ma'am," said the pilot, "what is it?" The little old lady said, "Did we land or were we shot down?"

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After a real crusher of a landing in Phoenix, the Flight Attendant came on with, "Ladies and Gentlemen, please remain in your seats until Capt. Crash and the Crew have brought the aircraft to a screeching halt against the gate. And, once the tire smoke has cleared and the warning bells are silenced, we'll open the door and you can pick your way through the wreckage to the terminal."

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Part of a flight attendant's arrival announcement: "We'd like to thank you folks for flying with us today. And, the next time you get the insane urge to go blasting through the skies in a pressurized metal tube, we hope you'll think of us here at US Airways."

### **Airman Jones was assigned to the induction center**

Airman Jones was assigned to the induction center, where he advised new recruits about their government benefits, especially their GI insurance...

It wasn't long before Captain Smith noticed that Airman Jones had almost a 100% record for insurance sales, which had never happened before...

Rather than ask about this, the Captain stood in the back of the room and listened to Jones's sales pitch.

Jones explained the basics of the GI Insurance to the new recruits, and then said: "If you have GI Insurance and go into battle and are killed, the government has to pay \$200,000 to your beneficiaries. If you don't have GI insurance, and you go into battle and get killed, the government only has to pay a maximum of \$6000." "Now," he concluded, "which bunch do you think they are going to send into battle first?"

**An 8-year-old girl went to her dad, who was working in the yard and asked him, "Daddy, what is sex?"**

The father was surprised that she would ask such a question, but decided that if she's old enough An 8-year-old girl went to her dad, who was working in the yard and asked him, "Daddy, what is sex?" The father was surprised that she would ask such a question, but decided that if she's old enough to know to ask the question, then she's old enough to get a straight answer. Steeling himself to leave nothing out, he proceeded to tell her all about human reproduction and the joys and responsibilities of intercourse. When he finished explaining, the little girl was looking at him with her mouth hanging open, eyes wide in amazement. Seeing the look on her face, the father asked her, "Why did you ask this question, honey?" The little girl replied, "Mom says that dinner will be ready in just a couple of sexs."

### **An American businessman was at the pier**

An American businessman was at the pier of a small coastal Mexican village when a small boat with just one fisherman docked. Inside the small boat were several large yellow fin tuna. The American complimented the Mexican on the quality of his fish and asked how long it took to catch them. The Mexican replied, "Only a little while." The American then asked why he didn't stay out longer and catch more fish. The Mexican said he had enough to support his family's immediate needs. The American then asked, "But what do you do with the rest of your time?" The Mexican fisherman said, "I sleep late, fish a little, play with my children, take siesta with my wife, Maria, stroll into the village each evening where I sip wine and play guitar with my amigos, I have a full and busy life, senior." The American scoffed, "I am a Harvard MBA and could help you. You should spend more time fishing and with the proceeds buy a bigger boat. With the proceeds from the bigger boat you could buy several boats, eventually you would have a fleet of fishing boats. Instead of selling your catch to a middleman you would sell directly to the processor, eventually opening your own cannery. You

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would control the product, processing and distribution. You would need to leave this small coastal fishing village and move to Mexico City, then LA and eventually NYC where you will run your expanding enterprise." The Mexican fisherman asked, "But señor, how long will this all take?" To which the American replied, "15-20 years." "But what then, señor?" The American laughed and said, "That's the best part. When the time is right you would announce an IPO and sell your company stock to the public and become very rich, you would make millions." "Millions, señor? Then what?" The American said, "Then you would retire. Move to a small coastal fishing village where you would sleep late, fish a little, play with your kids, take a siesta with your wife, and stroll to the village in the evenings where you could sip wine and play your guitar with your amigos.

### **An Amish boy and his father were visiting a mall**

An Amish boy and his father were visiting a mall. They were amazed by almost everything they saw, but especially by two shiny, silver walls that could move apart and then slide back together again. The boy asked, "What is this, Father?" The father (never having seen an elevator) responded, "Son, I have never seen anything like this in my life, I don't know what it is." While the boy and his father were watching with amazement, a fat old lady in a wheel chair rolled up to the moving walls and pressed a button. The walls opened and the lady rolled between them into a small room.

The walls closed and the boy and his father watched the small circular numbers above the walls light up sequentially. They continued to watch until it reached the last number and then the numbers began to light in the reverse order. Finally the walls opened up again and a gorgeous, voluptuous 24-year-old blonde woman stepped out. The father, not taking his eyes off the young woman, said quietly to his son, " Boy, go get your Mother."

### **An elderly spinster called the lawyer's office**

An elderly spinster called the lawyer's office and told the receptionist she wanted to see the lawyer about having a will prepared. The receptionist suggested they set up an appointment for a convenient time for the spinster to come into the office. The woman replied, "You must understand, I've lived alone all my life, I rarely see anyone, and I don't like to go out. Would it be possible for the lawyer to come to my house?"

The receptionist checked with the attorney who agreed and he went to the spinster's home for the meeting to discuss her estate and her will.

The lawyer's first question was, "Would you please tell me what you have in assets and how you'd like them to be distributed under your will?"

She replied, "Besides the furniture and accessories you see here, I have \$40,000 in my savings account at the bank."

"Tell me," the lawyer asked, "how would you like the \$40,000 to be distributed?"

The spinster said, "Well, as I've told you, I've lived a reclusive life, people have hardly ever noticed me, so I'd like them to notice when I pass on. I'd like to provide \$35,000 for my funeral."

The lawyer remarked, "Well, for \$35,000 you will be able to have a funeral that will certainly be noticed and will leave a lasting impression on anyone who may not have taken much note of you! But tell me," he continued, "what would you like to do with the remaining \$5,000?"

The spinster replied, "As you know, I've never married, I've lived alone almost my entire life, and in fact I've never slept with a man. I'd like you to use the \$5,000 to arrange for a man to sleep with me."

"This is a very unusual request," the lawyer said, adding, "but I'll see what I can do to arrange it and get back to you."

That evening, the lawyer was at home telling his wife about the eccentric spinster and her weird request. After thinking about how much she could do around the house with \$5,000, and with a bit of coaxing, she got her husband to agree to provide the service himself.

She said, "I'll drive you over tomorrow morning, and wait in the car until you're finished."

The next morning, she drove him to the spinster's house and waited while he went into the house. She waited for over an hour, but her husband didn't come out.

So she blew the car horn. Shortly, the upstairs bedroom window opened, the lawyer stuck his head out and yelled, "Pick me up tomorrow, she's going to let the County bury her!"

### **An Iffy Diagnosis A moment of gratitude requires some definition.**

A man told his doctor he wasn't able to do all the things around the house that he used to do. When the examination was complete, he said, "Now, Doc, I can take it. Tell me in plain English what is wrong with me."

"Well," the doctor replied, "in plain English, you're just lazy."

"Okay," said the man. "Now give me the medical term so I can tell my wife."

### **An Irishman, an Italian, and a Polish guy are in a bar.**

They are having a good time and all agree that the bar is a nice place.

Then the Irishman says, "Aye, this is a nice bar, but where I come from, back in Dublin, there's a better one. At MacDougal's, you buy a drink, you buy another drink, and MacDougal himself will buy your third drink!"

The others agree that sounds like a nice place.

Then the Italian says, "Yeah, that's a nice bar, but where I come from, there's a better one. Over in Brooklyn, there's this place, Vinny's. At Vinny's, you buy a drink, Vinny buys you a drink. You buy anudda drink, Vinny buys you anudda drink."

Everyone agrees that sounds like a great bar.

Then the Polish guy says, "You think that's great? Where I come from, there's this place called Warshowski's. At Warshowski's, they buy you your first drink, they buy you your second drink, they buy you your third drink, and then, they take you in the back and get you laid!"

"Wow!" say the other two. "That's fantastic! Did that actually happen to you?"

"No," replies the Polish guy, "but it happened to my sister!"

### **An Italian, Irishman and a Chinese fellow are hired at a construction site.**

The foreman points out a huge pile of sand and says to the Italian guy, "You're in charge of sweeping."

To the Irishman he says, "You're in charge of shoveling. "And to the Chinese guy, "You're in charge of supplies."



He then says: "Now, I have to leave for a little while. I expect you guys to make a dent in that there pile of sand."

So the foreman goes away for a couple hours, and when he returns, the pile of sand is untouched. He says to the Italian, "Why didn't you sweep any of it?"

The Italian replies in a heavy accent, "I Gotta no broom. You say the Chinese-a guy thata he was in-a charge of-a supplies, but he no here, he has disappeared and I could no find-a him."

Then the foreman turns to the Irishman and asks "Didn't I leave you in charge of shoveling, why didn't you shovel?" The Irishman replies in his heavy brogue, "Aye, ye did, lad. But I counno find meself a shovel. Ye left the Chinese guy in charge of supplies, but I counna fin' that lad either."

The foreman is really angry now, and yells "Where in the heck is that Chinese guy?"

Just then, the Chinese fellow jumps from behind the pile of sand and yells.....

"SUPPLIES!!!"

### **Anticipation vs. Expectation**

Having a request fulfilled often depends on the circumstances.

After she wakes up one morning, a woman tells her husband: "I just dreamed that you gave me a pearl necklace for Valentine's Day. What do you think it means?"

"You'll know tonight," the husband replies.

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That evening, he comes home with a package and gives it to his wife. Delighted, she rips off the wrapping paper and opens the box. Inside she finds a book: "The Meaning of Dreams."

**APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO DATE MY DAUGHTER**  
**NOTE:**

This application will be incomplete and rejected unless accompanied by a current medical report from your doctor.

1. NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
DATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_
  
2. HEIGHT: \_\_\_\_\_ WEIGHT: \_\_\_\_\_ I.Q  
. \_\_\_\_\_ G.P.A.  
\_\_\_\_\_
  
3. SOCIAL SECURITY NO: \_\_\_\_\_ DRIVER'S  
LICENSE: \_\_\_\_\_
  
4. BOY SCOUT RANK \_\_\_\_\_
  
5. HOME ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY/STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_
  
6. Do you have one MALE and one FEMALE parent?  
\_\_\_\_\_
  
7. Number of years parents married: \_\_\_\_\_

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8. Do you own a van? \_\_\_\_\_ A truck with oversized tires? \_\_\_\_\_ A waterbed? \_\_\_\_\_ Do you have an earring, nose ring, or belly button ring? \_\_\_\_\_ Tattoo? \_\_\_\_\_

(IF YES TO ANY OF #8, DISCONTINUE APPLICATION AND LEAVE PREMISES.)

9. In 50 words or less, what does LATE mean to you? \_\_\_\_\_

10. In 50 words or less, what does "DON'T TOUCH MY DAUGHTER" mean to you?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

11. In 50 words or less, what does ABSTINENCE mean to you?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

12. Church you attend: \_\_\_\_\_  
How often do you attend? \_\_\_\_\_

13. When would be the best time to interview your father?  
\_\_\_\_\_ mother? \_\_\_\_\_ Pastor or priest?  
\_\_\_\_\_

14. Answer by filling in the blanks: please answer freely, all answers are confidential.

A. If I were shot, the last place on my body I would want to be wounded is in the \_\_\_\_\_

B. If I were beaten, the last bone I would want broken is my  
\_\_\_\_\_

C. A women's place is in the  
\_\_\_\_\_

D. The one thing I hope this application does not ask me about is  
\_\_\_\_\_

E. When I meet a girl, the first thing I notice is her  
\_\_\_\_\_

(NOTE: If answer to E begins with T or A, DISCONTINUE APPLICATION AND LEAVE PREMISES, keeping you head low and running in a serpentine fashion is advised).

15. What do you want to be, If you grow up?  
\_\_\_\_\_

I SWEAR THAT ALL INFORMATION SUPPLIED ABOVE IS TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE UNDER PENALTY OF DEATH, DISMEMBERMENT, NATIVE AMERICAN ANT TORTURE, CRUCIFIXION, ELECTROCUTION, CHINESE WATER TORTURE, RED HOT POKERS, AND HILLARY CLINTON KISS TORTURE.

Signature (That means sign you name)  
\_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for your interest. Please allow four to six years for processing. You will be contacted in writing if you are approved. Please do not try to call or write (since you probably can't, and it would cause you injury). If

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you application is rejected, you will be notified by two gentlemen wearing white ties, carrying violin cases. (You might watch your back.)

**Apply right now Subject: MCDONALDS JOB APPLICATION**

This is an actual job application a 17 year old boy submitted at a McDonald's fast-food establishment in Florida.....and they hired him because he was so honest and funny!

NAME: Greg Bulmash

Sex: Not yet. Still waiting for the right person.

DESIRED POSITION: Company's President or Vice President. But seriously, whatever's available. If I was in a position to be picky, I wouldn't be applying here in the first place.

DESIRED SALARY: \$185,000 a year plus stock options and a Michael Ovitz style severance package. If that's not possible, make an offer and we can haggle.

EDUCATION: Yes.

LAST POSITION HELD: Target for middle management hostility.

SALARY: Less than I'm worth.

MOST NOTABLE ACHIEVEMENT: My incredible collection of stolen pens and post-it notes

REASON FOR LEAVING: It sucked.

HOURS AVAILABLE TO WORK: Any.

PREFERRED HOURS: 1:30-3:30 p.m., Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday.

DO YOU HAVE ANY SPECIAL SKILLS?: Yes, but they're better suited to a more intimate environment.

MAY WE CONTACT YOUR CURRENT EMPLOYER?: If I had one, would I be here?

DO YOU HAVE ANY PHYSICAL CONDITIONS THAT WOULD PROHIBIT YOU FROM LIFTING UPTO 50 LBS?: Of what?

DO YOU HAVE A CAR?: I think the more appropriate question here would be "Do you have a car that runs?"

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HAVE YOU RECEIVED ANY SPECIAL AWARDS OR RECOGNITION?:

I may already be a winner of the Publishers Clearing house Sweepstakes.

DO YOU SMOKE?: On the job no, on my breaks yes.

WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE DOING IN FIVE YEARS?:

Living in the Bahamas with a fabulously wealthy dumb sexy blonde super model who thinks I'm the greatest thing since sliced bread. Actually, I'd like to be doing that now.

DO YOU CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE IS TRUE AND COMPLETE TO THE BEST OF

YOUR KNOWLEDGE?: Yes. Absolutely.

SIGN HERE: Aries.

Kim

**As cold weather approaches, you might want to keep in mind this old west cold remedy.**

Caution, could affect ones love life as well.....

An old cowhand came riding into town on a hot, dry, dusty day. The local sheriff watched from his chair in front of the saloon as the cowboy wearily dismounted and tied his horse to the rail a few feet in front of the sheriff.

"Howdy, stranger..."

"Howdy, Sheriff..."

The cowboy then moved slowly to the back of his horse, lifted its tail, and placed a big kiss where the sun don't shine. He dropped the horse's tail, stepped up on the walk, and aimed towards the swing doors of the saloon.

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"Hold on, Mister..."

"Sheriff?"

"Did I just see what I think I saw?"

"Reckon you did, Sheriff...I got me some powerful chapped lips..."

"And that cures them?" the Sheriff asked.

"Nope, but it keeps me from lickin' 'em."

#### **Four bad things to tell women**

- 1) Thank you. We're all refreshed and challenged by your unique point of view.
- 2) The fact that no one understands you doesn't mean you're an artist.
- 3) I don't know what your problem is, but I'll bet it's hard to pronounce.
- 4) Any connection between your reality and mine is purely coincidental.
- 5) I have plenty of talent and vision. I just don't give a damn.
- 6) I like you. You remind me of when I was young and stupid.
- 7) What am I? Flypaper for freaks!?
- 8) I'm not being rude. You're just insignificant.
- 9) I'm already visualizing the duct tape over your mouth.

- 10) Ahhh...I see the FUBAR fairy has visited us again...
- 11) I will always cherish the initial misconceptions I had about you.
- 12) It's a thankless job, but I've got a lot of Karma to burn off.
- 13) Yes, I am an agent of Satan, but my duties are largely ceremonial.
- 14) No, my powers can only be used for good.
- 15) How about never? Is never good for you?
  
- 16) I'm really easy to get along with once you people learn to worship me.
- 17) You sound reasonable...Time to up my medication.
- 18) I'll try being nicer if you'll try being smarter.
- 19) I'm out of my mind, but feel free to leave a message...
- 20) I don't work here. I'm a consultant.
- 21) Who me? I just wander from room to room.
- 22) My toys! My toys! I can't do this job without my toys!
- 23) It might look like I'm doing nothing, but at the cellular level I'm really quite busy.
- 24) At least I have a positive attitude about my destructive habits.
- 25) You are validating my inherent mistrust of strangers.



- 26) I see you've set aside this special time to humiliate yourself in public.
- 27) Someday, we'll look back on this, laugh nervously and change the subject.

**Be careful when accepting those product guarantees**

Consider the woman who bought a new line of expensive cosmetics guaranteed to make her look years younger. After a lengthy sitting before the mirror applying the "miracle" products she turned to her husband and said, "Darling, honestly, what age would you say I look?" Her husband studied her for a few minutes and responded, "Judging from your skin, 20, your hair, 18, and your figure, 25." "Oh, you flatterer," she gushed. "Hey, wait a minute," he said, "I haven't added them up yet."

**Before the Battle of Agincourt in 1415**

Before the Battle of Agincourt in 1415, the French, anticipating victory over the English, proposed to cut off the middle finger of all captured English soldiers. Without the middle finger it would be impossible to draw the renowned English longbow and therefore be incapable of fighting in the future. This famous weapon was made of the native English Yew tree, and the act of drawing the longbow was known as "plucking the yew" (or "pluck yew").

Much to the bewilderment of the French, the English won a major upset and began mocking the French by waving their middle fingers at the defeated French, saying, "See, we can still pluck yew! PLUCK YEW!"

Since 'pluck yew' is rather difficult to say, the difficult consonant cluster at the beginning has gradually changed to a labiodental fricative 'F', and thus the words often used in conjunction with the one-finger-salute are mistakenly thought to have something to do with an intimate encounter.

It is also because of the pheasant feathers on the arrows used with the longbow that the symbolic gesture is known as "giving the bird".

And yew thought yew knew everything! And now you know

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### **Beware of the Bears**

In light of the rising frequency of serious incidents between humans and black bears, the Montana Department of Fish and Game is advising hikers, hunters, and fishermen to take extra precautions and keep alert for black bears while in the field.

We advise that outdoorsmen wear noisy little bells on their clothing as a warning, so as not to startle bears that aren't expecting them.

We also advise outdoorsmen to carry pepper spray with them in case of a close encounter with a bear.

Additionally, it is a good idea to watch out for fresh signs of bear activity. Out doors men should also be able to recognize the difference between the black bear and its more ferocious cousin, the grizzly bear:

While the tracks for the two species of bear are quite similar, the black bear dung is smaller and contains lots of berries and squirrel fur.

On the other hand, the grizzly bear dung has "little bells" in it and smells like "pepper."

### **Bumper stickers Save the trees ...**

Wipe your butt with an owl.

Honk if you've never seen an Uzi fired from a car window (Seen on the back of a biker's vest)

If you can read this, my wife fell off.

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Who lit the fuse on your tampon?! (men saying this have been known to die a violent death)

Fight Crime: Shoot Back!

If you can read this, please flip me back over. . . (seen upside down, on a Jeep)

A pat on the back is only a few centimeters from a kick in the ass.

Never raise your hands to your kids; it leaves your groin unprotected.

Feel safe tonight ... Sleep with a cop.

Remember folks: Stop lights timed for 35mph are also timed for 70mph.

GUYS: No shirt, no service. GALs: No shirt, no charge.

If walking is so good for you, then why does my mailman look like Jabba the Hut??

Impotence: Nature's way of saying "No hard feelings"

We have enough youth, how about a fountain of smart?

Axe me about Ebonics

Boldly going nowhere

Cat: The other white meat

CAUTION - Driver legally blonde

Don't be sexist - broads hate that!

Eat Well, Stay Fit, Die Anyway

He's not dead, He's electroencephalographically challenged

If at first you don't succeed, skydiving is not for you

If you can't dazzle them with brilliance, riddle them with bullets

If you lived in your car, you'd be home by now

WARNING! Driver only carries \$20.00 in ammunition

What has four legs and an arm? A happy pit bull

Your ridiculous little opinion has been noted.

Dial 911 and make a cop come.

WOMEN'S T-SHIRT SAYINGS (wonder where you can buy these?)

DON'T PISS ME OFF! I'M RUNNING OUT OF PLACES TO HIDE THE BODIES.

GUYS HAVE FEELINGS TOO. BUT LIKE....WHO CARES?

NEXT MOOD SWING: 6 MINUTES I HATE EVERYBODY, AND YOU'RE NEXT



I'M BUSY. YOU'RE UGLY. HAVE A NICE DAY  
WARNING: I HAVE AN ATTITUDE AND I KNOW HOW TO USE IT  
REMEMBER MY NAME...YOU'LL BE SCREAMING IT LATER  
WHY DO PEOPLE WITH CLOSED MINDS ALWAYS OPEN THEIR  
MOUTHS?  
I'M MULTI-TALENTED: I CAN TALK AND PISS YOU OFF AT THE  
SAME TIME  
YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN SILENT, SO PLEASE SHUT  
UP  
ALL STRESSED OUT AND NO ONE TO CHOKO  
I'M ONE OF THOSE BAD THINGS  
THINGS THAT HAPPEN TO GOOD PEOPLE  
HOW CAN I MISS YOU IF YOU WON'T GO AWAY?  
SORRY IF I LOOKED INTERESTED. I'M NOT.

### **Chicken Salad**

Two toddlers, a boy and a girl, lived across the street from each other. Both dearly loved chicken salad. Each day, they took turns having lunch at his or her house and they always ate chicken salad. This continued until they were ready to start school. The day before school started, their mothers found them crying. When asked why they were crying, they responded that they could no longer eat their chicken salad together. The mothers comforted them with the promise that they would pack their lunches every day and they could still eat their chicken salad together. The children did eat lunch together everyday. When they were about 11 years old, the girl unpacked her lunch one day and the boy, startled, said, "That's not chicken salad. You said you were going to eat chicken salad every day for the rest of your life. What IS that stuff?" The girl replied, "This is peanut butter and jelly. I still love chicken salad, but I can't eat it any more." "Why not?" the boy asked. "Because I'm growing feathers," She replied. "You are not!" "Yes I am! I'm growing feathers and I can't eat chicken salad any more!" "I don't believe you. Let me see!" "I can't show you my feathers." "I don't believe

you," the boy stated again. So the girl finally agreed to show him her feathers and they proceeded around the building to a solitary spot and she dropped her panties and showed him her feathers.

"My, my! You ARE growing feathers! Well, I'm not and I'm going to eat chicken salad for the rest of my natural life," the boy said. When they were 13, the boy unpacked his lunch one day. The girl, sniffing, exclaimed, "That's not chicken salad! You said you were going to eat chicken salad for the rest of your natural life. What IS that stuff?"

The boy responded, "It's tuna salad. I can't eat chicken salad any more. I'm growing feathers now too!" "Let me see." "Oh, no! Couldn't possibly show you my feathers." "I showed you mine." "Well, I guess that's fair. You did show me yours." They went around the building and he dropped his pants. The girl's mouth dropped open and she exclaimed, "My goodness! You're not only growing feathers, but you're growing the neck and the gizzards too!"

**Cool It at Checkout Yes, checkout lines can be frustrating. But keeping your cool can pay.**

One woman in such a line was laden with a mop, broom and a cart full of cleaning products. The line was slow and she sighed and complained often to others waiting with her.

Finally reaching the cashier, she was slowed again when the price of a cleaning liquid had to be checked. "Well, I'll be lucky to get out of here and home before Easter!" she proclaimed to the entire store.

"Don't worry, ma'am," replied the clerk. "With that wind kicking up out there and that brand new broom, you'll be home in no time."

**Cowboys and Lesbians**

An old cowboy dressed to kill with cowboy shirt, hat, jeans, spurs and chaps went to a bar and ordered a drink. As he sat there sipping his whiskey, a young lady sat down next to him.

After she ordered her drink she turned to the cowboy and asked him, "Are you a real cowboy?"

"Well, I have spent my whole life on the ranch herding cows, breaking horses, mending fences... I guess I am," replied the cowboy.

After a short while he asked her what she was.

"I've never been on a ranch so I'm not a cowboy, but I am a lesbian. I spend my whole day thinking about women. As soon as I get up in the morning I think of women, when I eat, shower, watch TV, everything seems to make me think of women," said the young woman.

A short while later she left and the cowboy ordered another drink.

A couple sat down next to him and asked, "Are you a real cowboy?"

"I always thought I was, but I just found out that I'm a lesbian."

### **Crap in the Carburetor**

A young blonde female stock broker was bored with driving her BMW. It lacked individuality and besides that, every other girl in the office had one. She fancied something a bit more individual, perhaps an MG convertible. That week she visited her local car dealer and spied a beautiful Jaguar XK140 convertible. It was wonderfully restored and she fell in love with it's gorgeous red paintwork. An empty check stub later and off she was tearing down the leafy country lanes enjoying her

beautiful new car. Her long blonde hair was flowing in the wind, music blaring from the radio, what could possibly go wrong?

With that thought, there was a sputter from the engine and the car slowly coasted to a stop. She got out and lifted the bonnet and concluded after a few minutes that she didn't have a bloody clue what was wrong. Luckily she had her mobile phone with her and a quick phone call to the AutoClub and a short wait saw a bright shiny yellow van pull up behind her.

"That's a lovely car," said the mechanic. "What seems to be the matter?"

"Well, it just conked out I'm afraid," said the blonde.

"Let me have look," said the mechanic. He set to work and ten minutes later the engine was purring like a cat again.

"Thank goodness," she said. "What was the matter?"

"Simple really, just crap in the carburetor," he replied.

Looking shocked she asked, "Oh, OK. How many times a week do I have to do that?"

### **DARWIN AWARD RUNNERS-UP**

For those of you who are not familiar with these awards, these are given out to people who remove themselves graciously from the gene pool. Read on. Most of us wait with baited breath for these to come out every year. I have not edited this list.

#### **DARWIN AWARD RUNNERS-UP:**

#1 - LOS ANGELES, CA. Ani Saduki, 33, and his brother decided to remove a bees nest from a shed on their property with the aid of a pineapple. A pineapple is an illegal firecracker which is the explosive equivalent of one-half stick of dynamite. They ignited the fuse and retreated to watch from inside their home, behind a window some 10 feet away from the hive/shed. The concussion of the explosion shattered the window inwards, seriously lacerating Ani. Deciding Mr. Saduki needed

stitches, the brothers headed out to go to a nearby hospital. While walking towards their car, Ani was stung three times by the surviving bees. Unbeknownst to either brother, Ani was allergic to bee venom, and died of suffocation en route to the hospital.

#2 - Derrick L. Richards, 28, was charged in April in Minneapolis with third-degree murder in the death of his beloved cousin, Kenneth E. Richards. According to police, Derrick suggested a game of Russian roulette and put a semiautomatic pistol (instead of the more traditional revolver) to Ken's head and fired.

#3 - PHILLIPSBURG, NJ. An unidentified 29 year old male choked to death on a sequined pastier he had orally removed from an exotic dancer at a local establishment. "I didn't think he was going to eat it," the dancer identified only as "Ginger" said, adding, "He was really drunk."

#4 - In February, according to police in WINDSOR, ONT, Daniel Kolta, 27, and Randy Taylor, 33, died in a head-on collision, thus earning a tie in the game of chicken they were playing with their snowmobiles.

#5 - MOSCOW, Russia-A drunk security man asked a colleague at the Moscow bank they were guarding to stab his bulletproof vest to see if it would protect him against a knife attack. It did not, and the 25-year-old guard died of a heart wound. (It is good to see the Russians getting into the spirit of the Darwin Awards.)

#6 - In FRANCE, Jacques LeFevrier left nothing to chance when he decided to commit suicide. He stood at the top of a tall cliff and tied a noose around his neck. He tied the other end of the rope to a large rock. He drank some poison and set fire to his clothes. He even tried to shoot himself at the last moment. He jumped and fired the pistol. The bullet missed him completely and cut through the rope above him. Free of the threat of hanging, he plunged into the sea. The sudden dunking extinguished the flames and made him vomit the poison. He was dragged

out of the water by a kind fisherman and was taken to a hospital, where he died of hypothermia.

#7 - RENTON, WASHINGTON, USA. A Renton, Washington man tried to commit a robbery. This was probably his first attempt, as suggested by the fact that he had no previous record of violent crime, and by his terminally stupid choices as listed below:

- A. The target was H&J Leather & Firearms, a gun shop.
- B. The shop was full of customers, in a state where a substantial portion of the adult population is licensed to carry concealed handguns in public places
- C. To enter the shop, he had to step around a marked Police patrol car parked at the front door.
- D. An officer in uniform was standing next to the counter, having coffee before reporting to duty. Upon seeing the officer, the would-be robber announced a holdup and fired a few wild shots. The officer and a clerk promptly returned fire, removing him from the gene pool. Several other customers also drew their guns, but didn't fire. No one else was hurt.

## **DARWIN AWARD RUNNERS-UP 2**

THOMPSON, MANATOBA, CANADA. Telephone relay company night watchman Edward Baker, 31, was killed early Christmas morning by excessive microwave radiation exposure. He was apparently attempting to keep warm next to a telecommunications feed horn. Baker had been suspended on a safety violation once last year, according to Northern Manitoba Signal Relay spokesperson Tanya Cooke. She noted that Baker's earlier infraction was for defeating a safety shut-off switch

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and entering a restricted maintenance catwalk in order to stand in front of the microwave dish. He had told coworkers that it was the only way he could stay warm during his twelve-hour shift at the station, where winter temperatures often dip to forty below zero. Microwaves can heat water molecules within human tissue in the same way that they heat food in microwave ovens. For his Christmas shift, Baker reportedly brought a twelve pack of beer and a plastic lawn chair, which he positioned directly in line with the strongest microwave beam. Baker had not been told about a tenfold boost in microwave power planned that night to handle the anticipated increase in holiday long-distance calling traffic. Baker's body was discovered by the daytime watchman, John Burns, who was greeted by an odor he mistook for a Christmas roast he thought Baker must have prepared as a surprise. Burns also reported to NMSR company officials that Baker's unfinished Date: Thursday, January 14, 1999 1:59 PM

**Subject: OUT OF THE HOUSE OF GATES**

At a recent computer expo (COMDEX), Bill Gates reportedly compared the computer industry with the auto industry and stated, "If G.M. had kept up with technology like the computer industry has, we would all be driving twenty-five dollar cars that got one-thousand miles to the gallon." In response to Bill's comments, General Motors issued a press release stating, "If G.M. had developed technology like Microsoft, we would all be driving cars with the following characteristics:

For no reason whatsoever, your car would crash twice a day.

Every time they repainted the lines on the road you would have to buy a new car.

Occasionally, your car would die on the freeway for no reason, and you would just accept this, restart, and drive on.

Occasionally, executing a manner such as a left turn, would cause your car to shut down and refuse to restart, in which case you would have to reinstall the engine.

Only one person at a time could use the car, unless you bought "Car95" or "CarNT," but then you would have to buy more seats.

Macintosh would make a car that was powered by the sun, reliable, five times as fast, and twice as easy to drive, but would only run on five percent of the roads.

The oil, water temperature, and alternator warning lights would be replaced by a single "general car default" warning light.

The airbag system would say "Are you sure?" before going off.

Occasionally for no reason whatsoever, your car would lock you out and refuse to let you in until you simultaneously lifted the door handle, turned the key, and grabbed hold of the radio antenna.

G.M. would require all car buyers to also purchase a deluxe set of Rand McNally road maps (now a G.M. subsidiary), even though they neither need them nor want them. Attempting to delete this option would immediately cause the car's performance to diminish by fifty percent or more.

Moreover, every time G.M. introduced a new model, car buyers would have to learn how to drive all over again because none of the controls would operate in the same manner as the old car.

You'd press the "start" button to shut off the engine.



**YOUR SATISFACTION ALSO GUARANTEED**

Deep thoughts from George Carlin

1. Does the Little Mermaid wear an algebra?
2. Do infants enjoy infancy as much as adults enjoy adultery?
3. How is it possible to have a civil war?
4. If God dropped acid, would he see people?
5. If one synchronized swimmer drowns, do the rest drown too?
6. If you ate pasta and antipasta, would you still be hungry?
7. If you try to fail, and succeed, which have you done?
8. Whose cruel idea was it for the word "Lisp" to have a "S" in it?
9. Why are hemorrhoids called "hemorrhoids" instead of "assteroids"?
10. Why is it called tourist season if we can't shoot at them?
11. Why is the alphabet in that order? Is it because of that song?
12. Where are we going? And what's with this handbasket?
13. If the "blackbox" flight recorder is never damaged during a plane crash, why isn't the whole damn airplane made out of that stuff?
  
14. Why is there an expiration date on sour cream?
15. If man evolved from monkeys and apes, why do we still have monkeys and apes?
16. The main reason Santa is so jolly is because he knows where all the bad girls live.
17. Went to a bookstore and asked the saleswoman, "Where's the self-help section?" She said if she told me, it would defeat the purpose.
18. If all those psychics know the winning lottery numbers, why are they all still working?
  
19. Should crematoriums give discounts for burn victims?
20. If a mute swears, does his mother wash his hands with soap?

**Dilbert's newest additions to add to your vocabulary in the late 90's office environment:**

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Assmosis - The process by which some people seem to absorb success and advancement by kissing up to the boss.

Blamestorming - Sitting around in a group discussing why a deadline was missed or a project failed and who was responsible.

Seagull Manager - A manager who flies in, makes a lot of noise, craps over everything and then leaves.

Salmon day - The experience of spending an entire day swimming upstream only to get screwed and die in the end.

Chainsaw consultant - An outside expert brought in to reduce the employee headcount, leaving the brass with clean hands.

CLM - Career Limiting Move - Used among microserfs to describe ill-advised activity. Trashing your boss while he or she is within earshot is a serious CLM.

Adminisphere - The rarefied organizational layers beginning just above the rank and file. Decisions that fall from the adminisphere are often profoundly inappropriate or irrelevant to the problems they were designed to solve.

Dilberted - To be exploited and oppressed by your boss. Derived From the experiences of Dilbert, the geek-in-hell comic strip character. "I've been Dilberted again. The old man revised the specs for the fourth time this week."

**404 - Someone who's clueless.**

From the World Wide Web error message "404 Not Found," meaning that the requested document could not be located. Used as in-"Don't bother asking him ... he's 404, man."

Ohno-second - That minuscule fraction of time in which you realize that you' ve just made a BIG mistake.

Percussive Maintenance - The fine art of whacking an electronic device to get it to work again.

Umfriend - A sexual relation of dubious standing or a concealed intimate relationship, as in "This is Ron, my ... um ... friend."

Body Nazis - Hard-core exercise and weightlifting fanatics who look down on anyone who doesn't work out obsessively.

Cube Farm - An office filled with cubicles.

Idea Hamsters - People who always seem to have their idea generators running.

Mouse Potato - The on-line, wired generation's answer to the couch potato.

Prairie Dogging - When someone yells or drops something loudly in a cube farm, and people's heads pop up over the walls to see what's going on.

SITCOMs - What yuppies turn into when they have children and one of them stops working to stay home with the kids. Stands for Single Income, Two Children, Oppressive Mortgage.

Starter Marriage - A short-lived first marriage that ends in divorce with no kids, no property and no regrets.

Stress Puppy - A person who seems to thrive on being stressed out and whiny.

Swiped Out - An ATM or credit card that has been rendered useless because the magnetic strip is worn away from extensive use.

Tourists - People who take training classes or seminars/ conferences just to get a vacation from their jobs. Example - "We had three serious attendees; the rest were just tourists."

Treeware - Hacker slang for documentation or other printed material.

Xerox Subsidy - Euphemism for swiping free photocopies from one's workplace.

Alpha Geek - The most knowledgeable, technically proficient person in an office or work group.

G.O.O.D. Job - A "Get-Out-Of-Debt" job. A well-paying job people take in order to pay off their debts, one that they will quit as soon as they are solvent again.

Irritainment - Entertainment and media spectacles that are annoying but you find yourself unable to stop watching them. See the "Fox network"

Deinstalled - Euphemism for being fired. Heard on the voicemail of a Vice president at a downsizing computer firm-"You have reached the number of a Deinstalled vice president. Please dial our main number and ask the operator for assistance." (See also,"Decruitment.")

Yuppie Food Stamps - The ubiquitous \$20 bills spewed out of ATMs everywhere. Often used when trying to split the bill after a meal - - "We owe \$8 each, but all anybody's got are yuppie food stamps."

Do you keep falling asleep in meetings ? Here's something to change all of that....

## **BULLSHIT BINGO**

How to play:

Simply check off 5 words in one meeting and shout out BINGO!

It's that easy!

- \* SYNERGY
- \* TAKE THAT OFFLINE
- \* STRATEGIC FIT
- \* AT THE END OF THE DAY
- \* GAP ANALYSIS
- \* BEST PRACTICE
- \* THE BOTTOM LINE
- \* CORE BUSINESS
- \* LESSONS LEARNED
- \* TOUCH BASE
- \* REVISIT
- \* GAME PLAN
- \* BANDWIDTH
- \* HARDBALL
- \* OUT OF THE LOOP
- \* GO THE EXTRA MILE
- \* BENCHMARK
- \* THE BIG PICTURE
- \* VALUE-ADDED
- \* MOVERS AND SHAKERS
- \* BALL PARK
- \* PROACTIVE, NOT REACTIVE
- \* WIN-WIN SITUATION
- \* THINK OUTSIDE THE BOX

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- \* FAST TRACK
- \* EMPOWER EMPLOYEES
- \* NO BLAME
- \* STRETCH THE ENVELOPE
- \* KNOWLEDGE BASE
- \* RESULTS -DRIVEN
- \* TOTAL QUALITY
- \* SLIPPERY SLOPE
- \* MINDSET
- \* PUT THIS ONE TO BED
- \* CLIENT- FOCUSED
- \* QUALITY- DRIVEN
- \* MOVE THE GOAL POST
- \* NEXT STEPS
- \* PLUS / DELTA

TESTIMONIALS FROM OTHER PLAYERS:

"I had only been in the meeting for five minutes when I yelled bingo."

"My attention span at meetings has improved dramatically."

"It's a wheeze, meetings will never be the same for me after my first outright win."

"The atmosphere was tense at the last process workshop as 32 of us listened intently for the elusive 5th."

"The facilitator was gob-smacked as we all screamed bingo for the 3rd time in 2 hours."

"I feel that the game has enhanced the overall quality of meetings per se on a quid pro quo basis."

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"People are now even listening to mumblers, thanks to bullshit bingo."

### **Bullshit Bingo with Teens**

Caucasian teens:

- stuff
- like
- dud
- hey
- hangout
- shit
- cool
- skid
- puff
- whore
- slut
- bitch

African American teens:

- brother(s)
- sister(s)
- dud
- man

Redneck teens:

- fag
- zig
- drag

- dud
- joint
- whore
- slut
- bitch

How to play:

- 2 Extra points for 3 likes in a row
- 2 Extra points if more than 5 likes in one sentence
- Play Blind folded bingo and guess the type of teens

### **Doctors and Lawyers**

Two attorneys boarded a flight out of Seattle. One sat in the window seat, the other sat in the middle seat. Just before take-off, a physician got on and took the aisle seat next to the two attorneys. The physician kicked off his shoes, wiggled his toes and was settling in when the attorney in the window seat said,

"I think I'll get up and get a coke."

"No problem," said the physician, "I'll get it for you."

While he was gone, one of the attorneys picked up the physician's shoe and spat in it.

When he returned with the coke, the other attorney said,

"That looks good, I think I'll have one too."

Again, the physician obligingly went to fetch it and while he was gone, the other attorney picked up the other shoe and spat in it. The physician

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returned and they all sat back and enjoyed the flight. As the plane was landing, the physician slipped his feet into his shoes and knew immediately what had happened.

"How long must this go on?" he asked.

"This fighting between our professions? This hatred?

This animosity? This spitting in shoes and pissing in cokes?"

### **Don't Tempt the Big Guy**

Asking for divine guidance can be a challenge -- for the Almighty!

Consider this soul who faced the new day:

Dear Heavenly Father,

I think you'd be proud of me! So far today I've done all right. I haven't gossiped, lusted, lost my temper, haven't been greedy, grumpy, nasty, selfish, or overindulgent. Praise your name! I'm grateful for your grace ...

But Lord, a few minutes from now, I'm getting out of bed -- and then I'm going to need a lot more help!

### **Eleanor Roosevelt wrote**

Many people will walk in and out of your life,  
But only true friends will leave footprints in your heart.  
To handle yourself, use your head,  
To handle others, use your heart.  
Anger is only one letter short of danger.  
If someone betrays you once, it is their fault;  
If someone betrays you twice it is your fault;  
Great minds discuss ideas;

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Average minds discuss events;  
Small minds discuss people.  
He, who loses money, loses much;  
He, who loses a friend, loses much more;  
He, who loses faith, loses all;  
Beautiful young people are accidents of nature,  
But beautiful old people are works of art.  
Learn from the mistakes of others.  
You can't live long enough to make them all yourself.  
Friends, you and me....  
You brought another friend....  
And then there were 3....  
We started our group....  
Our circle of friends....  
And like that circle....  
There is no beginning or end....  
Yesterday is history.  
Tomorrow is mystery.  
Today is a gift.

### **Flight attendant**

The plane's cabin was being served by an obviously gay flight attendant who was just as obviously enjoying himself. He came swishing down the aisle and said to one woman, "Captain Marvey has asked me to announce that he'll be landing the big scary plane shortly, lovely people, so if you could just put up your trays that would be super.

On his trip back up the aisle, he noticed that the woman hadn't moved a muscle. "Perhaps you didn't hear me over those big brute engines. I asked you to raise your trazy-poo so the main man can pitty-pat us on the ground."

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She calmly turned her head and said, "In my country, I am called a Princess."

I take orders from no one.

" Well, sweet-cheeks, in my country, I'm called a Queen, so I outrank you." Put the tray up, Bitch."

## Food for thought part 2

Ten percent of the Russian government's income comes from the sale of vodka.

In 10 minutes, a hurricane releases more energy than all the world's nuclear weapons combined.

Reno, Nevada is west of Los Angeles, California.

Elephants can't jump. Every other mammal can.

The cigarette lighter was invented before the match.

Five Jell-O flavors that flopped: celery, coffee, cola, apple, and chocolate.

The first couple to be shown in bed together on prime time television were Fred and Wilma Flintstone.

Coca-Cola was originally green.

Every day more money is printed for Monopoly than the US Treasury.

Hawaiian alphabet has 12 letters.

Men can read smaller print than women; women can hear better.

