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## Introduction

Welcome to this collection!

This collection is primarily a compilation of items circulating in the Email circuits, or as hard copy in our work places. They come, they go, they come around again. . .

No one knows where they originate, nor where they'll end up, hopefully with a few laughs along the way.

If you take offense along the way, well, change the gender, hair color or nationality of the brunt of the joke to something else.

None are meant to offend, it's a sad state when we can't laugh at ourselves, with each other.

Not all are in the best of taste, if I had to rate some, this would be rated PG (for Partially Gagging)! I tried weeding out objectionable material, but, it got to where what is objectional from one person to the next (besides I ended up with a much smaller volume)!

Anyways, there all here uncensored. . .

You've been warned, if you can't take a joke, proceed no further. . .

If you do, enjoy and have a good laugh. . .



### Get to work....

For a couple years I've been blaming it on lack of sleep, not enough sunshine, too much pressure from my job, earwax buildup, poor blood or anything else I could think of.

But now I found out the real reason: I'm tired because I'm overworked!

Here's why:

The population of this country is 273 million.

140 million are retired. That leaves 133 million to do the work.

There are 85 million in school, which leaves 48 million to do the work.

Of this there are 29 million employed by the federal government, leaving 19 million to do the work.

2.8 million are in the armed forces preoccupied with killing the Taliban. Which leaves 16.2 million to do the work.

Take from the total the 14,800,000 people who work for state and city governments And that leaves 1.4 million to do the work.

At any given time there are 188,000 people in hospitals, Leaving 1,212,000 to do the work.

Now, there are 1,211,998 people in prisons. That leaves just two people to do the work.

You and me.

And there you are sitting on your ass, at your computer, reading jokes.

Nice, real nice...

### Golf Shot

A golfer stood over his tee shot for what seemed like an eternity. Looking up, looking down, measuring the distance, figuring the wind direction and speed.

Driving his partner nuts. Finally his exasperated partner says, "What's taking so long? Hit the blasted ball!"

The guy answers, "My wife is up there watching me from the clubhouse. I want to make this a perfect shot."

"Forget it man, you'll never hit her from here!"

### Government at its Best

This was an actual letter sent to Ryan De Vries from The Michigan State Department of Environmental Quality. Read the entire letter before you get to the response. This is hilarious . . . except when you realize this is our Government at work.

Mr. Ryan De Vries  
2088 Dagget Pierson, MI 49339 Dear Mr. De Vries:

SUBJECT: DEQ File No. 97-59-0023; T11N; R10W, Sec. 20; Montcalm County It has come to the attention of the Department of Environmental Quality that there has been recent unauthorized



activity on the above referenced parcel of property. You have been certified as the legal landowner and/or contractor who did the following unauthorized activity: Construction and maintenance of two wood debris dams across the outlet stream of Spring Pond.

A permit must be issued prior to the start of this type of activity. A review of the Department's files shows that no permits have been issued. Therefore, the Department has determined that this activity is in violation of Part 301, Inland Lakes and Streams, of the Natural Resource and Environmental Protection Act, Act 451 of the Public Acts of 1994, being Sections 324.30101 to 324.30113 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, annotated.

The Department has been informed that one or both of the dams partially failed during a recent rain event, causing debris and flooding at downstream locations. We find that dams of this nature are inherently hazardous and cannot be permitted. The Department therefore orders you to cease and desist all activities at this location, and to restore the stream to a free-flow condition by removing all wood and brush forming the dams from the stream channel. All restoration work shall be completed no later than January 31, 1998.

Please notify this office when the restoration has been completed so that a follow-up site inspection may be scheduled by our staff. Failure to comply with this request or any further unauthorized activity on the site may result in this case being referred for elevated enforcement action. We anticipate and would appreciate your full cooperation in this matter. Please feel free to contact me at this office if you have any questions.

Sincerely, David L. Price District Representative Land and Water Management Division

~~RESPONSE~~

Dear Mr. Price:

Re: DEQ File No. 97-59-0023; T11N; R10W, Sec. 20; Montcalm County Your certified letter dated 12/17/97 has been handed to me to respond to.