City with the most Rolls Royces per capita: Hong Kong

State with the highest percentage of people who walk to work: Alaska

Percentage of Africa that is wilderness: 28%

Percentage of North America that is wilderness: 38%

Barbie's measurements if she were life size: 39-23-33

Percentage of American men who say they would marry the same woman if

they had it to do all over again: 80%

Cost of raising a medium-size dog to the age of eleven: \$6,400

Average number of people airborne over the US any given hour: 61,000.

Intelligent people have more zinc and copper in their hair.

The world's youngest parents were 8 and 9 and lived in China in 1910.

The youngest pope was 11 years old.

First novel ever written on a typewriter: Tom Sawyer.

The San Francisco Cable cars are the only mobile National Monuments.

Clans of long ago that wanted to get rid of their unwanted people without killing them would burn their houses down - hence the expression "to get fired."

"I am." is the shortest complete sentence in the English language. "I do." is the longest.

The term "the whole 9 yards" came from W.W.II fighter pilots in the South Pacific. When arming their airplanes on the ground, the .50 caliber machine gun ammo belts measured exactly 27 feet, before being loaded into the fuselage. If the pilots fired all their ammo at a target, it got "the whole 9 yards."

The phrase "rule of thumb" is derived from an old English law which stated that you couldn't beat your wife with anything wider than your thumb.

The name Jeep came from the abbreviation used in the army for the "General Purpose" vehicle, G.P.

The cruise liner, Queen Elizabeth II, moves only six inches for each gallon of diesel fuel that it burns.

The first toilet ever seen on television was on "Leave It To Beaver".

How about this.... The nursery rhyme Ring Around the Rosey is a rhyme about the plague. Infected people with the plague would get red circular sores ("Ring around the rosey..."), these sores would smell very badly so common folks would put flowers on their bodies somewhere (inconspicuously), so that it would cover the smell of the sores ("..a pocket full of posies..."), People who died from the plague would be burned so as to reduce the possible spread of the disease ("...ashes, ashes, we all fall down!")

Q. What occurs more often in December than any other month?

A. Conception.

Q. What separates "60 Minutes," on CBS from every other TV show?

A. No theme song.

Q. Half of all Americans live within 50 miles of what?

A. Their birthplace.

Q. Most boat owners name their boats. What is the most popular boat name requested?

A. Obsession

Q. More women do this in the bathroom than men.

A. Wash their hands. Women - 80% Men - 55%

Q. If you were to spell out numbers, how far would you have to go until you would find the letter "A"?

A. One thousand

Q. What do bullet proof vests, fire escapes, windshield wipers and laser printers all have in common?

A. All invented by women.

Q. This is the only food that doesn't spoil.

A. Honey

Q. There are more collect calls on this day than any other day of the year.

A. Father's Day

### **Gender Views Rule**

Punctuation is basic to effective communication. But there is a political side to the process.

An English professor writes the words "woman without her man is nothing" on the blackboard and directs the students to provide appropriate punctuation.

The male students write: "Woman, without her man, is nothing."

The female students write: "Woman! Without her, man is nothing."

### **GENERICCS**

In pharmacology, all drugs have a generic name, Tylenol is Acetaminophen, Advil is Ibuprofen, and so on...

The FDA has been looking for a generic name for Viagra, and announced today that they have settled on Mycoxafloppin

### **Get On With It!**

Those country ways are often lost on city folk -- but common sense will out!

Take the city girl who married and moved to the farm. One morning, not long after they were married, the farmer told her, "Honey, today the artificial insemination man is coming out to impregnate one of the cows. I put a nail in over the stall. Please show him where it is."

When the man arrived, the newlywed led him down the row of stalls until she saw the nail, then pointed to the stall.

"This is it," she said.

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"Are you sure?" he asked.

"It's the one with the nail."

"What's the nail for?"

"I guess it's to hang your pants on?"

### **He said. She Said**

He said....  
Have I shown you my magic watch?

She said.....  
No, what does it do?

He said.....  
It's telling me you are not wearing any underwear

She said....  
well it's wrong because I am

He said....  
It must be an hour fast

### **HEAVEN ON HELL**

One day while walking down the street a highly successful executive woman was tragically hit by a bus and she died. Her soul arrived up in heaven where she was met at the Pearly Gates by St. Peter. "Welcome to

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Heaven," said St. Peter. "Before you get settled in though, it seems we have a problem. You see, strangely enough, we've never once had an executive make it this far and we're not really sure what to do with you." "No problem, just let me in," said the woman. "Well, I'd like to, but I have higher orders. What we're going to do is let you have a day in Hell and a day in Heaven and then you can choose whichever one you want to spend an eternity in." "Actually, I think I've made up my mind...I prefer to stay in Heaven," said the woman.

"Sorry, we have rules..."

And with that St. Peter put the executive in an elevator and it went down to hell. The doors opened and she found herself stepping out onto the putting green of a beautiful golf course. In the distance was a country club and standing in front of her were all of her friends and they were all dressed in fine evening wear and cheering for her. They ran up and kissed her on both cheeks and they talked about old times.

They played an excellent round of golf and at night went to the country club where she enjoyed an excellent steak and lobster dinner. She met the Devil who was actually a really nice guy and she had a great time telling jokes and dancing.

She was having such a good time that before she knew it, it was time to leave. Everybody shook her hand and waved good-bye as she got on the elevator. The elevator went back up to the Pearly Gates and found St. Peter. "Now it's time to spend a day in heaven," he said.

So she spent the next 24 hours lounging around on clouds and playing the harp and singing. She had a great time and before she knew it her 24 hours were up and St. Peter came and got her. "So, you've spent a day in hell and you've spent a day in heaven. Now you must choose your eternity," he said.

The woman paused for a second and then replied, "Well, I never thought I'd say this, I mean, Heaven has been really great and all, but I think I had a better time in Hell."

So St. Peter escorted her to the elevator and again she went back to Hell. When the doors of the elevator opened she found herself standing in a

desolate wasteland covered in garbage and filth. She saw her friends were dressed in rags and were picking up the garbage and putting it in sacks.

The Devil came up to her and put his arm around her.

"I don't understand," stammered the woman, "yesterday I was here and there was a golf course and a country club and we ate lobster and we danced and had a great time. Now all there is a wasteland of garbage and all my friends look miserable."

The Devil looked at her and smiled. "Yesterday we were recruiting you. Today you're staff."

**Here's a little part of US history which makes you go h-m-m-m**

Have a history teacher explain this----- If they can.

??Abraham Lincoln was elected to Congress in ?1846.

??John F Kennedy was elected to Congress in ?1946.

??Abraham Lincoln was elected President in ?1860.

??John F. Kennedy was elected President in ?1960.

??The names Lincoln and Kennedy each contain seven letters.

??Both were particularly concerned with civil rights.

??Both wives lost their children while living in the White House.

??Both Presidents were shot on a Friday.

??Both Presidents were shot in the head.

??Lincoln's secretary was named Kennedy.

??Kennedy's secretary was named Lincoln.

??Both were assassinated by Southerners.

??Both were succeeded by Southerners.

??Both successors were named Johnson.

??Andrew Johnson, who succeeded Lincoln, was born in 1808.

??Lyndon Johnson, who succeeded Kennedy, was born in 1908.

??John Wilkes Booth, who assassinated Lincoln, was born in 1839.

??Lee Harvey Oswald, who assassinated Kennedy, was born in 1939.

??Both assassins were known by their three names.

??Both names are composed of fifteen letters.

??Lincoln was shot at the theater named 'Kennedy.'

??Kennedy was shot in a car called 'Lincoln.'

??Booth ran from the theater and was caught in a warehouse.

??Oswald ran from a warehouse and was caught in a theater.

??Booth and Oswald were assassinated before their trials.

??And here's the kicker...

??A week before Lincoln was shot, he was in Monroe, Maryland.

??A week before Kennedy was shot, he was with Marilyn Monroe.

??....Creepy!!!

### **Here's the most quotable quote of the century.**

Monica Lewinsky (on CNN's Larry King Live discussing her miraculous Jenny Craig weight-loss) :

"I've learned not to put things in my mouth that are bad for me"

### **How long before I can get a Haircut?**

A guy sticks his head in the barber shop and asks, "How long before I can get a haircut?" The barber looks around the shop and says, "About two hours." The guy leaves.

A few days later, the same guy sticks his head in the door and asks, "How long before I can get a haircut?" The barber looks around the shop full of customers and says, "About two hours." The guy leaves.

A week later, the same guy sticks his head in the shop and asks, "How long before I can get a haircut?" The barber looks around the shop and says, "About an hour and half." The guy leaves.

The barber looks over at a friend in the shop and says, "Hey Bill, follow that guy and see where he goes." In a little while, Bill comes back into the shop laughing hysterically.

The barber asks, "Bill, where did he go when he left here?"

Bill looked up and said, "To your house."

### **I would give \$250 to spend the night with that woman**

One evening, after attending the theater, two gentlemen were walking down the avenue when they observed a rather well dressed and attractive young lady walking ahead of them. One of them turned to the other and remarked, "I'd give \$250.00 to spend the night with that woman."

Much to their surprise, the young lady overheard the remark, turned around, and replied, "I'll take you up on that offer."

She had a neat appearance and a pleasant voice, so after bidding his companion good night, the man accompanied the young lady to her apartment. The following morning the man presented her with \$125.00 as he prepared to leave. She demanded the rest of the money, stating "If you don't give me the other \$125.00, I'll sue you for it."

He laughed, saying "I'd like to see you get it on these grounds."

Within a few days, he was surprised when he received a summons ordering his presence in court as a defendant in a lawsuit. He hurried to his lawyer and explained the details of the case. His lawyer said "She can't

possibly get a judgment against you on such grounds, but it will be interesting to see how her case will be presented."

After the usual preliminaries, the lady's lawyer addressed the court as follows: "Your honor, my client, this lady, is the owner of a piece of property, a garden spot, surrounded by a profuse growth of shrubbery, which property she agreed to rent to the defendant for a specified length of time for the sum of \$250.00. The defendant took possession of the property, used it extensively for the purposes for which it was rented, but upon evacuating the premises, he paid only \$125.00, one-half of the amount agreed upon. The rent was not excessive, since it is restricted property, and we ask judgment be granted against the defendant to assure payment of the balance."

The defendant's lawyer was impressed and amused by the way his opponent had presented the case. His defense, therefore was somewhat different from the way he originally planned to present it. "Your honor," he said, "my client agrees that the lady has a fine piece of property, that he did rent such property for a time, and a degree of pleasure was derived from the transaction. However, my client found a well on the property around which he placed his own stones, sunk a shaft, and erected a pump, all labor performed personally by him. We claim these improvements to the property were sufficient to offset the unpaid amount, and that the plaintiff was adequately compensated for the rental of said property. We, therefore, ask that judgment not be granted."

The young lady's lawyer answered thus "Your honor, my client agrees that the defendant did find a well on her property. However, had the defendant not known that the well existed, he would never have rented the property. Also, upon evacuating the premises, the defendant removed the stones, pulled out the shaft, and took the pump with him. In doing so, he not only dragged the equipment through the shrubbery, but left the hole much larger than it was prior to his occupancy, making the property much less desirable to others. We, therefore, ask that judgment be granted."

In the Judge's decision, he provided for two options: "Pay the \$125.00 or have the equipment detached and provided to the plaintiff for damages."

**In case you needed further proof that the human race is doomed through stupidity**

Here are some actual label instructions on consumer goods:

On Sears hairdryer:

Do not use while sleeping.

(Gee, that's the only time I have to work on my hair!)

On a bag of Fritos:

You could be a winner! No purchase necessary. Details inside.

(The shoplifter special!)

On a bar of Dial soap:

Directions: Use like regular soap. (and that would be how?)

On some Swanson frozen dinners:

Serving suggestion: Defrost. (But it's \*just\* a suggestion!)

On a hotel provided shower cap in a box: Fits one head.

On Tesco's Tiramisu dessert: (printed on bottom of the box)

Do not turn upside down. (Too late! You lose!) (I love it: food to piss you off.)

On Marks & Spencer Bread Pudding: Product will be hot after heating.

(Are you sure??? Let's experiment.)

On packaging for a Rowenta iron: Do not iron clothes on body.

(But wouldn't that save more time?) (Whose body?)

On Boot's Children's cough medicine: Do not drive car or operate machinery. (We could do a lot to reduce the rate of construction accidents if we just kept those 5 year olds off those fork lifts.)

On Nytol sleep aid: Warning: may cause drowsiness. (One would hope!)

On a Korean kitchen knife: Warning keep out of children. (Or pets! What's for dinner?)

On a string of Chinese-made Christmas lights: For indoor or outdoor use only. (As opposed to use in outer space.) (Or underground?)

On Sainsbury's peanuts: Warning: contains nuts.

On an American Airlines packet of nuts: Instructions: open packet, eat nuts.

On a Swedish chainsaw: Do not attempt to stop chain with your hands or genitals. (What is this, a home castration kit?)

On a child's superman costume: Wearing of this garment does not enable you to fly. (That's right, destroy a universal childhood fantasy!)

On a Japanese food processor: Not to be used for the other use. (Now I'm curious.)

**It's Harold's first day in the car pool**

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They honk the horn in front of his house and he comes running out. He gets about halfway down the walk when he hears a grunt and the sound of his wife's foot tapping on the porch.

He turns around and there she is, scowling at him. He runs back to the steps, spreads her bathrobe, bends over, kisses her on the privates, runs back down the walk and hops in the car.

They ride in silence for a few minutes, until Burnett, the driver, can't stand it. Burnett asks, "Harold, it's none of my business, but why'd you kiss her down there?"

Harold says, "You wouldn't believe her breath in the morning."

**Jane was a first time contestant on the \$65,000 quiz show.**

Lady luck had smiled in her favor, as Jane had a gained substantial lead over her opponents. She even managed to win the game but, unfortunately, time had run out before the show's host could ask her the big question.

Jane agreed to return the following day. Jane was nervous as her husband drove them home. "I've just gotta win tomorrow. I wish I knew what the answers are! You know I'm not going to sleep at all tonight. I will probably look like garbage tomorrow.

"Relax honey," her husband, Roger, reassured her, "It will all be OK."

Ten minutes after they arrived home, Roger grabbed the car keys and started heading out the door. "Where are you going?" Jane asked. "I have a little errand to run. I should be back soon."



After an agonizing 3 hour absence, Roger returned, sporting a very wide and wicked grin. "Honey, I managed to get tomorrow's question and answer!"

"What is it?" she cried excitedly.

"OK. The question is 'What are the three main parts of the male anatomy?' And the answer is 'The head, the heart, and the penis.'" The couple went to sleep with Jane, now feeling at ease, plummeting into a deep slumber.

At 3:30 a.m., however, Jane was shaken awake by Roger, who was asking her the quiz show question. "The head, the heart, and the penis," Jane replied groggily before returning to sleep. And Roger asked her again in the morning, this time as Jane was brushing her teeth. Once again, Jane replied correctly.

So it was that Jane was once again on the set of the quiz show. Even though she knew the question and answer, she could feel butterflies. The cameras began running and the host, after reminding the audience of the previous days' events, faced Jane and asked the big question.

"Jane, for \$65,000, what are the main parts of the male anatomy?"

"You have 10 seconds."

"Hmm, uhm, the head?" she said nervously.

"Very good. Six seconds."

"Eh, uh, the heart?"

"Very good! Four seconds."

", uhh, ooooooohh, darn! My husband drilled it into me last night and I had it on the tip of my tongue this morning..."

"That's close enough!" said the game show host,  
**CONGRATULATIONS!!**

**10-year-old son**

Keep It Lively, Dad Keep it light, keep it lively, for the kids' sake.

The father asked his 10-year-old son whether he was familiar with the birds and the bees.

"I don't want to know!" little Johnny said, bursting into tears. Confused, the father asked Little Johnny what was wrong.

"At age 6, I got the 'there's no Santa' speech. At age 7, I learned the Easter Bunny was a fake, then a year later you tell me the tooth fairy is a myth. Now, if you're going to tell me grownups don't have sex, what do I have to live for?"

**Ladies I know you'll just love this:**

Why do men die before their wives? They want to.

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What is the difference between a dog and a fox? About 5 drinks.

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A beggar walked up to a well dressed woman shopping on Rodeo Drive and said "I haven't eaten anything in four days." She looked at him and said, "God, I wish I had your willpower."

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Do you know the punishment for bigamy? Two Mother-in-laws.

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Young Son: Is it true, Dad, I heard that in some parts of Africa a man doesn't know his wife until he marries her?

Dad: That happens in every country, son.

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First guy (proudly): "My wife's an angel!"

Second guy: "You're lucky, mine's still alive."

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How do most men define marriage?

An expensive way to get laundry done for free.

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Women will never be equal to men until they can walk down the street with a bald head and a beer gut, and still think they are beautiful.

License to drive

This is the new survey the DMV is having all California drivers complete before getting into their cars.

NEW CALIFORNIA DRIVER'S LICENSE APPLICATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Stage name: \_\_\_\_\_

Agent: \_\_\_\_\_ Attorney: \_\_\_\_\_

Therapist: \_\_\_\_\_

Sex: male \_\_\_\_\_ female \_\_\_\_\_

formerly male \_\_\_\_\_ formerly female \_\_\_\_\_

both \_\_\_\_\_

If female, indicate breast implant size: \_\_\_\_\_

Will the size of your implants hinder your ability to safely operate a motor vehicle in any way?

Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

Occupation:

- Lawyer
- Actor
- Actor/Waiter
- Actor/Waiter/Model
- Filmmaker/Self-employed
- Consulting/Unemployed
- Writer/Waiter
- Car Dealer
- Panhandler
- Agent
- Transvestite
- Other; please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list:

Brand of cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_.  
(If you don't own a cell phone, please explain.)

Please check hair color:

- Females:  Blonde  Platinum Blonde
- Teenagers:  Purple  Blue  Skinhead
- Men: Please list shade of hair plugs

Please check activities you perform while driving:

- (Check all that apply)
- Drinking a nonfat half cafe latte with a shot of vanilla and twist of lemon
- Applying make-up
- Talking on the phone
- Applying cellulite treatment to thighs

- Tanning
- Snorting cocaine
- Watching TV
- Reading Variety
- Surfing the net via laptop

Please indicate how many times:

- a) you expect to shoot at other drivers: \_\_\_\_\_
- b) you expect to be shot at while driving: \_\_\_\_\_

If you are the victim of a car-jacking, you should immediately:

- a) Call the police to report the crime
- b) Call Channel 4 News to report the crime, then watch your car on the news on a high-speed chase
- c) Call your attorney and discuss lawsuit against cellular phone company for 911 call not going through
- d) Call your therapist
- e) None of the above

Please indicate if you drive:

- a) Beemer
- b) Porsche
- c) Mercedes
- d) Other

In the event of an earthquake, should you:

- a) stop your car,
- b) keep driving and hope for the best,
- c) immediately use your cell phone to call all loved ones
- d) pull out your video camera and obtain footage for Channel 4?

In the instance of rain, you should:

- a) never drive over 5 MPH
- b) drive twice as fast as usual

c) you're not sure what "rain" is

Please indicate number of therapy sessions per week: \_\_\_\_.

Which of the following medications are you currently taking?

- a) Prozac
- b) Zovirax
- c) Lithium
- d) Zantax
- e) Viagra

If none, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_.

Length of daily commute:

- a) 1 hour
- b) 2 hours
- c) 3 hours
- d) 4 hours or more

When stopped by police, should you

- a) pull over and have your driver's license and insurance form ready
- b) try to outrun them by driving the wrong way on 101
- c) have your video camera ready and provoke them to attack, thus ensuring yourself of a hefty lawsuit.

### Teaching math

Teaching Math in 1950's:

A logger sells a truckload of lumber for \$100.

His cost of production is  $\frac{4}{5}$  of the price.

What is his profit?

Teaching Math in 1960's:

A logger sells a truckload of lumber for \$100.

His cost of production is  $\frac{4}{5}$  of the price, or \$80.

What is his profit?

Teaching Math in 1970's:

A logger exchanges a set "L" of lumber for a set "M" of money. The cardinality of set "M" is 100. Each element is worth one dollar. Make 100 dots representing the elements of the set "M." The set "C", the cost of production contains 20 fewer points than set "M." Represent the set "C" as a subset of set "M" and answer the following question: What is the cardinality of the set "P" of profits?

Teaching Math in 1980's:

A logger sells a truckload of lumber for \$100. His cost of production is \$80 and his profit is \$20. Your assignment: Underline the number 20.

Teaching Math in 1990's:

By cutting down beautiful forest trees, the logger makes \$20. What do you think of this way of making a living? Topic for class participation after answering the question: How did the forest birds and squirrels feel as the logger cut down the trees? There are no wrong answers.

Teaching Math in 2000's:

A logger sells a truckload of lumber for \$100. His cost of production is \$120. How does Arthur Andersen determine that his profit margin is \$60?

## Life in The 1500's

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Anne Hathaway was the wife of William Shakespeare. She married at the age of 26. This is really unusual for the time. Most people married young, like at the age of 11 or 12. Life was not as romantic as we may picture it. -

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Here are some examples:

Anne Hathaway's home was a 3 bedroom house with a small parlor, which was seldom used (only for company), kitchen, and no bathroom.

Mother and Father shared a bedroom. Anne had a queen sized bed, but did not sleep alone. She also had 2 other sisters and they shared the bed also with 6 servant girls. (this is before she married) They didn't sleep like we do lengthwise but all laid on the bed crosswise.

At least they had a bed. The other bedroom was shared by her 6 brothers and 30 field workers. They didn't have a bed. Everyone just wrapped up in their blanket and slept on the floor. They had no indoor heating so all the extra bodies kept them warm.

They were also small people. The men only grew to be about 5'6" and the women were 4'8". SO in their house they had 27 people living.

Most people got married in June. Why? They took their yearly bath in May, so they were still smelling pretty good by June, although they were starting to smell, so the brides would carry a bouquet of flowers to hide their b.o.

Like I said, they took their yearly bath in May, but it was just a big tub that they would fill with hot water. The man of the house would get the privilege of the nice clean water. Then all the other sons and men, then the women and finally the children. Last of all the babies. By then the water was pretty thick. Thus, the saying, "don't throw the baby out with the bath water," it was so dirty you could actually lose someone in it.



I'll describe their houses a little. You've heard of thatch roofs. Well that's all they were. Thick straw, piled high, with no wood underneath. They were the only place for the little animals to get warm. So all the pets: dogs, cats and other small animals, mice, rats, bugs, all lived in the roof. When it rained it became slippery so sometimes the animals would slip and fall off the roof. Thus the saying, "it's raining cats and dogs".

Since there was nothing to stop things from falling into the house they would just try to clean up a lot. But this posed a real problem in the bedroom where bugs and other droppings from animals could really mess up your nice clean bed, so they found if they would make beds with big posts and hang a sheet over the top it would prevent that problem. That's where those beautiful big 4 poster beds with canopies came from.

When you came into the house you would notice most times that the floor was dirt. Only the wealthy had something other than dirt, that's where the saying "dirt poor" came from. The wealthy would have slate floors.

That was fine, but in the winter they would get slippery when they got wet. So they started to spread thresh on the floor to help keep their footing. As the winter wore on they would just keep adding it and adding it until when you opened the door it would all start slipping outside. SO they put a piece of wood at the entry way, a "thresh hold".

In the kitchen they would cook over the fire, they had a fireplace in the kitchen/parlor, that was seldom used and sometimes in the master bedroom. They had a big kettle that always hung over the fire and every day they would light the fire and start adding things to the pot.

Mostly they ate vegetables, they didn't get much meat. They would eat the stew for dinner then leave the leftovers in the pot to get cold overnight and then start over the next day. Sometimes the stew would have food in it that had been in there for a month! Thus the rhyme peas porridge hot, peas porridge cold, peas porridge in the pot nine days old."

Sometimes they could get a hold of some pork. They really felt special when that happened and when company came over they even had a rack in the parlor where they would bring out some bacon and hang it to show it off. That was a sign of wealth and that a man "could really bring home the bacon." They would cut off a little to share with guests and they would all sit around and "chew the fat."

If you had money your plates were made out of pewter. Sometimes some of their food had a high acid content and some of the lead would leach out into the food. They really noticed it happened with tomatoes. So they stopped eating tomatoes, for 400 years.

Most people didn't have pewter plates though, they all had trenchers, that was a piece of wood with the middle scooped out like a bowl. They never washed their boards and a lot of times worms would get into the wood. After eating off the trencher with worms they would get "trench mouth."

If you were going traveling and wanted to stay at an Inn they usually provided the bed but not the board. The bread was divided according to status. The workers would get the burnt bottom of the loaf, the family would get the middle and guests would get the top, or the "upper crust".

They also had lead cups and when they would drink their ale or whiskey the combination would sometimes knock them out for a couple of days. They would be walking along the road and here would be someone knocked out and they thought they were dead. So they would pick them up and take them home and get them ready to bury. They realized if they were too slow about it, the person would wake up. Also, maybe not all of the people they were burying were dead. So they would lay them out on the kitchen table for a couple of days, the family would gather around and eat and drink and wait and see if they would wake up. That's where the custom of holding a "wake" came from.

Since England is so old and small they started running out of places to bury people. So they started digging up some coffins and would take their bones to a house and reuse the grave. They started opening these coffins and found some had scratch marks on the inside.

Many of the coffins were that way and they realized they had still been burying people alive. So they thought they would tie a string on their wrist and lead it through the coffin and up through the ground and tie it to a bell. Someone would have to sit out in the graveyard all night to listen for the bell. That is how the saying "graveyard shift" was made. If the bell would ring they would know that someone was "saved by the bell" or he was a "dead ringer".

**Life's Laws Date: Sat, 12 Jun 1999 02:41:21 EDT**

1. The most common elements in the universe are hydrogen and stupidity.
2. If at first you don't succeed, sky diving is not for you.
3. Money can't buy happiness, but it sure makes misery easier to live with.
4. Deja moo: The feeling that you've heard this bull before.
5. Psychiatrists say that 1 of 4 people is mentally ill. Check three friends. If they are ok, you're it.
6. Nothing in the known universe travels faster than a bad check.
7. It has recently been discovered that research causes cancer in rats.

8. The trouble with doing something right the first time is that nobody appreciates how difficult it was.
9. It may be that your sole purpose in life is simply to serve as a warning to others.
10. The average woman would rather have beauty than brains because the average man can see better than he can think. Take it with a grain of salt, folks!

### **Light Bulb Rules**

Certain rules must be observed when getting even, as this woman discovered.

A layabout husband watching a football game gets upset when his wife asks him to fix the hallway light.

He answers angrily: "Do you see a GE logo on my forehead?"

After the game he goes to the bar for a few drinks with the boys. On his return home, he notices the hall light is working and asks his wife how it was fixed.

"Well, when you left, I sat outside and cried," she says.

"Just then a nice young man asked me what was wrong, and I told him. He offered to fix the light and all I had to do was either have sex with him or bake him a cake."

He says, "So, what kind of cake did you bake?"

She replies, "Do you see Betty Crocker written on my forehead?"

**Many computer-related terms**

Many computer-related terms seem to be pulled from a deep pool of acronyms. Here's a list of the more confusing.

--PCMCIA -- People Can't Memorize Computer Industry Acronyms

--ISDN -- It Still Does Nothing

--APPLE -- Arrogance Produces Profit-Losing Entity

--SCSI -- System Can't See It

--DOS -- Defunct Operating System

--BASIC -- Bill's Attempt to Seize Industry Control

--IBM -- I Blame Microsoft

--DEC -- Do Expect Cuts

--CD-ROM -- Consumer Device, Rendered Obsolete in Months

--OS/2 -- Obsolete Soon, Too.

--WWW -- World Wide Wait

--MACINTOSH -- Most Applications Crash; If Not, The Operating System Hangs

**The cyberage has brought us a new language -- time now to revise the old sayings.**

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- Home is where you hang your @.
- The e-mail of the species is more deadly than the mail.
- A journey of a thousand sites begins with a single click.
- You can't teach a new mouse old clicks.
- Pentium wise, pen and paper foolish.
- The geek shall inherit the earth.

### **Viruses, Viruses. Who's Got the Virus?**

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"The virus is coming! The virus is coming!" Enough, already. If you're tired of the warnings for the alleged hordes of bugs charging to destroy your computer data, consider these humorous definitions of those unseen demons from the Viruses Web site.

--Paul Revere Virus: Doesn't horse around, but warns you of an impending hard-disk attack, one if by LAN, twice if by C:\.

--Politically Correct Virus: Never calls itself a "virus," referring to itself instead as an "electronic microorganism."

--AT&T Virus: Tells you every three minutes what great service you are getting.

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--MCI Virus: Reminds you every three minutes you're paying too much for the AT&T Virus.

--Federal Bureaucrat Virus: Divides your hard disk into hundreds of little units, each of which does practically nothing, while claiming to be the most important part of your computer.

--Congressional Virus No. 1: The computer locks up, screen splits erratically, with a message appearing on each half blaming the other side for the problem.

--Congressional Virus No. 2: Runs every program on the hard drive simultaneously, but doesn't allow the user to accomplish anything.

--Freudian Virus: Your computer becomes obsessed with marrying its own motherboard.

--Health Care Virus: Tests your system for a day, finds nothing wrong, and sends you a bill for \$4,500.

Jokes about how those ubiquitous spell-checkers can foul things up abound on the Net.

**Here's a "corrected" poem one correspondent ran through a PC program addicted to the British mother tongue:**

"Eye halve a spelling chequer.

It came with my pea sea.

It plainly marques four my revue

Miss steaks eye kin knot sea.

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Eye strike a key and type a word

And weight four it two say

Weather eye am wrong oar write

It shows me strait a weigh.

As soon as a mist ache is maid

It nose bee fore two long

And eye can put the error rite

Its rare lea ever wrong.

Eye have run this poem threw it

I am shore your pleased two no

Its letter perfect awl the weigh

My chequer tolled me sew."

**TOP 10 SIGNS YOU'RE A COMPUTER ADDICT:**

10. Tech Support calls YOU for help.

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9. You own thousands of T-shirts won in online contests.
8. Your household phone bill lists 16 high speed lines.
7. You type faster than you think.
6. You forget that spam is food.
5. You introduce your spouse as "my.mate@home.net."
4. You call out a friend's screen name while making love to your spouse.
3. Your spouse leave home. You get fired from your job. Your buddy list exceeds 1,000 names.
2. Your dream vacation spot: A room with an IBM and unlimited coffee supply.
1. You pick.

### **Married in heaven**

On their way to a justice of the peace to get married, a couple had a fatal car accident. The couple found themselves sitting outside Heaven's Gate waiting on St. Peter to do an intake. While waiting, they wondered if they could possibly get married in Heaven.

St. Peter finally showed up and they asked him. St. Peter said, "I don't know, this is the first time anyone has asked. "Let me go find out." and he left.

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The couple sat and waited for an answer...for a couple of months...and they began to wonder if they really should get married in Heaven, what with the eternal aspect of it all. "What if it doesn't work?" they wondered,

"Are we stuck together forever?"

St. Peter returned after yet another month, looking somewhat bedraggled.

"Yes," he informed the couple, "you can get married in Heaven."

"Great," said the couple, "but what if things don't work out? Could we also get a divorce in Heaven?"

St. Peter, red-faced, slammed his clipboard onto the ground. "What's wrong?", asked the frightened couple.

"COME ON!" St. Peter shouted, "It took me three months to find a priest up here! Do you have any idea how long it will take me to find a lawyer?"

**Most Middle Eastern countries recognize the following Islamic law:**

"After having sexual relations with a lamb, it is a mortal sin to eat its flesh." (I'm sure the lamb appreciates that one.)

In Lebanon, men are legally allowed to have sex with animals, but the animals must be female. Having sexual relations with a male animal is punishable by death. (Like THAT makes sense.)

In Bahrain, a male doctor may legally examine a woman's genitals, but is forbidden from looking directly at them during the examination. He may only see their reflection in a mirror.

Muslims are banned from looking at the genitals of a corpse. This also applies to undertakers; the sex organs of the deceased must be covered with a brick or piece of wood at all times. (A brick??)

There are men in Guam whose full-time job is to travel the countryside and deflower young virgins, who pay them for the privilege of having sex for the first time. Reason: under Guam law, it is expressly forbidden for virgins to marry. (Let's just think for a minute; is there any job anywhere else in the WORLD that even comes close to this?)

In Hong Kong, a betrayed wife is legally allowed to kill her adulterous husband, but may only do so with her bare hands. The husband's lover, on the other hand, may be killed in any manner desired.

Topless saleswomen are legal in Liverpool, England - but only in tropical fish stores. (Of course!)

In Cali, Colombia, a woman may only have sex with her husband, and the first time this happens, her mother must be in the room to witness the act. (I shudder at the thought.)

In Santa Cruz, Bolivia, it is illegal for a man to have sex with a woman and her daughter at the same time. (I presume this was a big enough problem that they had to pass this law?)

In Maryland, it is illegal to sell condoms from vending machines with one exception: prophylactics may be dispensed from a vending machine only "in places where alcoholic beverages are sold for consumption on the premises." (Is this a great country or what?)

## **Mother Nature**

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A husband and wife were out playing golf. They tee off and one drive goes to the right and one drive goes to the left. The wife finds her ball in a patch of buttercups. She grabs a club and takes a mighty swing at the ball. She hits a beautiful second shot, but in the process she hacks the hell out of the buttercups.

Suddenly a woman appears out of nowhere. She blocks her path to her golf bag and looks at her and says, "I'm Mother Nature, and I don't like the way you treated my buttercups. From now on, you won't be able to stand the taste of butter. Each time you eat butter you will become physically ill to the point of total nausea." The mystery woman then disappears as quickly as she appeared.

Shaken, the wife calls out to her husband "Hey, where's your ball?" "It's over here in the pussy willows."

The wife screams back, "DON'T HIT THE BALL!!!! DON'T HIT THE BALL!!!!"

**Never be afraid to try something new**

Remember, amateurs built the ark.

Professionals built the Titanic.

Conscience is what hurts when everything else feels so good.

Talk is cheap because supply exceeds demand.

Stupidity got us into this mess - why can't it get us out?

Love is grand; divorce is a hundred grand.

Even if you are on the right track, you'll get run over if you just sit there.

Politicians and diapers have one thing in common. They should both be changed regularly and for the same reason.

An optimist thinks that this is the best possible world. A pessimist fears that this is true.

There is always death and taxes; however death doesn't get worse every year.

People will accept your ideas much more readily if you tell them that Benjamin Franklin said it first.

It's easier to fight for one's principles than to live up to them.

I don't mind going nowhere as long as it's an interesting path.

Anything free is worth what you pay for it.

Indecision is the key to flexibility.

It hurts to be on the cutting edge.

If it ain't broke, fix it till it is.

I don't get even, I get odder.

In just two days, tomorrow will be yesterday.

I always wanted to be a procrastinator, never got around to it.

Dijon vu - the same mustard as before.

My inferiority complex is not as good as yours.

I am having an out of money experience.  
I plan on living forever. So far, so good.

I am in shape. Round is a shape.

Not afraid of heights - afraid of widths.

Practice safe eating - always use condiments.

A day without sunshine is like night.

I have kleptomania, but when it gets bad, I take something for it.

If marriage were outlawed, only outlaws would have in-laws.

I am not a perfectionist. My parents were though.

Life is an endless struggle full of frustrations and challenges, but eventually you find a hair stylist you like.

You're getting old when you get the same sensation from a rocking chair that you once got from a roller coaster.

One of life's mysteries is how a two pound box of candy can make a woman gain five pounds.

It's frustrating when you know all the answers, but nobody bothers to ask you the questions.

The real art of conversation is not only to say the right thing at the right time, but also to leave unsaid the wrong thing at the tempting moment.

Time may be a great healer, but it's also a lousy beautician.

Brain cells come and brain cells go, but fat cells live forever.

**TV season**

**NBC**

8:00 Friends

8:30 Girlfriends

9:00 One Guy with Several Female Friends

9:30 My Gay Friends

10:00 Friends You Wish You Had But Don't

**FOX**

8:00 Real Humans in Real Pain

8:30 Feral Dingoes Eating Children on Tape

9:00 Jiggle It Beach

9:30 LA Chicks

10:00 Beverly Hills 90210: The 90,210th Episode

**UPN**

8:00 The Unwatchables

8:30 Voyage To The Bottom Of The Ratings

9:00 Theoretically Existing Show

9:30 Praying For Syndication

10:00 The Last Thing You'd Ever Want To Sit Through

**WB**

8:00 Where My Wife At?

8:30 Gittin' Yo Freak On

9:00 Me & My Psychic

9:30 Kids Suck The Darndest Things

10:00 Dawson's Clothes

DISCOVERY

- 8:00 The Wreck of the Lusitania Discovered (narrated by ponderous Englishman)
- 9:00 The Wreck of the Armada (narrated by incomprehensible Frenchman)
- 10:00 The Wreck of Billy-Joe Forstner's Favorite Row Boat (narrated by Drunk Guy from Alabama)

HISTORY CHANNEL

- 8:00 D-Day Revisited
- 9:00 D-Day Revisited
- 10:00 D-Day Revisited

PUBLIC ACCESS

- 8:00 Blurry Steve
- 8:30 Inaudible City Council Meeting
- 9:00 Do We Have A Caller On The Line? Hello?
- 9:30 The Best Of Lunch Menus
- 10:00 My Friend Made This Short Film
- 10:30 Men With Braids Speak Out

E!

- 8:00 Andy Gibb: A Nightmare Descent Into Booze & Pills
- 8:30 John Belushi: A Nightmare Descent Into Booze & Pills
- 9:00 Margot Kidder: A Nightmare Descent Into Booze & Pills
- 9:30 River Phoenix: A Nightmare Descent Into Booze & Pills
- 10:00 Boy George: A Nightmare Descent Into Booze & Pills

ESPN2

- 8:00 Finland's Brutalest Men
- 8:30 Being Hit By A Trolley Regional Semifinals
- 9:00 60 Minutes Of Joe Theismann's Leg Breaking
- 10:00 Coed Spread-Eagled Weight-Training From Maui



TNN

8:00 Well, I'll Be Dipped in Pigslop!  
8:30 Roadkill Recipe to Warm the Cockles of Your Heart  
9:00 You Hush Up, Wanda Mae  
9:30 Sheeeeeeee-it!  
10:00 Hold 'Er Down While I Get the Rifle From the Truck

TELEMUNDO

8:00 Roberto Amorosa en Agua Caliente!  
9:00 Whoomp! Donde Esta?  
9:30 Gooal!  
10:00 Ai! Ai! Ai! Ai! Ai!  
10:30 La Hora de Goya

CINEMAX

8:00 Bare Ambition (Tanya Roberts)  
8:30 Naked Exposition (Traci Lords)  
9:00 Body Of Nudity (Dana Plato)  
10:00 Unclothed Anguish (Joyce DeWitt)

HBO

9:30 Low Life Criminals Saying "Fuck!"  
10:30 Women Having Sex & Then Talking About It Until They Foam At  
The  
Mouth

LIFETIME

8:00 How Can I Choose Between My Daughters?  
9:00 The Abused Wife Who Didn't Mean To Kill Her Policeman Husband  
in

**Self-Defense**

Not to Be Ignored Those telltale signs that you're over 40 -- all around you, you say?

--You wake up looking like your driver's license picture.

--Happy hour is a nap.

--The pharmacist has become your new best friend.

--Getting lucky means you found your car in the parking lot.

--It takes twice as long to look half as good.

--You give up all your bad habits -- and still don't feel good.

**O.K. everybody.....**

DON'T CHEAT ON THIS ONE....YOU WON'T GET THE FULL EFFECT O.K.?

PICK NUMBER BETWEEN 1 AND 10

(now page on down)

MULTIPLY THAT NUMBER BY TWO...

ADD 8 TO YOUR NEW NUMBER...

DIVIDE THAT NUMBER BY 2...

SUBTRACT YOUR ORIGINAL NUMBER....

YOU SHOULD HAVE A NUMBER BETWEEN 1 AND 8...

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TAKE THAT NUMBER AND MATCH IT WITH YOUR  
CORRESPONDING LETTER....

1 2345 6 78  
A B C D E F G H

NOW TAKE THAT LETTER AND THINK OF ANY COUNTRY IN  
THE WORLD THAT BEGINS WITH THAT LETTER.....

TAKE THE LETTER THAT COMES NEXT IN THE ALPHABET (FOR  
EXAMPLE IF YOU HAD THE LETTER B YOU WOULD NOW USE  
THE LETTER C) AND THINK OF AN ANIMAL THAT BEGINS WITH  
THAT LETTER...

NOW THINK ABOUT WHAT COLOR THAT ANIMAL IS.....

NOW THINK ABOUT THAT COUNTRY, ANIMAL, AND ITS COLOR  
VERY HARD WHILE I RECIEVE YOUR MENATAL THOUGHTS  
VIA AIRSPACE....

WAIT.....

SOMETHING MUST BE WRONG....

THERE ARE NO GRAY ELEPHANTS IN DENMARK!!!!!!!!!!

**Office Christmas Party**

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After the annual office Christmas party blowout, John woke up with a pounding headache, cotton-mouthed, and utterly unable to recall the events of the preceding evening. After a trip to the bathroom he was able to make his way downstairs, where his wife put some coffee in front of him.

"Louise," he moaned, "tell me what went on last night. Was it as bad as I think?"

"Even worse," she assured him, voice dripping with scorn. "You made a complete ass of yourself, succeeded in antagonizing the entire board of directors, and insulted the president of the company to his face."

"He's an asshole - piss on him."

"You did," Louise informed him. "And he fired you."

"Well screw him," said John.

"I did. You're back at work on Monday."

### **Old Signs From England**

1. IN A LAUNDROMAT:

Automatic washing machines. Please remove all your clothes when the light goes out.

2. IN A LONDON DEPARTMENT STORE:

Bargain Basement Upstairs

3. IN AN OFFICE:

Would the person who took the step ladder yesterday please bring it back or further steps will be taken.

4. IN ANOTHER OFFICE:

After the tea break staff should empty the teapot and stand upside down on the draining board.

5. ON A CHURCH DOOR:

This is the gate of Heaven. Enter ye all by this door. (This door is kept locked because of the draft. Please use side entrance)

6. OUTSIDE A SECOND HAND SHOP:

We exchange anything - bicycles, washing machines etc. Why not bring your wife along and get a wonderful bargain.

7. QUICKSAND WARNING:

Quicksand. Any person passing this point will be drowned. By order of the District Council.

8. NOTICE IN A DRY CLEANER'S WINDOW:

Anyone leaving their garments here for more than 30 days will be disposed of.

9. IN A HEALTH FOOD SHOP WINDOW:

Closed due to illness.

10. SPOTTED IN A SAFARI PARK:

Elephants Please Stay In Your Car.

11. SEEN DURING A CONFERENCE:

For anyone who has children and doesn't know it, there is a day care on the first floor.

12. NOTICE IN A FIELD:

The farmer allows walkers to cross the field for free, but the bull charges.

13. MESSAGE ON A LEAFLET:

If you cannot read, this leaflet will tell you how to get lessons.

14. ON A REPAIR SHOP DOOR:

We can repair (Please knock hard on the door - the bell doesn't work)

15. SPOTTED IN A TOILET IN A LONDON OFFICE BLOCK:

Toilet out of order. Please use floor below.

**On the subject of Age.....**

Maybe it's true that life begins at forty. But everything else starts to wear out, fall out, or spread out.

There are three signs of old age.

The first is your loss of memory, the other two I forget.

You're getting old when you don't care where your wife goes, just as long as you don't have to go along.

I'm at the age now that when I go out with a girl, I can't take yes for an answer.

Middle age is when work is a lot less fun and fun a lot more work.

Statistics show that at the age of seventy, there are five women to every man. Isn't that the damndest time for a guy to get those odds?

I must be getting old. I threw out a Playboy calendar merely because it was last year's.



You know you're getting on in years when the girls at the office start confiding in you.

Middle age is when it takes longer to rest than to get tired.

Middle age is when you have stopped growing at both ends, and have begun to grow in the middle.

Of course I'm against sin; I'm against anything that I'm too old to enjoy.

A woman never forgets her age once she decides what it is.

You can stay young forever if you live modestly, get lots of sleep, work hard, pray daily, and lie about your age.

**Once upon a time, there were 3 little pigs**

The straw pig, the stick pig, and the brick pig. One day this nasty old wolf came up to the straw pig's house and said, "I'm gonna huff and puff, and blow your house down." So he did!

The straw pig went running over to the stick pig's house and said "Let me in, please, the wolf just blew down my house!!"

The stick pig let the straw pig in. Then the wolf showed up and said, "I'm gonna huff and puff, and blow your house down!" And he did!

So, the straw pig and the stick pig went running over to the brick pig's house and said "Let us in!

"The wolf just blew down our houses and we're scared!" So the brick pig let them in. The wolf caught up with them and said "I'm gonna huff and puff, and blow your house down."

While he was huffing and puffing, the straw pig and the stick pig were so scared! But the brick pig picked up the phone and called a friend. A few minutes passed and all of a sudden this big, black stretch limousine drove up. Out came two massive pigs in pinstriped suits and fedoras. These huge pigs came over to the wolf and grabbed him by the neck and proceeded to beat the crap out of him. One of them pulled out a gun and fired into the wolf's mouth. Then they got back into their limo and drove off, leaving the wolf dead on the street.

The straw pig and the stick pig were amazed! They asked the brick pig, "Who the hell were those guys?"

And the brick pig said, "Oh, those are my cousins, the Guinea Pigs."

### **One day Bill Clinton was out jogging**

One day Bill Clinton was out jogging and he accidentally tripped and fell off a bridge into the cold water below...

Three 10 year old boys were playing along the river and saw him fall in so they all jumped in and saved him and dragged him to shore.

He was so thankful that he told each of them, "Boys, you just saved the President of the United States and each of you deserve a reward."

The first boy says, "I want to go to Disneyland!"  
"I'll take you there myself!!!" exclaims Bill.

The second boy says, "I want a brand new pair of autographed Nike Air Jordan's." "I'll buy them for you myself," says Bill.

"And I want a motorized wheelchair with a stereo built into it with custom speakers" the third boy says.

The president looks at the boy and says, "But son you don't look like you are handicapped to me."

The boy says, "I'm going to be when my dad finds out I saved your ass from drowning!!"

**One night, a husband and wife were having a conversation over dinner**

WOMAN: What would you do if I died? Would you get married again?

MAN: Definitely not!

WOMAN: Why not, don't you like being married?

MAN: Of course I do.

WOMAN: Then why wouldn't you remarry?

MAN: Okay, I'd get married again.

WOMAN: You would? (with a hurtful look on her face)

MAN: (makes audible groan)

WOMAN: Would you sleep with her in our bed?

MAN: Where else would we sleep?

WOMAN: Would you put away my pictures, and replace them with pictures of her?

MAN: That would seem like the proper thing to do.

WOMAN: And would you let her use my golf clubs?

MAN: She can't use them; she's left-handed.

WOMAN: - - - silence - - -

MAN: shit.

**Only in America**

Only in America...can a pizza get to your house faster than an ambulance.

Only in America...are there handicap parking places in front of a skating rink.

Only in America...do drugstores make the sick walk all the way to the back of the store to get their prescriptions.

Only in America...do people order double cheese burgers, a large fry, and a diet coke.

Only in America...do banks leave both doors open and then chain the pens to the counters.

Only in America...do we leave cars worth thousands of dollars in the driveway and leave useless junk in the garage.

Only in America...do we use answering machines to screen calls and then have call waiting so we won't miss a call from someone we didn't want to talk to in the first place.

Only in America...do we buy hot dogs in packages of ten and buns in packages of eight...

Only in America...do we use the word "politics" to describe the process so well: "Poli" in Latin meaning "many" and "tics" meaning "bloodsucking creatures" ..

### **Organizational Changes at the North Pole**

TO: Public Release

RE: Organizational Changes at the North Pole

The recent announcement that Donner and Blitzen have elected to take the early reindeer retirement package has triggered a good deal of concern

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about whether they will be replaced, and about other restructuring decisions at the North Pole. Streamlining was necessary due to the North Pole's loss of dominance of the season's gift distribution business. Home shopping channels and mail order catalogs have diminished Santa's market share. He could not sit idly by and permit further erosion of the profit picture.

The reindeer downsizing was made possible through the purchase of a late model Japanese sled for the CEO's annual trip. Improved productivity from Dasher and Dancer, who summered at the Harvard Business School, is anticipated. Reduction in reindeer will also lessen airborne environmental emissions for which the North Pole has received unfavorable press. I am pleased to inform you that Rudolph's role will not be disturbed. Tradition still counts for something at the North Pole. Management denies, in the strongest possible language, the earlier leak that Rudolph's nose got that way, not from the cold, but from substance abuse. Calling Rudolph "a lush who was into the sauce and never did pull his share of the load" was an unfortunate comment, made by one of Santa's helpers and taken out of context at a time of year when he is known to be under executive stress.

As a further restructuring, today's global challenges require the North Pole to continue to look for better, more competitive steps. Effective immediately, the following economy measures are to take place in the "Twelve Days of Christmas" subsidiary:

The partridge will be retained, but the pear tree never turned out to be the cash crop forecasted. It will be replaced by a plastic hanging plant, providing considerable savings in maintenance;

The two turtle doves represent a redundancy that is simply not cost effective. In addition, their romance during working hours could not be condoned. The positions are therefore eliminated;

The three French hens will remain intact. After all, everyone loves the French;

The four calling birds were replaced by an automated voice mail system, with a call waiting option. An analysis is underway to determine who the birds have been calling, how often and how long they talked;

The five golden rings have been put on hold by the Board of Directors. Maintaining a portfolio based on one commodity could have negative implications for institutional investors. Diversification into other precious metals as well as a mix of T-bills and high technology stocks appear to be in order;

The six geese-a-laying constitutes a luxury which can no longer be afforded. It has long been felt that the production rate of one egg per goose per day is an example of the decline in productivity. Three geese will be let go, and an upgrading in the selection procedure by personnel will assure management that from now on every goose it gets will be a good one;

The seven swans-a-swimming is obviously a number chosen in better times. The function is primarily decorative. Mechanical swans are on order. The current swans will be retrained to learn some new strokes and therefore enhance their outplacement;

As you know, the eight maids-a-milking concept has been under heavy scrutiny by the EEOC. A male/female balance in the workforce is being sought. The more militant maids consider this a dead-end job with no upward mobility. Automation of the process may permit the maids to try a-mending, a-mentoring or a-mulching;

Nine ladies dancing has always been an odd number. This function will be phased out as these individuals grow older and can no longer do the steps;

Ten Lords-a-leaping is overkill. The high cost of Lords plus the expense of international air travel prompted the Compensation Committee to suggest replacing this group with ten out-of-work congressmen. While leaping ability may be somewhat sacrificed, the savings are significant because we expect an oversupply of unemployed congressmen this year;

Eleven pipers piping and twelve drummers drumming is a simple case of the band getting too big. A substitution with a string quartet, a cutback on new music and no uniforms will produce savings which will drop right down to the bottom line;

We can expect a substantial reduction in assorted people, fowl, animals, and other expenses. Though incomplete, studies indicate that stretching deliveries over twelve days is inefficient. If we can drop ship in one day, service levels will be improved. Regarding the lawsuit filed by the attorney's association seeking expansion to include the legal profession ("thirteen lawyers-a-suing) action is pending.

Lastly, it is not beyond consideration that deeper cuts may be necessary in the future to stay competitive. Should that happen, the Board will request management to scrutinize the Snow White Division to see if seven dwarfs is the right number.

### **Good life**

The wife consulted with the doctor on her husbands illness. She was advised:

1. Each morning, fix him a healthy breakfast and send him off to work in a good mood.
2. At lunch time, make him a warm, nutritious meal and put him in a good frame of mind.

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3. For dinner, fix an especially nice meal and don't burden him with household chores.
4. Have sex with him several times a week and satisfy his every whim."

On the way home, the husband asked his wife what the doctor had said.

"You're going to die," she replied.

### **IS THERE A SANTA CLAUS?**

As a result of an overwhelming lack of requests, and with research help from that renown scientific journal SPY magazine (January, 1990) - I am pleased to present the annual scientific inquiry into Santa Claus.

- 1) No known species of reindeer can fly. BUT there are 300,000 species of living organisms yet to be classified, and while most of these are insects and germs, this does not COMPLETELY rule out flying reindeer which only Santa has ever seen.
- 2) There are 2 billion children (persons under 18) in the world. BUT since Santa doesn't (appear) to handle the Muslim, Hindu, Jewish and Buddhist children, that reduces the workload to 15% of the total - 378 million according to Population Reference Bureau. At an average (census) rate of 3.5 children per household, that's 91.8 million homes. One presumes there's at least one good child in each.
- 3) Santa has 31 hours of Christmas to work with, thanks to the different time zones and the rotation of the earth, assuming he travels east to west (which seems logical). This works out to 822.6 visits per second. This is to say that for each Christian household with good children, Santa has 1/1000th of a second to park, hop out of the



sleigh, jump down the chimney, fill the stockings, distribute the remaining presents under the tree, eat whatever snacks have been left, get back up the chimney, get back into the sleigh and move on to the next house. Assuming that each of these 91.8 million stops are evenly distributed around the earth (which, of course, we know to be false but for the purposes of our calculations we will accept), we are now talking about .78 miles per household, a total trip of 75-1/2 million miles, not counting stops to do what most of us must do at least once every 31 hours, plus feeding and etc.

This means that Santa's sleigh is moving at 650 miles per second, 3,000 times the speed of sound. For purposes of comparison, the fastest man-made vehicle on earth, the Ulysses space probe, moves at a poky 27.4 miles per second - a conventional reindeer can run, tops, 15 miles per hour.

- 4) The payload on the sleigh adds another interesting element. Assuming that each child gets nothing more than a medium-sized lego set (2 pounds), the sleigh is carrying 321,300 tons, not counting Santa, who is invariably described as overweight. On land, conventional reindeer can pull no more than 300 pounds. Even granting that "flying reindeer" (see point #1) could pull TEN TIMES the normal amount, we cannot do the job with eight, or even nine. We need 214,200 reindeer. This increases the payload - not even counting the weight of the sleigh - to 353,430 tons. Again, for comparison - this is four times the weight of the Queen Elizabeth.
- 5) 353,000 tons traveling at 650 miles per second creates enormous air resistance - this will heat the reindeer up in the same fashion as spacecraft re-entering the earth's atmosphere. The lead pair of reindeer will absorb 14.3 QUINTILLION joules of energy. Per second. Each. In short, they will burst into flame almost instantaneously, exposing the reindeer behind them, and create deafening sonic booms in their wake. The entire reindeer team will

be vaporized within 4.26 thousandths of a second. Santa, meanwhile, will be subjected to centrifugal forces 17,500.06 times greater than gravity. A 250-pound Santa (which seems ludicrously slim) would be pinned to the back of his sleigh by 4,315,015 pounds of force.

In conclusion - If Santa ever DID deliver presents on Christmas Eve, he's dead now.

### **Prayer for Senility**

Grant me the senility to forget the people I never liked anyway, the good fortune to run into the ones I do, and the eyesight to tell the difference.....

Now that I'm older, here's what I've discovered: I started out with nothing.. I still have most of it.

When did my wild oats turn to prunes and all bran?

I finally got my head together, now my body is falling apart.

Funny, I don't remember being absent minded.

All reports are in. Life is now officially unfair.

If all is not lost, where is it?

It is easier to get older than it is to get wiser.

The first rule of holes: If you are in one, stop digging.

I went to school to become a wit, only got half-way through.

It was all so different before everything changed.

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Some days you're the dog, some days you're the hydrant.

Nostalgia isn't what it used to be.

A day without sunshine is like a day in Seattle.

I wish the buck stopped here. I could use a few...

Kids in the back seat cause accidents; accidents in the back seat cause kids.

It's not the pace of life that concerns me, it's the sudden stop at the end.

It's hard to make a comeback when you haven't been anywhere.

The only time the world beats a path to your door is if you're the bathroom.

If God wanted me to touch my toes, he would have put them on my knees.

When you're finally holding all the cards, why does everyone else decide to play chess?

Health is merely the slowest possible rate at which one can die.

It's not hard to meet expenses...they're everywhere.

The only difference between a rut and a grave is the depth.

**President Clinton is arriving back in D.C.**

President Clinton is arriving back in D.C. after a trip to his home state of Arkansas. He steps out of the plane carrying two pigs, one under each arm.

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When he reaches the bottom of the stairs, the Marine sharply salutes him as usual.

Clinton says: "I'd salute you back son, but as you can see my hands are full."

The Marine replies: "Yes, sir! Mighty fine pigs, sir!"

President Clinton responds: "These aren't just ordinary pigs, Marine. They are pure Arkansas Razorback Pigs!!"

The Marine replies: "Yes, sir! Mighty fine Razorbacks, sir!"

The President then responds: "I got this one for Hillary, and this one for Chelsea!"

The Marine replies: "Yes, sir! Good trade, sir!"

**Q and A**

Q: What's the difference between a girlfriend and a wife?

A: 45 lbs.

Q: What's the difference between a boyfriend and a husband?

A: 45 minutes.

Q: What is it when a man talks nasty to a woman?

A: Sexual harassment.

Q: What is it when a woman talks nasty to a man?

A: \$3.99 a minute.

Q: How can you tell if your wife is dead?

A: The sex is the same but the dishes pile up.

Q: How can you tell if your husband is dead?

A: The sex is the same but you get the remote.

Q: Why did cavemen pull their women around by the hair?

A: Because if they pulled them around by their feet, they'd fill up with mud.

Q: What's it called when a woman is paralyzed from the waist down?

A: Marriage.

Q: If your wife keeps coming out of the kitchen to nag you, what have you done wrong?

A: Made her chain too long.

Q: How many men does it take to change a light bulb?

A: None, they just sit there in the dark and complain.

Q. What's the fastest way to a man's heart?

A. Through his chest with a sharp knife.

Q. Why are men and parking spaces alike?

A. Because all the good ones are gone and the only ones left are disabled.

Q. Why are men like public toilets?

A. Because all the good ones are engaged and the only ones left are full of crap.

Q. What have men and floor tiles got in common?

A. If you lay them properly the first time, you can walk all over them for life.

Q. What is the difference between a man and a catfish?

A. One is a bottom-feeding scum-sucker and the other is a fish.

Q. Why do men want to marry virgins?

A. They can't stand criticism.

Q. Why is it so hard for women to find men that are sensitive, caring, and good-looking?

A: Because those men already have boyfriends.

Q. What is a man's view of safe sex?

A. A padded headboard.

Q. How do men sort their laundry?

A. "Filthy" and "Filthy but Wearable"

Q. Why were men given larger brains than dogs?

A. So they wouldn't hump women's legs at cocktail parties.

Q. Do you know why women fake orgasm?

- A. Because men fake foreplay.
- Q. What's the difference between a new husband and a new dog?  
A. After a year, the dog is still excited to see you.
- Q. What makes men chase women they have no intention of marrying?  
A. The same urge that makes dogs chase cars they have no intention of driving.
- Q. What is the biggest problem for an atheist?  
A. No one to talk to during orgasm.
- Q. What do you call a smart blonde?  
A. A golden retriever.
- Q. What do you call an Amish guy with his hand up a horse's ass?  
A. A mechanic
- Q. Who is the most popular guy at the nudist colony?  
A. The guy who can carry a cup of coffee in each hand and a dozen donuts.
- Q. Who is the most popular girl at the nudist colony?  
A. She is the one who can eat the last donut.
- Q. Why does the bride always wear white?  
A. Because it is good for the dishwasher to match the stove and refrigerator.
- Q. What is the difference between a battery and a woman?  
A. A battery has a positive side.
- Q. A brunette, a blonde, and a redhead are all in third grade. Who has the biggest tits?  
A. The blonde, because she's 18.

- Q. Why do men snore when they lay on their backs?  
A. Because their balls fall over their asshole and they vapor-lock.
- Q. Why do men take showers instead of baths?  
A. Pissing in the bath is disgusting.
- Q. Why don't pygmies wear tampons?  
A. They keep stepping on the strings.
- Q. What's the difference between a terrorist and a Jewish mother?  
A. You can negotiate with the terrorist
- Q. Did you hear about the guy who finally figured out women?  
A. He died laughing before he could tell anybody.
- Q. Do you know the punishment for bigamy?  
A. Two mothers-in-law.



**Read about the good old days and work related concepts...**

The following is an excerpt from the July 1943 issue of Mass Transportation.

This was serious and written for male supervisors of women in the work force during World War II-a mere 54 years ago!

Eleven Tips on Getting More Efficiency Out of Women Employees: There's no longer any question whether transit companies should hire women for jobs formerly held by men. The draft and manpower shortage has settled that point. The important things now are to select the most efficient women available and how to use them to the best advantage. Here are eleven helpful tips on the subject from Western Properties:

1. Pick young married women. They usually have more of a sense of responsibility than their unmarried sisters, they're less likely to be flirtatious, they need the work or they wouldn't be doing it, they still have the pep and interest to work hard and to deal with the public efficiently.
2. When you have to use older women, try to get ones who have worked outside the home at some time in their lives. Older women who have never contacted the public have a hard time adapting themselves and are inclined to be cantankerous and fussy. It's always well to impress upon older women the importance of friendliness and courtesy.
3. General experience indicates that "husky" girls - those who are just a little on the heavy side - are more even tempered and efficient than their underweight sisters.

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4. Retain a physician to give each woman you hire a special physical examination - one covering female conditions. This step not only protects the property against the possibilities of lawsuit, but reveals whether the employee-to-be has any female weaknesses which would make her mentally or physically unfit for the job.
5. Stress at the outset the importance of time - the fact that a minute or two lost here and there makes serious inroads on schedules. Until this point is gotten across, service is likely to be slowed up.
6. Give the female employee a definite day-long schedule of duties so that they'll keep busy without bothering the management for instructions every few minutes. Numerous properties say that women make excellent workers when they have their jobs cut out for them, but that they lack initiative in finding work themselves.
7. Whenever possible, let the inside employee change from one job to another at some time during the day. Women are inclined to be less nervous and happier with change.
8. Give every girl an adequate number of rest periods during the day. You have to make some allowances for feminine psychology. A girl has more confidence and is more efficient if she can keep her hair tidied, apply fresh lipstick and wash her hands several times a day.
9. Be tactful when issuing instructions or in making criticisms. Women are often sensitive; they can't shrug off harsh words the way men do. Never ridicule a woman - it breaks her spirit and cuts off her efficiency.
10. Be reasonably considerate about using strong language around women. Even though a girl's husband or father may swear vociferously, she'll grow to dislike a place of business where she hears too much of this.

11. Get enough size variety in operator's uniforms so that each girl can have a proper fit. This point can't be stressed too much in keeping women happy.

### **Redneck**

Q Did you hear about the redneck who passed away and left his entire estate in trust for his beloved widow?

A. She can't touch it till she's fourteen.

Q. What's the difference between a good ol' boy and a redneck?

A. The good ol' boy raises livestock. The redneck gets emotionally involved.

Q. What's the most popular pick up line in Arkansas?

A. Nice tooth!

Q. Best bar pick-up line in Kentucky:

A. "Hey, you don't sweat much for a fat broad."

### **Emily Sue passed away and Bubba called 911.**

The 911 operator told Bubba that she would send someone out right away. "Where do you live?" asked the operator.

Bubba replied, "At the end of Eucalyptus Drive."

The operator asked, "Can you spell that for me?"

"There was a long pause and finally Bubba said, "How 'bout if I drag her over to Oak Street and you pick her up there?"

A girl from the South and a girl from the North were seated side by side on a plane.

The girl from the South, being friendly and all, said, "So, where ya'll from?" The Northern girl said, "From a place where they know better than to use a preposition at the end of a sentence."

The girl from the South sat quietly for a few moments and then replied, "So, where ya'll from, bitch?"

### Some Places

How do you know when your staying in an Arkansas hotel?

- When you call the front desk and say "I've gotta leak in my sink" and the person at the front desk says "go ahead."

How can you tell if a redneck is married?

- There is tobacco spit stains on both sides of his pickup truck.

What's the difference between Virginia and West Virginia?

- In Virginia, Moosehead is a beer. In West Virginia it's a misdemeanor.

What is a Redneck's defense in court?

- "Honest your Honor, I was just helping the sheep over the fence."

Did you hear that they have raised the minimum drinking age in West Virginia to 32?

- It seems they want to keep alcohol out of the high schools!

What do they call "Hee Haw" in Arkansas?

- A documentary.

What do they call it in Kentucky?

- "Life Styles of the Rich and Famous."

How many rednecks does it take eat a 'possum?

- Two. One to eat, and one to watch for cars.

Why did God invent armadillos?

- So that rednecks can have 'possum on the halfshell.

**Research had been going on for many years as to the invention of the toothbrush.**

Researchers knew the purpose of the device, but wanted to know and acknowledge the originating location. After a very long and exasperating study the researchers came to their conclusion as to the origin of the toothbrush. It was decided that the brush was invented in West Virginia. Intrigued with the discovery, the researchers were asked by the media how they came to the conclusion. They all agree it was simple deduction, "If it was invented anywhere else, it would have been called a teethbrush."

**References Can Count**

When the omens turn bad, don't rush to judgment.

Consider the two old friends who meet one day after many years. One had attended college and was very successful. The other had not gone to college and never had much ambition.

The successful one asks, "How has everything been going with you?"

"Well, one day I opened the Bible at random and dropped my finger on a word, and it was 'oil.' So, I invested in oil, and, boy, did the oil wells gush. Then, another day I dropped my finger on another word and it was 'gold.'

So, I invested in gold and those mines really produced. Now, I'm as rich as Rockefeller."

The successful friend is so impressed that he rushes to his hotel, grabs a Gideon Bible, flips it open, closes his eyes and drops his finger on a page. Then he opens his eyes to see his finger resting on the words "Chapter 11."

### **Revised Retirement**

Policy As a result of the reduction of money budgeted for departmental areas, we are forced to cut down on our number of personnel.

Under the plan, older employees will be asked to go on early retirement, thus permitting the retention of younger people who represent our future plans.

Therefore, a program to phase out older personnel by the end of the current fiscal year, via retirement, will be placed into effect immediately. The program will be known as RAPE (Retired Aged Personnel Early):

Employees who are RAPED will be given the opportunity to look for other jobs outside our company. Provided that they are being RAPED, they can request a review of their employment records before actual retirement takes place, this phase of the operation is called SCREW (Survey of Capabilities of Retired Early Workers).

All employees who have been RAPED or SCREWED may file an appeal with upper management. This will be called SHAFT (Study by higher Authority Following Termination). Under the terms of the new policy, employees may be RAPED once, SCREWED twice, but may be SHAFTEED as many times as the company deems necessary .

If an employee follows the above procedures, he or she will be entitled to get HERPES (Half Earnings for Retired personnel's Early Severance). As HERPES is considered a benefit plan, any employee who has received HERPES will no longer be RAPED or SCREWED) by the company.

Management wishes to assure the younger employees who remain on board that the company will continue its policy to ensure that employees are well trained through our Special High Intensity Training (SHIT). The company takes pride in the amount of SHIT our employees receive. We have given our employees more SHIT than any other company in this area. If any employee feels he or she does not receive enough SHIT on the job, see your immediate supervisor. Your supervisor is especially trained to see that you receive all the SHIT you can stand.

**Shining examples of why stupid people shouldn't be allowed to breed.**

45 year old Amy Brasher was arrested in San Antonio, Texas, after a mechanic reported to police that 18 packages of marijuana were packed in the engine compartment of the car which she had brought to the mechanic for an oil change. According to police, Brasher later said that she didn't realize that the mechanic would have to raise the hood to change the oil.

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David Posman, 33, was arrested recently in Providence, RI, after allegedly knocking out an armored car driver and stealing the closest four bags of money. It turned out they contained \$800 in PENNIES, weighed 30 pounds each, and slowed him to a stagger during his getaway so that police officers easily jumped him from behind.

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Drug possession defendant Christopher Jansen, on trial in March in Pontiac, Michigan, said he had been searched without a warrant. The prosecutor said the officer didn't need a warrant because a "bulge" in Christopher's jacket could have been a gun. Nonsense, said Christopher, who happened to be wearing the same jacket that day in court. He handed it over so the judge could see it. The judge discovered a packet of cocaine in

the pocket and laughed so hard he required a five-minute recess to compose himself.

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Oklahoma City...Dennis Newton was on trial for the armed robbery of a convenience store in a district court this week when he fired his lawyer. Assistant district attorney Larry Jones said Newton, 47, was doing a fair job of defending himself until the store manager testified that Newton was the robber. Newton jumped up, accused the woman of lying and then said, "I should've blown your [expletive] head off." The defendant paused, then quickly added, "-If I'd been the one that was there." The jury took 20 minutes to convict Newton and recommended a 30 year sentence.

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A true story out of San Francisco: It seems a man, wanting to rob a downtown Bank of America, walked into the branch and wrote "This iz a stikkup. Put all your munny in this bag. "While standing in line, waiting to give his note to the teller, he began to worry that someone had seen him write the note and might call the police before he reached the teller window. So he left the Bank of America and crossed the street to Wells Fargo.

After waiting a few minutes in line, he handed his note to the Wells Fargo teller. She read it and, surmising from his spelling errors that he was not the brightest light in the harbor, told him that she could not accept his stick up note because it was written on a Bank of America deposit slip and that he would either have to fill out a Wells Fargo deposit slip or go back to Bank of America. Looking somewhat defeated, the man said "OK" and left. The Wells Fargo teller then called the police who arrested the man a few minutes later, as he was waiting in line back at Bank of America.

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Also from San Francisco:  
A motorist was unknowingly caught in an automated speed trap that measured



his speed using radar and photographed his car. He later received in the mail a ticket for \$40 and a photo of his car. Instead of payment, he sent the police department a photograph of \$40.

**Shit is a powerful word.**

Just think of all the concepts and ideas you can communicate with it. Shit just may be the most powerful word in the English language.

CONSIDER THIS:

You can be shit faced, be shit out of luck, or have shit for brains. With a little effort you can get your shit together, find a place for your shit or decide to shit or get off the pot. You can smoke shit, buy shit, sell shit, lose shit, find shit, forget shit, and tell others to eat shit and die. You can shit or go blind, have a shit fit or just shit your life away. People can be shit headed, shit brained, shit blinded, and shit over. Some people know their shit while others can't tell the difference between shit and shineola. There are lucky shits, dumb shits, crazy shits, and sweet shits. There is bull shit, and horse shit and chicken shit. You can throw shit, sling shit, catch shit, or duck when the shit hits the fan. You can take a shit, give a shit, or serve shit on a shingle. You can find yourself in deep shit, or be happier than a pig in shit. Some days are colder than shit, some days are hotter than shit, and some days are just plain shitty. Some music sounds like shit, things can look like shit, and there are times when you feel like shit. You can have too much shit, not enough shit, the right shit, the wrong shit or a lot of weird shit. You can carry shit, have a mountain of shit, or find yourself up shit creek without a paddle. Sometimes you really need this shit and sometimes you don't want any shit at all. Sometimes everything you touch turns to shit and other times you swim in a lake of shit and come out smelling like a rose. Shit! When you stop to consider all the facts, it's the basic building block of creation. And remember, once you know your shit, you don't need to know anything else.

### **Sinko de Mayo**

There are many stories related to the sinking of the "Titanic." Some have just come to light due to the success of the recent movie.

For example, most people don't know that back in 1912 Hellman's mayonnaise was manufactured in England. The "Titanic" was carrying 12,000 jars of the condiment scheduled for delivery in Vera Cruz, Mexico which was to be the next port of call for the great ship after New York City.

The Mexican people were eagerly awaiting delivery and were disconsolate at the loss. So much so that they declared a national day of mourning which they still observe today. It is known, of course, as Sinko de Mayo.

### **Sometimes, the truth just doesn't cut it**

A man tells his wife he's off to buy cigarettes Sometimes, the truth just doesn't cut it, as witness this laughter provided by Dennis Walters.

A man tells his wife he's off to buy cigarettes. Finding the corner market closed, he enters the local saloon to use a vending machine.

Naturally, he has a beer -- and strikes up a conversation with a lovely woman. One beer leads to another -- and to the lady's apartment and some pleasure.

Comes 3 a.m. "Oh, my God!" He exclaims. "My wife is going to kill me. Quick, give me some talcum powder." The woman comes up with some powder which he rubs all over his hands. Arriving home, he finds his wife waiting up for him, asking furiously,

"Where the hell have you been?"

"To tell you the truth, I went to a bar, went home with this woman and slept with her," he says sheepishly.

"Let me see your hands!" she demands. After observing the powder, she adds: "Damn liar, You were out bowling again.

### **Stages of Drunkenness**

#### Stage 1

**SMART** This is when you suddenly become an expert on every subject in the known universe. You know you know everything and you want to pass on your knowledge to anyone who will listen. At this stage you are always **RIGHT**. And of course, the person you are talking to is very **WRONG**. This makes for an interesting argument when both parties are **SMART**.

#### Stage 2

**GOOD LOOKING** This is when you realize that you are the **BEST LOOKING** person in the entire bar and that people fancy you. You can go up to a perfect stranger knowing they fancy you and really want to talk to you. Bear in mind that you are still **SMART**, so you can talk to this person about any subject under the sun.

#### Stage 3

**RICH** This is when you suddenly become the richest person in the world. You can buy drinks for the entire bar because you have an armored truck full of money parked behind the bar. You can also make bets at this stage, because of course you're still **SMART**, so naturally, you will win all your bets. It doesn't matter how much you bet 'cause you are **RICH**. You will also buy drinks for everyone that you fancy, because you are now the **BEST LOOKING** person in the world.

#### Stage 4

**BULLET PROOF** You are now ready to pick fights with anyone and everyone, especially those with whom you have been betting or arguing. This is because nothing can hurt you. At this point you can also go up to the partners of the people who you fancy and challenge them to a battle of wits

or money. You have no fear of losing this battle, because you are smart, your RICH and you're better looking than them anyway!

Stage 5

INVISIBLE This is the final stage of Drunkenness. at this point you can do anything, because NO ONE CAN SEE YOU, You dance on a table to impress the people who you fancy because the rest of the people in the room cannot see you. You are also invisible to the person who wants to fight you. You can walk through the street singing at the top of your lungs because no one can see or hear you and because you're still SMART you know ALL the words.

**Stevie Wonder and Tiger Woods are in a bar.**

Woods turns to Wonder and says: How is the singing career going?"

Stevie Wonder replies: "Not too bad! How's the golf?"

Woods replies: "Not too bad, I've had some problems with my swing, but I think I've got that right now."

Stevie Wonder says: "I always find that when my swing goes wrong, I need to stop playing for a while and not think about it. Then, the next time I play, it seems to be all right.

Tiger Woods says: "You play golf?"

Stevie Wonder says: "Oh, yes, I've been playing for years." And Woods says:

"But, you're blind. How can you play golf if you're blind?"

Wonder replies: "I get my caddy to stand in the middle of the fairway and call to me. I listen for the sound of his voice and play the ball towards him. Then, when I get to where the ball lands, the caddy moves to the green or farther down the fairway and again I play the ball towards his voice."

"But, how do you putt?", asks Woods. "Well," says Stevie, "I get my caddy to lean down in front of the hole and call to me with his head on the ground and I just play the ball towards his voice."

Woods asks: "What's your handicap?"

Stevie says, "Well, I'm a scratch golfer."

Woods, incredulous, says to Stevie: "We've got to play a round sometime."

Wonder replies: "Well, people don't take me seriously, so I only play for money, and never play for less than \$10,000 a hole."

Woods thinks about it and says, "OK, I'm game for that, when would you like to play?"

Stevie says, "Pick a night!"

### **Subject Perfect**

Once upon a time, a perfect man and a perfect woman met. After a perfect courtship, they had a perfect wedding. Their life together was, of course, perfect. One snowy, stormy Christmas Eve, this perfect couple were driving their perfect car (a Grand Caravan) along a winding road, when they noticed someone at the side of the road in distress. Being the perfect couple, then stopped to help. There stood Santa Claus with a huge bundle of toys. Not wanting to disappoint any children on the eve of Christmas, the perfect couple loaded Santa and his toys into their vehicle. Soon they were driving along delivering the toys. Unfortunately, the driving conditions deteriorated and the perfect couple and Santa Claus had an accident. Only one of them survived the accident. Who was the survivor? (Scroll down for the answer.)

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The perfect woman survived. She's the only one who really existed in the first place. Everyone knows there is no Santa Claus and there is no such thing as a perfect man.

\*\*\*\*Women---stop reading here, that is the end of the joke!\*\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*Men---keep scrolling\*\*\*\*

So, if there is no perfect man and no Santa Claus, the perfect woman must have been driving. This explains why there was a car accident. By the way, if you're a woman and you're reading this, this illustrates another point: women never listen either.

### **Take a Twist on Computer Acronyms**

Is ISDN really desirable, is WWW something you should value -- and does CD-ROM live up to its technological billing? Conventional wisdom suggests the answer to all these is "yes" but then, Computer Acronyms has alternative answers which are anything but conventional.

Install ISDN, the Web site says, and what you are likely to get is exactly

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what those initials stand for: It Still Does Nothing. And those net surfers who spend minutes -- and money - waiting for something to happen on their screen may well believe that WWW means the World Wide Wait.

Computer Acronyms suggests that CD-ROM actually stands for Consumer Device, Rendered Obsolete in Months, and OS/2 is likewise: Obsolete Soon, Too. Bill Gates, hardly happy at the best of times with IBM -- perhaps because it means I Blame Microsoft?

Lots of other folk, meanwhile, might buy into the idea that WINDOWS means Will Install Needless Data On Whole System, and that MICROSOFT is an anagram for Most Intelligent Customers Realize Our Software Only (for) Fools (and) Teenagers. And does DOS actually mean as many suspect -- Defective Operating System?

### **Taxidermist**

This guy walks into a bar down in Alabama and orders a Grape Nehi. Surprised, the bartender looks around and says, "You ain't from around here... where you from, boy?".

The guy says, "I'm from Pennsylvania."

The bartender asks, "What do you do up in Pennsylvania?"

The guy responds, "I'm a taxidermist."

The bartender asks, "A taxidermist?... what the hell is a taxidermist?"

The guy says "I mount animals."

The bartender smiles and shouts to the whole bar, "It's OK boys, he's one of us"

### **Tell the Truth**

This raggedy old nun was walking home from the convent one day, when this man jumps out from the bushes and has his way.

Then the man said, 'What will you tell the Holy Father now, Sister?'

She says, 'I must tell the truth! I will say I was walking home from the convent when a man jumped out from the bushes and raped me twice, unless you're too tired.'

### **Thanksgiving GUTS**

There was an old married couple that had lived happily together for nearly forty years. The only friction in their marriage was caused by the husband's habit of breaking wind nearly every morning as he awoke. The noise would always wake up his wife and the smell would cause her eyes to water as she would choke and gasp for air. Nearly every morning she would plead with him to stop ripping such nasty farts. He told her that he couldn't help it.

She begged him to see a doctor to see if anything could be done, but the husband wouldn't hear of it. He told her that it was just a natural bodily function and then he would laugh in her face as she tried to wave the Fumes away with her hands.

She told him that there was nothing natural about it and if he didn't stop, he was one day going to "fart his guts out."

The years went by and the wife continued to suffer and the husband continued to ignore her warnings about "farting his guts out" until one



Thanksgiving morning. Before dawn, the wife went downstairs to prepare the family feast. She fixed pumpkin pie, mashed potatoes, gravy, and of course a turkey.

While she was taking out the turkey's innards, a thought occurred to the wife as to how she might solve her husband's problem. With a devilish grin on her face, she placed the turkey guts into a bowl and quietly walked upstairs hours before her flatulent husband would awake. While he was still soundly asleep, she pulled back the covers and then gently pulled back her husband's jockey shorts. She then placed all of the turkey guts into her husband's underwear, pulled them up, replaced the covers and tiptoed back downstairs to finish preparing the family meal.

Several hours later she heard her husband awake with his normal loud rumpeting. This was soon followed by a blood-curdling scream, and the sound of frantic footsteps as her husband ran to the upstairs bathroom.

The wife could not control herself and her eyes began to tear up as she had finally gotten even! About twenty minutes later, her husband came downstairs in his blood stained underpants with a look of horror in his eyes. She bit her lip to keep from laughing and she asked him what was wrong.

He said, "Honey, you were right - all those years you warned me and I didn't listen to you"

"What do you mean?" asked his wife.

"Well you always told me that I would end up farting my guts out one of these days and today it finally happened. But by the grace of God and these two fingers,... I think I got'em all back in!!!"

## **The Advertising Bowl**

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A young man was very excited because he just won a ticket to the Super Bowl. His excitement lessened as he realized his seat was in the back of the stadium. As he searched the rows ahead of him for a better seat, he found an empty one right next to the field. He approached the man sitting next to the empty seat and asked if it was taken. The man replied, "No." Amazed the young man asked, "How could someone pass up a seat like this?"

The older gentleman responded,

"That's my wife's seat. We've been to every Super Bowl together since the day we were married but she has passed away."

"Oh, how sad," the young guy said. "I'm sorry to hear that, but couldn't you find a friend or relative to come with you?" "No," the old man said, "They're all at the funeral."

### **THE ANT AND THE GRASSHOPPER in 1999 THE CLASSIC VERSION**

The ant works hard in the withering heat all summer long, building his house and laying up supplies for the winter. The grasshopper thinks he's a fool and laughs and dances and plays the summer away.

Come winter, the ant is warm and well fed. The grasshopper has no food or shelter so he dies out in the cold.

### **THE MODERN VERSION**

The ant works hard in the withering heat all summer long, building his house and laying up supplies for the winter. The grasshopper thinks he's a fool and laughs and dances and plays the summer away.

Come winter, the shivering grasshopper calls a press conference and demands to know why the ant should be allowed to be warm and well fed while others are cold and starving. CBS, CNN, NBC and ABC show up to

provide pictures of the shivering grasshopper next to video of the ant in his comfortable home with a table filled with food.

America and the world are stunned by the sharp contrast. How can it be that, in a country of such wealth, this poor grasshopper is allowed to suffer so?

Then a representative of the NAAGB (National Association of Green Bugs) shows up on Nightline and charges the ant with "green bias", and makes the case that the grasshopper is the victim of 30 million years of greenism. Kermit the Frog appears on Oprah with the grasshopper, and everybody cries when he sings "It's Not Easy Being Green."

Bill and Hillary Clinton make a special guest appearance on the CBS Evening News to tell a concerned Dan Rather that they will do everything they can for the poor grasshopper who has been denied the prosperity he deserves by those who benefited unfairly during the Reagan summers, or as Bill refers to it, the "Temperatures of the 80's."

Richard Gephardt exclaims in an interview with Peter Jennings that the ant has gotten rich off the back of the grasshopper, and calls for an immediate tax hike on the ant to make him pay his "fair share."

Finally, the EEOC drafts the "Economic Equity and Anti-Greenism Act". Retroactive to the beginning of the summer, the ant was fined for failing to hire a proportionate number of green bugs and, having nothing left to pay his retroactive taxes, his home is confiscated by the government.

The story ends as we see the grasshopper finishing up the last bits of the ant's food while the government house he's in, which just happens to be the ant's old house, crumbles around him since he doesn't know how to maintain it. The ant has disappeared in the snow. And on the TV, which the grasshopper bought by selling most of the ant's food, they are showing Bill

Clinton standing before a wildly applauding group of compatriots announcing that a new era of "fairness" has dawned in America.

**The boss of a big company needed to call one of his employees**

The boss of a big company needed to call one of his employees about an urgent problem with one of the main computers. He dialed the employees home phone number and was greeted with a child's whispered, "Hello?"

Feeling put out at the inconvenience of having to talk to a youngster the boss asked, "Is your Daddy home?"

"Yes", whispered the small voice.

"May I talk with him?" the man asked. To the surprise of the boss, the small voice whispered, "No."

Wanting to talk with an adult, the boss asked, "Is your Mommy there?"

"Yes", came the answer.

"May I talk with her?" Again the small voice whispered, "no".

Knowing that it was not likely that a young child would be left home alone, the boss decided he would just leave a message with the person who should be there watching over the child. "Is there any one there besides you?" the boss asked the child.

"Yes" whispered the child, "A policeman".

Wondering what a cop would be doing at his employee's home, the boss asked, "May I speak with the policeman"?

"No, he's busy", whispered the child.

"Busy doing what?, asked the boss.

"Talking to Daddy and Mommy and the Fireman", came the whispered answer.

Growing concerned and even worried as he heard what sounded like a helicopter through the ear piece on the phone the boss asked, "What is that noise?"

"A hello-copper", answered the whispering voice. "What is going on there?", asked the boss, now alarmed. In an awed whispering voice the child answered, "The search team just landed the hello-copper"

Alarmed, concerned and more than just a little frustrated the boss asked, "Why are they there"?

Still whispering, the young voice replied along with a muffled giggle:

"They're looking for me"

### **The choir director selected the 6-year-old little boy**

The choir director selected the 6-year-old little boy with the sweetest face for the opening scene of the play. "Now, all you have to do is, when I direct the choir to sing '...and the angel lit the candle', you come on stage and light all the candles."

"I can do it - I can do it!" the little boy said, excited to be the one picked.