First of all, Mr. Ryan De Vries is not the legal landowner and/or contractor at 2088 Dagget, Pierson, Michigan. I am the legal owner and a couple of beavers are in the (unauthorized) process of constructing and maintaining two wood "debris" dams across the outlet stream of my Spring Pond. While I did not pay for, authorize, nor supervise their dam project, I think they would be highly offended that you call their skillful use of natural building materials "debris." I would like to challenge your department to attempt to emulate their dam project any time and/or any place you choose. I believe I can safely state there is no way you could ever match their dam skills, their dam resourcefulness, their dam ingenuity, their dam persistence, their dam determination and/or their dam work ethic. As to your request, I do not think the beavers are aware that they must first fill out a dam permit prior to the start of this type of dam activity.

My first dam question to you is: (1) Are you trying to discriminate against my Spring Pond Beavers or (2) Do you require all beavers throughout this state to conform to said dam request? If you are not discriminating against these particular beavers, through the Freedom of Information Act I request completed copies of all those other applicable beaver dam permits that have been issued. Perhaps we will see if there really is a dam violation of Part 301, Inland Lakes and Streams, of the Natural Resource and Environmental Protection Act, Act 451 of the Public Acts of 1994, being sections 324.30101 to 324.30113 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, annotated. I have several concerns. My first concern is - Aren't the beavers entitled to legal representation? The Spring Pond Beavers are financially destitute and are unable to pay for said representation so the State will have to provide them with a dam lawyer. The Department's dam concern that either one or both of the dams failed during a recent rain event causing flooding is proof that this is a natural occurrence, which the Department is required to protect. In other words, we should leave the Spring Pond Beavers alone rather than harassing them and calling their dam names. If you



want the stream “restored” to a dam free-flow condition - please contact the beavers; but if you are going to arrest them (they obviously did not pay any attention to your dam letter, being unable to read English) - be sure they are read their Miranda rights first. As for me, I am not going to cause more flooding or dam debris jams by interfering with these dam builders. If you want to hurt these dam beavers - be aware that I am sending a copy of your dam letter and this response to PETA.

If your dam department seriously finds all dams of this nature inherently hazardous and truly will not permit their existence in this State, I seriously hope you are not selectively enforcing this dam policy or once again both the Spring Pond Beavers and I will scream prejudice!

In my humble opinion, the Spring Pond Beavers have a right to build their unauthorized dams as long as the sky is blue, the grass is green and water flows downstream. They have more dam rights than I do to live and enjoy Spring Pond. If the Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Protection lives up to its name, it should protect the natural resources (Beavers) and the environment (Beavers’ Dams). So, as far as the beavers and I are concerned, this dam case can be referred for more elevated enforcement action right now. Why wait until January 31? The Spring Pond Beavers may be under the dam ice then and there will be no way for you or your dam staff to contact/harass them then.

In conclusion, I would like to bring to your attention a real environmental quality (health) problem in this area: It is the bears. Are you aware that bears are actually defecating in our woods? I definitely believe you should be persecuting the defecating bears and leave the beavers alone. If you are going to investigate the beaver dam, watch your step! (Bears are not careful where they dump!) Being unable to comply with your dam request, and being unable to contact you on your dam answering machine, I am sending this response to your day office via another government organization - the dam USPS. Maybe someday it will get there.

Sincerely, Stephen L. Tvedten

### Grandma Stories

These are priceless...

After putting her children to bed, a mother changed into old slacks and a droopy blouse and proceeded to wash her hair. As she heard the children getting more and more rambunctious, her patience grew thin. At last she threw a towel around her head and stormed into their room, putting them back to bed with stern warnings. As she left the room, she heard her three-year-old say with a trembling voice, “Who was THAT?”

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A mother was telling her little girl what her own childhood was like:

“We used to skate outside on a pond. I had a swing made from a tire; it hung from a tree in our front yard. We rode our pony. We picked wild raspberries in the woods.” The little girl was wide-eyed, taking this in. At last she said, “I sure wish I’d gotten to know you sooner!”

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My grandson was visiting one day when he asked, Grandma, do you know how you and God are alike?” I mentally polished my halo while I asked, “No, how are we alike?”

“You’re both old,” he replied.

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A little girl was diligently pounding away on her father’s word processor. She told him she was writing a story. “What’s it about?” he asked.

“I don’t know,” she replied. “I can’t read.”



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 I didn't know if my granddaughter had learned her colors yet, so I decided to test her. I would point out something and ask what color it was.