Rehearsals came and went, and finally the big night arrived. The choir was in grand voice, the stage was beautifully decorated with dozens of unlit candles all around, awaiting the moment when the cute littlest angel made his entrance. The director gave the downbeat, the orchestra began to play,

and the choir swept into the introductory lines, ending with an expectant "...and the angel lit the candle," and everyone looked stage right for the entrance. No little boy. The director gave the downbeat again, and gestured for a louder line, which the choir gave him - "...and the angel lit the candle," and again, all eyes looked stage right. No little boy. The director, beginning to sweat, motioned with great, sweeping gestures, and the choir thundered into the line - the curtains belled slightly from the sound - "...AND THE ANGEL LIT THE CANDLE!" And into the silence which followed came a clear, boy-soprano voice floating piercingly from stage right, "...and the cat peed on the matches!"

### **The Clintons Move to New York**

What should be the official name for Bill & Hillary Clinton's New York abode? There were lots of possibilities, according to the creative audience of The Jayne Carroll Show, a political talk radio program which airs daily in the Portland, Oregon metropolitan area.

On Friday, September 10th, Carroll asked her audience to come up with an official name for the Clinton's \$1.7 million house in Chappaqua, N. Y. Carroll's call-in contest required the names to be in relative good taste, original, and should capture the essence of one or both of the Clintons.

The response was overwhelming! Some names nominated for the Clinton's new home included:

"Perjurers' Palace", "Hill Billy Villa", "The House of Bill's Repute", "Drawers Downs", "Cheatem Estates", "Castle of Contempt", "Sin Simeon", "The House That Terry bought", "The Knee Pad", "The White Trash House", "The Blight House", and "The Panderosa".

"Liars' Lair" was a frequent nominee both on and off the air," according to talk host Carroll.

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One of my favorite names was "Bill & Hill's Bribe & Breakfast."

Other of the over 100 caller nominated names were:

"The Clinton Compost", "Dogpatch on the Hudson", "Rancho Immoral", "Deceitful Domicile", "Monica's Man's Manor", "The Hen House", "The Out House", "The Big House", "The Love Shack", "Lucifer's Lair", "House of the Rising Son", "The House of Seven Felonies", "Cottage of Contempt", and "Motel Sex".

But the clear, hands-down winner was -  
"DISGRACELAND"!!!

### **Cat Lovers**

Four men were bragging about how smart their cats are. The first man was an Engineer, the second man was an Accountant, the third man was a Chemist, the fourth was a Government Employee.

To show off, the Engineer called to his cat, "T-square, do your stuff." T-square pranced over to a desk, took out some paper and a pen and promptly drew a circle, a square, and a triangle. Everyone agreed that was pretty smart.

But the Accountant said his cat could do better. He called his cat and said, "Spreadsheet, do your stuff." Spreadsheet went out into the kitchen and returned with a dozen cookies. He divided them into 4 equal piles of 3 cookies each. Everyone agreed that was good.

But the Chemist said his cat could do better. He called his cat and said, "Measure, do your stuff." Measure got up, walked over to the fridge, took out a quart of milk, got a 10 ounce glass from the cupboard and poured exactly 8 ounces without spilling a drop. Everyone agreed that was good.

Then the three men turned to the Government Employee and said, "What can your cat do?". The Government Worker called to his cat and said, "Coffee Break, do your stuff." Coffee Break jumped to his feet, ate the cookies, drank the milk, shit on the paper, screwed the other three cats, claimed he injured his back while doing so, filed a grievance report for unsafe working conditions, put in for Workers Compensation and went home for the rest of the day on sick leave.

### **The lady's company joined a new HMO**

The lady's company joined a new HMO, and she was scheduled to go in for a complete physical. She showered very carefully, then she noticed that she was out of feminine hygiene spray, but she found her daughter's can of spray, and put it to use. At the Doctor's office she found out that they were behind schedule and she could help if she took her own urine specimen, which she did. Eventually the nurse took her into an examination room where she was asked to disrobe, put a smock on, and relax on the table. A few minutes later the Doctor came in asked the usual questions, carefully notating his charts. The lady was very nervous, and froze when the doctor asked her to prepare herself for the female portion of the exam. Slowly spreading her legs, she heard the Doctor say, "My aren't we pretty today". She was appalled by his apparent callousness, in that rude remark. When the exam was over she dressed, and left the office in a hurry, going straight home, instead of on to work. She fretted whether to tell her husband, or call her employer to inform on the Doctors Sexual Misconduct. Well, she thought a relaxing tub soak would help her to come to the right decision. Filling the tub with her favorite bubble bath, she lay back to relax, and put things into perspective. While daubing her face she noticed a glittering particle in the suds. She looked all around her, there were glitters everywhere. She thought, "Now, I wonder what those things are"?

She sat bolt upright, grabbed for the spray can she had left on the counter top.



Clearly marked in large letters on the can were not the words feminine hygiene spray, but, Glamour Glitter Hair Net.

### THE LESSON

Then Jesus took his disciples up the mountain and gathering them around him, he taught them saying:

Blessed are the poor in spirit, for their is the kingdom of heaven,  
Blessed are the meek,  
Blessed are they that mourn,  
Blessed are the merciful,  
Blessed are they who thirst for righteousness,  
Blessed are you when persecuted,  
Blessed are you when you suffer.  
Ble glad and rejoice for your reward is great in heaven."

Then Simon Peter said, "Do we have to write this down?"

And Andrew said, "Are we supposed to know this?"

And James said, "Will this be on the test?"

And Thomas said, "Is this for extra credit?"

And Phillip said, "I don't have any paper."

And Bartholomew said, "Do we have to turn this in?"

And John said, "The other disciples didn't have to learn this."

And Matthew said, "Can I go to the boys' room?"

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And Judas said, "What does this have to do with real life?"

Then one of the Pharisees who was present asked to see Jesus' Curriculum Vitae, course syllabus and one of his lesson plans. He then inquired of Jesus, "Where is your anticipatory set of questions and the closure?"

And Jesus wept.

### **The Mailbox**

A blonde goes out to her mail box, looks in, closes the door and goes back into her house.

A few minutes later she comes out, goes to her mail box, looks in, closes the door and goes back into her house.

She repeats this process several times before a neighbor who has been witnessing this series of events says to her; "You must be expecting a very important letter or package today."

The blonde answered; "No, I'm working on my computer and it keeps telling me that I have mail."

### **The Meaning of Easter**

Three blondes die and find themselves at the pearly gates of heaven. St. Peter tells them that they can enter the gates if they can answer one simple question. St. Peter asks the first blonde, "What is Easter?"

The blonde replies, "Oh, that's easy! It's the holiday in November when we all get together, eat turkey, and are thankful."

"Wrong!" replies St. Peter, and proceeds to ask the second blonde the same question, "What is Easter?"

The second blonde replies, "Easter is the holiday in December when we put up a nice tree, exchange presents, and celebrate the birth of Jesus."

St. Peter looks at the second blonde, shakes his head in disgust, tells her she's wrong, and then peers over his glasses at the third blonde and asks, "What is Easter?"

The third blonde smiles confidently and looks St. Peter in the eyes. "I know what Easter is." "Oh?" says St. Peter, incredulously.

"Easter is the Christian holiday that coincides with the Jewish celebration of Passover. Jesus and his disciples were eating at the Last Supper and Jesus was later deceived and turned over to the Romans by one of his disciples. The Romans took him to be crucified and he was stabbed in the side, made to wear a crown of thorns, and hung on a cross with nails through his hands. He was buried in a nearby cave which was sealed off by a large boulder."

St. Peter smiles broadly with delight.

The third blonde continues, "Every year the boulder is moved aside so that Jesus can come out... and, if he sees his shadow, there will be six more weeks of winter."

### **The Motel Room**

A husband and wife are traveling by car from Atlanta to New York. After almost twenty-four hours on the road, they're too tired to continue, and they decide to stop for a rest. They stop at a nice hotel and take a room, but they only plan to sleep for four hours and then get back on the road.

When they check out four hours later, the desk clerk hands them a bill for \$350. The man explodes and demands to know why the charge is so high. He tells the clerk although it's a nice hotel, the rooms certainly aren't worth \$350. When the clerk tells him \$350 is the standard rate, the man insists on speaking to the manager.

The manager listens to the man and then explains the hotel has an Olympic-sized pool and a huge conference center that were available for the husband and wife to use. He also explains they could have taken in one of the shows

for which the hotel is famous. "The best entertainers from New York, Hollywood and Las Vegas perform here," explains the manager.

No matter what facility the manager mentions, the man replies, "But we didn't use it!"

The manager is unmoved and eventually the man gives up and agrees to pay. He writes a check and gives it to the manager. The manager is surprised when he looks at the check.

"But sir," he says, "this check is only made out for \$100."

"That's right," says the man. "I charged you \$250 for sleeping with my wife." "But I didn't!" exclaims the manager.

"Well," the man replies, "she was here, and you could have."

### **THE PANTS IN THE FAMILY**

A young couple, just married were in their honeymoon suite on their wedding night. As they were undressing for bed, the husband who was a big burly man tossed his pants to his bride and said, "Here, put these on." She put them on and the waist was twice the size of her body. "I

can't wear your pants," she said. "That's right," said the husband, and don't you ever forget it. I'm the man who wears the pants in this family. With that she flipped him her panties and said "Try these on." He tried them on and found he could only get them on as far as his kneecaps.

"Hell," he said. "I can't get into your panties!" She replied, "That's right, and that's the way its going to be until your dang attitude changes!"

### **The paradox of our time in history**

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The paradox of our time in history is that we have taller buildings, but shorter tempers; wider freeways, but narrower viewpoints; we spend more, but have less; we buy more, but enjoy it less.

We have bigger houses and smaller families; more conveniences, but less time; we have more degrees, but less sense; more knowledge, but less judgment; more experts, but more problems; more medicine, but less wellness.

We have multiplied our possessions, but reduced our values. We talk too much, love too seldom, and hate too often. We've learned how to make a living, but not a life; We've added years to life, not life to years.

We've been all the way to the moon and back, but have trouble crossing the street to meet the new neighbor. We've conquered outer space, but not inner space; We've cleaned up the air, but polluted the soul; We've split the atom, but not our prejudice;

We have higher incomes, but lower morals; we've become long on quantity, but short on quality.

These are the times of tall men, and short character; steep profits, and shallow relationships.

These are the times of world peace, but domestic warfare; more leisure, but less fun; more kinds of food, but less nutrition. These are days of two incomes, but more divorce; of fancier houses, but broken homes.

It is a time when there is much in the show window and nothing in the stockroom; a time when technology can bring this letter to you, and a time when you can choose either to make a difference, or to just hit delete...

### **The Skiing Trip**

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Peter decided to go skiing with his buddy, Bob. They loaded up Peter's station wagon and headed north. After driving for a few hours, they got caught in a terrible blizzard. They pulled into a nearby farm house and asked the attractive lady of the house if they could spend the night.

"I'm recently widowed," she explained, "and I'm afraid the neighbors will talk if I let you stay in my house."

"Not to worry," Peter said, "we'll be happy to sleep in the barn."

Nine months later, Peter got a letter from the widow's attorney. He then went up to visit his friend Bob and said, "Bob, do you remember that good-looking widow at the farm we stayed at?"

"Yes, I do."

"Did you happen to get up in the middle of the night, go up to the house and have sex with her?"

"Yes, I have to admit that I did."

"Did you happen to use my name instead of telling her your name?"

Bob's face turned red and he said, "Yeah, I'm afraid I did."

"Well, thanks! She just died and left me everything!"

### **Top Ten Worst Opening Lines of All Time:**

#10 - You look like a hooker I knew in Phoenix.

#9 - You remind me of my dead ex-girlfriend.

#8 - If you were a booger I'd pick you first.

#7 - You look just like my mama. I love my mama.

#6 - Gross! Somebody farted. Let's get out of here.

#5 - Hey, baby, wanna go halves on a bastard?

#4 - So... is it safe to say I'm gonna get lucky tonight?

#3 - You'll do.

#2 - Wow! Are those real?

### **The was a farmer who raised watermelons**

The was a farmer who raised watermelons. He was doing pretty well but he was disturbed by some local kids who would sneak into his watermelon patch at night and eat watermelons. After some careful thought he came up with a clever idea that he thought would scare the kids away for sure.

So he made up the sign and posted it in the field. The next day the kids show up and they see this sign, it says ``Warning, one of the watermelons in this field has been injected with cyanide."''

So the kids run off, make up their own sign and post it next to the sign that the farmer made. The farmer shows up the next week and when he looks over the field he notices that no watermelons are missing but he notices a new sign next to his.

He drives up to the sign which read: ``Now there are two"''.

**There was a little boy with a bad temper.**

His father gave him a bag of nails and told him that every time he lost his temper to hammer a nail in the back fence. The first day the boy had driven 37 nails into the fence. Then it gradually dwindled down. He discovered it was easier to hold his temper than to drive those nails into the fence.

Finally the day came when the boy didn't lose his temper at all. He told his father about it and the father suggested that the boy now pull out one nail for each day that he was able to hold his temper.

The days passed and the young boy was finally able to tell his father that all the nails were gone. The father took his son by the hand and led him to the fence. He said, "You have done well, my son, but look at the holes in the fence. The fence will never be the same. When you say things in anger, they leave a scar just like this one. You can put a knife in a man and draw it out. It won't matter how many times you say I'm sorry, the wound is still there. A verbal wound is as bad as a physical one.

**Friends are a very rare jewel, indeed.**

They make you smile and encourage you to succeed. They lend an ear, they share a word of praise, and they always want to open their hearts to us.

**There was a young woman who lived with her grandmother**

There was a young woman who lived with her grandmother. One night the granddaughter came bouncing down the stairs dressed to go out to a party wearing a see-through blouse without a bra. Her grandmother told her to go back up stairs and "dress decent." The young woman said, "No, I want to show off my rosebuds" and went out the door. The next day the granddaughter came outside to find her grandmother on the porch wearing the see through blouse without a bra. "Grandmother!!



What are you doing? My boyfriend and a couple of other friends are coming over any time now!" She cried, "Please go change your blouse, I'm so embarrassed!!!!"

The older woman replied, "Well if you can show off your rosebuds then I can show off my hanging baskets."

### **There was once a COBOL programmer in the mid to late 1990s**

For the sake of this story, we'll call him Jack. After years of being taken for granted and treated as a technological dinosaur by all the UNIX programmers and Client/Server programmers and website developers, Jack was finally getting some respect. He'd become a private consultant specializing in Year 2000 conversions. He was working short-term assignments for prestige companies, traveling all over the world on different assignments. He was working 70 and 80 and even 90 hour weeks, but it was worth it.

Several years of this relentless, mind-numbing work had taken its toll on Jack. He had problems sleeping and began having anxiety dreams about the Year 2000. It had reached a point where even the thought of the year 2000 made him nearly violent. He must have suffered some sort of breakdown, because all he could think about was how he could avoid the year 2000 and all that came with it.

Jack decided to contact a company that specialized in cryogenics. He made a deal to have himself frozen until March 15th, 2000. This was very expensive process and totally automated. He was thrilled. The next thing he would know is he'd wake up in the year 2000; after the New Year celebrations and computer debacles; after the leap day. Nothing else to worry about except getting on with his life.

He was put into his cryogenic receptacle, the technicians set the revive date, he was given injections to slow his heartbeat to a bare minimum, and that was that.

The next thing that Jack saw was an enormous and very modern room filled with excited people. They were all shouting "I can't believe it!" and "It's a miracle" and "He's alive!". There were cameras (unlike any he'd ever seen) and equipment that looked like it came out of a science fiction movie.

Someone who was obviously a spokesperson for the group stepped forward. Jack couldn't contain his enthusiasm. "It is over?" he asked. "Is 2000 already here? Are all the millennial parties and promotions and crises all over and done with?"

The spokesman explained that there had been a problem with the programming of the timer on Jack's cryogenic receptacle, it hadn't been year 2000 compliant. It was actually eight thousand years later, not the year 2000. But the spokesman told Jack that he shouldn't get excited; someone important wanted to speak to him.

Suddenly a wall-sized projection screen displayed the image of a man that looked very much like Bill Gates. This man was Prime Minister of Earth. He told Jack not to be upset. That this was a wonderful time to be alive. That there was world peace and no more starvation. That the space program had been reinstated and there were colonies on the moon and on Mars. That technology had advanced to such a degree that everyone had virtual reality interfaces which allowed them to contact anyone else on the planet, or to watch any entertainment, or to hear any music recorded anywhere.

"That sounds terrific," said Jack. "But I'm curious. Why is everybody so interested in me?"

"Well," said the Prime Minister. "The year 10000 is just around the

corner, and it says in your files that you know COBOL."

**There's this guy on a bar, just looking at his drink.**

He stays like that for half-an-hour.

Then, this big trouble-making truck driver steps next to him, takes the drink from the guy, and just drinks it all down.

The poor man starts crying. The truck driver says: "Come on man, I was just joking. Here, I'll buy you another drink. I just can't see a man crying."

"No, it's not that. Today is the worst day of my life. First, I fell asleep, and I arrived late at the office. My boss, outraged, fired me. When I left the building to go to my car, I found out it was stolen. The police said they could do nothing. I got a cab to return home, and when I got out I realized that I left my wallet and credit cards there. The cab driver just drove away. So I went home, and when I got there, I found my wife in bed with the gardener. I left home, and came to this bar.

And when I was thinking about putting an end to my life, you showed up and drank my poison . . ."

**THINGY (thing-ee) n.**

female: Any part under a car's hood.

male: The strap fastener on a woman's bra.

**VULNERABLE (vul-ne-ra-bel) adj.**

female: Fully opening up one's self emotionally to another.

male: Playing football without a helmet.

**COMMUNICATION (ko-myoo-ni-kay-shon) n.**

female: The open sharing of thoughts and feelings with one's partner.

male: Scratching out a note before suddenly taking off for a weekend with the boys.

**BUTT** (but) n

female: The body part that every item of clothing manufactured makes "look bigger."

male: what you slap when someone's scored a touchdown, home run, or goal. Also good for mooning.

**COMMITMENT** (ko-mit-ment) n

female: A desire to get married and raise a family.

male: Not trying to pick up other women while out with one's girlfriend.

**ENTERTAINMENT** (en-ter-tayn-ment) n.

female: A good movie, concert, play or book.

male: Anything that can be done while drinking

**FLATULENCE** (flach-u-lens) n.

female: An embarrassing by-product of digestion.

male: An endless source of entertainment, self-expression and male bonding.

**MAKING LOVE** (may-king luv) n.

female: The greatest expression of intimacy a couple can achieve.

male: Call it whatever you want just as long as we end up in bed.

**REMOTE CONTROL** (ri-moht kon-trohl) n

female: A device for changing from one TV channel to another.

male: A device for scanning through all 75 channels every 2 Seconds

**This is a true story from the WordPerfect Help line**

Needless to say the Help Desk employee was fired; however, he/she is currently suing the WordPerfect organization for "Termination without Cause."

Actual dialog of a former WordPerfect Customer Support employee:

"Ridge Hall computer assistant; may I help you?"

"Yes, well, I'm having trouble with WordPerfect."

"What sort of trouble?"

"Well, I was just typing along, and all of a sudden the words went away."

"Went away?"

"They disappeared."

"Hmm. So what does your screen look like now?"

"Nothing."

"Nothing?"

"It's blank; it won't accept anything when I type."

"Are you still in WordPerfect, or did you get out?"

"How do I tell?"

"Can you see the C: prompt on the screen?"

"What's a sea-prompt?"

"Never mind. Can you move the cursor around on the screen?"

"There isn't any cursor: I told you, it won't accept anything I type."

"Does your monitor have a power indicator?"

"What's a monitor?"

"It's the thing with the screen on it that looks like a TV. Does it have a little light that tells you when it's on?"

"I don't know."

"Well, then look on the back of the monitor and find where the power cord goes into it. Can you see that?"

"Yes, I think so."

"Great. Follow the cord to the plug, and tell me if it's plugged into the wall."

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".....Yes, it is."

"When you were behind the monitor, did you notice that there were two cables plugged into the back of it, not just one?"

"No."

"Well, there are. I need you to look back there again and find the other cable."

".....Okay, here it is."

"Follow it for me, and tell me if it's plugged securely into the back of your computer."

"I can't reach."

"Uh huh. Well, can you see if it is?"

"No."

"Even if you maybe put your knee on something and lean way over?"

"Oh, it's not because I don't have the right angle-it's because it's dark."

"Dark?"

"Yes, the office light is off, and the only light I have is coming in from the window."

"Well, turn on the office light then."

"I can't."

"No? Why not?"

"Because there's a power outage."

"A power... A power outage? Aha, Okay, we've got it licked now. Do you still have the boxes and manuals and packing stuff your computer came in?"

"Well, yes, I keep them in the closet."

"Good. Go get them, and unplug your system and pack it up just like it was when you got it. Then take it back to the store you bought it from."

"Really? Is it that bad?"

"Yes, I'm afraid it is."

"Well, all right then, I suppose. What do I tell them?"

"Tell them you're too stupid to own a computer."

**This is reality!**

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### How To Shower Like A Woman

1. Take off the fourteen layers of clothing you put on this morning cause there was a distinct chill in the air due to the temperature dropping below 33 degrees.
2. Walk to bathroom wearing long dressing gown and towel on head. If you see your boyfriend/husband along the way, cover up any exposed flesh immediately, ignore his juvenile turban gags and then rush to bathroom.
3. Look at your womanly physique in the mirror and stick out your gut so that you can complain and whine even more about how you're getting fat.
4. Turn on the hot water only.
5. Get in the shower, once you have found it through all that steam.
6. Look for facecloth, arm cloth, leg cloth, long loofah, wide loofah and pumice stone.
7. Wash your hair once with Cucumber and Lamfrey shampooing with 83 added vitamins.
8. Wash your hair again with Cucumber and Lamfrey shampoo with 83 added vitamins.
9. Wash your hair once more with Cucumber and Lamfrey shampoo with 83 added vitamins.
10. Condition your hair with Cucumber and Lamfrey conditioner enhanced with natural crocus oil. Leave on hair for fifteen minutes.
11. Wash your face with crushed apricot facial scrub for ten minutes until red and raw.

12. Wash entire rest of body with Ginger Nut and Jaffa Cake body wash.
13. Complain bitterly when you realize that your boyfriend/husband has once again been eating your Ginger Nut and Jaffa Cake body wash.
14. Rinse conditioner off hair (this takes at least fifteen minutes as you must make sure that it has all come off).
15. Debate shaving armpits and legs and decide that you can't be bothered, and anyway the hair helps keep you warm.
16. Slick hair back and pretend you're like Bo Derek in 10.
17. Scream loudly when your boyfriend/husband flushes the toilet and you get a rush of cold water.
18. Turn hot water on full and rinse off.
19. Dry with a towel the size of a small African country.
20. Check entire body for the remotest sign of a spot. Attack with nails/tweezers if found.
21. Return to bedroom wearing long dressing gown and towel on head. ]
22. If you see your boyfriend/husband along the way, cover up any exposed flesh immediately, ignore his juvenile turban gags and then rush to bedroom.



### How To Shower Like A Man

1. Take off clothes while sitting on the edge of the bed and leave them in a pile on the floor.
2. Walk naked to the bathroom. If you see your girlfriend/wife along the way, flash her making the "woo" sound.
3. Look at your manly physique in the mirror and suck in your gut to see if you have pecs. (no)
4. Turn on the water, not too hot.
5. Check for pecs again. (no)
6. Get in the shower.
7. Don't bother to look for a washcloth. (you don't use one)
8. Wash your face.
9. Wash your armpits.
12. Wash your privates and surrounding area.
11. Wash your butt, leaving hair on the soap bar.
12. Shampoo your hair. (do not use conditioner)
13. Make a shampoo Mohawk.
14. Pull back shower curtain and look at yourself in the mirror.
15. Pee. (in the shower) ]

16. Rinse off and get out of the shower.
17. Partial dry off.
18. Look at yourself in the mirror, flex muscles.
19. Turn sideways, and flex muscles again.
20. Leave shower curtain open, wet bathmat on floor.
21. Leave bathroom and fan light on.
22. Return to the bedroom wearing a towel, if you pass your girlfriend/wife, flash her making the "woo" sound.
23. Leave wet towel on bedroom floor.

**This was on the Leno show (9-7-99).**

This was on the Leno show (9-7-99). Jay went into the audience to find the most embarrassing first date that a woman ever had.

The winner told about her first date experience. She said it was snowing and cold and the guy took her skiing. It was a day trip (no overnight).

They were strangers, and truly had never met before. The date went OK until they were coming back that afternoon. They were going along in the car and she had to pee real bad, but it was still about an hour or more back to civilization. He said she should try to hold it, and she did for a while. It finally came to the point where she told him that he could either stop and let her pee beside the road, or in the front seat of his car. They stopped and she went out beside the car and pulled her pants down and started. Well,

she didn't have real good balance, so she let her butt rest against the rear fender to steady herself.

He was a real gentleman and looked the other way. When she was finished, she quickly noticed that her warm butt had stuck to the fender. Thoughts of tongues frozen to pump handle nightmares immediately came to mind and she soon realized that she had a real problem. She was thinking of every way she could to get released from his fender.

He was getting a bit concerned too, and finally cried out to her asking if she was OK. Well, with a red face, she said she was freezing her butt off! She finally had to ask for assistance.

Now this isn't the worst of the story, there's more to come. She took off her sweater and covered herself as good as she could and asked him to come around to see if he could help. After the laughter subsided, they assessed the situation. They had a real problem.

They agreed that they needed something warm to melt her butt off of the fender. Thinking about the pee that she just sprinkled on the ground made her think that pee is about the only thing that they had that could get her free.

Well, after exploring every other possible solution, she looked the other way, and so did he, and proceeded to unzip his pants and pee her butt off the fender. The rest of the trip home there wasn't much conversation.

**True story.**

This woman heard that milk baths. This woman heard that milk baths would make you beautiful. She left a note for her milkman to leave 15 gallons of milk. When the milkman read the note he felt there must be a mistake. He thought she probably meant 1.5 gallons, so knocked on the door to clarify the point. The woman came to the door and the milkman

said, "I found your note to leave 15 gallons of milk. Did you mean 15 gallons or 1.5 gallons?"

The woman said, "I want 15 gallons. I'm going to fill my bathtub up with milk and take a milk bath."

The milkman said, "Pasteurized?"

The woman said, "No, just up to my waist."

### **Three beggars are begging in New York City.**

The first one wrote "beg" on his broken steel cup and he received ten bucks after one day.

The second one wrote "beg.com" on his cup and after one day he received hundreds of thousand dollars. Someone even wanted to take him to NASDAQ.

The third one wrote "e-beg" on his cup. Both IBM and HP sent vice-presidents to talk to him about a strategic alliance and offered him free professional consulting.

### **Three women were out golfing**

Three women were out golfing one day and one of them hit her ball into the woods. She went into the woods to look for it and found a frog in a trap. The frog said to her, "If you release me from this trap, I will grant you 3 wishes." The woman freed the frog and the frog said, "Thank you, but I failed to mention that there was a condition to your wishes - that whatever you wish for, your husband will get 10 times more or better!"

The woman said, "That would be okay," and for her first wish, she wanted to be the most beautiful woman in the world.

The frog warned her, "You do realize that this wish will also make your husband the most handsome man in the world, an Adonis, that women will flock to."

The woman replied, "That will be okay because I will be the most beautiful woman and he will only have eyes for me." So, POOF - she's the most beautiful woman in the world!

For her second wish, she wanted to be the richest woman in the world. The frog said, "That will make your husband the richest man in the world and he will be ten times richer than you."

The woman said, "That will be okay because what is mine is his and what is his is mine." So, POOF - she's the richest woman in the world!

The frog then inquired about her third wish, and she answered, "I'd like a mild heart attack."

### **Tired of working**

For a couple years I've been blaming it on iron deficient blood, lack of vitamins, dieting and a dozen other maladies. But now I found out the real reason. I'm tired because I'm overworked. The population of this country is 237 million. 104 million are retired. That leaves 133 million to do the work. There are 85 million in school, which leave 48 million to do the work. Of this there are 29 million employed by the federal government. This leaves 19 million to do the work. Four million are in the Armed Forces, which leaves 15 million to do the work.

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Take from the total the 14,800,000 people who work for State and City Government and that leaves 200,000 to do the work. There are 188,000 ill and in hospitals, so that leaves 12,000 to do the work.

Now, there are 11,998 people in Prisons. That leaves just two people to do the work. You and me. And you're sitting there screwing around on e-mail.

**To women**

IS THERE A KEG IN YOUR PANTS.....BECAUSE I REALLY WANNA TAP THAT ASS!!!!!!

Hey lets play house, you can be the screen door and I will slam you all night long

Your dad is a theif \*why\* Because he stole all the stars from the sky and put them in your eyes:)

HEY BABY, YOUR PANTS ARE LIKE A MIRROR, I CAN SEE MYSELF IN THEM!!!!

HEY BABY YOU CAN CALL ME MILK BECAUSE ILL DO YOUR BODY GOOOD!!!!

ARE U GREEK? NO WHY? DO U WANT SOME IN YA???

DO U HAVE A LISENCE? NO WHY? CAUSE YOUR DRIVIN MEEH CRAZY

U AND ME ADD A BED MINUS THE CLOTHES DIVED THE LEGS THEN MULTIPLY

Hey I'm no Fred Flintstone but will make your BED ROCK!!

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Your daddy must be a drug dealer, cuz baby, you're dope!

Your last name must be Gillete, cuz you're the best a man can get!  
You must be from Pearl Harbor cuz baby you're da bomb!

I lost my phone number, can I have yours?

I lost my teddy bear, can I sleep with you tonight?

If I followed you home would you keep me?

Girl, you so fine, I wish I could plant you and grow a whole field of you!

There must be something wrong with my eyes, I can't take them off you

I'm wearing clothes, you're wearing clothes, ya know we have something in common...we should get together and do something sometime

Girl you look so good I could put you on a plate and sop you up with a biscuit!

Are you religious? Because I'm the answer to all your prayers!

Would you like to dance? 'No' I'm sorry, you must have misunderstood me ,I said you look fat in those pants!

You're as sweet as Hershey's chocolate-speaking of Hershey's, how about a kiss?

I'm Irish, do you have any Irish in you? Would you like some?

My name's [your name] but you can call me 'lover'

Are you lost? Because Heaven's a long way from here

I'm not trying anything ,I always put my hands there!

Is your father a mechanic? Then how'd you get such a finely tuned body?

Got a name? Or shall I call you mine?

### TOP TEN TYSON JOKES

NO. 10

Tyson already has his next fight lined up, with Lorena Bobbitt. Winner eats all.

NO. 9

This gives new meaning to "lunch box"

NO. 8

Reporter: "Evander, what did you think when Tyson bit off your ear?"

Holyfield: "What?"

NO. 7

Spock-vs.-Tyson bout hastily canceled

NO. 6

What did Mike Tyson say to Van Gogh?

"You gonna eat that?"

NO. 5

Did you hear about the new Mike Tyson computer?

It has two bytes and no memory



NO. 4

Next bout: Tyson vs. Hannibal Lecter, with Julia Child to referee.  
To be held in Hungary. Billed as, "The snackfest in Budapest."

NO. 3

How does Mike Tyson differ from Metallica?  
Metallica leaves a ringing in your ears. Tyson leaves your ear in a ring.

NO. 2

Slogans for Tyson-Holyfield III

Dahmer vs. Psalmer

The Last Supper

Ear-Reconcilable Differences

Grazing Bull

You Wanna Piece of Me?

Blood Sweat and Ears

No Lobe Lost

Bite of the Century

Because you're dumb enough to pay for it.

NO. 1

When interviewed after the fight, Tyson's first remarks were "it tasted like chicken."

**True Headline WANTED FOR ATTEMPTED MURDER (the actual AP headline)**

Linda Burnett, 23, a resident of San Diego, was visiting her in laws, and while there went to a nearby supermarket to pick up some groceries. Several people noticed her sitting in her car with the windows rolled up and with her eyes closed, with both hands behind the back of her head. One customer who had been at the store for a while became concerned and

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walked over to the car. He noticed that Linda's eyes were now open, and she looked very strange.

He asked her if she was okay, and Linda replied that she'd been shot in the back of the head, and had been holding her brains in for over an hour.

The man called the paramedics, who broke into the car because the doors were locked and Linda refused to remove her hands from her head. When they finally got in, they found that Linda had a wad of bread dough on the back of her head.

A Pillsbury biscuit canister had exploded from the heat, making a loud noise that sounded like a gunshot, and the wad of dough hit her in the back of her head. When she reached back to find out what it was, she felt the dough and thought it was her brains. She initially passed out, but quickly recovered and tried to hold her brains in for over an hour until someone noticed and came to her aid.

And, yes, Linda is a blonde.

### **Two attorneys boarded a flight out of Seattle.**

Two attorneys boarded a flight out of Seattle. One sat in the window seat, the other sat in the middle seat. Just before take-off, a physician got on and took the aisle seat next to the two attorneys. The physician kicked off his shoes, wiggled his toes and was settling in when the attorney in the window seat said, "I think I'll get up and get a coke. "

"No problem," said the physician, "I'll get it for you."

While he was gone, one of the attorneys picked up the physician's shoe and spat in it.

When he returned with the coke, the other attorney said, "That looks good, I think I'll have one too."

Again, the physician obligingly went to fetch it and while he was gone, the other attorney picked up the other shoe and spat in it. The physician returned and they all sat back and enjoyed the flight. As the plane was landing, the physician slipped his feet into his shoes and knew immediately what had happened.

"How long must this go on?" he asked.

"This fighting between our professions? This hatred?

This animosity? This spitting in shoes and pissing in cokes?"

### **Two golfers were being held up as the twosome**

Two golfers were being held up as the twosome of women in front of them whiffed shots, hunted for lost balls and stood over putts for what seemed like hours. "I'll ask if we can play through,"

Bill said as he strode toward the women. Twenty yards from the green, however, he turned on his heel and went back to where his companion was waiting. "Can't do it," he explained, sheepishly.

"One of them's my wife and the other's my mistress!" "I'll ask," said Jim.

He started off, only to turn and come back before reaching the green.

"What's wrong?" Bill asked. "Small world, isn't it?"

### **Two morons were working on a house**

The one who was nailing down siding would reach into his nail pouch, pull out a nail and either toss it over his shoulder or nail it in. The other nut, figuring this was worth looking into, asked, "Why are you throwing those nails away?"

The first explained, "If I pull a nail out of my pouch and it's pointed toward me,

I throw it away 'cause it's defective. If it's pointed toward the house, then I nail it in!"

The second moron got completely upset and yelled, "You moron! The nails pointed toward you aren't defective! They're for the other side of the house!"

### **Two nuns**

Two nuns, Sister Marilyn and Sister Helen, are traveling through Europe in their car.

They get to Transylvania and are stopped at a traffic light. Suddenly, out of nowhere, a diminutive Dracula jumps onto the hood of the car and hisses through the windshield.

"Quick, quick!" shouts Sister Marilyn. "What shall we do?"

"Turn the windshield wipers on. That will get rid of the abomination," says Sister Helen.

Sister Marilyn switches them on, knocking Dracula about, but he clings on and continues hissing at the nuns. "What shall I do now?" she shouts.

"Switch on the windshield washer. I filled it up with Holy Water in the Vatican," says Sister Helen.

Sister Marilyn turns on the windshield washer. Dracula screams as the water burns his skin, but he clings on and continues hissing at the nuns.

"Now what?" shouts Sister Marilyn.

"Show him your cross," says Sister Helen.

"Now you're talking," says Sister Marilyn as she opens the window and shouts, "Get the hell off our car!"

**Typical Male decision Process!!**

A man is dating three women and wants to decide which to marry. He decides to give them a test. He gives each woman a present of \$5000 and watches to see what they do with the money.

The first does a total makeover. She goes to a fancy beauty salon, gets her hair done, new make up and buys several new outfits and dresses up very nicely for the man. She tells him that she has done this to be more attractive for him because she loves him so much. The man was impressed.

The second goes shopping to buy the man gifts. She gets him a new set of golf clubs, some new gizmos for his computer, and some expensive clothes. As she presents these gifts, she tells him that she has spent all the money on him because she loves him so much. Again, the man is impressed.

The third invests the money in the stock market. She earns several times the \$5000. She gives him back his \$5000 and reinvests the remainder in a joint account. She tells him that she wants to save for their future because she loves him so much. Obviously, the man was impressed.

The man thought for a long time about what each woman had done with the money, and then he. . . . .

.  
. Married the one with the largest tits.

**Vacation Pay Memo**

January 4, 2000

Dear Valued Employee:

Re: Vacation Pay

Our records indicate that you have not used any vacation time over the past 100 year(s). As I'm sure you are aware, employees are granted 3 weeks of paid leave per year or pay in lieu of time off. One additional week is granted for every 5 years of service.

Please either take 9,400 days off work or notify our office and your next pay check will reflect payment of \$8,277,432.22 which will include all pay and interest for the past 1,200 months.

Sincerely,  
Automated Payroll Processing

**We've all been there**

Date: 2/8/2000 6:30 AM

RE: We'vw all been there

THE CORPORATE LADDER

Original message from Grunt Programmer to Lead Programmer:

"We can't do this proposed project. **\*\*CAN NOT\*\***.

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The proposed project will involve a major design change and no one in our team knows the design of this legacy system. Above that, nobody in our company knows the language in which this application has been written. So even if somebody wants to work on it, they can't.

If you ask my personal opinion, the company should never take these type of projects."

Follow-up message from Lead Programmer to Project Manager:

"This project will involve a design change.

Currently, we don't have any staff who has experience in this type of work. Also, the language is unfamiliar to us, so we will have to arrange for some training if we take this project.

In my personal opinion, we are not ready to take on a project of this nature."

Follow-up message from Project Manager to 1st Level Manager "This project would involve a design change in the system and we don't have much experience in that arena.

Also, not many people in our company are appropriately trained for it.

In my personal opinion, we might be able to do the project but we would need more time than usual to complete it."

Message from 1st Level Manager to Senior Level Manager:

"This project involves design re-engineering.

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We have some people who have worked in this area and others who know the implementation language. So they can train other people.

In my personal opinion we should take this project, but with caution."

Message progressing from Senior Level Manager to CEO:

"This project will demonstrate to the industry our capabilities in remodeling the design of a complete legacy system.

We have all the necessary skills and people to execute this project successfully. Some people have already given in-house training in this area to other staff members.

In my personal opinion, we should not let this project slip by us under any circumstances."

Message continuing on from CEO to Client:

"This is the type of project in which our company specializes.

We have executed many projects of the same nature for many large clients. Trust me when I say that we are the most competent firm in the industry for doing this kind of work. It is my personal opinion that we can execute this project successfully and well within the given time frame."

### **What happen**

Virginity like bubble - one prick all gone

Man who run in front of car get tired

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Man who run behind car get exhausted

Man with hand in pocket feel cocky all day

Foolish man give wife grand piano, wise man give wife upright organ

Man who walk thru airport turnstile sideways going to Bangkok

Man with one chopstick go hungry

Man who scratches ass should not bite fingernails

Man who eat many prunes get good run for money

Baseball is wrong, man with four balls cannot walk

Panties not best thing on earth but next best thing on earth

War doesn't determine who is right, war determines who is left

Wife who put husband in doghouse soon find him in cathouse

Man who fight with wife all day get no piece at night

It take many nails to build crib but one screw to fill it

Man who drive like hell bound to get there

Man who stand on toilet is high on pot

Man who lives in glass house should change clothes in basement

Man who fishes in other man's well often catches crabs

Man who farts in church sits in own pew

Crowded elevator smells different to midget....

### **WHAT NOT TO NAME YOUR DOG**

Everybody Who has a dog calls him "Rover" or "Boy" I call mine Sex. Now, Sex has been very embarrassing to me. When I went to City hall to renew his license, I told the Clerk I would like to have a license for Sex. He said "I'd like to have one too" Then I said, "But this is a dog " He said he didn't care what she looked like. Then I said, "You don't understand I've had Sex since I was nine years old. He said I must have been quite a kid.

When I got married and went on my honeymoon, I took the dog with me. I told the motel clerk that I wanted a room for my wife and me, and a special room for Sex. He said, "that every room was for sex." I said "You don't understand. Sex keeps me awake at night " The elerk sait, "Me too."

One day I entered Sex in a contest but before the competition began, the dog ran away. Another contestant asked me why I was just standing there looking around. I told him that I have planned to have Sex in the contest. He told me that we should have sold tickets. "But you don't understand," I said, "I had hoped to have Sex on TV." He called me a show-off.

When my wife and I separated, we went to court to fight for custody of the dog. I said, "Your honor, I had Sex before I was married " The Judge said, "me too." Then I told him that after I married, Sex left me." He said, "me too."

Last night Sex ran off again. I spent hours looking around town for him. A cop came over to me and asked what I was doing in the alley at 4 o'clock in the morning. I said, "I'm looking for Sex "  
My case is comes up Friday.

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## WHAT WOMEN DO

WOMEN have strengths that amaze men. They carry children, they carry hardships, they carry burdens, but they hold happiness, love and joy. They smile when they want to scream. They sing when they want to cry. They cry when they are happy and laugh when they are nervous.

WOMEN wait by the phone for a "safe at home call" from a friend or relative after a snowy drive home.

WOMEN have special qualities about them. They volunteer for good causes. They are pink ladies in hospitals, they bring food to shut-ins. They are childcare workers, executives, attorneys, stay-at-home moms, biker babes and your neighbors. They wear suits, jeans, and they wear uniforms. They fight for what they believe in. They stand up for injustice. They are in the front row at PTA meetings. They vote for the person that will do the best job for family issues.

WOMEN walk and talk the extra mile to get their children in the right schools and for getting their family the right health care. They write to the editor, their congressmen and to the "powers that be" for things that make for a better life. They don't take "no" for an answer when they believe there is a better solution.

WOMEN stick a love note in their husband's lunch box. They do without new shoes so their children can have them. They go to the doctor with a frightened friend. They love unconditionally.

WOMEN are honest, loyal, and forgiving. They are smart, knowing that knowledge is power; but they still know how to use their softer side to make a point.

WOMEN want to be the best for their family, their friends, and themselves. They cry when their children excel and cheer when their friends get awards. WOMEN are happy (or cry) when they hear about a birth or a new marriage. Their hearts break when a friend dies. They have sorrow at the loss of a family member, yet they are strong when they think there is no strength left.

A WOMAN'S touch can cure any ailment. They know that a hug and a kiss can heal a broken heart. She can make a romantic evening unforgettable.

WOMEN come in all sizes, in all colors and shapes. They live in homes, apartments and cabins. They drive, fly, walk, run or e-mail you to show how much they care about you. The heart of a woman is what makes the world spin!

WOMEN do more than just give birth. They bring joy and hope. They give compassion and ideals. They give moral support to their family and friends. All they want back is a hug, a smile and for you to do the same to people you come in contact with.

Women have a lot to say and a lot to give. The beauty of a woman is not in the clothes she wears, the figure that she carries, or the way she combs her hair. The beauty of a woman must be seen from in her eyes, because that is the doorway to her heart, the place where love resides. The beauty of a woman is not in a facial mole, but true beauty in a woman is reflected in her soul. It is the caring that she lovingly gives, the passion that she shows, and the beauty of a woman with passing years only grows!

### **When you are dating**

When you are dating...Farting is never an issue

When you are married...You make sure there's nothing flammable near your husband at all times

When you are dating...He takes you out to have a good time

When you are married...He brings home a six-pack, and says "What are you going to drink?"

When you are dating...He holds your hand in public  
When you are married...He flicks your ear in public

When you are dating...A Single bed for two isn't THAT bad  
When you are married...A King size bed feels like an army cot

When you are dating...You are turned on at the sight of him naked  
When you are married...You think to yourself..."Was he ALWAYS this hairy????"

When you are dating...You enjoyed foreplay  
When you are married...You tell him "If we have sex, will you leave me alone???"

When you are dating...He hugs you, when he walks by you for no reason  
When you are married...He grabs your boob any chance he gets

When you are dating...You picture the two of you together, growing old together  
When you are married...You wonder who will die first

When you are dating...Just looking at him makes you feel all "mushy"  
When you are married...When you look at him, you want to claw his eyes out.

When you are dating...He knows what the "hamper" is  
When you are married...The floor will suffice as a dirty clothes storage area

When you are dating...He understands if you "aren't in the mood"  
When you are married...He says "It's your job."

When you are dating...He understands that you have "male" friends  
When you are married...He thinks they are all out to steal you away

When you are dating...He likes to "discuss" things  
When you are married...He develops a "blank" stare

When you are dating...He calls you by name  
When you are married...He calls you "Hey" and refers to you when speaking to others as "She."

### **Whoa!**

What in the world is happening with our kids today? Whoa! What in the world is happening with our kids today? Let's see...I think it started when Madeline Murray O'Hare complained that she didn't want any prayer in our schools, and we said OK.

Then someone said you had better not read the Bible in school-the Bible that says thou shalt not kill, thou shalt not steal, and love your neighbor as yourself. And we said, OK.

Remember Dr. Benjamin Spock, who said we shouldn't spank our children when they misbehave, because their little personalities would be warped and we might damage their self-esteem? And we said, OK, we won't spank them.

Then someone said that teachers and principals better not discipline our children when they misbehave. And our administrators said whoa, no one in this school better touch a student when they misbehave because we don't want any bad publicity, and we surely don't want to be sued.

Then someone said, let's let our daughters have abortions if they want, and we won't even have to tell their parents. And we said, that's a grand idea.

Then someone else said, let's give our sons all the condoms they want, so they can have all the "fun" they desire, and we won't have to tell their parents. And we said, that's another great idea.

And then some of our top officials said that it doesn't matter what we do in private as long as we do our jobs. And we said, as long as I have a job and the economy is good, it doesn't matter to me what anyone does in private.

So now we're asking ourselves why our children have no conscience, why they don't know right from wrong, and why it doesn't bother them to kill.

Probably, if we think about it long and hard enough, we can figure it out. I think it has a great deal to do with "we reap what we sow".

### **WHY WE'RE GLAD WE'RE WOMEN**

We got off the Titanic first.

We can scare male bosses with mysterious gynecological disorder excuses.

We can be groupies. Male groupies are stalkers.

We've never lusted after a cartoon character or the central figure in a computer game.

Taxis stop for us.

We don't look like a frog in a blender when dancing.

Free drinks, Free dinners, Free movies (you get the point).

New lipstick gives us a whole new lease on life.

No fashion faux pas we make could ever rival The Speedo.

We don't have to fart to amuse ourselves.

If we forget to shave, no one has to know.

We can congratulate our teammate without ever touching her butt.

We never have to reach down every so often to make sure our privates are still there.

If we're dumb, some people will find it cute.

We have the ability to dress ourselves.

We can talk to people of the opposite sex without having to picture them naked.

If we marry someone 20 years younger, we're aware that we look like an idiot.

There are times when chocolate really can solve all your problems.

We'll never regret piercing our ears.

We can fully assess a person just by looking at their shoes.

We'll never discover we've been duped by a Wonder bra.

Send this to five bright women you know and make their day.

### Wise Advice From Kids

1. Never trust a dog to watch your food. - Patrick, age 10
2. When your dad is mad and asks you, "Do I look stupid?" don't answer him. - Michael, 14
3. Never tell your mom her diet's not working. - Michael, 14
4. Stay away from prunes. - Randy, 9
5. Never pee on an electric fence. - Robert, 13
6. Don't squat with your spurs on. - Noronha, 13
7. Don't pull dad's finger when he tells you to. - Emily, 10
8. When your mom is mad at your dad, don't let her brush your hair. - Taylia, 11
9. Never allow your three-year old brother in the same room as your school assignment. - Traci, 14
10. Don't sneeze in front of mom when you're eating crackers. - Mitchell, 12
11. Puppies still have bad breath even after eating a tic tac. - Andrew, 9
12. Never hold a dust buster and a cat at the same time. - Kyoyo, 9
13. You can't hide a piece of broccoli in a glass of milk. - Armir, 9
14. Don't wear polka-dot underwear under white shorts. - Kellie, 11
15. If you want a kitten, start out by asking for a horse. - Naomi, 15
16. Felt markers are not good to use as lipstick. - Lauren, 9



17. Don't pick on your sister when she's holding a baseball bat. - Joel,
18. When you get a bad grade in school, show it to your mom when she's on the phone. - Alysha, 13
19. Never try to baptize a cat. - Eileen, 8

### **Year Zero Problem**

While browsing through some dust covered archival material in the recesses of the Roman Section of the British Museum a researcher recently came across a tattered bit of parchment. After some effort he translated it and found that it was a letter from a man named Plutonium with the title of "Magister Fastorium," or keeper of the calendar, to one Cassius. It was dated, strangely enough, 2 BC, November 24 or 2000 years ago. The text of the message follows:

Dear Cassius,

Are you still working on the Y zero K problem? This change from BC to AD is giving us a lot of headaches and we haven't much time left. I don't know how people will cope with working the wrong way around. Having been working happily downwards forever, now we have to start thinking upwards. You would think that someone would have thought of it earlier and not left it to us to sort it all out at this last minute.

I spoke to Caesar the other evening. He was livid that Julius hadn't done something about it when he was sorting out the calendar. He said he could see why Brutus turned nasty. We called in the consulting astrologers, but they simply said that continuing downwards using minus BC won't work. As usual, the consultants charged a fortune for doing nothing useful. As for myself, I just can't see the sand in an hour glass flowing upwards.

We have heard that there are three wise men in the East who have been working on the problem, but unfortunately they won't arrive until it's all over. Some say the world will cease to exist at the moment of transition.

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Anyway we are still continuing to work on this blasted Y zero K problem and I will send you a parchment if anything further develops.

Yeah, I know, you heard it before, but I still like it.

A typical macho man married a typical good-looking lady. After the wedding, he laid down the following rules:

"I'll be home when I want, if I want and at what time I want - and I don't expect any hassle from you. I expect a great dinner to be on the table, unless I tell you otherwise. I'll go hunting, fishing, boozin', and card-playing when I want with my old buddies and don't you give me a hard time about it. Those are my rules. Any comments?"

His new bride said, "No, that's fine with me. Just understand that there'll be sex here at seven o'clock every night - whether you're here or not."

### **You think you've been having a bad day?**

Read this!

This was an article in the CALIFORNIA EXAMINER, March 20, 1998 Fire Authorities in California found a corpse in a burnt out section of a forest while assessing the damage done by a forest fire. The deceased male was dressed in a full wet suit, complete with a dive tank, flippers and face mask. A post-mortem examination revealed that the person died not from burns but from massive internal injuries. Dental records provided a positive identification. Investigators then set about determining how a fully clad diver ended up in the middle of a forest fire. It was revealed that, on the day of the fire, the person went for a diving trip off the coast-some 20 miles away from the forest. The firefighters, seeking to control the fire as quickly as possible, called in a fleet of helicopters with very large buckets. The buckets were dropped into the ocean for rapid filling, then flown to the forest fire and emptied. You guessed it. One minute our diver was making like

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Flipper in the Pacific, the next the was doing a breaststroke in a fire bucket 300 feet in the air. Apparently, he extinguished exactly 5'10" of the fire. Some days it just doesn't pay to get out of bed.

You think you've been having a bad day?

A typical macho man married a typical good-looking lady. After the wedding, he laid down the following rules: "I'll be home when I want, if I want and at what time I want - and I don't expect any hassle from you. I expect a great dinner to be on the table, unless I tell you otherwise. I'll go hunting, fishing, boozin', and card-playing when I want with my old buddies and don't you give me a hard time about it. Those are my rules. Any comments? "His new bride said, "No, that's fine with me. Just understand that there'll be sex here at seven o'clock every night - whether you're here or not."

You think you've been having a bad day?

Following is taken from a Florida newspaper A man was working on his motorcycle on his patio and his wife was in the house in the kitchen. The man was racing the engine on the motorcycle and somehow, the motorcycle slipped into gear. The man, still holding the handlebars, was dragged through a glass patio door and along with the motorcycle dumped onto the floor inside the house. The wife, hearing the crash, ran into the dining room, and found her husband laying on the floor, cut and bleeding, the motorcycle laying next to him and the patio door shattered. The wife ran to the phone and summoned an ambulance. Because they lived on a fairly large hill, the wife went down the several flights of long steps to the street to direct the paramedics to her husband. After the ambulance arrived and transported the husband to the hospital, the wife up righted the motorcycle and pushed it outside. Since gas had spilled on the floor, the wife obtained some papers towels, blotted the gasoline, and threw the towels in the toilet. The husband was treated at the hospital and was released to come home. After arriving

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home, he looked at the shattered patio door and the damage done to his motorcycle. He became despondent, went into the bathroom, sat on the toilet and smoked a cigarette. After finishing the cigarette, he flipped it between his legs into the toilet bowl while still seated. The wife, who was in the kitchen, heard a loud explosion and her husband screaming. She ran into the bathroom and found her husband lying on the floor. His trousers had been blown away and he was suffering burns on the buttocks, the back of his legs and his groin. The wife again ran to the phone and called for an ambulance. The same ambulance crew was dispatched and the wife met them at the street. The paramedics loaded the husband on the stretcher and began carrying him to the street. While they were going down the stairs to the street accompanied by the wife, one of the paramedics asked the wife how the husband had burned himself. She told them and the paramedics started laughing so hard, one of them tipped the stretcher and dumped the husband out. He fell down the remaining steps and broke his arm.

### **Young people are a prime source of embarrassing statements and bone-headed bloopers**

Now it seems that their teachers are sharing all this on the Net.

History teacher and author Richard Lederer strung together a loose history of the world based on unusual statements in student essays. For example: Socrates died from an overdose of wedlock.

Magna Carta provided that no free man should be hanged twice for the same offense.

Martin Luther was nailed to the church door at Wittenberg.

Lincoln's mother died in infancy, and he was born in a log cabin which he built with his own hands.

Net humorist Tina Mancuso collects and shares strange statements in fifth and sixth grade science papers:

Question: What is one horsepower? Answer: One horsepower is the amount of energy it takes to drag a horse 500 feet in one second.

We say the cause of perfume disappearing is evaporation. Evaporation gets blamed for a lot of things people forget to put the top on.

To most people solutions mean finding the answers. But to chemists solutions are things that are still all mixed up.

You can listen to thunder after lightening and tell how close you came to getting hit. If you don't hear it you got hit, so never mind.

Some people can tell what time it is by looking at the sun. But I have never been able to make out the numbers.

In looking at a drop of water under a microscope, we find there are twice as many H's as O's.

Clouds are high flying fogs.

### Young Teens

A priest was passing a group of young teens sitting on the Church lawn and stopped to ask what they were doing.

"Nothing much Father," replied the one lad. "We're just seeing who can tell the biggest lie about their sex life."

"Boys! Boys! Boys!" he intoned. "I'm shocked. Why when I was your age, I never even thought about sex at all."

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They all replied, pretty much in unison, "You win Father!"

### Some of Vincent Van Gogh's Lesser Known Relatives

- The grandfather who moved to Yugoslavia ...  
    \_\_\_> U. Gogh
- The brother who accidentally bleached all his clothes white  
    \_\_\_> Hue Gogh
- The real obnoxious brother ...  
    \_\_\_> Please Gogh
- The brother who ate prunes ...  
    \_\_\_> Gotta Gogh
- The uncle who worked at a convenience store ...  
    \_\_\_> Stop N. Gogh
- His dizzy aunt ...  
    \_\_\_> Verti Gogh
- His domineering aunt...  
    \_\_\_> Vira Gogh
- The cousin who moved to Illinois ...  
    \_\_\_> Chica Gogh
- His magician uncle ...  
    \_\_\_> Wherediddy Gogh
- The cousin who lived in Mexico ...  
    \_\_\_> Ameer Gogh
- The cousin who had problems with the language ...  
    \_\_\_> Ling Gogh
- He also had a Filipino relative ...  
    \_\_\_> Grin Gogh
- The nephew that drove a stage coach ..

- \_\_\_> Wells Far Gogh
- The uncle who was constipated ...  
\_\_\_> Cant Gogh
- The aunt who loved ballroom dancing ...  
\_\_\_> Tan Gogh
- His ornithologist uncle ...  
\_\_\_> Flamin Gogh
- His nephew, the Freudian psychoanalyst ...  
\_\_\_> E. Gogh
- His cousin who loved tropical fruits ...  
\_\_\_> Mang Gogh
- And he had an aunt who taught the power of positive thinking  
\_\_\_> Whey Too Gogh
- His bouncy young nephew ...  
\_\_\_> Poe Gogh
- His Disco\_loving sister ...  
\_\_\_> Go Gogh
- And his niece, who's been traveling the U.S. in a van ...  
\_\_\_> Winnie Bay Gogh
- His nephew, who was president of the police at Berlin in 1920 ...  
\_\_\_> J.A. Gogh
- And his niece, also loving colours as her uncle ...  
\_\_\_> In. D. Gogh

**THINGS YOU WOULD NEVER KNOW WITHOUT THE MOVIES**

During all police investigations it will be necessary to visit a strip club at least once.

All telephone numbers in America begin with the digits 555. Most dogs are immortal.

If being chased through town, you can usually take cover in a passing St. Patrick's Day parade \_ at any time of the year.

All beds have special L-shaped cover sheets which reach up to the armpit level on a woman but only to waist level on the man lying beside her.

All grocery shopping bags contain at least one stick of French Bread.

It's easy for anyone to land a plane providing there is someone in the control tower to talk you down.

Once applied, lipstick will never rub off \_ even while scuba diving.

The ventilation system of any building is the perfect hiding place. No one will ever think of looking for you in there and you can travel to any other part of the building you want without difficulty.

If you need to reload your gun, you will always have more ammunition \_ even if you haven't been carrying any before now.

You're very likely to survive any battle in any war unless you make the mistake of showing someone a picture of your sweetheart back home.

Should you wish to pass yourself off as a German officer, it will not be necessary to speak the language. A German accent will do.

If your town is threatened by an imminent natural disaster or killer beast, the mayor's first concern will be the tourist trade or his forthcoming art exhibition.

The Eiffel Tower can be seen from any window in Paris.

A man will show no pain while taking the most ferocious beating but will wince when a woman tries to clean his wounds.

If a large pane of glass is visible, someone will be thrown through it before long.

The Chief of Police is always black.

When paying for a taxi, don't look at your wallet as you take out a bill \_just grab one at random and hand it over. It will always be the exact fare.

A Interbreeding is genetically possible with any creature from elsewhere in the universe



.Kitchens don't have light switches. When entering a kitchen at night, you should open the fridge door and use that light instead.

If staying in a haunted house, women should investigate any strange noises in their most revealing underwear.

Word processors never display a cursor on screen but will always say: Enter Password Now.

Mothers routinely cook eggs, bacon and waffles for their family every morning even though their husband and children never have time to eat it.

Cars that crash will almost always burst into flames.

The Chief of Police will always suspend his star detective\_ or give him 48 hours to finish the job.

A single match will be sufficient to light up a room the size of RFK Stadium.

Medieval peasants had perfect teeth.

Although in the 20th century it is possible to fire weapons at an object out of our visual range, people of the 23rd century will have lost this technology.

Any person waking from a nightmare will sit bolt upright and pant. It is not necessary to say hello or good\_bye when beginning or ending phone conversations.

Even when driving down a perfectly straight road it is necessary to turn the steering wheel vigorously from left to right every few moments.

All bombs are fitted with electronic timing devices with large red readouts so you know exactly when they're going to go off.

It is always possible to park directly outside the building you are visiting.

A detective can only solve a case once he has been suspended from duty.

If you decide to start dancing in the street, everyone you bump into will know all the steps.

Most laptop computers are powerful enough to override the communication systems of any invading alien civilization

It does not matter if you are heavily outnumbered in a fight involving martial arts \_ your enemies will wait patiently to attack you one by one by dancing around in a threatening manner until you have knocked out their predecessors.

When a person is knocked unconscious by a blow to the head, they will never suffer a concussion or brain damage.

No\_one involved in a car chase, hijacking, explosion, volcanic eruption or alien invasion will ever go into shock

Police Departments give their officers personality tests to make sure they are deliberately assigned a partner who is their total opposite

When they are alone, all foreigners prefer to speak English to each other.

You can always find a chain saw when you need one

Any lock can be picked by a credit card or a paper clip in seconds \_ unless it's the door to a burning building with a child trapped inside.

An electric fence, powerful enough to kill a dinosaur will cause no lasting damage to an eight year old child.

Television news bulletins usually contain a story that affects you personally at that precise moment.

### **New Boots**

Sam and Bessie are senior citizens, and Sam has always wanted an expensive pair of alligator cowboy boots. Seeing them on sale one day, he buys a pair and wears them home, asking Bessie, "So, do you notice anything different bout me?" "What's different? It's the same shirt you wore

yesterday and the same pants." "What's different?" Frustrated, Sam goes into the bathroom, undresses and comes out completely naked, wearing only his new boots. Again he says, "Bessie, do you notice anything different?" "What's different, Sam? It's hanging down today; it was hanging down yesterday and it will be hanging down again tomorrow." Angrily, Sam yells, "Do you know why it's hanging down? 'Cause it's looking at my new boots!!" Bessie replies, "You shoulda bought a hat!"

### **Business is Business**

After watching sales falling off for three straight months at Kentucky Fried Chicken, the Colonel calls up the Pope and asks for a favor. The Pope says, "What can I do?"

"The Colonel says, "I need you to change the daily prayer from, 'Give us this day our daily bread' to 'Give us this day our daily chicken'. If you do it, I'll donate 10 Million Dollars to the Vatican."

The Pope replies, "I am sorry. That is the Lord's prayer and I can not change the words."

So the Colonel hangs up. After another month of dismal sales, the Colonel panics, and calls again. "Listen your Excellency. I really need your help. I'll donate \$50 million dollars if you change the words of the daily prayer from 'Give us this day our daily bread' to 'Give us this day our daily chicken.'"

And the Pope responds, "It is very tempting, Colonel Sanders. The church could do a lot of good with that much money. It would help us to support many charities. But, again, I must decline. It is the Lord's prayer, and I can't change the words."

So the Colonel gives up again. After two more months of terrible sales. The Colonel gets desperate. "This is my final offer, your Excellency. If you

change the words of the daily prayer from, 'Give us this day our daily bread' to 'Give us this day our daily chicken' I will donate \$100 million to the Vatican."

The Pope replies, "Let me get back to, you." So the next day, the Pope calls together all of his bishops and he says, "I have some good news and I have some bad news. The good news is that KFC is going to donate \$100 million to the Vatican." The bishops rejoice at the news. Then one asks about the bad news. The Pope replies, "The bad news is that we lost the Wonder Bread account."

**An elderly couple had been dating for some time and decided it was finally time to marry.**

Before the wedding they embarked on a long conversation regarding how their marriage might work. They discussed finances, living arrangements and so on. Finally the old man decided it was time to broach the subject of their connubial relationship. "How do you feel about sex?" he asked, rather hopefully. "Well, I'd have to say I like it infrequently," she responded. The old guy paused....then he asked, "Was that one word or two?"

### **AMERICAN MOVIE RATING SYSTEM EXPLAINED**

- G: Nobody gets the girl.
- PG: The Good Guy Gets The Girl.
- R: The Bad Guy Gets The Girl.
- X: Everybody Gets The Girl.
- XXX: Everybody gets the girl, her mother, and their cocker spaniel.

### **THINGS AREN'T ALWAYS WHAT THEY SEEM**

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Two traveling angels stopped to spend the night in the home of a wealthy family. The family was rude and refused to let the angels stay in the mansion's guestroom. Instead the angels were given a small space in the cold basement. As they made their bed on the hard floor, the older angel saw a hole in the wall and repaired it. When the younger angel asked why, the older angel replied, "Things aren't always what they seem" The next night the pair came to rest at the house of a very poor, but very hospitable farmer and his wife. After sharing what little food they had the couple let the angels sleep in their bed where they could have a good night's rest. When the sun came up the next morning the angels found the farmer and his wife in tears. Their only cow, whose milk had been their sole income, lay dead in the field. The younger angel was infuriated and asked the older angel how could you have let this happen?

The first man had everything, yet you helped him, she accused. The second family had little but was willing to share everything, and you let the cow die.

"Things aren't always what they seem," the older angel replied.

"When we stayed in the basement of the mansion, I noticed there was gold stored in that hole in the wall. Since the owner was so obsessed with greed and unwilling to share his good fortune, I sealed the wall so he wouldn't find it."

"Then last night as we slept in the farmers bed, the angel of death came for his wife. I gave him the cow instead. Things aren't always what they seem." Sometimes that is exactly what happens when things don't turn out the way they should. If you have faith, you just need to trust that every outcome is always to your advantage..

**Now don't delete this message, because it comes from a very special angel. Right Now** - - Somebody is very proud of you. - Somebody is thinking of you. - Somebody is caring about you. - Somebody misses you - Somebody wants to talk to you. - Somebody wants to be with you. - Somebody hopes you aren't in trouble. - Somebody is thankful for the support you have provided. - Somebody wants to hold your hand. - Somebody hopes everything turns out all right. - Somebody wants you to be happy. - Somebody wants you to find him/her. - Somebody is celebrating your successes. - Somebody wants to give you a gift. - Somebody thinks that you ARE a gift. - Somebody hopes you're not too cold, or too hot - Somebody wants to hug you. - Somebody loves you. - Somebody admires your strength. - Somebody is thinking of you and smiling. - Somebody wants to be your shoulder to cry on. - Somebody wants to go out with you and have a lot of fun. - Somebody thinks the world of you. - Somebody wants to protect you. - Somebody would do anything for you. - Somebody wants to be forgiven. - Somebody is grateful for your forgiveness. - Somebody wants to laugh with you. - Somebody remembers you and wishes that you were there. - Somebody is praising God for you. - Somebody needs to know that your love is unconditional. - Somebody wants to tell you how much they care. - Somebody wants to share their dreams with you. - Somebody wants to hold you in their arms. - Somebody wants YOU to hold them in your arms. - Somebody treasures your spirit. - Somebody wishes they could STOP time because of you. - Somebody praises God for your friendship and love. - Somebody can't wait to see you. - Somebody loves you for who you are. - Somebody loves the way you make them feel. - Somebody wants to be with you. - Somebody wants you to know they are there for you. - Somebody's glad that you're his/her friend. - Somebody wants to be your friend. - Somebody stayed up all night thinking about you. - Somebody is wishing that you noticed him/her. - Somebody wants to get to know you better. - Somebody wants to be near you. - Somebody misses your advice/guidance. - Somebody has faith in you. - Somebody trusts you. - Somebody needs you to send them this letter - Somebody needs your support. - Somebody needs you to have faith in them. - Somebody will cry

when they read this. - Somebody needs you to let them be your friend. - Somebody hears a song that reminds them of you.

## Driving in Puerto Rico

**Survival Guide for Driving in Puerto Rico. Funny and soooo true!! If you're ever in the need to drive in the streets of Puerto Rico, the following rules may help you get to your destination safely.**

### I. The Puerto Rican Driver Greeting

When greeting a Puerto Rican driver, slowly lower your windows and be prepared to greet the driver with: "Tu madre, pendejo". However, if you have already been addressed by a fellow driver, reply with a joyful:

"La tuya, cabrón".

### II. On Traffic Lights

From pure observation I have determined the following instructions for each color: ---Yellow light: Accelerate your car as much as possible. ---Red light: This light gives permission to the next five to six cars to go through. - --Green light: Reduce speed and wait for the five to six cars passing through their respective red lights.

### III. Little Known Fact

Time to start honking your horn as soon as the light turns green: 1.5 seconds MY version - Definition of a second: The time it takes to hear the first horn after the light turns green

### IV. On Traffic Jams

Traffic jams are filled with fun-filled activities such as:

1. Honking your horn rhythmically
2. Put on make-up (usually female drivers only)
3. Nose-pickers sightseeing (not to be confused with people who scratch their brains through their nose.
4. Reduce speed to watch whatever is causing the traffic jam. Add excitement by trying to see if you know the parties involved.

(Note: Every Puerto Rican driver is obligated to do this).

5. Lose weight by sweating like a pig as a result of lack of air conditioning.
6. Greet other drivers
7. Practice lane changing.
8. Play the game: "Let's see how close I can get to you before rear-ending you".

#### V. On Pedestrians

These individuals are an annoyance to the Puerto Rican driver. If you see pedestrians in your way, accelerate your car to let them know who's the boss. If you're at an intersection, let the pedestrians know you want to proceed by flinging your car at them.

#### VI. On Highway Driving

##### The Police Alert Network:

If you see a cop while driving through the highway, you must advise other drivers about the cop's proximity by flashing your headlights even during the day. By doing this, you help speeding cars, people in stolen cars, and potential escaped convicts avoid an unpleasant situation.

##### The Three-Lane-Change:

This movement requires a lot of precision and creativity. It should be done around the highest number of cars possible and in a matter of seconds to create what others may refer to as widespread panic.

#### VII. On Highway Tolls

There are simple etiquette rules on how to behave at a Puerto Rican tollbooth:

1. If you don't have enough change or only have dollar bills, go to the EXACT CHANGE lane. This will give you the opportunity to get out of your car and look for change at another toll booth as other drivers greet you.
2. Practice your hoops by throwing the coins as far as possible. You will get extra points if one of them does not get in.
3. If there's a traffic jam to get through the tolls, try changing lanes, other drivers will really appreciate you cutting in ahead of them.
4. Wait until the last moment possible to get the change required for the toll, preferably, wait until it's your turn.



VIII. The Ten Most Dangerous Drivers in Puerto Rico

1. Anyone driving in a Hyundai. Inside every Hyundai is the soul of an Indy 500 car, or at least the drivers of these "bikes with roof" would make you think so.
2. People who drive while talking on their cellular phones. Essentially, this means that the entire driving population is dangerous.
3. Any kid driving mom/dad's car. Dangerousness increases with the cost of the car.
4. Anyone driving a Sport Utility Vehicle. Dangerousness increases if the driver is female, and becomes lethal if she has young children in the car, is talking on the cell phone, or is applying make-up.
5. Old people driving big American-made cars. The whiter the head and the bigger the car, the more dangerous.
6. Ford Crown Victorias/Mercury Grand Marquis. The car itself isn't dangerous, but this is the car of our illustrious legislators and government officials use and, of course, they are exempt from observing any traffic laws.
7. If at the traffic light, you can feel the bass vibrations from the car next to you, and the music is "underground rap", by definition, the driver is dangerous.
8. Any truck. Not only are they exempt from the weight limits, they are also exempt from any driving laws.
9. On Friday nights on the Las Americas, Luis A. Ferre, De Diego, and Baldorioty de Castro Expressways, all drivers are dangerous, regardless of sex, religion, race, or national origin.
10. Anyone behind the wheel of a Ford Mustang 5.0 Liter. Not used by the government, but our "import/export" businessmen favor this car, and they are not to be disagreed with.

**THREE PROOFS THAT JESUS WAS MEXICAN:**

1. His first name was Jesus 2. He was bilingual 3. He was always being harassed by the authorities

But then there were equally good arguments that..... JESUS WAS BLACK 1. He called everybody "brother" 2. He liked Gospel 3. He couldn't get a fair trial

But then there were equally good arguments that..... JESUS WAS JEWISH 1. He went into His Father's business 2. He lived at home until he was 33 3. He was sure his Mother was a virgin, and his Mother was sure he was God

But then there were equally good arguments that..... JESUS WAS ITALIAN 1. He talked with his hands 2. He had wine with every meal 3. He used olive oil

But then there were equally good arguments that..... JESUS WAS A CALIFORNIAN 1. He never cut his hair 2. He walked around barefoot 3. He started a new religion

But then there were equally good arguments that..... JESUS WAS IRISH 1. He never got married 2. He was always telling stories 3. He loved green pastures

But perhaps the most compelling evidence ..... THREE PROOFS THAT JESUS WAS A WOMAN ..... 1. He had to feed a crowd at a moment's notice when there was no food 2. He kept trying to get the message across to a bunch of men who JUST DIDN'T GET IT 3. Even when He was dead, He had to get up because there was more work for him to do.

**These are things people actually said in court**

These are things people actually said in court, word for word, taken down and now published by court reporters who had the torment of staying calm while these exchanges were actually taking place:

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Q: What is your date of birth? A: July fifteenth. Q: What year? A: Every year.

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Q: What gear were you in at the moment of the impact? A: Gucci sweats and Reeboks.

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Q: This myasthenia gravis, does it affect your memory at all? A: Yes. Q: And in what ways does it affect your memory? A: I forget. Q: You forget. Can you give us an example of something that you've forgotten? +++++

Q: How old is your son, the one living with you? A: Thirty-eight or thirty-five, I can't remember which. Q: How long has he lived with you? A: Forty-five years.

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Q: What was the first thing your husband said to you when he woke that morning? A: He said, "Where am I, Cathy?" Q: And why did that upset you? A: My name is Susan.

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Q: And where was the location of the accident? A: Approximately milepost 499. Q: And where is milepost 499? A: Probably between milepost 498 and 500.

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Q: Sir, what is your IQ? A: Well, I can see pretty well, I think.

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Q: Did you blow your horn or anything? A: After the accident? Q: Before the accident. A: Sure, I played for ten years. I even went to school for it.

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Q: Do you know if your daughter has ever been involved in voodoo or the occult? A: We both do. Q: Voodoo? A: We do. Q: You do? A: Yes, voodoo.

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Q: Trooper, when you stopped the defendant, were your red and blue lights flashing? A: Yes. Q: Did the defendant say anything when she got out of her car? A: Yes, sir. Q: What did she say? A: What disco am I at? +++++

Q: Now doctor, isn't it true that when a person dies in his sleep, he doesn't know about it until the next morning?

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Q: The youngest son, the twenty-year old, how old is he?

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Q: Were you present when your picture was taken?

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Q: So the date of conception (of the baby) was August 8th? A: Yes. Q: And what were you doing at that time?

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Q: She had three children, right? A: Yes. Q: How many were boys? A: None. Q: Were there any girls?

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Q: You say the stairs went down to the basement? A: Yes. Q: And these stairs, did they go up also?

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Q: How was your first marriage terminated? A: By death. Q: And by whose death was it terminated?

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Q: Can you describe the individual? A: He was about medium height and had a beard. Q: Was this a male, or a female?

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Q: Is your appearance here this morning pursuant to a deposition notice which I sent to your attorney? A: No, this is how I dress when I go to work.

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Q: Doctor, how many autopsies have you performed on dead people? A: All my autopsies are performed on dead people.

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Q: All your responses must be oral, OK? What school did you go to? A: Oral.

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Q: Do you recall the time that you examined the body? A: The autopsy started around 8:30 p.m. Q: And Mr. Dennington was dead at the time? A: No, he was sitting on the table wondering why I was doing an autopsy.

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Q: Are you qualified to give a urine sample?

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Q: Doctor, before you performed the autopsy, did you check for a pulse? A: No. Q: Did you check for blood pressure? A: No. Q: Did you check for breathing? A: No. Q: So, then it is possible that the patient was alive when you began the autopsy? A: No. Q: How can you be so sure, Doctor? A: Because his brain was sitting on my desk in a jar. Q: But could the patient have still been alive nevertheless? A: Yes, it is possible that he could have been alive and practicing law somewhere else.

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### **Driving through New Jersey**

Two men are driving through New Jersey when they get pulled over by a State Trooper. The Trooper walks up and taps on the window with his nightstick, the driver rolls down the window and "WHACK", the Trooper smacks him in the head with the stick. The driver says, "what the hell was that for?" The Trooper says, "You're in New Jersey son. When we pull you over, you better have your license ready when we get to your car."

The driver says, "I'm sorry, Officer, I'm not from around here." The Trooper runs a check on the guys license, and he's clean. He gives the guy his license back and walks around to the passenger side and taps on the window. The passenger rolls down the window and "WHACK", the Trooper smacks him with the nightstick too. The passenger says, "What'd you do that for?" The Trooper says, "Just making your wish come true." The Passenger says, "huh?" The Trooper says, "I know that two miles down the road you're gonna say, "I wish that asshole would've tried that shit with me."

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### **Like for your birthday**

A man asks his wife, "What would you most like for your birthday?" She answers..... "I'd love to be ten again." So on the morning of her birthday, he gets her up bright and early and off they go to the local Theme Park. What a day! He puts her on every ride in the park, the Death Slide, The Screaming

Loop, the Wall of Fear...everything there is! Wow! She staggers out of the Theme Park five hours later, her head reeling and her stomach upside down. Right into McDonald's they go, and her husband orders a Double Big Mac for her along with extra fries and a refreshing strawberry shake. Then off to a movie...it's the latest Star Wars epic, and hot dogs, popcorn, Pepsi Cola and M & Ms. What a fabulous adventure! Finally she wobbles home with her husband and collapses into bed. He leans over lovingly and asks, "Well, dear, what was it like being ten again?" One eye opens and she groans, "Schmuck, I meant dress size."

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**Prayer**

A man placed some flowers on the grave of his dearly departed mother and started back toward his car when his attention was diverted to another man kneeling at a grave. The man seemed to be praying with profound intensity and kept repeating, "Why did you have to die? Why did you have to die? Why did you have to die? Why did you have to die?" The first man approached him and said, "Sir, I don't wish to interfere with your private grief, but this demonstration of pain is more than I've ever seen before. For whom do you mourn so deeply? A child? A parent?" The mourner took a moment to collect himself, then replied... "My wife's first husband."

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**YOU MIGHT BE A YANKEE IF...** HOW TRUE! 1. The sound of Fran Drescher's voice doesn't bother you. 2. You've watched the movie "Deliverance", and you are afraid to go on a camping trip.....ever. 3. For breakfast, you'd rather have potatoes than grits. 4. You can name at least 4 hockey teams. 5. You've never eaten okra. 6. You wonder why people in restaurants don't talk as loud as you do. 7. You have never planned your summer vacation around a gun show. 8. You don't have any problems pronouncing "Worcestershire Sauce" correctly. 9. You've never had grain alcohol. 10. You are familiar with all the rules of Lacrosse. 11. You have no idea what a polecat is. 12. You don't see anything wrong with putting a sweater on a poodle. 13. You've never had bangs (or if you do have them, they aren't several inches ABOVE the top of your head). 14. You'd rather vacation at Martha's Vineyard than Six Flags. 15. You don't have at least one can of WD-40 somewhere in your house. 16. You'd rather have your child grow up to be a lawyer instead of hosting his own TV fishing show. 17. You refer to two or more people as "you guys" instead of "y'all". 18. You think that more money should go to important scientific research at your university than to pay the salary of the head football coach. 19. You prefer a bagel to a donut. 20. You don't know anyone with two first names. 21. You get freaked out when strangers in public talk to you. 22. None of your fur coats are made with real fur. 23. You don't know what a Piggly Wiggly is. 24. You think NASCAR stands for North American Society for something or other. 25. You eat fried chicken with a knife and fork. 26. Your idea of a good meal is "Lahbsta and Clam Chawdah". 27. You use the horn in your car more than once or twice a year. 28. Everything you know about the Civil War, you learned watching TV. 29. You don't "reckon". 30. Your not "fixin" to do anything.

**MONICA ON THE BEACH**

Monica Lewinsky was walking on the beach when she found a lantern washed up on the shore. She started to rub it and out popped a genie. "Oh goodie, now I will get three wishes!" she exclaimed.

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"No," said the genie, "You have been very bad this year, and because of this, I can only give you one wish." "Let's see," said Monica, "I don't need fame, because I have plenty of that due to all of the media coverage. And I don't need money, because after I write my book and do all my interviews, I'll have all the money I could ever want." "So, I believe I would like to get rid of these love handles. Yes, that's it, for my one wish I would like my love handles removed."

"Poof!"

And just like that, her ears were gone.

### **The burglar**

The burglar was creeping noiselessly through the darkened home, filling his bag with various valuables. As he reached his hand out to a box of jewelry, he heard a voice say, "Jesus is watching you."

Shaken, the burglar stopped. For a full minute he didn't dare breathe. Finally, he switched on his flashlight and carefully played it around the room, but saw nothing. Convinced that it must have been his imagination, he turned off the flashlight and continued in his quest for another man's wealth. He was busily unhooking a stereo set when he again heard, "Jesus is watching you."

This time he nearly jumped out of his skin, he was so freaked out. Beads of sweat popped out on his face, and as he switched the light on again, the beam shook violently from his terror. He looked about the room, and noticed a birdcage in the corner. Upon closer inspection, he discovered a parrot in the cage.

"Are you the one that spoke to me just now?" asked the burglar.

"Yes, I am," said the parrot.

"Why did you say 'Jesus is watching you?'" asked the man.

"Because I felt like you needed to be warned," replied the parrot.

By this time, the man was over his fright and was more than a little irritated at this smart-mouthed parrot that had tried to scare the living daylights out of him.

"What's your name?" asked the burglar. "Moses," the parrot said.

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"Hah," the man said, guffawing. "What kind of people would name their parrot Moses?"

The parrot said, "The same kind of people that would name their Rottweiler Jesus."

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### **Sexual Problems**

A man walked into a therapist's office looking very depressed. "Doc," he said, "you've got to help me. I can't go on like this." "What's the problem?" the doctor inquired. "Well, I'm 35 years old, and I still have no luck with the ladies. No matter how hard I try, I just seem to scare them away."

"My friend, this is not a serious problem. You just need to work on your self-esteem. Each morning, I want you to get up and run to the bathroom mirror. Tell yourself that you are a good person, a fun person, and an attractive person. But say it with real conviction.

Within a week, you'll have women buzzing all around you." The man seemed content with this advice and walked out of the office a bit excited. Three weeks later, he returned with the same downtrodden expression. "Did my advice not work?" asked the doctor. "It worked, all right. For the past several weeks I've enjoyed some of the best moments in my life with the most fabulous-looking women." "So, what's your problem?" "I don't have a problem," the man replied. "My wife does."

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### **Beautiful deserted islands in the middle of nowhere**

On a group of beautiful deserted islands in the middle of nowhere, the following people are stranded: Two Italian men and one Italian woman; two French men and one French woman; two German men and one German woman; two Greek men and one Greek woman; two English men and one English woman; two Bulgarian men and one Bulgarian woman; two Japanese men and one Japanese woman; two Chinese men and one Chinese woman; two American men and one American woman and two Irish men and one Irish woman.

One month later on these absolutely stunning deserted islands in the middle of nowhere, the following things have occurred: One Italian man killed the other Italian man for the Italian woman. The two French men and the French

woman are living happily together in a menage-a-trois. The two German men have a strict weekly schedule of alternating visits with the German woman. The two Greek men are sleeping with each other and the Greek woman is cleaning and cooking for them. The two English men are waiting for someone to introduce them to the English woman. The two Bulgarian men took one long look at the endless ocean and another long look at the Bulgarian woman and started swimming.

The two Japanese have faxed Tokyo and are awaiting instructions. The two Chinese men have set up a pharmacy/liquor store/restaurant/laundry, and have gotten the woman pregnant in order to supply employees for their store. The two American men are contemplating the virtues of suicide, because the American woman keeps on complaining about her body, the true nature of feminism, how she can do everything they can do, the necessity of fulfillment, the equal division of household chores, how sand and palm trees make her look fat, how her last boyfriend respected her opinion and treated her nicer than they do, and how her relationship with her mother is improving, and how at least the taxes are low and it isn't raining.

The two Irish men divided the island into North and South and set up a distillery. They do not remember if sex is in the picture because it gets sort of foggy after the first few litters of coconut whiskey. But they're satisfied because at least the English aren't having any fun.

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### **Computer password**

I was helping someone set up his computer, and he wanted to log in with a password.... now you have to understand he's got somewhat of a rebellious attitude and goes for the shock effect... so when the computer asked him to enter his password, he keys in "penis"... I nearly fell off the chair from laughing so hard when the computer replied: \*\*\* PASSWORD REJECTED. NOT LONG ENOUGH \*\*\* \*\* PLEASE TRY A NEW ONE \*\*\*

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### **Bill Clinton's legacy**

Little Johnny and a little girl, Suzie, were sitting on the porch talking, when the little girl asked, "Hey Johnny, do you wanna get undressed? We could

play Doctor." Johnny replied, "That's too old fashioned. Spit out your gum! Let's play President!"

**A touching poem**

She offered her honor.

He honored her offer.

And all night he was on

her and off her.

**What is a Cat?**

1. Cats do what they want.

2. They rarely listen to you.

3. They're totally unpredictable.

4. When you want to play, they want to be alone.

5. When you want to be alone, they want to play.

6. They expect you to cater to their every whim.

7. They're moody.

8. They leave hair everywhere.

Conclusion: They're tiny women in fur coats.

NOW, equal time.....

**What is a Dog?** 1. Dogs spend all day sprawled on the most comfortable piece of furniture in the house.

2. They can hear a package of food opening half a block away, but don't hear you when you're in the same room.

3. They can look dumb and lovable all at the same time.

4. They growl when they are not happy.

5. When you want to play, they want to play.

6. When you want to be alone, they want to play.

7. They leave their toys everywhere.

8. They do disgusting things with their mouths and then try to give you a kiss.

9. They go right for your crotch as soon as they meet you.

Conclusion: They're tiny men in fur coats.