She would tell me, and always she was correct. But it was fun for me, so I continued. At last she headed for the door, saying sagely, "Grandma, I think you should try to figure out some of these yourself!"

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 A Sunday school class was studying the Ten Commandments. They were ready to discuss the last one. The teacher asked if anyone could tell her what it was. Susie raised her hand, stood tall, and quoted, "Thou shall not take the covers off thy neighbor's wife."

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 Our five-year-old son Mark couldn't wait to tell his father about the movie we had watched on television, "20,000 Leagues Under the Sea." The scenes with the submarine and the giant octopus had kept him wide-eyed. In the middle of the telling, my husband interrupted Mark, "What caused the submarine to sink?"

With a look of incredulity Mark replied, "Dad, it was the 20,000 leaks!"

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 When my grandson, Billy, and I entered our vacation cabin, we kept the lights off until we were inside to keep from attracting pesky insects.

Still, a few fireflies followed us in. Noticing them before I did, Billy whispered, "It's no use, Grandpa. The mosquitoes are coming after us with flashlights."

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 When my grandson asked me how old I was, I teasingly replied, "I'm not sure."

"Look in your underwear, Grandma," he advised. "Mine says I'm four."

### Hanging on

There were 11 people hanging on to a rope that came down from a helicopter. Ten were men and one a woman. They all decided that one person should get off because if they didn't, the rope would break and everyone would die.

No one could decide who should go so finally the woman gave a really touching speech saying how she would give up her life to save the others because women were used to giving up things for their husbands and children, giving in to men, and not receiving anything in return.

When she finished speaking, all the men started clapping.

### Heavenly wedded bliss

On their way to get married, a young couple is involved in a fatal car accident. The couple find themselves sitting outside the Pearly Gates waiting for St. Peter to process them into Heaven.

While waiting, they begin to wonder: Could they possibly get married in Heaven? When St. Peter shows up, they ask him.

St. Peter says, "I don't know. This is the first time anyone has asked. Let me go find out," and he leaves.

The couple sat and waited for an answer ... for a couple of months. While they waited, they began discussing IF they were allowed to get married in Heaven, SHOULD they get married - what with the eternal aspect of it all. "What if it doesn't work?" they wondered, "Are we stuck together



FOREVER?"

After yet another month, St. Peter finally returns, looking somewhat bedraggled. "Yes," he informs the couple, "you CAN get married in Heaven."

"Great!" said the couple, "But we were just wondering, what if things don't work out? Could we also get a divorce in Heaven?"

Peter, red-faced with anger, slams his clipboard onto the ground.

"What's wrong?" asked the frightened couple.

"OH, COME ON!!" St. Peter shouts, "It took me three months to find a priest up here! Do you have ANY idea how long it'll take me to find a lawyer?"

### HEAVENLY INVENTIONS

Henry Ford died and went to heaven. At the gates, an angel told Ford, "Well, you've been such a good guy and your invention, the assembly line, changed the world. As a reward, you can hang-out with anyone you want to in Heaven."

Ford thinks about it and says, "I want to hang out with God Himself." The be-feathered fellow at the Gates took Ford to the Throne Room and introduced him to God.

Ford then asked God, "Hey, aren't you the inventor of Woman?"

God said, "Ah, yes."

"Well," said Ford, "you have some major design flaws in your invention:

1. There's too much front end protrusion.
2. It chatters at high speeds.
3. Maintenance is very costly.
4. It constantly needs repainting and refinishing.
5. It is out of commission 5 or 6 of every 28 days.
6. The rear end wobbles too much.
7. The intake is placed too close to the exhaust.

"Hmmm," replied God, "hold on." God went to the Celestial Super computer, typed in a few keystrokes, and waited for the results. The computer printed out a slip of paper. "It may be that my invention is flawed," God replied to Henry Ford, "but according to statistics, more men are riding my invention than yours!"

### History Quiz

Not expecting to do well on the economics exam, Bill was heartened by the first question: In any given year, and to the nearest ton, how much wheat did the United States export?

Smiling confidently, he wrote, "In 1492, none."

### HMO

Mr. Smith went to the doctor's office to obtain his wife's test results. The lab tech said to him, "I'm sorry, sir, but there has been a bit of a mix-up and we have a problem. When we sent the samples from your wife to the lab, the samples from another Mrs. Smith were sent as well and we are now uncertain which one is your wife's. Frankly, it is either bad or terrible news!"