**Two cowboys**

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Two cowboys come upon an Indian lying on his stomach with his ear to the ground. One of the cowboys stops and says to the other, "You see that Indian?" "Yeah," says the other cowboy. "Look," says the first one, "he's listening to the ground. He can hear things for miles in any direction." Just then the Indian looks up. "Covered wagon," he says, "about two miles away.

Have two horses, one brown, one white. Man, woman, child, household effects in wagon." "Incredible!" says the cowboy to his friend. "This Indian knows how far away they are, how many horses, what color they are, who is in the wagon, and what is in the wagon. Amazing!" The Indian looks up and says, "Ranover me about a half hour ago."....

**A female reader, writes.....**

OK, I'm the only female in a house full of guys. 4 sons and a hubby. Toilet seat is never down...etc. SOOOOoooooooooooo I'm the only one who would be using Female products.....correct? A STRANGE thing was happening at my house.

Tampons were disappearing. \* Insert Twilight Zone theme here \* Ok....A few months ago I went to my cupboard to get out a tampon and there was ONLY one left. I could have sworn I had just bought a box the month before. So, I go back to the store, buy a new box and forget about it. The next month I go back to cupboard.....and VOILA....there is only ONE tampon left again.

What's going on here? Gremlins??? I go to the store and buy another box, and forget about it. WELL...I decided to clean out my two youngest sons closet and LOW and BEHOLD....at the bottom of their closet are the wrappers, applicators and the tampons themselves. I am starting to FREAK!!! Dear God, what are they doing with them?????? I get a hold of myself and tell myself that I am an adult and can handle this, despite the bizarre thoughts running through my mind. I'm thinking, "Do I have enough money saved up in the bank

for MAJOR THERAPY?" I go to the top of the stairs and yell for my two youngest sons to "COME HERE!!!!" They march up the stairs and find me in their room staring into the bottom of their closet. I said "What are you doing with THOSE? THOSE are MINE!" My 12 year old looks like a deer

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caught in the headlights and is silent. My 10 year old looks at me all innocent and says. "Well, Mom, we were playing with our G.I. Joes and stuff ... and THOSE make really good SCUD missiles... What do YOU use them for?" "NEVERMIND!! GO PLAY!!!!!"

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**Ethnic Medicine and Politics** An Israeli doctor said "medicine in my country is so advanced, we can take a kidney out of one person, put it in another, and have him looking for work in six weeks".

A German doctor said "that's nothing!". In Germany, "we can take a lung out of one person, put it in another, and have him looking for work in four weeks".

A Russian doctor said, "In my country medicine is so advanced, we can take half a heart from one person, put it in another, and have them both looking for work in two weeks".

The American doctor, not to be outdone, said "Ha!". We are about to take an asshole out of Texas, put him in the White House and half the country will be looking for work the next day."

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### **SAM MEETS LEON**

Sam has been in the computer business for 25 years and is finally sick of the stress. He quits his job and buys 50 acres of land in Minnesota as far from humanity as possible. Sam sees the postman once a week and gets groceries once a month. Otherwise, it's total peace and quiet.

After six months or so of almost total isolation, he's just finishing dinner when someone knocks on his door. He opens it and there is a big, bearded man standing there. "Name's Leon... Your neighbour from four miles away... Having a party Saturday... thought you'd like to come."

"Great," says Sam. "After six months out here I'm ready to meet some local folks. Thank you."

As Leon is leaving he stops, "Gotta warn you there's gonna be some drinkin'."

"Not a problem... after 25 years in the computer business, I can drink with the best of 'em."

Again, as he starts to leave Leon stops. "More 'n' likely gonna be some fightin' too."

Sam says, "Well, I get along with people. I'll be there. Thanks again."

Once again Leon turns from the door. "I've seen some wild sex at these parties, too."

"Now that's not a problem," says Sam, "I've been all alone for six months! I'll definitely be there...by the way, what should I wear?"

Leon stops in the door again and says, "Whatever you want, just gonna be the two of us."

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### **What a wonderful game**

To: undisclosed-recipients;; A Scottish man went to a baseball game. It was the first time he had ever seen the sport, so he sat and watched quietly.

The first batter approached the plate, took a few swings and then hit a double. Everyone was on their feet screaming, "Run, Run!!" The next two batters hit a single and a triple. The Scottish man was now excited and ready to get into the game.

The next batter came up and four balls went by. The umpire called "walk" and the batter started on a slow trot to first base. The Scotsman, extremely excited now, stood up and screamed, "R-R-Run ye Bastard, rrrun!!" Everyone around him started laughing.

So the Scotsman, extremely embarrassed, sat back down. A friendly fan took pity on him, leaned over and said, "He can't run - he's got four balls." The Scotsman then jumped out of his seat again and screamed, "Walk with pride, man ... walk with pride!!"

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### **Little Golden Books That Never Made It**

1. You Are Different and That's Bad 2. The Boy Who Died From Eating All His Vegetables 3. Dad's New Wife Robert 4. Fun four-letter Words to Know and Share 5. Hammers, Screwdrivers and Scissors: An I-Can-Do-It Book 6. The Kids' Guide to Hitchhiking 7. Curious George and the High-Voltage Fence 8. Some Kittens Can Fly 9. Garfield Gets Feline Leukemia 10. The Pop-Up Book of Human Anatomy 11. Strangers Have the Best

Candy 12. Whining, Kicking and Crying to Get Your Way 13. You Were an Accident 14. Things Rich Kids Have, But You Never Will 15. Pop! Goes The Hamster...And Other Great Microwave Games 16. Eggs, Toilet Paper, and Your School 17. Places Where Mommy and Daddy Hide Neat Things

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**RACE TRACK-GIDDYUP! INTELLIGENCE? -----  
----- WITH A LITTLE HELP FROM OUR FRIENDS!**

Police in Oakland, California spent two hours attempting to subdue a gunman who had barricaded himself inside his home. After firing ten tear gas canisters, officers discovered that the man was standing beside them, shouting out to give himself up. -----

**----- WHAT WAS PLAN B???**

An Illinois man, pretending to have a gun, kidnapped a motorist and forced him to drive to two different automated teller machines. The kidnapper then proceeded to withdraw money from his own bank account. -----

**----- SOME DAYS, IT JUST DOESN'T PAY!**

Fire investigators on Maui have determined the cause of a blaze that destroyed a \$127,000 home last month - a short in the homeowner's newly installed fire prevention alarm system. "This is even worse than last year," said the distraught homeowner, "when someone broke in and stole my new security system..." ----- **THE GETAWAY!**

A man walked into a Topeka, Kansas Kwik Shop and asked for all the money in the cash drawer. Apparently, the take was too small so he tied up the store clerk and worked the counter himself for three hours until police showed up and grabbed him. -----

**DO-IT-YOURSELF BRAIN SURGERY??**

In Ohio, an unidentified man in his late twenties walked into a police station with a 9-inch wire protruding from his forehead and calmly asked officers to give him an X-ray to help him find his brain, which he claimed had been stolen. Police were shocked to learn that the man had drilled a 6-inch deep hole in his skull with a Black & Decker power drill and had stuck the wire in

to try and find the missing brain. -----

----- **DID I SAY THAT???**

Police in Los Angeles had good luck with a robbery suspect who just couldn't control himself during a lineup. When detectives asked each man in the lineup to repeat the words, "Give me all your money or I'll shoot," the man shouted, "That's not what I said!" -----

----- **OUCH, THAT SMARTS!!**

A bank robber in Virginia Beach got a nasty surprise when a dye pack designed to mark stolen money exploded in his Fruit-of-the-Looms. The robber apparently stuffed the loot down the front of his pants as he was running out the door. "He was seen hopping and jumping around with an explosion taking place inside his pants," said police spokesman Mike Carey. Police have the man's charred trousers in custody. -----

----- **ARE WE COMMUNICATING??**

A man spoke frantically into the phone, "My wife is pregnant and her contractions are only two minutes apart!" "Is this her first child?" the doctor asked. "No, you idiot!" the man shouted, "this is her husband!" -----

----- **NOT THE SHARPEST KNIFE IN THE DRAWER!!**

In Modesto, CA, Steven Richard King was arrested for trying to hold up a bank of America branch without a weapon. King used a thumb and a finger to simulate a gun but unfortunately he failed to keep his hand in his pocket. -----

----- **THE LAWN!**

A nurse was on duty in the emergency department, when a punk rocker entered. This young woman had purple hair styled into a Mohawk, a variety of tattoos and strange clothing. It was determined that the patient had acute appendicitis and was scheduled for immediate surgery. When she was completely disrobed on the operating table, the staff found that her pubic hair had been dyed green, and above it was a tattoo reading, "Keep off the grass." After the prep and the surgery, the surgeon added a small note to the dressing which said, "Sorry, had to mow the lawn." -----

## Sayings

Ah, yes, divorce, from the Latin word meaning to rip out a man's genitals through his wallet."

-Robin Williams

"Women complain about premenstrual syndrome, but I think of it as the only time of the month that I can be myself."

-Roseanne

"Women need a reason to have sex. Men just need a place."

Billy Crystal

"You can say any foolish thing to a dog, and the dog will give you a look that says, "My God, you're right! I never would've thought of that!"

-Dave Barry

"According to a new survey, women say they feel more comfortable undressing in front of men than they do undressing in front of other women. They say that women are too judgmental, where, of course, men are just grateful."

-Jay Leno

"I am not the boss of my house. I don't know how I lost it. I don't know when I lost it. I don't think I ever had it. But I've seen the boss's job and I don't want it."

-Bill Cosby

"In the last couple of weeks I have seen the ads for the Wonder Bra. Is that really a problem in this country? Men not paying enough attention to women's breasts?"

-Jay Leno

"We have women in the military, but they don't put us in the front lines. They don't know if we can fight, if we can kill. I think we can. All the general has to do is walk over to the women and say, "You see the enemy over there? They say you look fat in those uniforms."

-Elayne Boosler

"Always be nice to your children because they are the ones who will choose your rest home."

-Phyllis Diller

"There's a new medical crisis. Doctors are reporting that many men are having allergic reactions to latex condoms. They say they cause severe swelling. So what's the problem?"

-Jay Leno

"When the sun comes up, I have morals again."

-Elayne Boosler

"There's very little advice in men's magazines, because men don't think there's a lot they don't know.

Women do. Women want to learn. Men think, "I know what I'm doing, just show me somebody naked.""

-Jerry Seinfeld

"If you can't beat them, arrange to have them beaten."

-George Carlin

"Instead of getting married again, I'm going to find a woman I don't like and give her a house."

-Lewis Grizzard

"The problem with the designated driver program, it's not a desirable job. But if you ever get sucked into doing it, have fun with it. At the end of the night, drop them off at the wrong house."

-Jeff Foxworthy

"See, the problem is that God gives men a brain and a penis, and only enough blood to run one at a time."

-Robin Williams

### **\$100 From God**

A little boy wanted \$100 badly and prayed for two weeks but nothing happened. Then he decided to write GOD a letter requesting the \$100. When the postal authorities received the letter addressed to GOD USA, they

decided to send it to President Clinton. The President was so impressed, touched, and amused that he instructed his secretary to send the little boy a \$5.00 bill. President Clinton thought this would appear to be a lot of money to a little boy. The little boy was delighted with the \$5.00 and sat down to write a thank you note to GOD, which read:

Dear GOD,

Thank you very much for sending the money, however, I noticed that for some reason you had to send it through Washington, DC and, as usual, those bastards deducted \$95.00.

1. Two Eskimos sitting in a kayak were chilly. When they lit a fire in the craft it sank, proving once and for all that you can't have your kayak and heat it too.
2. Two boll weevils grew up in South Carolina. One went to Hollywood and became a famous actor. The other stayed behind in the cotton fields and never amounted to much. The second one, naturally, was known as the lesser of two weevils.
3. A three-legged dog walked into a saloon in the Old West. He slid up to the bar and announced "I'm looking for the man who shot my paw."
4. Did you hear about the Buddhist who refused his dentist's Novocain during root canal work? He wanted to transcend dental medication.
5. A group of chess enthusiasts checked into a hotel and were standing in the lobby discussing their recent tournament victories. After about an hour, the manager came out of the office and asked them to disperse. "But why?" they asked, as they moved off. "Because," he said, "I can't stand chess nuts boasting in an open foyer."
6. A man entered his local paper's pun contest. He sent in ten different puns, in the hope that at least one of the puns would win. Unfortunately, no pun in ten did.
7. A woman had twins, and gave them up for adoption. One of them went to a family in Egypt and was named Amahl. The other went to a family in Spain; they named him Juan. Years later, Juan sent a picture of himself to his mother. Upon receiving the picture, she told her husband that she wished she also had a picture of Amahl. Her husband responded,

"But they are wins-if you've seen Juan, you've seen Amahl." And the worst pun of the bunch:

8. Some friars were behind on their belfry payments, so they opened up a small florist shop to raise the funds. Since everyone felt they should buy flowers from the "men of God," the rival florist across town thought the competition was unfair. He asked the good brothers to close down, but they would not. He went back and begged the friars to close. They ignored him. He asked his mother to ask the friars to get out of business. They ignored her, too. So the rival florist hired Hugh MacTaggart, the roughest and most vicious thug in town to "persuade" them to close. Hugh beat up the friars and trashed their store, saying he'd be back if they didn't close shop. Terrified, they did so, thereby proving that Hugh, and only Hugh, can prevent florist friars.
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### **My mother taught me!**

My mother taught me! My mother taught me TO APPRECIATE A JOB WELL DONE - "If you're going kill each other, do it outside - I just finished cleaning!"

My mother taught me RELIGION - "You better pray that will come out of the carpet."

My mother taught me about TIME TRAVEL: "If you don't straighten up, I'm going to knock you into the middle of next week!"

My mother taught me LOGIC: "Because I said so, that's why."

My mother taught me FORESIGHT - "Make sure you wear clean underwear, in case you're in an accident."

My mother taught me IRONY - "Keep laughing and I'll \*give\* you something to cry about."

My mother taught me about the science of OSMOSIS - "Shut your mouth and eat your supper!"

My mother taught me about CONTORTIONISM - "Will you \*look\* at the dirt on the back of your neck!"

My mother taught me about STAMINA - "You'll sit there 'til all that spinach is finished."

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My mother taught me about WEATHER - "It looks as if a tornado swept through your room."

My mother taught me how to solve PHYSICS PROBLEMS - "If I yelled because I saw a meteor coming toward you; would you listen then?"

My mother taught me about HYPOCRISY - "If I've told you once, I've told you a million times - Don't Exaggerate!!!"

My mother taught me THE CIRCLE OF LIFE - "I brought you into this world, and I can take you out."

My mother taught me about BEHAVIOR MODIFICATION - "Stop acting like your father!"

My mother taught me about ENVY - "There are millions of less fortunate children in this world who don't have wonderful parents like you do!"

THANKS, MOM!

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### **Problem**

A British Army colonel was reviewing the troops in colonial India. One man he passed sported an enormous erection. "Sergeant-Major!" the colonel shouted. "Give this man 30 days compassionate home leave." "Yessir," the Sgt. Major replied. A few months later the same thing occurred with the same man. "Sergeant-Major! Give this man another 30 days compassionate home leave," the Colonel barked. A few months later, same guy, same problem. The Colonel is angry. "Sergeant-Major! Haven't we given this man two compassionate home leaves?" "Yessir," the Sgt. Major replies. "Then what's his problem, Sgt. Major?" the Colonel asks. The Sgt. Major salutes and says, "Sir. It's you he's fond of."...Jerry

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**Dying Wishes** A man returns from the doctor and tells his wife that the doctor has told him he has only 24 hours to live. Given this prognosis, the man asks his wife for sex. Naturally, she agrees. They make love. About six hours later, the husband goes to his wife says, "Honey, you know I now have only 18 hours to live. Could we please do it one more time?" Of course, the wife agrees, they do it again. Later, as the man gets into bed, he looks at his

watch and realizes that he now has only eight hours left. He touches his wife's shoulder, asks, "Honey, please . . . just one more time before I die." She says, "Of course, dear." They make love for the third time. After this session, the wife rolls over and falls asleep. The man, however, worried about his impending death, tosses and turns, until he's down to four more hours. He taps his wife, who rouses. "Honey, I have only 4 more hours. Do you think we could . . ." At this point the wife sits up and says, "Listen, I have to get up in the morning. You don't!"

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### **Can't live with'em or without'em**

HER STORY: He was in an odd mood when I got to the bar to meet him, I thought it might have been because I was a bit late. He didn't say anything much about it. He seemed silent, distracted and his only eye contact seemed judgmental. I decided maybe I should never wear that dress again. Well, maybe it was the color. Maybe I should never wear this color again either. The conversation was so slow going so I thought maybe we should go off somewhere more intimate so we could talk more privately. He didn't really seem to agree, but we went off to this quiet, little restaurant and he's STILL acting a bit funny and I'm trying to cheer him up, be witty and tell cute stories, but I start to wonder whether it's me or something else. He doesn't smile much, so I ask him, but he says no. But you know I'm not really sure. I wonder and then I think about the 5 pounds I gained this past month. I bet he thinks I'm a fat hog now. Anyway, in the cab back to his house, I say that I love him and he just puts his arm around me, but doesn't squeeze. I don't know what the hell this all means or what I should think because you know he doesn't say it back or do anything. We finally get back to his place and I'm wondering if he's going to dump me. So I try to ask him about it but he just switches on the TV. Reluctantly, I say I'm going to go to sleep. Then, after about 10 minutes or so, he joins me and we have sex. But, he still seems really, really distracted, so afterwards I just wanted to leave. I roll over and sniffle a little real quietly. He snores. I dunno, I just don't know, what he thinks anymore. I mean, do you think he's met someone else?

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HIS STORY: Bad day at work. Really tired. Got laid, though.

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**Foreign currency** An Asian man walked into the currency exchange line in a New York bank with 2000 yen, and he walked out with \$72. The following week, he walked in with 2000 yen, and was handed \$66. He asked the teller why he got less money than he had gotten the previous week. The lady said, "Fluctuations." The Asian man stormed out, and just before slamming the door, he turned around and said, "Fluct you Amelicans, too!"

### **Dead Dog**

A man runs into the vet's office carrying his dog, screaming for help. The vet rushes him back to an examination room and has him put his dog down on the examination table. The vet examines the still, limp body and after a few moments, tells the man that his dog, regrettably, is dead.

The man, clearly agitated and not willing to accept this, demands a second opinion. The vet goes into the back room and comes out with a cat and puts the cat down next to the dog's body. The cat sniffs the body, walks from head to tail, poking and sniffing the dog's body and finally looks at the vet and meows.

The vet looks at the man and says, "I'm sorry, but the cat thinks that you're dog is dead, too."

The man is still unwilling to accept that his dog is dead. So the vet brings in a black lab, the lab sniffs the body, walks from head to tail, and finally looks at the vet and barks. The vet looks at the man and says, "I'm sorry, but the lab thinks your dog is dead too."

The man, finally resigned to the diagnosis, thanks the vet and asks how much he owes. The vet answers, "\$650."

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"\$650 to tell me my dog is dead?" exclaims the man.

"Well," the vet replies, "I would only have charged you \$50 for my initial diagnosis. The additional \$600 was for the cat scan and lab tests."

## **I WAS THINKING**

I was thinking that women should put pictures of missing husbands on beer cans.

I was thinking about old age and decided that it is when you still have something on the ball but you are just too tired to bounce it.

I thought about making a movie for folks my age and call it "Pumping Rust."

I have found at my age going bra-less pulls all the wrinkles out of my face.

I was thinking about how people seem to read the Bible a whole lot more as they get older - then it dawned on me - they were cramming for their finals!

You know when people see a cat's litter box, they always say, "Oh, have you got a cat?" Just once I wanted to say, "No, it's for company!"

I've thought about those employment applications and that blank that always ask who is to be notified in case of an emergency. I think you should write .

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Good Doctor!

I've always wondered why they put pictures of criminals up in the Post Office?

Knut Ojermark

What are we supposed to do . . . write to these men?  
Why don't they just put their pictures on the postage stamps so the mailmen could Look for them while they deliver the mail?

I thought about being rich and it don't mean so much Just look at Henry Ford, all those millions and he never owned a Cadillac!

If you jogged backward ... would you gain weight?

I wonder what you call a pocket calculator in a nudist camp?

I wonder if Adam ever said to Eve, "Watch it! There are plenty more ribs where you came from!"

I have decided that Nostalgia is the VCR of our minds.

I have noticed when you blow in a dog's face he gets mad at you? But when you put him in a car he sticks his head out the window!

Also: You have to fight to give a dog a bath, yet they'll sit out In the rain for hours on end.

I'm not into working out! My philosophy: No pain, no pain.

Have you ever noticed.... Anybody going slower than you is an idiot, and anyone going faster than you is a maniac?

I think the reason most people play golf is to wear clothes they would not be caught dead in otherwise.

I'm desperately trying to figure out why kamikaze pilots wore helmets.

## Romance and math

### ROMANCE MATHEMATICS

Smart man + smart woman = romance

Smart man + dumb woman = affair

Dumb man + smart woman = marriage

Dumb man + dumb woman = pregnancy

### SHOPPING MATH

A man will pay \$2 for a \$1 item he needs.

A woman will pay \$1 for a \$2 item that she doesn't need.

### GENERAL EQUATIONS & STATISTICS

A woman worries about the future until she gets a husband.

A man never worries about the future until he gets a wife.

A successful man is one who makes more money than his wife can spend.

A successful woman is one who can find such a man.

### POSTULATES

To be happy with a man, you must understand him a lot and love him a little.

To be happy with a woman, you must love her a lot and try not to understand her at all.

Married men live longer than single men, but married men are a lot more willing to die.

Any married man should forget his mistakes, there's no use in two people remembering the same thing.

Men wake up as good-looking as they went to bed.

Women somehow deteriorate during the night.

A woman marries a man expecting he will change, but he doesn't.

A man marries a woman expecting that she won't change, and she does.

A woman has the last word in any argument. Anything a man says after that is the beginning of a new argument.

There are 2 times when a man doesn't understand a woman - before marriage and after marriage.

### **University of Copenhagen physics degree**

The following concerns a question in a physics degree exam at the University of Copenhagen.

"Describe how to determine the height of a skyscraper with a barometer."

One student replied:

"You tie a long piece of string to the neck of the barometer, then lower the barometer from the roof of the skyscraper to the ground. The length of the string plus the length of the barometer will equal the height of the building."

This highly original answer so incensed the examiner that the student was failed immediately. The student appealed on the grounds that his answer was indisputably correct, and the university appointed an independent arbiter to decide the case.

The arbiter judged that the answer was indeed correct, but did not display noticeable knowledge of physics. To resolve the problem it was decided to call in the student and allow him six minutes in which to provide a verbal answer which showed at least a minimal familiarity with the basic principles of physics. For five minutes the student sat in silence, forehead creased in thought. The arbiter reminded him that time was running out, to which the student replied that he had several extremely relevant answers, but couldn't make up his mind which to use.

On being advised to hurry up the student replied as follows:

"Firstly, you could take the barometer up to the roof of the skyscraper, drop it over the edge, and measure the time it takes to reach the ground. The height of the building can then be worked out from the formula  $H = 0.5g \times t^2$ . But too bad for the barometer.

"Or if the sun is shining you could measure the height of the barometer, then set it on end and measure the length of its shadow. Then you measure the length of the skyscraper's shadow, and thereafter it is a simple matter of proportional arithmetic to work out the height of the skyscraper.

"But if you wanted to be highly scientific about it, you could tie a short piece of string to the barometer and swing it like a pendulum, first at ground level and then on the roof of the skyscraper. The height is worked out by the difference in the gravitational restoring force  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{l/g}$ .

"Or if the skyscraper has an outside emergency staircase, it would be easier to walk up it and mark off the height of the skyscraper in barometer lengths, then add them up.



"If you merely wanted to be boring and orthodox about it, of course, you could use the barometer to measure the air pressure on the roof the skyscraper and then on the ground, and convert the difference in millibars into feet to give the height of the building.

"But since we are constantly being exhorted to exercise independence of mind and apply scientific methods, undoubtedly the best way would be to knock on the janitor's door and say to him, 'If you would like a nice new barometer, I will give you this one if you tell me the height of the his skyscraper'."

The student was Niels Bohr, the only Dane to win the Nobel prize for Physics!

### **Redneck Bubba**

Redneck Bubba died in a fire and was burnt pretty bad and the morgue. Needed someone to identify the body. So his two best friends, Daryl and Gomer, were sent for. Daryl went in and the mortician pulled back the sheet. Daryl said, "Yup, he's burnt pretty bad, but lemme check something. Roll him over."

So the mortician rolled him over.

Daryl looked and said, "Nope it ain't Bubba." The mortician thought that was rather strange, then he brought Gomer in To identify the body. Gomer took a look at him and said, "Yup, he's burnt real bad. Roll him over". The mortician rolled him over. Gomer looked down and said, "No, it ain't Bubba."

The mortician asked, "How can you be so sure?"

Gomer said, "Well, Bubba had two assholes."

"What?? He had two assholes?" said the mortician.

"Yup, everyone in town knew he had 'em. Why, every time we went to town, folks would say, "Here comes Bubba with them two assholes

**The Smarter Sex**

A woman and a man are involved in a car accident; it's a bad one. Both of their cars are totally demolished but amazingly neither of them is hurt. After they crawl out of their cars, the woman says, "So you're a man, that's interesting. I'm a woman. Wow, just look at our cars! There's nothing left, but fortunately we are unhurt. This must be a sign from God that we should meet and be friends and live together in peace for the rest of our days".

The man replied, "I agree with you completely. This must be a sign from God!"

The woman continued, "And look at this, here's another miracle. My car is completely demolished but this bottle of wine didn't break. Surely God wants us to drink this wine and celebrate our good fortune." Then she hands the bottle to the man. The man nods his head in agreement, opens it and drinks half the bottle and then hands it back to the woman. The woman takes the bottle, immediately puts the cap back on, and hands it back to the man. The man asks, "Aren't you having any?"

The woman replies, "No. I think I'll just wait for the police..."

**A man goes to the doctor with a long history of migraine headaches.**

When the doctor does his history and physical, he discovers that his poor patient has had practically every therapy known to man for his migraines and STILL no improvement. "Listen," says the Doc, "I have migraines, too and the advice I'm going to give you isn't really anything I learned in medical school, but it's advice that I've gotten from my own experience. When I have a migraine, I go home, get in a nice hot bathtub, and soak for a while. Then I have my wife sponge me off with the hottest water I can stand, especially around the forehead. This helps a little. Then I get out of the tub,

take her into the bedroom, and even if my head is killing me, I force myself to have sex with her. Almost always, the headache is immediately gone. Now, give it a try, and come back and see me in six weeks." Six weeks later, the patient returns with a big grin. "Doc! I took your advice and it works! It REALLY WORKS! I've had migraines for 17 years and this is the FIRST time anyone has ever helped me!" "Well," says the physician, "I'm glad I could help." "By the way, Doc," the patient adds, "You have a REALLY beautiful wife.

### **Olympic wrestling**

Our story begins at the Olympics, specifically the wrestling event. It is narrowed down to the Russian or the American for the gold medal. Before the final match, the American wrestler's trainer came to him and said, "Now don't forget all the research we've done on this Russian. He's never lost a match because of this "pretzel" hold he has. Whatever you do, don't let him get you in this hold! If he does, you're finished!" The wrestler nodded in agreement.

Now, to the match: The American and the Russian circled each other several times looking for an opening. All of a sudden the Russian lunged forward, grabbing the American and wrapping him up in the dreaded pretzel hold! A sigh of disappointment went up from the crowd, and the trainer buried his face in his hands for he knew all was lost. He couldn't watch the ending. Suddenly there was a scream, a cheer from the crowd, and the trainer raised his eye just in time to see the Russian flying up in the air. The Russian's back hit the mat with a thud, and the American weakly collapsed on top of him, getting the pin and winning the match.

The trainer was astounded! When he finally got the American wrestler alone, he asks, "How did you ever get out of that hold? No one has ever done it before!" The wrestler answered, "Well, I was ready to give up when he got me in that hold, but at the last moment, I opened my eyes and saw

this pair of balls right in front of my face. I thought I had nothing to lose, so with my last ounce of strength I stretched out my neck and bit those babies just as hard as I could.

"So!" the trainer exclaimed, "that finished him off did it?" "No, but you'd be amazed how strong you get when you bite your own balls!"

**Heaven & Hell** An engineer dies and reports to the pearly gates. St. Peter checks his dossier and says, "Ah, you're an engineer -- you're in the wrong place." So the engineer reports to the gates of hell and is let in. Pretty soon, the engineer gets dissatisfied with the level of comfort in hell, and starts designing and building improvements. After a while, they've got air conditioning and flush toilets and escalators, and the engineer is a pretty popular guy. One day God calls Satan up on the telephone and says with a sneer, "So, how's it going down there in hell?" Satan replies, "Hey, things are going great. We've got air conditioning and flush toilets and escalators, and there's no telling what this engineer is going to come up with next." God replies, "What??? You've got an engineer? That's a mistake -- he should never have gotten down there send him up here." Satan says, "No way. I like having an engineer on the staff, and I'm keeping him." God says, "Send him back up here or I'll sue." Satan laughs uproariously and answers, "Yeah, right. And just where are YOU going to get a lawyer?"

### **Towels**

An older Jewish gentleman marries a younger lady and they are very much in love. However, no matter what the husband does sexually, the woman never achieves orgasm. Since a Jewish wife is entitled to sexual pleasure, they decide to ask the rabbi. The rabbi listens to their story, strokes his beard, and makes the following suggestion. "Hire a strapping young man. While the two of you are making love, have the young man wave a towel over you. That will help the wife fantasize and should bring on an orgasm." They go home and follow the rabbi's advice. They hire a handsome young man and he waves a towel over them as they make love. But it doesn't help

and she is still unsatisfied. Perplexed, they go back to the rabbi. "Okay", says the rabbi, "let's try it reversed. Have the young man make love to your wife and you wave the towel over them." Once again, they follow the rabbi's advice. The young man gets into bed with the wife and the husband waves the towel. The young man gets to work with great enthusiasm and the wife soon has an enormous, room-shaking screaming orgasm. The husband smiles, looks at the young man and says to him triumphantly, "You see, THAT'S the way to wave a towel!"

### **Let's Bash Both Sexes....**

What makes men chase women they have no intention of marrying? The same urge that makes dogs chase cars they have no intention of driving. What have men and floor tiles got in common? If you lay them properly the first time, you can walk all over them for life. What is it when a man talks nasty to a woman? -- Sexual Harassment What is it when a woman talks nasty to a man? -- \$3.99 a minute. How many men does it take to change a light bulb? -- None, they just sit there in the dark and complain.

How can you tell if your wife is dead? -- The sex is the same, but the dishes pile up. How can you tell if your husband is dead? -- The sex is the same, but you get the remote. What's a blonde's favorite nursery rhyme? ? Humpme Dumpme. What's it called when a woman is paralyzed from the waist down? Marriage What's the fastest way to a man's heart? ? Through his chest with a sharp knife. Why is it so hard for women to find men that are sensitive, caring and good-looking? -- Because those men already have boyfriends. What is a man's view of safe sex? -- A padded headboard. How do men sort their laundry? -- "Filthy" and "Filthy but Wearable" What's the difference between a new husband and a new dog? After a year, the dog is still excited to see you. What do you call a smart blonde? -- A golden retriever. Who is the most popular guy at the nudist colony? The guy who can have a cup of coffee in each hand and still carry a dozen donuts. Who is the most popular woman at the nudist colony? The woman who ate the last donut. What is the difference between a battery and a woman? A battery has

a positive side. A brunette, a blonde and a redhead are all in third grade. Who has the biggest breasts? The blonde, because she's 18. Do you know why they call it the Wonder Bra? When you take it off, you wonder where the breast went. Do you know the punishment for bigamy? -- Two mothers-in-law. What's the difference between a girlfriend and a wife? -- 45 lbs. What's the difference between a boyfriend and a husband? -- 45 min.

**Dear Son, I'm writing this slow because I know you can't read fast. We don't live where we did when you left home. Your Dad read in the newspaper that most accidents happen within 20 miles of your home, so we moved. I won't be able to send you the address because the last Kirksville family that lived here took the house numbers when they moved so they wouldn't have to change their address. This place is really nice. It even has a washing machine. I'm not sure it works so well, though. Last week I put a load of clothes in and pulled the chain. We haven't seen them since. The weather isn't bad here. It only rained twice last week; the first time for three days and the second time for four days. About that coat you wanted me to send; your Uncle Billy Bob said it would be too heavy to send in the mail with the buttons on, so we cut them off and put them in the pockets. Bubba locked his keys in the car yesterday. We were really worried because it took him two hours to get me and your father out. Your sister had a baby this morning, but I haven't found out what it is yet so I don't know if you are an aunt or uncle. The baby looks just like your brother. Uncle Bobby Ray fell into a whiskey vat last week. Some men tried to pull him out but he fought them off and drowned. We had him cremated, he burned for three days. Three of your friends went off a bridge in a pickup truck. Butch was driving. He rolled down the window and swam to safety. Your other two friends were in the back. They drowned because they couldn't get the tailgate down. There isn't much more news at this time. Nothing much out of the normal has happened. Your Favorite Aunt, Mom**

Knut Ojermark

**Johnny Cochran**

Johnny Cochran was duck hunting recently, when he attempted to cross a fence into a field to retrieve a duck he had shot. A farmer suddenly pulled up in his pickup truck, jumped out, and asked Cochran what he was doing on his property. "Retrieving this duck that I just shot", he replied. The farmer replied, "The duck is on my side of the fence, so now it's mine." Cochran then asked the farmer if he recognized who he was talking to. "No", replied the farmer, "I don't know, and I don't care." Does the name O.J. Simpson mean anything to you?" asked Cochran. "Yup" said the farmer, "I seen him on TV in that court case." "I am Johnny Cochran from Los Angeles", came the reply. "I am the lawyer that got O.J. Simpson off. I'm the reason he is a free man today. And if you don't let me get that duck, I will sue you on the basis of racial prejudice and take your farm, your truck, and everything else you own. I'll leave you penniless on the street." "Well," said the farmer, "We ain't in Los Angeles. Here in the country the law we go by is the 3 kicks law." "Never heard of it," said Cochran. The farmer said, "I get to kick you 3 times. Then if you get back up on your feet, and are able to kick me back 3 times, that duck is yours." Cochran, always looking for a challenge to show his superiority, thought this over. He grew up in a tough neighborhood and figured he could take on and easily out do this old farmer. "OK", said Cochran, "Fair enough." So right off the farmer kicked Johnny violently in the groin. As he doubled over, the farmer kicked him squarely in the face. Then when he hit the ground, he kicked him hard in the side, breaking a couple of ribs. After long minutes, and several failed attempts, Cochran slowly made it back to his feet. Through clenched teeth, he says "Alright,now it's my turn!" The farmer smiled and said, "Na, forget it. You can have the duck."

**Over a round of golf, two doctors were talking shop.**

"I operated on Mr. Lee the other day," said the surgeon. "What for?" asked his colleague. "About \$6,000." "What did he have?" "About \$6,000."

**A sixty year old man**

A sixty year old man walks into a big drug store and walks up to the girl at checkout #3. He asks her, "Do you guys have condoms here?" She says "Sure. What size are you?" "I don't know" he replies. "Well, just let me check" the cashier says. She unzips his pants, takes a feel, and then she says over the intercom, "EXTRA LARGE CONDOMS TO AISLE 3 PLEASE. EXTRA LARGE CONDOMS TO AISLE 3." They bring the condoms and the man pays for them and leaves.

Then, a thirty year old man walks into the store and up to checkout #3. He asks the girl, "Do you sell condoms here?" The cashier replies, "Sure, but what size do you need?" He says "Well, I don't know." She says "Just let me check here." She unzips his pants, takes a couple of tugs and then says over the intercom, "LARGE CONDOMS TO AISLE 3 PLEASE. LARGE CONDOMS TO AISLE 3." They bring the condoms and the man pays for them and leaves.

Seeing this, a fifteen year old boy who hopes to get lucky goes up to the girl at checkout #3 and asks sheepishly, "Um, ah, do you guys sell any condoms here?" "Yep" she says. "What size do you need?" "I don't know" he says. She unzips his zipper for a feel, pauses and says over the intercom, "CLEAN UP IN AISLE 3 PLEASE. CLEAN UP IN AISLE 3." **A woman gives birth to a baby**

A woman gives birth to a baby, and afterwards, the doctor comes in, and he says, "I have to tell you something about your baby." The woman sits up in bed and says, "What's wrong with my baby, Doctor?...What's wrong???" The doctor says, "Well, now, nothing's wrong, exactly, but your baby is a little bit different. Your baby is a hermaphrodite." The woman says, "A hermaphrodite.... what's that???" The doctor says, "Well, it means your baby has the...er.....features...of a male and a female." The woman turns pale. She says, "Oh my god! You mean it has a penis...AND a brain?"

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**Little Johnny was sitting on the park bench**

Little Johnny was sitting on the park bench when along came Suzi chomping on her bubblegum. "Hey Johnny, wanna play doctor?" "Nah, that's too old fashioned," Little Johnny told her. "Spit out your bubblegum! I want to play 'President' with you!"

**Cinderella was now 75 years old.**

After a fulfilling life with the now dead Prince, she happily sat upon her rocking chair, watching the world go by from her front porch, with a cat named Bob for companionship. One sunny afternoon, out of nowhere, appeared the Fairy Godmother. Cinderella said "Fairy Godmother, what are you doing here after all these years?" The Fairy godmother replied, "Cinderella, you have lived an exemplary life since I last saw you. Is there anything for which your heart still yearns? If so, I will grant you three wishes.... " Cinderella was taken aback, overjoyed and after some thoughtful consideration, and almost under her breath she uttered her first wish: "I wish I were wealthy beyond comprehension." Instantly, her rocking chair was turned into solid gold. Cinderella was stunned. Bob, her old faithful cat, jumped off her lap and scampered to the edge of the porch, quivering with fear. Cinderella said, "Oh thank you, Fairy Godmother". The Fairy Godmother replied "It is the least I can do. What does your heart want for your second wish?" Cinderella looked down at her frail body and said: "I wish I were young and full of the beauty of youth again". At once, her wish became reality, and her beautiful youthful visage returned. Cinderella felt stirrings inside her that had been dormant for years. A long forgotten vigor and vitality began to course through her. Then the Fairy Godmother again spoke "You have one more wish, what shall you have?" Cinderella looks over to the frightened cat in the corner and says, "I wish for you to transform Bob, my old cat, into a kind and handsome young man". Magically, Bob suddenly underwent so fundamental a change in his biological make-up, that when complete he stood before her, a man, so beautiful the likes of which neither she nor the world had ever seen, so fair indeed that birds began to fall from the sky at his feet. The Fairy

Godmother again spoke, "Congratulations, Cinderella. Enjoy your new life." And, with a blazing shock of bright blue electricity, she was gone. For a few eerie moments, Bob and Cinderella looked into each others eyes. Cinderella sat, breathless, gazing at the most stunningly perfect man she had ever seen. Then Bob walked over to Cinderella, who sat transfixed in her rocking chair, and held her close in his young muscular arms. He leaned in close blowing her golden hair with his warm breath as he whispered, "I bet you regret having me neutered now, don't you?"

### **Lucky Pigs**

If you yelled for 8 years, 7 months and 6 days, you would have produced enough sound energy to heat one cup of coffee. (Hardly seems worth it but I'm sure I've heated at least 10 cups already...lol) If you fart consistently for 6 years and 9 months, enough gas is produced to create the energy of an atomic bomb. (Now that's more like it...Kerri has bombed twice at least...lol) A pig's orgasm lasts for 30 minutes. (How'd they figure this out, and why?) Banging your head against a wall uses 150 calories an hour. (Still can't get over that pig thing) (Don't try this at home...and it doesn't get the grout clean, either...lol)

Humans and dolphins are the only species that have sex for pleasure. (Is that why Flipper was always smiling?) (And pigs get 30-minute orgasms? Doesn't seem fair) The strongest muscle in the body is the tongue. (HMMMMMMMM...I have no comment....) Crocodiles cannot stick their tongues out. (Poor lady crocodiles) Right-handed people live, on average, nine years longer than left-handed people do. (That's because we wear out trying to educate you dummies...lol) The ant can lift 50 times its own weight, can pull 30 times its own weight and always falls over on its right side when intoxicated. (From drinking little bottles of...?) (Did taxpayers pay for this research??) Polar bears are left handed. (Who knew....? Who cares? How'd they find out, ask them?) The catfish has over 27,000 taste buds. (What can be so tasty on the bottom of the pond?) The flea can jump 350 times its body length. It's like a human jumping the length of a football field. (30 minutes...can you imagine?? And why pigs?) A cockroach will live nine days without it's head, before it starves to death. (Creepy) The

male praying mantis cannot copulate while its head is attached to its body. The female initiates sex by ripping the male's head off. (This is foreplay? ) (Well, at least pigs get a break there...and we don't have to watch football) Some lions mate over 50 times a day. (No, the pig still wins..... quality over quantity...I'm sure there are a lot of guys like that, too.) Butterflies taste with their feet. (Oh, geez) (That's almost as bad as catfish) An ostrich's eye is bigger than it's brain. (I know some people like that.) Starfish don't have brains. (I know quite a few people like that too.) After reading all these, all I can say is..... Lucky Pigs

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**Walking into the bar**

Walking into the bar, Harvey said to the bartender, "Pour me a stiff one, Eddie. I just had another fight with the little woman." "Oh yeah," said Eddie. "And how did this one end?" "When it was over," Harvey replied, "she came to me on her hands and knees." "Really? Now that's a switch! What did she say?" She said, "Come out from under that bed, you gutless weasel!"

**Two rednecks decided that they weren't going anywhere in life**

Two rednecks decided that they weren't going anywhere in life and thought they should go to college to get ahead. The first redneck went to see a professor who told him to take math, history, and logic. "What's logic?" asked the first redneck. ??The professor answered, "Let me give you an example. Do you own a Weedeater?" "I sure do," answered the redneck. "Then, I can assume, using logic, that you have a yard," replied the professor. "That's real good," the redneck responded in awe. ??The professor continued, "Logic will also tell me that since you have a yard, you also have a house." Impressed, the redneck shouted, "Amazin!" "And since you own a house, logic dictates that you have a wife." "Betty Mae! This is incredible!" "Finally, since you have a wife, logically I can assume that you are heterosexual," said the professor. "You're absolutely right!" exclaimed the redneck. "That's the most fascinatin' thing I ever heard... I can't wait to take this here logic class." The first redneck, proud of the new world opening up to him, walked back into the hallway, where his friend is still waiting. "So what classes are ya takin" the friend asked. ?? "Math, history, and logic," replied the first redneck. "What in tarnation is logic"? asked his friend. ?? "Let me give you an example. Do ya own a weedeater""No," his friend replied. "You're queer, ain't ya?"

**Dog stuff:** "If your dog is fat, you aren't getting enough exercise" -- Unknown "Some days you're the dog; ---some days you're the hydrant." -- Unknown "Whoever said you can't buy happiness forgot about puppies." -- Gene Hill "In dog years, I'm dead." -- Unknown "To his dog, every man is Napoleon; hence the constant popularity of dogs." -- Aldous Huxley "A dog teaches a boy fidelity, perseverance, and to turn around three times before lying down." -- Robert Benchley "Did you ever walk into a room and forget why you walked in? I think that's how dogs spend their lives." -- Sue Murphy "I loathe people who keep dogs. They are cowards who haven't got the guts to bite people themselves." -- August Strindberg "No animal should ever jump up on the dining room furniture unless absolutely certain that he can hold his own in the conversation." -- Fran Lebowitz "Ever consider what they

must think of us? I mean, here we come back from a grocery store with the most amazing haul -- chicken, pork, half a cow. They must think we're the greatest hunters on earth!" -- Anne Tyler "I wonder if other dogs think poodles are members of a weird religious cult." -- Rita Rudner "My dog is worried about the economy because Alpo is up to 99 cents a can. That's almost \$7.00 in dog money." -- Joe Weinstein "If I have any beliefs about immortality, it is that certain dogs I have known will go to heaven, and very, very few persons." -- James Thurber "You enter into a certain amount of madness when you marry a person with pets." -- Nora Ephron "Don't accept your dog's admiration as conclusive evidence that you are wonderful." -- Ann Landers "Women and cats will do as they please, and men and dogs should relax and get used to the idea." -- Robert A. Heinlein "In order to keep a true perspective of one's importance, everyone should have a dog that will worship him and a cat that will ignore him." -- Dereke Bruce, Taipei, Taiwan "Of all the things I miss from veterinary practice, puppy breath is one of the most fond memories!" -- Dr. Tom Cat "There is no psychiatrist in the world like a puppy licking your face." -- Ben Williams "When a man's best friend is his dog, that dog has a problem." -- Edward Abbey "Cat's motto: No matter what you've done wrong, always try to make it look like the dog did it." -- Unknown "Money will buy you a pretty good dog, but it won't buy the wag of his tail." -- Unknown "No one appreciates the very special genius of your conversation as the dog does." -- Christopher Morley "A dog is the only thing on earth that loves you more than he loves himself." -- Josh Billings "Man is a dog's idea of what God should be." -- Holbrook Jackson "The average dog is a nicer person than the average person." -- Andrew A. Rooney "He is your friend, your partner, your defender, your dog. You are his life, his love, his leader. He will be yours, faithful and true, to the last beat of his heart. You owe it to him to be worthy of such devotion." -- Unknown "If you pick up a starving dog and make him prosperous, he will not bite you; that is the principal difference between a dog and a man." -- Mark Twain "Things that upset a terrier may pass virtually unnoticed by a Great Dane." --Smiley Blanton "I've

**seen a look in dogs' eyes, a quickly vanishing look of amazed contempt, and I am convinced that basically dogs think humans are nuts." -- John Steinbeck** **IF A DOG WERE YOUR TEACHER**

You would learn stuff like..... When loved ones come home, always run to greet them. Never pass up the opportunity to go for a joyride. Allow the experience of fresh air and the wind in your face to be pure ecstasy. When it's in your best interest -- practice obedience. Let others know when they've invaded your territory. Take naps and stretch before rising. Run, romp, and play daily. Thrive on attention and let people touch you. Avoid biting, when a simple growl will do. On warm days, stop to lie on your back on the grass. On hot days, drink lots of water and lay under a shady tree. When you're happy, dance around and wag your entire body. No matter how often you're scolded, don't buy into the guilt thing and pout... run right back and make friends. Delight in the simple joy of a long walk. Eat with gusto and enthusiasm. Stop when you have had enough. Be loyal. Never pretend to be something you're not. If what you want lies buried, dig until you find it. When someone is having a bad day, be silent, sit close by and nuzzle them gently.

**This is apparently an actual letter sent to a bank in the US.**

The bank thought it amusing enough to publish it in the New York Times. I thought it rather honest, given the way banks operate these days. :) Dear Sir or Madam, I am writing to thank you for bouncing the cheque with which I endeavored to pay my plumber last month. By my calculations, some three nanoseconds must have elapsed between his presenting the cheque, and the arrival in my account of the funds needed to honour it. I refer, of course, to the automatic monthly deposit of my entire salary, an arrangement which I admit has only been in place for eight years. You're to be commended for seizing that brief window of opportunity, and also for debiting my account with \$50 by way of penalty for the inconvenience I caused your bank. My thankfulness springs from the manner in which this incident has caused me to re think my errant financial ways. You have set me on the path of fiscal righteousness. No more will our relationship be blighted by these unpleasant

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incidents, for I am restructuring my affairs in 2000, taking as my model the procedures, attitudes and conduct of your very bank. I can think of no greater compliment and I know you will be excited and proud to hear it. To this end, please be advised about the following: First, I have noticed that whereas I personally attend to your telephone calls and letters, when I try to contact you I am confronted by the impersonal, ever changing, pre-recorded, faceless entity which your bank has become. From now on I, like you, choose only to deal with a flesh and blood person. My mortgage and loan repayments will, therefore and hereafter, no longer be automatic, but will arrive at your bank, by cheque, addressed personally and confidentially to an employee of your branch whom you must nominate. You will be aware that it is an offense under the Postal Act for any other person to open such an envelope. Please find attached an Application Contact Status which I require your chosen employee to complete. I am sorry it runs to eight pages, but in order that I know as much about him or her as your bank knows about me there is no alternative. Please note that all copies of his or her medical history must be countersigned by a Justice of the Peace, and that the mandatory details of his/her financial situation (income, debts, assets and liabilities) must be accompanied by documented proof. In due course I will issue your employee with a PIN number which he/she must quote in all dealings with me. I regret that it cannot be shorter than 28 digits, but, again, I have modeled it on the number of button presses required to access my account balance on your phone bank service. As they say, imitation is the sincerest form of flattery. Let me level the playing field even further by introducing you to my new telephone system, which you will notice is very much like yours. My Authorized Contact at your bank, the only person with whom I will have any dealings, may call me at any time and will be answered by an automated voice. By pressing buttons on the phone, he/she will be guided through an extensive set of menus. 1. To make an appointment to see me. 2. To query a missing repayment. 3. To make a general complaint or inquiry. 4. To transfer the call to my living room in case I am there; Extension of living room to be communicated at the time the call is received. 5. To transfer the call to my bedroom in case I am sleeping. Extension of bedroom to be communicated at the time the call is

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received. 6. To transfer the call to my toilet in case I am attending to nature. Extension of toilet to be communicated at the time the call is received. 7. To transfer the call to my mobile phone in case I am not at home. 8. To leave a message on my computer. To leave a message a password to access my computer is required. Password will be communicated at a later date to the contact. 9. To return to the main menu, and listen carefully to options 1 through 6. 10. The contact will then be put on hold, pending the attention of my automated answering service. While this may on occasion involve a lengthy wait, uplifting music will play for the duration. This month I've chosen a refrain from The Best of Woody Guthrie. "Oh the banks are made of marble with a guard at every door, and the vaults are filled with silver, that the miners sweated for." After twenty minutes of that, our mutual contact will probably know it all by heart. On a more serious note, we come to the matter of cost. As your bank has often pointed out, the ongoing drive for greater efficiency comes at a cost - a cost which you have always been quick to pass on to me. Let me repay your kindness by passing some costs back. First, there is the matter of advertising material you send me. This I will read for a fee of \$20 per page. Inquiries from your nominated contact will be billed at \$5 per minute of my time spent in response. Any debits to my account, as for example, in the matter of the penalty for the dishonored cheque, will be passed back to you. My new phone service runs at 75 cents a minute (even Woody Guthrie doesn't come free) so you would be well advised to keep your inquiries brief and to the point. Regrettably, but again following your example, I must also levy an establishment fee to cover the setting up of this new arrangement. Your humble client.

**What every woman 'ought' to know**

- 1. Never buy a new brand of beer because it was on sale.**
- 2. If we're in the backyard and the TV in the den is on, that doesn't mean we're not watching it.**
- 3. Don't tell anyone that we can't afford a new car. Tell them we don't want one.**
- 4. Whenever possible, please try to say whatever you have to say during commercials.**
- 5. Only wearing your new lingerie once does not send the message that you need more. It tells us that lingerie is a bad investment.**
- 6. Please don't drive when you're not driving.**
- 7. Don't feel compelled to tell us**



how all the people in your little stories are related to one another. We're just nodding, waiting for the punchline. 8. If you want us to take out the garbage you have to let us pack the car. 9. The quarterback who just got pummeled is not trying to be brave, he's just not crying. Big difference. 10. When the waiter asks if everything is okay, a simple "yes" will do. 11. What do you mean 'leering?' She's obstructing my view. 12. When I'm turning the wheel and the car is nosing onto the off-ramp, saying "this is our exit," is not necessary. 13. When you're not around I belch so loud I appall myself. 14. The temperature in the cave will be my responsibility. It will be slightly to moderately cooler than you want it. 15. SportsCenter starts at 11PM and runs one hour. This is an excellent time for you to pay bills, put laundry in the dryer, or talk to your sister.

16. Is it too much to ask to have the bra and panties match? 17. If we see you in the morning and at night, why call us at work? 18. Two hot dogs and a beer at a baseball game do, in fact, constitute going out to dinner. 19. You probably don't want to know what we're thinking. 20. Silence does not need to be filled. 21. It is in neither your best interest nor ours to take the Cosmo quiz together. 22. No, you cannot have the remote.

**What men know - And women say we know nothing! Men know that Mother Nature's best aphrodisiac is still a naked woman. Men know that PMS is Mother Nature's way of telling you to get out of the house. Men know that if she looks like your mother, run. Men know that there are at least three sides to every story: his, hers, and the truth. Men know never to run away from a fight that you know you can win. Men know that cats are evil and cannot be trusted. Men know how to change the toilet paper, but to do so would ruin the game. Men know exactly how much gas is left in the tank and how far that gas will get them. Men know that from time to time, it is absolutely necessary to adjust oneself. Men know that a woman will wear a low-cut dress and expect the man to stare at her cleavage.**

Men also know that the woman will get pissed off when they do, for reasons not totally clear to them. Men know that the reason men don't like cats is because they don't know how to cook them. Men know that it's never a

good idea to tell your father-in-law how good his daughter is in bed. Men know that men are from here, and women are from way the hell over there.

**PONDER:** If you throw a cat out a car window, does it become kitty litter? If you choke a Smurf, what color does it turn? If you take an Oriental person and spin him around several times, does he become disoriented? Is it OK to use the AM radio after noon? What do chickens think we taste like? What do people in China call their good plates? What do you call a male ladybug? What hair color do they put on the driver's license of a bald man? When dog food is new and improved tasting, who tests it? When they first invented the clock, how did they know what time it was to set it to? Which is the other side of the street? Why didn't Noah swat those two mosquitoes? Why do they sterilize the needle for lethal injections? Why doesn't glue stick to the inside of the bottle? Why don't they call mustaches mouthbrows?

**You Know You Joined a Cheap HMO When... 10. Your annual breast exam is conducted at Hooters. 9. Directions to your doctor's office include, "Take a left when you enter the trailer park." 8. The tongue depressors taste faintly of Fudgesicles. 7. The only proctologist in the plan is "Gus" from Roto-Rooter. 6. The only item listed under Preventive Care coverage is "An apple a day."**

5. Your "primary care physician" is wearing the pants you gave to Goodwill last month. 4. "The patient is responsible for 200% of out-of-network charges" is not a typo. 3. The only expense covered 100% is embalming. 2. With your last HMO, your Prozac didn't come in different colors with little "M"s on them. And the Number 1 Sign You've Joined a Cheap HMO ... 1. You ask for Viagra; you get a Popsicle stick and duct tape.

## **Two Hillbillies**

Two Hillbillies were having the blue plate special at their favorite watering hole, when they heard this awful choking sound. They turned around to see a lady, a few bar stools down, turning blue from wolfing down a 'possum burger too fast. The first hillbilly said to the other, "Think we otta' help?" "I

reckon," said the second hillbilly. The first hillbilly got up and walked over to the lady and asked, "Kin yew breathe?" She shook her head no. "Kin yew speak?" he asked. She again shook her head no. With that he helped her to her feet, lifted up her skirt and licked her on the butt. She was so shocked, she coughed up the obstruction and began to breathe, with great relief. The first hillbilly turns to his friend and says, "Funny how that there **Hind Lick Manuever works ever time!**"

### **Pope meets the President**

During his visit to the United States the Pope met with President Clinton. Instead of just an hour as scheduled, the meeting went on for two days. Finally, a weary President Clinton emerged to face the waiting news media. The President was smiling and announced the summit was a resounding success. He said he and the Pope agreed on 80% of the matters they discussed. Then Mr. Clinton declared he was going home to the White House to be with his family.

A few minutes later the Pope came out to make his statement. He looked tired, discouraged and was practically in tears. Sadly he announced his meeting with the President was a failure. Incredulous, one reporter asked, "But your Holiness, President Clinton just announced the summit was a great success and the two of you agreed on 80% of the items discussed". Exasperated, the Pope answered, "Yes, but we were talking about the Ten Commandments." **Ole & Lars were talking one afternoon.**

Ole tells Lars, "You know, I tink I'm ready fer a little vacation. But dis year I vant ta do sum'ting differnt. De last few years, I took yer suggestions about vere ta go. Tree years ago you said I should go ta Hawaii an' I did an' Lena got pregnant. De nex year ya said ta go ta dem dere Bahamas an' Lena got pregnant agin. And last year ya tol' me ta go ta Tahiti. Sure 'nough, Lena got pregnant agin. Dis year I vant ta go ta someplace cheaper so I can bring her with me, by golly! **From Paul Harvey's show: Seems a UAL flight out of Chicago was full and the flight attendants were in the middle of serving a meal when the attendant call bell chimmed. One of the gals went to the passenger's seat and asked how she could help. The passenger said,**

**"this potatoe is bad." Where upon the flight attendant, in the blink of an eye, snatched up the potatoe from the passengers plate, turned it over, and spanked it three times, all the while saying, "bad potato bad potato, bad potato." She then returned the spud to the passengers plate and said to him, "If this potato gives you any more trouble, just cal me and I'll scold it again!"**

**A Little Variety...** Ralph takes his wife, Mildred, to the livestock show. As they walk past the pens holding the bulls, Mildred notices a sign by the first bull stating: "This bull mated 50 times last year." Mildred turns to her husband and says, "You could learn from him." They proceed to the next bull and his sign states: "This bull mated 100 times last year." Mildred turns to Ralph and says, "This one mated twice a week! you can learn from this bull, also." They proceeded to the last bull and his sign said: : "This bull mated 365 times last year." The Mildred's mouth drops open and exclaims, "Wow! He mated every single day of the year!!! You could really learn a lot from this bull." Ralph turns to Mildred and smiles, "I doubt if he mated 365 times with the same old cow." **CANADIAN JOKE #1 A Canadian is walking down the street with a case of beer under his arm. His friend Doug stops him and asks, "Hey Bob! Whacha get the case of beer for?" "I got it for my wife, eh." answers Bob. "Oh!" exclaims Doug, "Good trade."** **CANADIAN JOKE #2 An Ontarian wanted to become a Newfie (ie. a Newfoundlander). He went to the neurosurgeon and asked, "Is there anything you can do to me that would make me into a Newfie?" "Sure it's easy," replied the neurosurgeon. "All I have to do is cut out 1/3 of your brain, and you'll be a Newfie." The Ontarian was very pleased, and immediately underwent the operation. However, the neurosurgeon's knife slipped, and instead of cutting 1/3 of the patient's brain, the surgeon accidentally cut out 2/3 of the patient's brain. He was terribly remorseful, and waited impatiently beside the patient's bed as the patient recovered from the anesthetic. As soon as the patient was conscious, the neurosurgeon said to him, "I'm terribly sorry, but there was a ghastly accident. Instead of cutting out 1/3 of your brain, I accidentally cut out 2/3 of your brain." The patient replied "Qu'est-ce que vous avez dit, monsieur?"** **CANADIAN JOKE #3 Did you hear**

about the war between Newfoundland and Nova Scotia? The Newfies were lobbing hand grenades; the Nova Scotians were pulling the pins and throwing them back. **CANADIAN JOKE #4** In Canada we have two seasons.....six months of winter and six months of poor snowmobiling. **CANADIAN JOKE #5** One day an Englishman, an American, and a Canadian walked into a pub together. They proceeded to each buy a pint of Labatt Blue. Just as they were about to enjoy their beverages, a fly landed in each of their pints. The Englishman pushed his beer away from him in disgust. The American fished the offending fly out of his beer and continued drinking it as if nothing happened. The Canadian picked the fly out of his drink and started shaking it over the pint, yelling, **"SPIT IT OUT, SPIT IT OUT YOU BASTARD!!!"** **CANADIAN JOKE #6** A Quebecer, staying in a hotel in Edmonton phoned room service for some pepper. "Black pepper, or white pepper?" asked the concierge. "Toilette pepper!" yelled the Quebecer. **CANADIAN JOKE #7** An American, a Scot and a Canadian were in a terrible car accident. They were all brought to the same emergency room, but all three of them died before they arrived. Just as they were about to put the toe tag on the American, he stirred and opened his eyes. Astonished, the doctors and nurses present asked him what happened. "Well," said the American, "I remember the crash, and then there was a beautiful light, and then the Canadian and the Scot and I were standing at the gates of heaven. St. Peter approached us and said that we were all too young to die, and said that for a donation of \$50, we could return to earth. So of course I pulled out my wallet and gave him the \$50, and the next thing I knew was back here." "That's amazing!" said one of the doctors, "But what happened to the other two?" "Last I saw them," replied the American, "the Scot was haggling over the price and the Canadian was waiting for the government to pay his" The owner of a large furniture store in the mid-west arrived in France on a buying trip.

As he was checking into a hotel he struck up an acquaintance with a beautiful young lady. However, she only spoke French and he only spoke English, so each couldn't understand a word the other spoke. He took out a

pencil and a notebook and drew a picture of a taxi. She smiled, nodded her head and they went for a ride in the park. Later, he drew a picture of a table in a restaurant with a question mark and she nodded, so they went to dinner. After dinner he sketched two dancers and she was delighted. They went to several nightclubs, drank champagne, danced and had a glorious evening. It had gotten quite late when she motioned for the pencil and drew a picture of a four-poster bed. He was dumbfounded, and has never been able to understand how she knew he was in the furniture business!!!

**Morris stops by to visit his friend who is paralyzed from the waist down.**

They talk for a while and then the friend asks, "My feet are cold. Would you be so kind as to go get me my house slippers please?" Morris obliges and goes upstairs. There he sees his friend's daughters, both very good looking. Being the adventurous and quick thinking kind, he says..... "Hi, ladies! Your daddy sent me here to have sex with you!" They stare at him and say, "That can't be!" He replies, "OK, let's check!" He shouts at his friend down the stairs, "Both of them?" ..... "Yes, both of them!! **A man was on trial for selling drugs, and a neighbor was called as a witness.**

The defense attorney asked, "Did you ever get any cocaine or other drugs from the defendant?" "No sir," answered the man. "Did you ever get any from his wife?" "No sir." "Did you ever get any from his daughters?" "Uh--excuse me sir," the witness said, "but we're still talking about drugs here, right?" **There was once a Scotsman and an Englishman who lived next door to each other.**

The Scotsman owned a hen and each morning would look in his garden and pick up one of his hens eggs for breakfast. One day he looked into his garden and saw that the hen had laid an egg in the Englishman's garden. He was about to go next door when he saw the Englishman pick up the egg. The Scotsman ran up to the Englishman and told him that the egg belonged to him because he owned the hen. The Englishman disagreed because the egg was laid on his property. They argued for a while until finally the Scotsman said, In my family we normally solve disputes by the following actions: "I

kick you in the balls and time how long it takes you to get back up, then you kick me in the balls and time how long it takes for me to get up, whomever gets up quicker wins the egg." The Englishman agreed to this and so the Scotsman found his heaviest pair of boots and put them on, he took a few steps back, then ran toward the Englishman and kicked as hard as he could right between his legs. The Englishman fell to the floor clutching himself and howling in agony for 30 minutes. Eventually the Englishman stood up and said, "Now its my turn to kick you." The Scotsman said, "Keep the damn egg." **MAGIC** An 18 year old girl finally had the opportunity to go to a party all alone. Since she was very good looking, she was a bit nervous about what to do if boys hit on her. Her Mom said, "It is very easy! Whenever a boy starts hitting on you, you ask him 'what will be the name of our baby?' that will scare them off." So off she went. After a little while at the party a boy started dancing with her and little by little kissing her and touching her. She asked him, "What will our baby be called?" The boy found some excuse and disappeared. Some time later the same thing happened again, a boy started to kiss her neck, her shoulders...she stopped him and asked him about the baby's name, he ran off. Later on another boy invited her for a walk, after a few minutes he started kissing her and she asked him, "What will our baby be called?" He continued, now slowly taking her clothes off. "What will our baby be called?" she asked once more. He began to have sex with her. "What will our baby be called?" she asked again. After he was done, he took off his "full" condom, tied it in a knot and said, "If he gets out of this one...David Copperfield!"

**A cowboy rode into town and stopped at the saloon for a drink.**

Unfortunately, the locals always had a habit of picking on newcomers. When he finished, he found his horse had been stolen. He comes back into the bar, handily flips his gun into the air, catches it above his head without even looking and fires a shot into the ceiling. "Who stole my horse?" he yelled with surprising forcefulness. No one answered. "I'm gonna have another beer and if my horse ain't back outside by the time I'm finished, I'm gonna do what I dun back in Texas and I don't want to have to do what I dun back in Texas!" Some of the locals shifted restlessly. He had another beer,

walked outside, and his horse was back! He saddled up and started to ride out of town. The bartender wandered out of the bar and asked, "Say partner, what happened in Texas?" The cowboy turned back and said, "I had to walk home!"

### **Phone company**

A phone company put an ad in the paper in order to recruit workers. The next day, two groups of workers show up - a crew of five men and a crew of five blonde women. The company can not decide who to give the job to, so they give the two groups a test. The company boss says, "Each crew will receive a telephone pole that must be installed into the ground. Whoever is able to hammer it in first will get the job."

Both groups agree that this is a fair test, so off they go in the Company trucks with the long telephone poles sticking out the back. A few hours pass, and finally, at 5:00, the male crew returns. "Yes!" they shout. "We came back first, so we get the job!!"

"Good work, men," says the boss, "However, we must wait until the other crew comes back to make sure that the reason they're delayed is not because of traffic or the truck breaking down." "Fine, no problem," say the men. An hour passes, two hours pass, three hours. Finally, at 8:30, the Blonde crew arrives. All the group is flushed and breathing hard, as if they had just gone through harsh labor. "What happened to you? What took so long?" asks the boss incredulously. "What do you mean, what took so long'?? Do we get the job?" "YOU get the job? No way! The men were back here HOURS ago!" "Well, of course they were," say the blondes. "They only put the pole in halfway!!"



**A programmer was crossing a road**

A programmer was crossing a road one day when a frog called out to him and said, "If you kiss me, I'll turn into a beautiful princess." He bent over, picked up the frog and put it in his pocket. The frog spoke up again and said, "If you kiss me and turn me back into a beautiful princess, I will stay with you for one week." The programmer took the frog out of his pocket, smiled at it and returned it to the pocket. The frog then cried out, "If you kiss me and turn me back into a princess, I'll stay with you and do ANYTHING you want." Again the programmer took the frog out, smiled at it and put it back into his pocket. Finally, the frog asked, "What is the matter? I've told you I'm a beautiful princess that I'll stay with you for a week and do anything you want. Why won't you kiss me?" The programmer said, "Look I'm a programmer. I don't have time for a girlfriend, but a talking frog, now that's cool."

**Have you heard about the amazing new discovery? It's a pill that is half aspirin and half glue for people who have splitting headaches.**

**A couple drove several miles down a country road**

A couple drove several miles down a country road, not saying a word. An earlier discussion had led to an argument, and neither wanted to concede their position. As they passed a barnyard of mules and pigs, the wife sarcastically asked, "Relatives of yours?" "Yep," the husband replied, "In-laws."

**Ballerina** A big ol' sweaty woman, wearing a sleeveless sundress, walks into a bar. She raises her right arm, revealing a big ol' hairy armpit as she points to all the folks sitting at the bar and asks, "What man in here will buy a lady a drink?" The whole bar goes dead silent, as the patrons try to ignore her. At the end of the bar, a skinny little drunk slams his hand on the bar and says, "Bartender! I want to buy that ballerina a drink!" The bartender pours the drink and the woman chugs it down. After she's completed the drink, she turns again to the patrons and points around at all of them, again revealing her hairy armpit, saying, "What man in here will buy a lady a drink?" Once again, the little drunk slaps his hand down on the bar and

says, "Bartender! I'd like to buy the ballerina another drink!" After serving the lady her second drink, the bartender approaches the little drunk and states, "It's your business if you want to buy the lady a drink, but why do you call her a 'ballerina?'" The drunk replies, "Sir! In my eyes, any woman who can lift her leg up that high must be a ballerina!"

**A Fable** There was a fly flying over a pond in the middle of a fog. He thought, "If I dropped 6 inches, I could clear this fog and fly across the pond." On the other side of the pond, there is a frog who thinks, "If that fly drops 6 inches, he'll clear that fog and I'll have breakfast." Underneath a lily pad, there is a bass who thinks, "If that fly drops 6 inches, the frog will go for the fly and I'll have lunch." On the bank, there is a bear who thinks, "If the fly drops 6 inches, the frog will go for the fly, the bass will go for the frog, and I'll have lunch too." On the hill, there is a hunter who thinks, "If that fly drops 6 inches, the frog will go for the fly, the bass will go for the frog, the bear will go for the bass, and I'll have a clear shot at the bear." A couple of feet behind the hunter, there is a mouse who thinks, "If the fly drops 6 inches, the frog will go for the fly, the bass will go for the frog, the bear will go for the bass, the hunter will get his shot, and I will get the cheese off his sandwich." Up at the barn, a cat is watching this whole affair and thinks, "If that fly drops 6 inches, the frog will go for the fly, the bass will go for the frog, the bear will go for the bass, the hunter will get his shot, the mouse will get the cheese, and I will get the mouse." So the fly drops 6 inches, the frog gets his fly, the bass gets his frog, the bear gets his bass, the hunter gets his shot, the mouse gets his cheese, the cat jumps for the mouse and falls in the water. The moral of the story is that every time a fly drops 6 inches, you're gonna get a wet pussy.

**Whales** Two whales spot a Japanese whaler. The first whale says, "That's the bastard who killed my folks -- lets drown him!" The second whale says, "If he killed your folks, let's do it!" The first says, "We'll dive down then surface and blow the ship over with our blowholes." They do so, but the sailors survive and begin to swim for it. The first whale says, "Darn it! We'll have to swim up to them with our mouths open and swallow them down!"

The second replies, "No way! I don't mind the blow job but I'm not swallowing the seaman!"

**Fascinate** A teacher asked her students to use the word "fascinate" in a sentence. Mary said, "My family went to the New York City Zoo, and we saw all the animals. It was fascinating." The teacher said, "That was good, Mary, but I wanted you to use the word 'fascinate.'" Sally raised her hand and said, "My family went to the Philadelphia Zoo and saw the animals. I was fascinated." The teacher said, "Good Sally, but I wanted you to use the word 'fascinate.'" Little Johnny raised his hand. The teacher hesitated because Johnny was notorious for his bad language. She finally decided there was no way he could damage the word "fascinate," so she called on him. Johnny said loudly, "My sister has a sweater with 10 buttons." The teacher said, "That was good, Johnny. However, you did not use the word 'fascinate' in your sentence." Little Johnny continued, "But her tits are so big, she can only fasten eight."

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### **A hillbilly man**

A hillbilly man and his new bride were on their honeymoon. The husband jumps into bed to wait for his wife to get herself ready. The wife comes out of the bathroom in a sexy negligee and says "Honey, I have something to tell you. I'm a virgin." The man grabs his clothes and rushes out of the house yelling at the top of his lungs. He heads straight to his fathers house. When he gets there, his father says, "Son, what are you doing here? You're supposed to be on your honeymoon." The son says, "Dad, my new wife told me a big secret of hers. She's a virgin." "Damn son. You did the right thing by leaving. If she wasn't good enough for her family, she sure as hell isn't good enough for ours!"

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### **A very elderly couple**

A very elderly couple is having an elegant dinner to celebrate their 75th wedding anniversary. The old man leans forward and says softly to his wife,

"Dear, there is something that I must ask you. It has always bothered me that our tenth child never quite looked like the rest of our children. Now I want to assure you that these 75 years have been the most wonderful experience I could have ever hoped for, and your answer can not take that all away. But,.. I must know, did he have a different father?" The wife drops her head, unable to look her husband in the eye, she paused for moment and then confessed. "Yes. Yes he did." The old man is very shaken, the reality of what his wife was admitting hit him harder than he had expected. With a tear in his eye he asked, "Who?.. Who was he? Who was the father?" Again the old woman drops her head, saying nothing at first as she tried to muster the courage to tell the truth to her husband. Then, finally, she said, "You."

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### **Lorena Bobbitt's sister**

Lorena Bobbitt's sister was arrested last night for attempting to cause the same damage to her husband, except she missed and hit his leg. She has been charged with a "misdeweiner".

**A man and his wife were invited to dinner by their elderly neighbors. The old gentleman endearingly preceded every request to his wife with 'Honey,' 'Darling,' 'Sweetheart,' 'Pumpkin,' etc. The guests were impressed since the couple had been married almost 70 years. While the wife was off in the kitchen, the man said to the old gentleman, "I think it's wonderful that after all the years you've been married, you still refer to your wife in those terms." The elderly husband hung his head and replied, "Actually, I forgot her name about 10 years ago"**

### **A man decides to have a face-lift for his birthday.**

He spends \$5,000 and feels really good about the results. On his way home, he stops at a newsstand and buys a paper. Before leaving, he says to the sales clerk, "I hope you don't mind me asking, but how old do you think I am?" "About 35," was the reply. "I'm actually 47," the man says, feeling really happy. After that, he goes into McDonalds for lunch and asks the clerk the same question. The reply is, "Oh, you look about 29". "I am

actually 47." Later, while standing at a bus stop, he asks an old woman the same question. She replies, "I am 85 years old, and my eyesight is going. But when I was young, there was a sure way of telling a man's age. If I put my hand down your pants and play with your balls for 10 minutes, I will be able to tell you your exact age." As there was no one around, the man thinks, 'What the hell' and lets her slip her hand down his pants. Ten minutes later, the old lady says, "Okay, it's done. You are 47." Stunned, the man says, "That was brilliant. How did you do that?" The old lady replies, "Oh it was easy, I was behind you at McDonalds."

### **Sneaky**

A guy goes over to his buddy's house, rings the bell, but his buddy's wife answers. "Hi is Tony home?" "No he went to the store." "Well, you mind if I wait?" "No come in." They sit down and the friend says, "You know Nora, you have the greatest breasts I have ever seen. I'd give you a hundred bucks if I could just see one." Nora thinks about this for a second and figures what the hell,.... It's worth one hundred bucks. She opens her robe and shows one. He promptly thanks her and throws 100 bucks on the table. They sit there a while longer and Chris says, "They are so beautiful. I must see the both of them. I'll give you another 100 bucks if I could just see the both of them together." Nora thinks about this and says what the hell, opens her robe and gives Chris a nice long look. She feels bad for him, so she pushes her breasts into his face for a moment and she let's him have a few squeezes. Chris thanks her and throws another 100 bucks on the table then says he can't wait any longer for Tony and he leaves. A while later Tony arrives home and his wife says "You know your weird friend Chris came over." Tony thinks about this for a second and asks, "Well,... did he drop off the 200 bucks he owes me?"

**A first grade teacher had a small number of children**

A first grade teacher had a small number of children gathered around a table for a reading group. After the story was read she gave the children a work sheet to do. While they were working she heard a little girl say very softly "damn!" The teacher leaned over and said quietly, "We don't say that in school." The little girl looked at the teacher, her eyes got very big and she said, "Not even when things are all fucked up?"

**A man needed to call home**

A man needed to call home, but the only pay phone he could find was in use. So, he stood to the side and waited until it was free, thinking it would only be a couple of minutes. Five minutes went by, and still the man was on the phone. He was just standing there holding the phone to his year but not saying a word. Ten minutes later, he was still not talking. Fifteen minutes later, he still wasn't talking. Finally, the waiting man tapped the guy on the shoulder and asked if he could use the phone. "I really won't be long and I really need to make a short, but important call." "Hold your horses," responded the man using the pay phone, covering the receiver. "I'm talking to my wife."

**Joan, the town gossip**

Joan, the town gossip and supervisor of the town's morals, recently accused George, a local man, of being an alcoholic because she saw his pickup truck parked outside the town's only bar. George stared at her for a moment, and said nothing. Later that evening, he parked his pickup truck in front of her house and left it there all night.

**The homeowner**

The homeowner got into his grubbiest clothes on Saturday morning and set about all the chores he'd been putting off for weeks. He'd cleaned the garage, pruned the hedge, and was halfway through mowing the lawn when a woman pulled up in the driveway and yelled out her window, "Say, what do you get for yard work?" The fellow thought for a minute, then answered, "The lady who lives here lets me sleep with her."

**A man goes to the doctor**

A man goes to the doctor and says, "Doctor, I've got this problem you see, only you've got to promise not to laugh". The doctor replies, "Of course I won't laugh! That would be thoroughly unprofessional. In over twenty years of being a doctor I've never laughed at a patient." "OK then," says the man, and he drops his trousers. The doctor is greeted by the tiniest penis he has ever seen in his life. Despite his best efforts, he begins laughing, softly at first, then uncontrollably. Several minutes later he manages to compose himself and wipes the tears from his eyes. "I'm so sorry", he says to the patient, "I don't know what came over me. I won't let it happen again. Now what seems to be the problem?" The man looks up at the doctor with sad eyes and says, "It's swollen."

**Did you hear about the Indian chief**

Did you hear about the Indian chief who traded in his forty year old squaw for two twenty year olds? A couple of weeks later a couple of fellow braves saw him back with his forty year old squaw. They said, "What happened to your two twenty year olds?" The Chief replied, "Me no wired for 220!" **A hurricane blew across the Caribbean.**

It didn't take long for the expensive yacht to be swamped by high waves, sinking without a trace. There were only two survivors: the boat's owner Dr. Eskin and its steward Benny. Both managed to swim to the closest island. After reaching the deserted strip of land, the steward was crying and very upset that they would never be found. The other man was quite calm, relaxing against a tree. "Dr. Eskin, Dr. Eskin, how can you be so calm?" cried the Benny. "We're going to die on this lonely island. We'll never be discovered here." "Sit down and listen to what I have to say, Benny," began the confident Dr. Eskin. "Five years ago I gave the United Way \$500,000 and another \$500,000 to the United Jewish Appeal. I donated the same amounts four years ago. And, three years ago, since I did very well in the stock market, I contributed \$750,000 to each. Last year business was good again, so the two charities each got a million dollars." "So what?" shouted

Benny. "Well, it's time for their annual fund drives. They'll find me," smiled Dr. Eskin.

### **Honey**

"Honey," said this husband to his wife, "I invited a friend home for supper." "What? Are you crazy? The house is a mess, I didn't go shopping, all the dishes are dirty, and I don't feel like cooking a fancy meal!" "I know all that," replied the nonchalant husband. "Then why on Earth did you invite a friend for supper?" said the infuriated wife. "Because the poor fool's thinking about getting married." **Newlyweds had just sneaked off to the honeymoon resort.**

After supper and champagne, the groom retired to the bedroom. But the bride pulled a chair up to the balcony doors and sat there, gazing at the stars. "Dear," asked the somewhat impatient husband. "Aren't you coming to bed?" "No," she announced. "My mother told me this was going to be the most beautiful night of my life, and I don't want to miss a single minute of it."

### **How does Janice like being pregnant**

How does Janice like being pregnant?" Bob asked his friend John. "Oh, she's not pregnant," John replied, "she's expecting." "What's the difference?" Bob pressed. "Well, John explained, "She's expecting me to cook dinner, she's expecting me to do the housework, she's expecting me to rub her feet . . ." **Is there a man alive who hasn't had this conversation -- at least in his own head?** Woman: "Are you good in bed?" Man: "Of course I am." Woman: "How do you know?" Man: "Because I'm always satisfied." **Everyone knows Barney,... that cute purple dinosaur.**

But here's something that you may not know: 1. Start with the given: CUTE PURPLE DINOSAUR. 2. Change all U's to V's (which is proper Latin anyway). CVTE PVRPLE DINOSAVR 3. Extract all Roman Numerals: CV V L DI V 4. Convert these into Arabic values: 100 5 5 50 500 1 5 5. Add these numbers up: 100 5 5 50 500 1 + 5 ---- 666 There you have it..... A valid mathematical proof that Barney is the Antichrist! **Two lawyers had been stranded on a deserted island for several months.**



The only other thing on the island was the tall coconut tree, which provided them their food. Each day, one of the lawyers climbed to the top of the tree, to see if he could see a rescue boat coming. One day, the lawyer yelled down from the tree, "Wow! I can't believe my eyes! I don't believe this is true!" The lawyer on the ground was skeptical and said, "I think you're hallucinating and you should come down right now." So, the lawyer reluctantly climbed down the tree and told his friend that he had just seen a naked blonde woman floating face up headed toward their island. The other lawyer started to laugh, thinking his friend had surely lost his mind. But, within a few minutes up to the beach floated a naked blonde woman, face up, totally unconscious. The two lawyers went over to her and one said to the other, "You know, we've been on this island for months now without a woman. It's been a long time...do you think we should, you know, screw her?" The other lawyer glanced down at the totally naked woman and asked, "Out of what?"

**What if**

\*If you choke a Smurf, what color does it turn? \*Is it OK to use the AM radio after noon? \*What do chickens think we taste like? \*What do people in China call their good plates? \*What do you call a male ladybug? \*What hair color do they put on the driver's license of a bald man? \*When dog food is new and improved tasting, who tests it? \*Why didn't Noah swat those two mosquitoes? \*Why do they sterilize the needle for lethal injections? \*Why doesn't glue stick to the inside of the bottle? \*Why is it called tourist season if we can't shoot at them? \*Why do you need a driver's license to buy liquor when you can't drink and drive? \*Why isn't phonetic spelled the way it sounds? \*Why are there Interstates in Hawaii? \*Why are there flotation devices in the seats of planes instead of parachutes? \*Why are cigarettes sold at gas stations where smoking is prohibited? \*Have you ever imagined a world without hypothetical situations? \*How does the guy who drives the snowplow get to work? \*If the 7-11 is open 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, why does it have locks on the door? \*Why is a bra singular and panties plural? \*You know that indestructible black box that is used on airplanes? Why don't they make the whole plane out of that stuff? \*If a firefighter

fights fire and a crime fighter fights crime, what does a freedom fighter fight? \*If they squeeze olives to get olive oil, how do they get baby oil? \*If you are driving at the speed of light and you turn your headlights on, what happens? \*Why do they put Braille dots on the keypad of a drive-up ATM?!? \*Why is it that when you transport something by car it is called a shipment, but when you transport something by ship it's called cargo? \*Why don't sheep shrink when it rains? \*Why are they called apartments when they are all stuck together? \*If con is the opposite of pro, is Congress the opposite of progress? \*If flying is so safe, why do they call the airport the terminal? \*If aspirins are always "Take Two," why not increase the size of ONE?

### **Teachers are paid too much**

A fellow teacher sent this: Teachers are paid too much!! I'm fed up with teachers and their hefty salaries for only 9 months work! What we need here is a little perspective. If I had my way, I'd pay teachers baby-sitting wages. That's right...instead of paying these outrageous taxes, I'd give them \$3.00 an hour. And, I'm only going to pay them for 5 hours, not planning time. That would be \$15.00 a day. Each parent should pay \$15.00 a day for these teachers to baby sit their children. Even if they have more than one child, it's still cheaper than private daycare. Now how many children do they teach a day--maybe 20? That's  $\$15.00 \times 20 = 300.00$  a day. But remember, they only work 180 days a year! I'm not going to pay them for all the vacations:  $\$300.00 \times 180 = \$54,000$ . (Just a minute my calculator must need batteries.) What will teachers say about those who have 10 years of experience and a master's degree? Well, maybe (just to be fair) they could get the minimum wage. We can round that off to about \$6.00 an hour, times 5 hours, times 20 children.  $\$6.00 \times 5 \times 20$ . That's \$600 a day times 180 days. That's only \$108,000. Wait a minute...there is something wrong here...

### **How you get jewelry**

One day a five year old little girl excitedly approached her mother, and announced that she had learned how you get a baby. The mother was

amused and said, "Oh really sweetie, why don't you tell me all about it?" The little girl then explained, "Well, the mommy and daddy take off all of their clothes, and the daddy's wiener stands way up high, and the mommy kneels on the floor and puts the daddy's wiener in her mouth, and then the daddy's wiener sort of explodes and makes sticky juice into the mommy's mouth, and then the mommy swallows the sticky juice, and that's how you get a baby." The mother looked lovingly at her daughter, leaned over to meet her eye to eye and said, "Oh honey, that's sweet, but that's not how you get a baby. That's how you get jewelry."

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**The Outback.** An American tourist had visited all the usual sights. He'd seen the Sydney Harbor and everything else but he wanted to see the real Australia. So there he was on the weekly rail motor out to Thargomindah. There wasn't much to see. There was a drought on, it was hot and the wind was blowing dust everywhere. He got off the train and made for the pub, sweating and cursing as he swatted in vain at the clouds of flies that buzzed around him. The pub's only customer a bloke in a blue singlet greeted him with a G'day." The American ordered a beer. "Yank eh?" quizzed the aussie. "Sure am buddy" the Yank replied. "Waddy think of this part of Australia, yank?" the bloke asked. "It's the goddamn asshole of the world," the Yank replied. There was a five second pause as the local sucked on his smoke. Then he asked: "You just passing through?"

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A murderer, imprisoned for life, broke free after 15 years and was on the run. He broke into a house and tied up the young couple he found in the bedroom. He tied the man to a chair on one side of the room and after gagging his wife, tied her to the bed. The helpless husband watched as he got on to the bed, straddled his wife and started to nuzzle her neck. His wife began to start shaking her head violently from side to side. Suddenly, the man got up and left the room.. The husband squirmed the chair across the room to his young wife and hissed, "Darling, I saw him kissing you. He probably hasn't seen a woman in years. Please cooperate. If he wants to have sex, just go along with it and even pretend you like it. Whatever you do don't

fight him or make him mad. Our lives may depend on it!" "Darling," the wife said, spitting out her gag. "I'm so relieved you feel that way. He wasn't kissing me, he was whispering to me. He told me he thinks you're really cute and asked if we kept the Vaseline in the bathroom."