"What do you mean?" asked Mr. Smith.

"Well, one Mrs. Smith has tested positive for Alzheimer's and the other for AIDS. We can't



tell which one is your wife.”

“That’s terrible! Can we do the test over?” asked Mr. Smith.

“Normally, yes. But you have an HMO and they won’t pay for these expensive tests more than once.”

“Well, what am I supposed to do now?” Smith asked.

“The HMO recommends that you drop your wife off in the middle of town. If she finds her way home ... don’t sleep with her.”

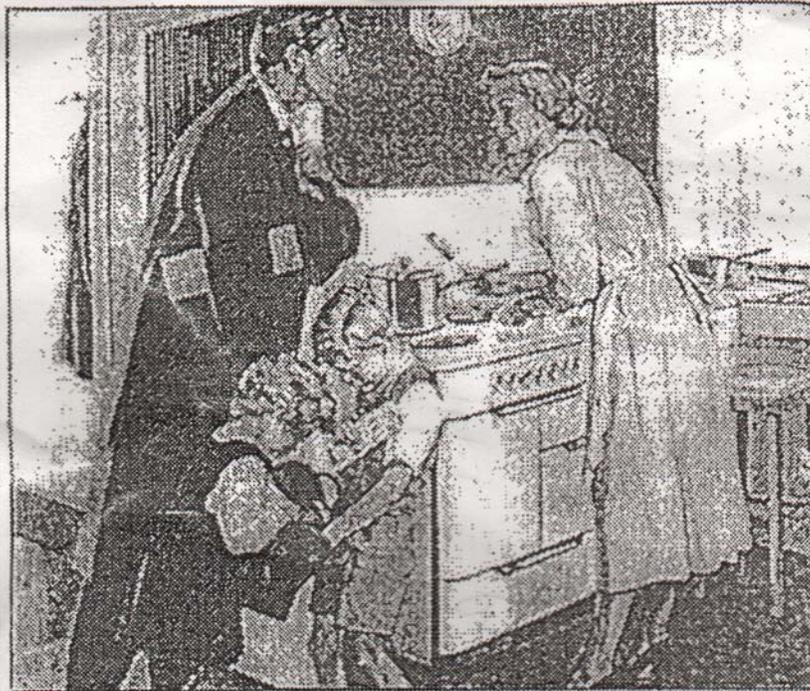
### Horseback riding Blonde

A blonde decides to try riding horseback, 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 oblivious to its slipping rider.

Finally, giving up her frail grip, she leaps away from the horse and tries to 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 strikes the ground over and over again.

As her head is battered against the ground, she is mere moments away from unconsciousness when —fortunately the WalMart manager sees her and shuts off the horse.

### Housekeeping Monthly 13 May 1955



### **The good wife’s guide**

- Have dinner ready. Plan ahead, even the night before, to have a delicious meal ready, on time for his return. This is a way of letting him know that you have been thinking about him and are concerned about his



needs. Most men are hungry when they come home and the prospect of a good meal (especially his favorite dish) is part of the warm welcome needed.

- Prepare yourself. Take 15 minutes to rest, so you'll be refreshed when he arrives. Touch up your make-up, put a ribbon in your hair and be fresh-looking. He has just been with a lot of work-weary people.
- Be a little gay and a little more interesting for him. His boring day may need a lift and one of your duties is to provide it.
- Clear away the clutter. Make one last trip through the main part of the house just before your husband arrives.
- Gather up schoolbooks, toys, paper, etc. and then run a dust cloth over the tables.
- Over the cooler months of the year you should prepare and light a fire for him to unwind by. Your husband will feel he has reached a haven of rest and order, and it will give you a lift too. After all, catering for his comfort will provide you with immense personal satisfaction.
- Prepare the children. Take a few minutes to wash the children's hands and faces (if they are small), comb their hair and, if necessary, change their clothes. They are little treasures and he would like to see them playing the part. Minimize all noises. At the time of his arrival, eliminate all noises of the washer, dryer or vacuum. Try to encourage the children to be quiet.
- Be happy to see him.
- Greet him with a warm smile and show sincerity in your desire to please him.
- Listen to him. You may have a dozen important things to tell him, but the moment of his arrival is not the time. Let him talk first – remember, his topics of conversation are more important than yours.
- Make the evening his. Never complain if he comes home late or goes out to dinner, or other places of entertainment without you. Instead, try to understand his world of strain and pressure and his very real need to be at home and relax.
- Your goal: Try to make sure your home is a place of peace, order and tranquility where your husband can renew himself in body and soul.
- Don't greet him with complaints and problems.
- Don't complain if he's late home for dinner or even if he stays out all night. Count this as minor compared to what he might have gone through that day.
- Make him comfortable. Have him lean back in a comfortable chair or have him lie down in the bedroom. Have a cool or warm drink ready for him.
- Arrange his pillow and offer to take off his shoes. Speak in a low, soothing and pleasant voice.
- Don't ask him questions about his actions or question his judgment or integrity. Remember, he is the master of the house and as such will always exercise his will with fairness and truthfulness. You have no right to question him.
- A good wife knows her place.