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### **TOILET PAPER**

A husband, tired of his wife asking him how she looks, buys her a full length mirror. This does little to help as now she just stands in front of the mirror, looking at herself, asking him how she looks. One day, fresh out of the shower, she is yet again in front of the mirror, now complaining that her breasts are too small. Uncharacteristically, the husband comes up with a suggestion. "If you want your breasts to grow, then every day take a piece of toilet paper, and rub it between your breasts for a few seconds." Willing to try anything, the wife fetches a piece of toilet paper and stands in front of the mirror, rubbing it between her breasts. "How long will this take?" she asks. "They'll grow larger over a period of years," he replies.

The wife stops. "Why do you think rubbing a piece of toilet paper between my breasts every day will make my breasts grow over the years?"

The husband shrugs. "Why not, it worked for your butt, didn't it?" He lived, and, with a great deal of therapy, he might even walk again.

**An attorney was sitting in his office late one night, when the Devil appeared before him.** The Devil said to the lawyer, "I have a proposition for you. You can win every case you try, for the rest of your life. Your clients will adore you, your colleagues will stand in awe of you, and you will make embarrassing sums of money. All I want in exchange is your soul, your wife's soul, your children's souls, the souls of your parents, grandparents, and parents-in-law, and the souls of all of your friends and law partners." The lawyer thought about this for a moment, then asked, "So, what's the catch?"

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### **Auto Safety Tip**

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Here's your safety tip. Be careful what you wear (or don't wear), when working under your vehicle, especially in public. From the Sydney Morning Herald (Australia) comes this story of a central west couple who drove their car to K-Mart, only to have their car break down in the parking lot. The man told his wife to carry on with the shopping while he fixed the car. The wife returned later to see a small group of people near the car. On closer inspection she saw a pair of legs protruding from under the car. Although the man was in shorts, his lack of underpants turned private parts into glaringly public ones. Unable to stand the embarrassment she dutifully stepped forward and tucked everything back into place. On regaining her feet she looked across the hood and found herself staring at her husband who was standing idly by. The mechanic, however, had to have three stitches in his head.

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**Secrets to life** A small boy was pushing a gasoline-powered lawnmower down the street with a "For Sale" sign on it. A man stopped him asked if the mower would run. The boy told him it would so the man bought it. A while later, the boy was walking past the man's house and saw him pulling repeatedly on the starting rope with no success. The man noticed the boy and said, "I thought you told me this mower would run!" The boy said, "Well you have to use some cuss words to make it start." The Man said, "Son, I'm a preacher; I don't know any cuss words!" The boy replied, "You keep pulling on that starter rope and some'll come to you!" " \1 2**Secrets to life**

1. Q: What's the difference between a girlfriend and a wife? A: 45 lbs. 2. Q: What's the difference between a boyfriend and a husband? A: 45 minutes. 3. Q: What is it when a man talks nasty to a woman? A: Sexual harassment. 4. Q: What is it when a woman talks nasty to a man? A: \$3.99 a minute. 5. Q: How can you tell if your wife is dead? A: The sex is the same but the dishes pile up. 6. Q: How can you tell if your husband is dead? A: The sex is the same but you get the remote. 7. Q: What's it called when a woman is paralyzed from the waist down? A: Marriage. 8. Q: If your wife keeps coming out of the kitchen to nag you, what have you done wrong? A: Made her chain too long. 9. Q: How many men does it take to change a light bulb? A: None, they just sit there in the dark and complain.

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10. Q. What's the fastest way to a man's heart? A: Through his chest with a sharp knife. 11. Q. Why are men and parking spaces alike? A: Because all the good ones are gone and the only ones left are disabled. 12. Q. What have men and floor tiles got in common? A: If you lay them properly the first time, you can walk all over them for life. 13. Q. What is the difference between a man and a catfish? A: One is a bottom-feeding scum-sucker and the other is a fish. 14. Q. Why do men want to marry virgins? A. They can't stand criticism. 15. Q. Why is it so hard for women to find men that are sensitive, caring, and good-looking? A: Because those men already have boyfriends. 16. Q. What is a man's view of safe sex? A: A padded headboard. 17. Q. How do men sort their laundry? A: Filthy and Filthy but Wearable 18. Q. Why were men given larger brains than dogs? A: So they wouldn't hump women's legs at cocktail parties. 19. Q. Do you know why women fake orgasm? A: Because men fake foreplay. 20. Q. What's the difference between a new husband and a new dog? A: After a year, the dog is still excited to see you. 21. Q. What makes men chase women they have no intention of marrying? A: The same urge that makes dogs chase cars they have no intention of driving. 22. Q. What is the biggest problem for an atheist? A: No one to talk to during orgasm. 23. Q. What do you call a smart blonde? A: A golden retriever. 24. Q. What do you call an Amish guy with his hand up a horse's ass? A: A mechanic! 25. Q. Who is the most popular guy at the nudist colony? A: The guy who can carry a cup of coffee in each hand and a dozen donuts. 26. Q. Who is the most popular girl at the nudist colony? A: She is the one who can eat the last donut! 27. Q. Why does the bride always wear white? A: Because it is good for the dishwasher to match the stove and refrigerator. 28. Q. What is the difference between a battery and a woman? A: A battery has a positive side. 29. Q. A brunette, a blonde, and a redhead are all in fifth grade. Who has the biggest tits? A: The blonde, because she should be in tenth grade. 33. Q. Do you know the punishment for bigamy? A: Two mothers-in-law! 34. Q: What's the difference between a porcupine and a BMW? A: The porcupine has pricks on the outside. 35. Q: Why did God create alcohol? A: So ugly people have a chance to have sex. 36. Q: What's the definition of mixed emotions? A: When you see your mother-in-law backing off a cliff in your

new car. 37. Q: What do you call a lawyer with an IQ of 50? A: Your Honor. 38. Q: Moms have Mother's Day, fathers have Father's Day. What do single guys have? A: Palm Sunday 39. Q: Why does Mike Tyson cry during sex? A: Mace will do that to you. " \l 2**Math 2000 Problem** Enjoy Subject: Math 2000 Problem Don't cheat and look at the bottom: Work this out as you read. Make sure you don't read the bottom until you've worked it out! This is not one of those waste of time things, it's GOOD. 1. First of all, pick the number of times a week that you would like to have chocolate - try for more than once but less than 10. 2. Multiply this number by 2 (just to be bold). 3. Add 5 (For Sunday). 4. Multiply it by 50 (I'll wait while you get the calculator) 5. If you have already had your birthday this year add 1750. If you haven't, add 1749. 6. Now subtract the four digit year that you were born. If you remember. You should have a three digit number. The first digit of this was your original number (i.e. how many times you want chocolate) The second two digits are your age and it shows. HAHA THIS IS THE ONLY YEAR (2000) IT WILL EVER WORK, SO SPREAD IT AROUND WHILE IT LASTS. IMPRESSIVE ISN'T IT? 8-) " \l 2**Foreign currency** An Asian man walked into the currency exchange line in a New York bank with 2000 yen, and he walked out with \$72. The following week, he walked in with 2000 yen, and was handed \$66. He asked the teller why he got less money than he had gotten the previous week. The lady said, "Fluctuations." The Asian man stormed out, and just before slamming the door, he turned around and said, "Fluc you Amelicans, too!" " \l 2**Why did the chicken cross the road?** At last, myriad answers to that great, unanswerable question: Why did the chicken cross the road? PAT BUCHANAN To steal a job from a decent, hardworking American. JERRY FALWELL Because the chicken was gay! Isn't it obvious? Can't you people see the plain truth in front of your face? The chicken was going to the "other side." That's what "they" call it, the "other side." Yes, my friends, that chicken is gay. And, if you eat that chicken, you will become gay, too. I say we boycott all chickens until we sort out this abomination that the liberal media whitewashes with seemingly harmless phrases like "the other side." That chicken should not be free to cross the road. It's as plain and simple as that. DR. SEUSS Did the chicken cross the road? Did he cross it with a

toad? Yes! The chicken crossed the road, but why it crossed, I've not been told! ERNEST HEMINGWAY To die. In the rain. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. I envision a world where all chickens will be free to cross roads without having their motives called into question. GRANDPA In my day, we didn't ask why the chicken crossed the road. Someone told us that the chicken crossed the road, and that was good enough for us. ARISTOTLE It is the nature of chickens to cross the road. KARL MARX It was a historical inevitability. SADDAM HUSSEIN This was an unprovoked act of rebellion and we were quite justified in dropping 50 tons of nerve gas on it. RONALD REAGAN What chicken? CAPTAIN JAMES T. KIRK To boldly go where no chicken has gone before. FOX MULDER You saw it cross the road with your own eyes. How many more chickens have to cross before you believe it? FREUD The fact that you are at all concerned that the chicken crossing the road reveals your underlying sexual insecurity. BILL GATES I have just released eChicken 99, which will not only cross roads, but will lay eggs, file your important documents, and balance your checkbook. Internet Explorer is an inextricable part of eChicken. EINSTEIN Did the chicken really cross the road or did the road move beneath the chicken? BILL CLINTON I did not cross the road with THAT chicken. What do you mean by chicken? Could you define chicken please? GEORGE W. BUSH I don't think I should have to answer that question. LOUIS FARRAKHAN The road, you will see, represents the black man. The chicken crossed the "black man" in order to trample him and keep him down. THE BIBLE And God came down from the heavens, and He said unto the chicken, "Thou shalt cross the road" And the chicken crossed the road, and there was much rejoicing. COLONEL SANDERS I missed one? " \l **2I feel sorry for people who don't drink.** When they wake up in the morning, that's as good as they're going to feel all day. --Frank Sinatra The problem with some people is that when they aren't drunk, they're sober. --William Butler Yeats An intelligent man is sometimes forced to be drunk to spend time with his fools. --Ernest Hemingway Always do sober what you said you'd do drunk. That will teach you to keep your mouth shut. --Ernest Hemingway You're not drunk if you can lie on the floor without holding on. --Dean Martin Drunk is feeling sophisticated when you can't say it. --



Anonymous No animal ever invented anything as bad as drunkenness - or as good as drink. --G.K. Chesterton Time is never wasted when you're wasted all the time. -Catherine Zandonella Abstainer: a weak person who yields to the temptation of denying himself a pleasure. --Ambrose Bierce Reality is an illusion that occurs due to lack of alcohol. --Anonymous Drinking provides a beautiful excuse to pursue the one activity that truly gives me pleasure, hooking up with fat hairy girls. -- Ross Levy A woman drove me to drink and I didn't even have the decency to thank her. What contemptible scoundrel has stolen the cork to my lunch? --W.C. Fields Beauty lies in the hands of the beer holder. --Anonymous If God had intended us to drink beer, He would have given us stomachs. --David Daye Work is the curse of the drinking classes. --Oscar Wilde When I read about the evils of drinking, I gave up reading. --Henny Youngman Life is a waste of time, time is a waste of life, so get wasted all of the time and have the time of your life. -- Michelle I'd rather have a bottle in front of me, than a frontal lobotomy. --Tom Waits 24 hours in a day, 24 beers in a case. Coincidence? -Stephen Wright When we drink, we get drunk. When we get drunk, we fall asleep. When we fall asleep, we commit no sin. When we commit no sin, we go to heaven. Sooooo, let's all get drunk, and go to heaven... - Brian O'Rourke You can't be a real country unless you have a beer and an airline - it helps if you have some kind of a football team, or some nuclear weapons, but at the very least you need a beer. --Frank Zappa Always remember that I have taken more out of alcohol than alcohol has taken out of me. --Winston Churchill He was a wise man who invented beer. --Plato Beer is proof that God loves us and wants us to be happy. -- Benjamin Franklin If you ever reach total enlightenment while drinking beer, I bet it makes beer shoot out your nose. --Deep Thought, Jack Without question, the greatest invention in the history of mankind is beer. Oh, I grant you that the wheel was also a fine invention, but the wheel does not go nearly as well with pizza. --Dave Barry The problem with the world is that everyone is a few drinks behind. --Humphrey Bogart Why is Australian beer served cold? So you can tell it from urine. --David Moulton Give me a woman who loves beer and I will conquer the world. --Kaiser Wilhelm I would kill everyone in this room for a drop of sweet beer. --

Homer Simpson I drink to make other people interesting. --George Jean Nathan " | 2**The Buffalo-Beer Theory**

A herd of buffalo can move only as fast as the slowest buffalo. When the herd is hunted, it is the slowest and weakest ones at the back that are killed first. This natural selection is good for the herd as a whole, because the general speed and health of the whole group keeps improving by the regular culling of the weakest members. In much the same way the human brain can only operate as fast as the slowest brain cells. Excessive intake of alcohol, we all know, kills brain cells, but naturally it attacks the slowest and weakest brain cells first. In this way regular consumption of beer eliminates the weaker brain cells, making the brain a faster and more efficient machine. That's why you always feel smarter after a few beers.

**A woman was thinking about finding a pet to help keep her company at home.**

She decided she would like to find a beautiful parrot. It wouldn't be as much work as a dog, and it would be fun to hear it speak. She went to a pet shop and immediately spotted a large beautiful parrot. There was a sign on the cage that said \$50.00. "Why so little?" she asked the pet store owner. The owner looked at her and said, "Look, I should tell you first that this bird used to live in a whorehouse and sometimes it says some pretty vulgar stuff." The woman thought about this, but decided she had to have the bird anyway. She took it home and hung the bird's cage up in her living room and waited for it to say something. The bird looked around the room, then at her, and said, "New house, new madam." The woman was a bit shocked at the implication, but then thought "that's not so bad." When her two teenage daughters returned from school the bird saw them and said, "New house, new madam, new whores." The girls and the woman were a bit offended but then began to laugh about the situation. Moments later, the woman's husband Ray, came home from work. The bird looked at him and said, "Hi Ray!"

**My mistress**

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A husband and wife were having dinner at a very fine restaurant when this absolutely stunning young woman comes over to their table, gives the husband a big kiss, tells him she'll see him later, and walks away. His wife glares at him and says, "Who was that?!!!" "Oh," replies the husband, "that was my mistress." The wife says, "That's it; I want a divorce." "I understand," replies her husband, "but, remember, if you get a divorce, there will be no more shopping trips to Paris, no wintering in the Caribbean, no Lexus in the garage, and no more country club. But the decision is yours." Just then the wife notices a mutual friend entering the restaurant with a gorgeous woman. "Who's that woman with Jim?" she asks. "That's his mistress," replies her husband. "Ours is prettier," says the wife.

**Survival Guide for Driving in Puerto Rico Funny and soooo true!! If you're ever in the need to drive in the streets of Puerto Rico, the following rules may help you get to your destination safely. I. The Puerto Rican Driver Greeting**

When greeting a Puerto Rican driver, slowly lower your windows and be prepared to greet the driver with: "Tu madre, pendejo". However, if you have already been addressed by a fellow driver, reply with a joyful:

"La tuya, cabrón".

**II. On Traffic Lights**

From pure observation I have determined the following instructions for each color: ---Yellow light: Accelerate your car as much as possible. ---Red light: This light gives permission to the next five to six cars to go through. - --Green light: Reduce speed and wait for the five to six cars passing through their respective red lights.

**III. Little Known Fact**

Time to start honking your horn as soon as the light turns green: 1.5 seconds MY version - Definition of a second: The time it takes to hear the first horn after the light turns green

**IV. On Traffic Jams**

Traffic jams are filled with fun-filled activities such as: 1. Honking your horn rythmically

2. Put on make-up (usually female drivers only)

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3. Nose-pickers sightseeing (not to be confused with people who scratch their brains through their nose).

4. Reduce speed to watch whatever is causing the traffic jam. Add excitement by trying to see if you know the parties involved.

(Note: Every Puerto Rican driver is obligated to do this). 5. Lose weight by sweating like a pig as a result of lack of air conditioning. 6. Greet other drivers. 7. Practice lane changing. 8. Play the game: "Let's see how close I can get to you before rear-ending you".

#### V. On Pedestrians

These individuals are an annoyance to the Puerto Rican driver. If you see pedestrians in your way, accelerate your car to let them know who's the boss. If you're at an intersection, let the pedestrians know you want to proceed by flinging your car at them.

#### VI. On Highway Driving

##### The Police Alert Network:

If you see a cop while driving through the highway, you must advise other drivers about the cop's proximity by flashing your headlights even during the day. By doing this, you help speeding cars, people in stolen cars, and potential escaped convicts avoid an unpleasant situation.

##### The Three-Lane-Change:

This movement requires a lot of precision and creativity. It should be done around the highest number of cars possible and in a matter of seconds to create what others may refer to as widespread panic.

#### VII. On Highway Tolls

There are simple etiquette rules on how to behave at a Puerto Rican tollbooth:

1. If you don't have enough change or only have dollar bills, go to the EXACT CHANGE lane. This will give you the opportunity to get out of your car and look for change at another toll booth as other drivers greet you.

2. Practice your hoops by throwing the coins as far as possible. You will get extra points if one of them does not get in.

3. If there's a traffic jam to get through the tolls, try changing lanes, other drivers will really appreciate you cutting in ahead of them. 4. Wait until

the last moment possible to get the change required for the toll, preferably, wait until it's your turn.

VIII. The Ten Most Dangerous Drivers in Puerto Rico 1. Anyone driving in a Hyundai. Inside every Hyundai is the soul of an Indy 500 car, or at least the drivers of these "bikes with roof" would make you think so.

2. People who drive while talking on their cellular phones. Essentially, this means that the entire driving population is dangerous.

3. Any kid driving mom/dad's car. Dangerousness increases with the cost of the car.

4. Anyone driving a Sport Utility Vehicle. Dangerousness increases if the driver is female, and becomes lethal if she has young children in the car, is talking on the cell phone, or is applying make-up.

5. Old people driving big American-made cars. The whiter the head and the bigger the car, the more dangerous.

6. Ford Crown Victorias/Mercury Grand Marquis. The car itself isn't dangerous, but this is the car of our illustrious legislators and government officials use and, of course, they are exempt from observing any traffic laws.

7. If at the traffic light, you can feel the bass vibrations from the car next to you, and the music is "underground rap", by definition, the driver is dangerous.

8. Any truck. Not only are they exempt from the weight limits, they are also exempt from any driving laws.

9. On Friday nights on the Las Americas, Luis A. Ferre, De Diego, and Baldorioty de Castro Expressways, all drivers are dangerous, regardless of sex, religion, race, or national origin.

10. Anyone behind the wheel of a Ford Mustang 5.0 Liter. Not used by the government, but our "import/export" businessmen favor this car, and they are not to be disagreed with.

**Smart Woman!** A woman goes into a bar, looks into her top pocket and orders a drink. Later, the bartender asked if she would like another drink. She looks into her top pocket, then says, "Sure, better bring me another one." After she had finished, the bartender asked her if she

wanted another one. Once again, she looks into her top pocket and said, "Yep, gonna need another one." Finally, the bartender says, "Every time I ask if you want a drink, you look into your pocket before answering. What's going on?" The woman says, "Well, I have a picture of my husband in there. As soon as he starts looking good, I'm going home."

**BBQ grill** This guy and his wife were working in the garden, when he looks over at his wife and says, "Your butt is getting big, I mean really big - I'll bet it's bigger than the barbecue grill." With that, he takes his measuring tape, and measures the grill, walks over to where his wife is, and measures her bottom. "Yep, I was right" he said, "two inches wider than the barbecue!" At this point, she chose to ignore him. While in bed that night, he's feeling frisky, and reaches over to his wife, and she just turns away. "What's wrong?" he asks. She answers: "Do you think I'm gonna fire up this 'big-ass grill' for one little weenie?"

**Confused** An elderly married couple scheduled their annual medical examination on the same day so they could travel together. After the examination, the doctor then said to the elderly man: "You appear to be in good health. Do you have any medical concerns that you would like to ask me?" In fact, I do," said the old man. "After I have sex with my wife the first time, I am usually hot and sweaty, and then, after I have sex with her the second time, I'm usually cold and chilly." After examining the elderly lady, the doctor said: "Everything appears to be fine. Do you have any medical concerns that you would like to discuss with me?" The lady replied that she had no questions concerns. The doctor then asked: "Your husband had an unusual concern. He claims that he is usually hot and sweaty after having sex the first time with you and then cold and chilly after the second time. Do you know why?" . "Oh that crazy old coot!" she replied. "That's because the first time is usually in July and the second time is usually in December!"

**Penis Tax** The only thing the IRS has not yet taxed is the penis. This is due to the fact that 40% of the time it is hanging around unemployed, 30% of the time it is hard up, 20% of the time it is pissed off and 10% of the time it's in the hole. It has two dependents, but they're both nuts. Effective January 1, 2000, penises will be taxed according to size. The brackets are as follows: 10"-12" Luxury Tax 8"-10" Pole Tax 5"-8" Privilege Tax 4"-5" Nuisance Tax Males exceeding 12" must file under capital gains. Anyone under 4" is eligible for a refund. **PLEASE DO NOT ASK FOR AN EXTENSION!** Issues still under consideration are as follows: Are there penalties for early withdrawal? Do multiple partners count as a corporation? Are condoms deductible as work clothes?

### **Jehovah's witness**

Why doesn't Italians like Jehovah's witness? They don't like any witnesses.

### **Groom**

A groom passes down the aisle of the church to take his place by the altar and the best man notices that his charge has the biggest, brightest smile on his face. The best man says: "I know you are happy to be getting married, but what's up - you look so excited." The groom replies: "I just had the best blow job I've ever had in my entire life and I am marrying the wonderful woman who gave it to me." The bride comes walking down the aisle and she too has the biggest, brightest smile on her face. The maid of honor notices this and says, "Hey, girlfriend, I know you are happy to be getting married, but what's up, you look so excited." "Rightly so," the bride replies: "I have just given the last blow job of my entire life!"

**Barbie** Finally a Barbie I can relate to! At long last, here are some NEW Barbie dolls to coincide with her and aging gracefully. These are a bit more realistic... 1. Bifocals Barbie. Comes with her own set of blended-lens fashion frames in six wild colors (half-frames too!), neck

chain and large-print editions of *Vogue* and *Martha Stewart Living*. 2. **Hot Flash Barbie.** Press Barbie's bellybutton and watch her face turn beet red while tiny drops of perspiration appear on her forehead. Comes with hand-held fan and tiny tissues. 3. **Facial Hair Barbie.** As Barbie's hormone levels shift, see her whiskers grow. Available with teensy tweezers and magnifying mirror. 4. **Flabby Arms Barbie.** Hide Barbie's droopy triceps with these new, roomier-sleeved gowns. Good news on the tummy front, too-muumuus with tummy-support panels are included. 5. **Bunion Barbie.** Years of disco dancing in stiletto heels have definitely taken their toll on Barbie's dainty arched feet. Soothe her sores with the pumice stone and plasters, then slip on soft terry mules. 6. **No-More-Wrinkles Barbie.** Erase those pesky crow's-feet and lip lines with a tube of Skin Sparkle-Spackle, from Barbie's own line of exclusive age-blastin cosmetics. 7. **Soccer Mom Barbie.** All that experience as a cheer-leader is really paying off as Barbie dusts off her old high school megaphone to root for Babs and Ken Jr. Comes with minivan in robin-egg blue or white, and cooler filled with doughnut holes and fruit punch. 8. **Mid-life Crisis Barbie.** It's time to ditch Ken. Barbie needs a change, and Alonzo (her personal trainer) is just what the doctor ordered, along with Prozac. They're hopping in her new red Miata and heading for the Napa Valley to open a B&B. Includes a real tape of "Breaking Up Is Hard to Do." 9. **Divorced Barbie.** Sells for \$199.99. Comes with Ken's house, Ken's car, and Ken's boat. 10. **Recovery Barbie.** Too many parties have finally caught up with the ultimate party girl. Now she does Twelve Steps instead of dance steps. Clean and sober, she's going to meetings religiously. Comes with a little copy of *The Big Book* and a six-pack of Diet Coke. 11. **Post-Menopausal Barbie.** This Barbie wets her pants when she sneezes, forgets where she puts things, and cries a lot. She is sick and tired of Ken sitting on the couch watching the tube, clicking through the channels. Comes with Depends and Kleenex. As a bonus this year, the book "Getting In Touch with Your Inner Self" is included.

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**Successful rancher**

There once was a successful rancher who died and left everything to his devoted wife. She was determined to keep the ranch and make a go of it, but she knew very little about ranching, so she decided to place an ad in the newspaper for ranch hands. Two men applied for the job... One was gay and the other a drunk. She thought long and hard about it, and when no one else applied, she decided to hire the gay guy, figuring it would be safer to have him around the house than the drunk. He turned out to be a fantastic worker, worked long hard hours every day and knew a lot about ranching. For weeks the two of them worked, and the ranch was doing really well. Then one day the rancher's wife said to the hired hand, "You have done a really good job and we've both done nothing but work for weeks. The ranch looks great, and I'm taking Saturday night off and going into town to kick up my heels and paint the town red, and I think you should do the same." The hired hand agreed readily, and Saturday night each went to town. The rancher's wife had dinner and drinks with friends, and talked and joked and danced, and had a great time, getting home about midnight. The hired hand wasn't home yet, so she decided to wait up for him. One o'clock and no hired hand yet. Two o'clock and no hired hand and she began to worry. At two-thirty in came the hired hand. The rancher's wife was sitting by the fireplace and called him over by her. "Now I'm the boss", she said, "and you have to do what I tell you, right?" "Well... yes", he answered. "Then unbutton my blouse and take it off", she said. He did as she asked. "Now take off my boots." He did. "Now take off my socks." He did. "Now take off my skirt." He did. "Now take off my bra." Again he did as she asked. "Now take off my panties." And again he did what she told him. Then she looked at him and said, "Don't ever wear my clothes to town again." ..Jerry

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**Whoops!**

The Smiths were unable to conceive children and decided to use a proxy or surrogate father to start their family. On the day the proxy father was to arrive, Mr. Smith kissed his wife and said, "I'm off. The man should be here

soon". Half an hour later, just by chance, a door-to-door baby photographer rang the doorbell, hoping to make a sale. "Good morning madam. I've come to...." "Oh, no need to explain. I've been expecting you," Mrs. Smith cut in. "Really?" the photographer asked. "Well, good! I've made a specialty of babies." "That's what my husband and I had hoped. Please come in and have a seat." After a moment she asked, blushing, "Well, where do we start?" "Leave everything to me. I usually try two in the bathtub, one on the couch and perhaps a couple on the bed. Sometimes the living room floor is fun too; you can really spread out!" "Bathtub, living room floor? No wonder it didn't work for Harry and me." "Well, madam, none of us can guarantee a good one every time. But if we try several different positions and I shoot from six or seven angles, I'm sure you'll be pleased with the results." "My, that's a lot of ..." gasped Mrs. Smith. "Madam, in my line of work, a man must take his time. I'd love to be in and out in five minutes, but you'd be disappointed with that, I'm sure." "Don't I know it.", Mrs. Smith said quietly. The photographer opened his briefcase and pulled out a portfolio of his baby pictures. "This was done on the top of a bus in downtown London." "Oh my god!!" Mrs. Smith exclaimed, tugging at her handkerchief. "And these twins turned out exceptionally well, when you consider their mother was so difficult to work with." "She was difficult?" asked Mrs. Smith. "Yes, I'm afraid so. I finally had to take her to Hyde Park to get the job done right. People were crowding around four and five deep, pushing to get a good look." "Four and five deep?" asked Mrs. Smith, eyes widened in amazement. "Yes", the photographer said. "And for more than three hours, too. The mother was constantly squealing and yelling-I could hardly concentrate. Then darkness approached and I began to rush my shots. Finally, when the squirrels began nibbling on my equipment, I just packed it all in." Mrs. Smith leaned forward. "You mean they actually chewed on your, um...equipment?" "That's right. Well madam, if you're ready, I'll set up my tripod so we can get to work." "Tripod??" "Oh yes, I have to use a tripod to rest my Cannon on. It's much too big for me to hold very long. Madam?.....Madam?..... Good Lord, she's fainted!"

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**More on Bill Clinton** The center for Disease Control in Atlanta, Georgia, announced today the President has proven that you CAN get sex from Aides! Jennifer Flowers was asked if her relationship with Bill Clinton was anything like the Monica Lewinski affair. She supposedly replied, "Close -- but no cigar." The FBI has coined a technical term for the stains found on Monica's dress: "Presidue". President Clinton now only recruits interns from only four colleges: Moorhead, Oral Roberts, Ball State and Brigham Young. Did you know that Bill Clinton is considering changing the Democratic seal from a donkey to a condom, because it represents inflation, halts production, and gives you a false sense of security while you are being screwed. Washington has come up with a solution for the Clinton situation. They added the 11th commandment: "Thou shall not put thy rod in thy staff." Arkansas is very proud of Bill Clinton... All these women coming forward and not one of them is his sister! Hillary Clinton goes to a fortune teller who says, "Prepare to become a widow. Your husband will soon suffer a violent death." Hillary takes a deep breath and asks, "Will I be acquitted?"

**Clinton Soup** Campbell's Soup Corp. announced today they will be stocking America's shelves this week with their newest creation, "Clinton Soup," that will honor one of the nation's most distinguished men. It consists primarily of one small weenie in hot water.

**Bill Clinton's Legacy** Q: What is the difference between Bill Clinton and JFK? A: One had his head blown off in the back of a car, the other was assassinated. ~~~~~ As Air Force One prepares to land, the captain makes his customary request over the loudspeaker: "Mr. President, would you please return the stewardess to the upright position and prepare to land?" ~~~~~ A reporter asked Clinton one day. " Was Monica lying?" Clinton responded by saying, "No she was on her knees." ~~~~~ Clinton's army of advisors have offered the following defense...Clinton NEVER told Lewinsky to lie in disposition! He told her to lie in THIS position.... ~~~~~ On Clinton's Presidency... The reason it's always so difficult for this president to tell the truth, the whole

truth, and nothing but the truth is because it's usually three different stories. -  
 -Sam Donaldson ~~~~~ If the president could convince every woman in America that the Bible says oral sex is not adultery, he'd even have my vote. --Newt Gingrich ~~~~~ What's wrong with extending my probe? The president did the same. --Kenneth Starr ~~~~~ The special prosecutor is asking me to give oral testimony to the entire Grand Jury. --Monica Lewinsky ~~~~~ Shouldn't the president be held to the same standards as a TV sports caster? -  
 -Marv Albert ~~~~~ The president should promise to spend the rest of his life trying to find the real person who had oral sex with the intern. --OJ Simpson ~~~~~ If I had to spend all day trying to find jobs for every bimbo who swore she didn't have sex with the president, I'd never get any of my own work done. --Vernon Jordan ~~~~~ Practicing safe sex in the Clinton White House means making sure the door is locked. --George Stephanopoulos ~~~~~ The FBI reports less crime in the U.S. for the sixth straight year. "It's no wonder," said one observer. "All of Clinton's business associates are either dead or in prison already." ~~~~~ One thing's for sure about Clinton.... He sure doesn't neglect domestic affairs! ~~~~~ Is it true that they are changing the name of the Virgin Islands since Clinton has been there? ~~~~~ They should call the Clinton's White House the "New Left." I mean, they're so far from being right about anything...

### **Three friends-two straight guys and a gay guy-**

and their significant others were on a cruise. A tidal wave came up and swamped the ship; they all drowned, and next thing you know, they're standing before St. Peter. First came one of the straight guys and his wife. St. Peter shook his head sadly. "I can't let you in. You loved money too much. You loved it so much, you even married a woman named Penny." Then came the second straight guy. "Sorry, can't let you in, either. You loved food too much. You loved to eat so much, you even married a woman named Candy!" The gay guy turned to his boyfriend and whispered nervously, "It doesn't look good, Dick."

### **Firestone Tires**

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10. "Safer than a Russian sub."
9. "The perfect gift for your mother-in-law."
8. "Because there's a lot riding on your lawsuit."
7. "Better than driving around on your axles, right?"
6. "Pop a set on your car today."
5. "C'mon, did you really expect good tires on a new Ford?"
4. "Reinforcing the importance of the speed limit."
3. "Hey, it's not like we crashed our blimp or something."
2. "Best Blow Job In Town"
1. "You can't recall a better tire."

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Cute

The mind of a 6-year old is wonderful. First grade...true story.

One day the first grade teacher was reading the story of the Three Little Pigs to her class.

She came to the part of the story where the first pig was trying to accumulate the building materials for his home. She read, "...And so the pig went up to the man with the wheelbarrow full of straw and said, 'Pardon me sir, but may I have some of that straw to build my house?'"

The teacher paused then asked the class, "And what do you think that man said?" One little boy raised his hand and said, "I think he said... Holy shit! A talking pig!"

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The teacher was unable to teach for the next 10 minutes.

A five year old and a four year old are upstairs in  
 > >their bedroom. "You know what?" says the five year  
 > >old, "I think it's about time we start swearing." The  
 > >four year old nods his head in approval. The 5 year  
 > >old continues, "When we go downstairs for breakfast  
 > >I'm gonna say "hell," and you say "ass," okay?" The  
 > >four year old agrees with enthusiasm.  
 > >The mother walks into the kitchen and asks the five  
 > >year old what he wants for breakfast. "Aw hell Mom, I  
 > >guess I'll have some Cheerios..."WHACK! He flies out  
 > >of his chair, tumbles across the kitchen floor, gets  
 > >up, and runs upstairs bawling.  
 > >The mom looks at the four year old and asks with a  
 > >stern voice, "And what do YOU want for breakfast,  
 > >young man?" "I'm not sure," he says, "but you can bet  
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> > >The hands said, "We should be the Boss because we do all  
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> > >And so it went on and on with the heart, the lungs and  
the eyes until  
> >finally the asshole spoke up. All the parts laughed at the  
idea of the  
> >asshole being the Boss. So the asshole went on strike,  
blocked itself up  
> and  
> >refused to work. Within a short time the eyes became  
crossed, the hands  
> >clenched, the feet twitched, the heart and lungss began to  
panic and the  
> >brain fevered. Eventually they all decided that the  
asshole should be the  
> >Boss, so the motion was passed. All the other parts did  
all the work  
while  
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> > >Lesson Number Four  
> > > A little bird was flying south for the winter. It was  
so cold, the  
bird  
> >froze and fell to the ground in a large field. While it  
was lying there,  
a  
> >cow came by and dropped some dung on it. As the frozen  
bird lay there in  
> the  
> >pile of cow dung, it began to realize how warm it was. The  
dung was  
> actually  
> >thawing him out! He lay there all warm and happy and soon  
began to sing  
for  
> >joy. A passing cat heard the bird singing and came to  
investigate.  
> Following  
> >the sound, the cat discovered the bird under the pile of  
cow dung and  
> >promptly dug him out and ate him!  
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> > > 1) Not everyone who drops shit on you is your enemy.  
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> earn  
> >all the money."  
> > >  
> > >And so it went on and on with the heart, the lungs and the eyes until  
> >finally the asshole spoke up. All the parts laughed at the idea of the  
> >asshole being the Boss. So the asshole went on strike, blocked itself up  
> and  
> >refused to work. Within a short time the eyes became crossed, the hands  
> >clenched, the feet twitched, the heart and lungss began to panic and the  
> >brain fevered. Eventually they all decided that the asshole should be the

> >Boss, so the motion was passed. All the other parts did  
all the work  
while  
> >the Boss just sat and passed out the shit!  
> >  
> > >  
> > >Management Lesson: You don't need brains to be a Boss -  
any asshole  
will  
> >do.  
> > >  
> > >  
> > >Lesson Number Four  
> > > A little bird was flying south for the winter. It was  
so cold, the  
bird  
> >froze and fell to the ground in a large field. While it  
was lying there,  
a  
> >cow came by and dropped some dung on it. As the frozen  
bird lay there in  
> the  
> >pile of cow dung, it began to realize how warm it was. The  
dung was  
> actually  
> >thawing him out! He lay there all warm and happy and soon  
began to sing  
for  
> >joy. A passing cat heard the bird singing and came to  
investigate.  
> Following  
> >the sound, the cat discovered the bird under the pile of  
cow dung and  
> >promptly dug him out and ate him!  
> >  
> > >  
> > >Management Lessons:  
> > >  
> > > 1) Not everyone who drops shit on you is your enemy.  
> > > 2) Not everyone who gets you out of shit is your  
friend.

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> > > 3) And when you're in deep shit, keep your mouth shut.

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TRUTHS - This is good!

>> > >A little humor to brighten your day

>> > > GREAT TRUTHS ABOUT LIFE, THAT LITTLE CHILDREN HAVE LEARNED:

>> > > 1) No matter how hard you try, you can't baptize cats.

>> > > 2) When your Mom is mad at your Dad, don't let her brush your  
>>hair.

>> > > 3) If your sister hits you, don't hit her back. They always catch  
>>the second person.

>> > > 4) Never ask your 3-year old brother to hold a tomato.

>> > > 5) You can't trust dogs to watch your food.

>> > > 6) Don't sneeze when someone is cutting your hair.

>> > > 7) Never hold a Dust-Buster and a cat at the same time.

>> > > 8) You can't hide a piece of broccoli in a glass of milk.

>> > > 9) Don't wear polka-dot underwear under white shorts.

>> > > 10) The best place to be when you're sad is Grandma's lap.

>> > >

>> > > GREAT TRUTHS ABOUT LIFE, THAT ADULTS HAVE LEARNED:

>> > > 1) Raising teenagers is like nailing Jell-O to a tree.

>> > > 2) Wrinkles don't hurt.

>> > > 3) Families are like fudge . . .mostly sweet, with a few nuts.

>> > > 4) Today's mighty oak is just yesterday's nut that held its  
>>ground.

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>> > > 5) Laughing is good exercise. It's like jogging on the inside.  
>> > > 6) Middle age is when you choose your cereal for the fiber, not >>the toy.  
>> > >  
>> > > GREAT TRUTHS ABOUT GROWING OLD  
>> > > 1) Growing old is mandatory; growing up is optional.  
>> > > 2) Forget the health food. I need all the preservatives I can get.  
>> > > 3) When you fall down, you wonder what else you can do while >>you're down there.  
>> > > 4) You're getting old when you get the same sensation from a >>rocking chair  
>> > > that you once got from a roller coaster.  
>> > > 5) It's frustrating when you know all the answers, but nobody >>bothers to  
>> > > ask you the questions.  
>> > > 6) Time may be a great healer, but it's a lousy beautician.  
>> > > 7) Wisdom comes with age, but sometimes age comes alone.  
>> > >  
>> > > THE FOUR STAGES OF LIFE:  
>> > > 1) You believe in Santa Claus.  
>> > > 2) You don't believe in Santa Claus.  
>> > > 3) You are Santa Claus.  
>> > > 4) You look like Santa Claus.  
>> > >  
>> > > SUCCESS:  
>> > > At age 4 success is . . . not peeing in your pants.  
>> > > At age 12 success is . . . having friends.  
>> > > At age 16 success is . . . having a drivers license.  
>> > > At age 20 success is . . . having sex.  
>> > > At age 35 success is . . . having money.  
>> > > At age 50 success is . . . having money.  
>> > > At age 60 success is . . . having sex.

>> > > At age 70 success is . . . having a drivers license.  
 >> > > At age 75 success is . . . having friends.  
 >> > > At age 80 success is . . . not peeing in your pants.  
 >> > >

Why We Love Children:

A kindergarten pupil told his teacher he'd found a cat.  
 She asked him if it was dead or alive.  
 "Dead." She was informed.  
 "How do you know?" she asked her pupil.  
 "Because I pissed in its ear and it didn't move," answered  
 the  
 child innocently.  
 "You did WHAT?!?" the teacher exclaimed in surprise.  
 "You know," explained the boy, "I leaned over and went  
 'Pssst!'  
 and it didn't move."

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A small boy is sent to bed by his father. Five minutes  
 later....  
 "Da-ad...." "What?" "I'm thirsty. Can you bring a drink of  
 water?"  
 "No. You had your chance. Lights out." Five minutes later:  
 "Da-aaaad....."  
 "WHAT?" "I'm THIRSTY. Can I have a drink of water??"  
 "I told you NO!" If you ask again, I'll have to spank you!!"  
 Five minutes later....."Daaaa-aaaad....." "WHAT!"  
 "When you come in to spank me, can you bring a drink of  
 water?"

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An exasperated mother, whose son was always getting into  
 mischief,  
 finally asked him, "How do you expect to get into Heaven?"  
 The boy thought it over and said, "Well, I'll run in and out  
 and  
 in and out and keep slamming the door until St. Peter says,  
 'For  
 Heaven's sake, Dylan, come in or stay out!'"

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One summer evening during a violent thunderstorm a mother was tucking her son into bed. She was about to turn off the light when he asked with a tremor in his voice, "Mommy, will you sleep with me tonight?" The mother smiled and gave him a reassuring hug. "I can't dear," she said. "I have to sleep in Daddy's room." A long silence was broken at last by his shaky little voice: "The big sissy."

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It was that time, during the Sunday morning service, for the children's sermon. All the children were invited to come forward. One little girl was wearing a particularly pretty dress and, as she sat down, the pastor leaned over and said, "That is a very pretty dress. Is it your Easter Dress? The little girl replied, directly into the pastor's clip-on microphone, "Yes, and my Mom says it's a bitch to iron."

Gotta love it!

A Charlotte, NC lawyer purchased a box of very rare and expensive cigars then insured them against fire, among other things. Within a month of having smoked his entire stock pile of these great cigars and without yet having made even his first premium payment on the policy, the lawyer filed a

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claim against the insurance company. In his claim the cigars were lost "in a series of small fires". The insurance company refused to pay, citing the obvious reason: that the man had consumed the cigars in the intended fashion. The lawyer sued ... and won! In delivering the ruling the judge

agreed with the insurance company that the claim was frivolous. The judge stated nevertheless, that the lawyer held a policy from the company in which it had warranted that the cigars were insurable and also guaranteed that it would insure them against fire, without defining what is considered to be "unacceptable fire", and was obligated to pay the claim. Rather than endure a lengthy and costly appeal, the insurance company accepted the ruling and paid \$15,000 to the lawyer for his loss of rare cigars lost in the "fires".

NOW FOR THE BEST PART....

After the lawyer cashed the check, the insurance company had him arrested on 24 counts of ARSON! With his own insurance claim and testimony from the

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previous case being used against him, the lawyer was convicted of intentionally burning his insured property and was sentenced to 24 months in jail and a \$24,000 fine. (This is a true story and was 1st place winner in the recent Criminal Lawyers Award Contest)

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