**We can laugh at this today, but, at the time of the article they took it quite seriously. Which only goes to show how humor changes over time. What's common today, may make our ancestors laugh...**

### Hymns

The Dentist's Hymn:.....Crown Him With Many Crowns  
 The Weatherman's Hymn.....There shall be showers of Blessing  
 The Contractor's Hymn.....The Church's One Foundation  
 The Tailor's Hymn.....Holy, Holy, Holy  
 The Golfer's Hymn.....There is A Green Hill Far Away  
 The Politician's Hymn.....Standing on the Promises  
 The Optometrist's Hymn.....Open My Eyes That I Might See  
 The IRS Agent's Hymn.....I Surrender All  
 The Gossip's Hymn.....Pass It On  
 The Electrician's Hymn.....Send the Light  
 The Shopper's Hymn.....Sweet By and By  
 The Realtors Hymn.....I've got a mansion, just over the hilltop  
 The Bakers Hymn.....I Need Thee Every Hour  
 The Birdwatchers Hymn.....I'll Fly Away

=====AND=====



For those who speed on the highway - a few hymns for you:  
 45 mph.....God Will Take Care of You  
 55 mph.....Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah  
 65 mph.....Nearer My God to Thee  
 75 mph.....Nearer Still Nearer  
 85 mph.....This World Is Not My Home  
 95 mph.....Lord, I'm Coming Home  
 Over 100 mph.....Precious Memories

**I wanna work here.....! NOT!!!!!!!**

**New Company Rules.. Effective immediately...**

**DRESS CODE:**

It is advised that you come to work dressed according to your salary, if we see you wearing \$350 Prada sneakers & carrying a \$600 Gucci bag, we assume you are doing well financially and therefore you do not need a raise.

**SICK DAYS:**

We will no longer accept a doctor statement as proof of sickness. If you are able to go to the doctor, you are able to come to work.

**SURGERY:**

Operations are now banned. As long as you are an employee here, you need all your organs. You should not consider removing anything. We hired you intact. To have something removed constitutes a breach of employment.

**PERSONAL DAYS:**

Each employee will receive 104 personal days a year.  
 They are called Saturday & Sunday.

**VACATION DAYS:**

All employees will take their vacation at the same time every year.  
 The vacation days are as follows: Jan. 1, July 4 & Dec. 25

**BEREAVEMENT LEAVE:**

This is no excuse for missing work. There is nothing you can do for dead friends, relatives or coworkers. Every effort should be made to have non-employees attend to the arrangements. In rare cases where employee involvement is necessary, the funeral should be scheduled in the late afternoon. We will be glad to allow you to work through your lunch hour and subsequently leave one hour early, provided your share of the work is done enough.

**OUT FROM YOUR OWN DEATH:**

This will be accepted as an excuse. However, we require at least two weeks notice as it is your duty to train your own replacement.

**RESTROOM USE:**

Entirely too much time is being spent in the restroom. In the future, we will follow the practice of going in alphabetical order.

For instance, all employees whose names begin with 'A' will go from 8 to 8:20, employees whose names begin with 'B' will go from 8:20 to 8:40 and so on. If you're unable to go at your allotted time, it will be necessary to wait until the next day when your turn comes again. In extreme emergencies employees may swap their time with a coworker. Both employees' supervisors in writing must approve this exchange.

**LUNCH BREAK:**

Skinny people get an hour for lunch as they need to eat more so that they can look healthy, normal size people get 30 minutes for lunch to get a balanced meal to maintain their



average figure. Fat people get 5 minutes for lunch because that's all the time needed to drink a Slim Fast & take a diet pill. Thank you for your loyalty to our company. We are here to provide a positive employment experience.

Have a nice week.

### I wish

Andy Rooney's Thought On Life....

The most unfair thing about life is the way it ends.  
I mean, life is tough. It takes up a lot of your time.  
And then you die. What's that? A bonus?  
I think the life-cycle is all backwards.

You should die first and get it all over with.  
Then you live in an old age home.  
You get kicked out when you're too young.  
You get a gold watch.  
You go to work.  
You work forty years until you're young enough to enjoy your retirement.  
You do drugs, alcohol and party.  
You get ready for high school.  
You go to grade school and become a kid.  
You play. You have no responsibilities.  
You become a little baby & go back into the womb.  
You spend your last nine months floating...

Then, you finish off as an orgasm. I like it.

### Idle Thoughts

1. What's the definition of a teenager? God's punishment for enjoying sex.
2. Define Transvestite: A guy who likes to eat, drink and be Mary!
3. What's the difference between the Pope and your boss? The Pope only expects you to kiss his ring.
4. My mind works like lightning. One brilliant flash and it is gone.
5. The only time the world beats a path to your door is if you're in the bathroom.
6. I hate sex in the movies. Tried it once and the seat folded up.
7. It used to be only death and taxes were inevitable. Now, of course, there's shipping and handling, too.
8. A husband is someone who takes out the trash and gives the impression he just cleaned the whole house.
9. My next house will have no kitchen — just vending machines.
10. The only thing wrong with a perfect drive to work is that you end up at work.
11. Americans are getting stronger. Twenty years ago, it took two people to carry twenty dollars' worth of groceries. Today, a five-year-old can do it.



12. A blonde told her friend, "I was worried that my mechanic might try to rip me off, so I was really relieved when he told me all I needed was blinker fluid."

### If Men Ruled the World

1- Two words... "Ally McNaked".

2- When a cop gave you a ticket, every smart-aleck answer you responded with would actually reduce your fine. As in:

Cop: "You know how fast you were going?"

You: "All I know is I was spilling my beer all over the place."

Cop: "Nice one, that's \$10.00 off".

3- People would never talk about how fresh they felt.

4- Daisy Duke shorts would never go out of style again.

5- Every man would get four real "Get Out of Jail Free" cards per year.

6- Telephones would cut off after 30 seconds of conversation.

7- The victors in any athletic competition would get to kill and eat the losers.

8- It would be perfectly legal to steal a sports car, as long as you returned it the following day with a full tank of gas.

9- Instead of a fancy, expensive engagement ring, you could present your wife-to-be with a giant foam hand that said "You're #1!"

10- When your girlfriend really needed to talk to you during the game, she'd appear in a little box in the corner of the screen during a time-out.

11- Nodding and looking at your watch would be deemed as an acceptable response to "I love you".

12- The funniest guy in the office would get to be CEO.

13- "Sorry I'm late, but I was wasted last night", would be an acceptable excuse for tardiness.

14- At the end of the workday, a whistle would blow and you would jump out of your window and slide down the tail of a brontosaurus and right into your car.

15- Hallmark would make "Sorry, what was your name again?" cards.

### In Heaven

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."







If you can relax without liquor,

If you can always sleep without the aid of drugs,

Then.....

You are probably the family dog

### Investing advice

From the Nev Dull list.

If you bought \$1000 worth of Nortel stock one year ago, it would now be worth \$72.

If you bought \$1000 worth of Budweiser (the beer, not the stock) one year ago, drank all the beer, and traded in the cans for the nickel deposit, you would have \$79.

The message seems to be start drinking heavily.

### Irish joke

Paddy & Mick landed themselves a job at a sawmill. Just before the morning break, Paddy yelled over to Mick, "Shoot, man, I've lost me finger!"

"Have you now," replied Mick. "And how did you manage to do that?"

Paddy replied, "I just touched this big, shiny spinning thing here like this...dang! There goes another one!"

### Jailbreak

A blonde, a brunette, and a redhead were convicted of a crime and sent to jail. Then they decide to escape, the brunette jumps up on the wall and then jumps in the bushes on the other side. The guards poke their heads around the door to see what the noise was so the brunette says, "meow meow."

The guards say, "Don't worry it was just a cat."

So then the redhead has to go, she gets up on the wall and jumps off into the bushes. Once again the guards come out and see what the trouble was and the redhead says, "meow meow."

The guards say, "oh never mind, just another cat..."

So then its the blonde's turn, so she gets up on the wall and jumps off, and into the bushes. And the guards come out once again to see what all the noise is, so the blonde says, "Don't Worry, its just Another Cat!!"

### Queer Divorce

Visiting a lawyer for advice, the wife said, "I want you to help me obtain a divorce. My husband is getting a little queer to sleep with."

"What do you mean?" asked the attorney. "Does he force you to indulge in unusual sex practices?"

"No, he doesn't," replied the woman, "and neither does the little queer."

Beat drums

“Natives who beat drums to drive off evil spirits are objects of scorn to smart Americans who blow horns to break up traffic jams.”

—Mary Ellen Kelly

Dirty balls

During a routine physical, a doctor tells his patient to drop his pants.

After the examination, the doctor says to the man, “You have the filthiest balls I’ve ever seen!”

The guy goes home to his wife and says, “I want to talk to you about something.”

She replies, “Not now, I’ve been so busy lately that I haven’t had time to wipe my ass!”

He says, “That’s what I want to talk to you about.”

Driving ugly

A man is driving late one Saturday night when a cop pulls him over. The policeman walked up to the man and asks, “Have you been drinking, sir?”

“Why? Was I weaving?”

“No,” replies the policeman, “you were driving fine. It’s the ugly fat chick in the passenger seat that gave you away.”

When everyone is somebody,  
Then no one’s anybody.

—W.S. Gilbert, *The Gondoliers*, 1889

Card game

A man came home from a poker game late one night and found his hideous harpy of a wife waiting for him with a rolling pin.

“Where the hell have you been?” she asked.

“You’ll have to pack all your things, dear,” he said. “I’ve just lost you in a card game.”

“How did you manage to do that, genius?” she asked sarcastically.

“It wasn’t easy, honest,” he told her. “I had to fold with a royal flush.”

Edison

Of course I’m proud that you invented the electric light bulb.  
Now turn it off and get to bed!

—Thomas Edison’s Mother



O'Casey

O'Casey had dated many a lass, but he finally became entranced with Maureen O'Riley. He wooed her and pursued her, but she would not give in and go to bed with him. Finally he proposed marriage and she accepted.

On their wedding night, as they undressed in their honeymoon cottage, O'Casey said, "You know, Maureen, I never would have wed you if you had gone to bed with me like all the other girls did."

"Experience is the best teacher," Maureen said. "That's how I lost all of my other suitors."

Accent

It was a hot day in Minnesota. Helga hung the wash out to dry, put a roast in the oven, then went downstairs to pick up some dry cleaning. "Gootness, it's hot," she mused to herself as she walked down Main street.

She passed by a tavern and thought, "Vy nodt?" so she walked in and took a seat at the bar. The bartender came up and asked her what she would like to drink.

"Ya know," Helga said, "it is so hot I tink I'll have myself zee cold beer."

The bartender asked, "Anheuser Busch?"

Helga blushed and replied "Vell fine, tanks, und how's yer pecker?"

Smells

George W. Bush and Bill Clinton decided to go over a few last minute details on the transfer of power while getting haircuts.

Clinton finished first, and the barber asked him, "What type of cologne would you like, the expensive or the cheap kind?"

"Give me the good stuff. I don't want Hilary thinking I was in a warehouse."

Bush was finished a moment later and the barber asked him the same question. Bush replied, "Give me anything. My wife doesn't know what a warehouse smells like."

Temper, Temper

Patient: "Doctor, you gotta help me. I'm under a lot of stress. I keep losing my temper with people."

Doctor: "Tell me about your problem."

Patient: "I just did, you friggin' jackass!"

Barber

A priest goes into a barbershop, gets a haircut, thanks the barber and asks how much he owes him.

The barber says, "Father, you're a holy man of the cloth, I couldn't charge you, its on the house."

The priest says, "Thank you, my son," and leaves.

The next day, magically appearing on the doorstep of the barbershop are 12 silver coins.





A few days later, a Sheik goes in for a trim, and when the time comes to pay the barber says, "No money, please. You're a spiritual leader, a man of the people, it's on the house."

The Sheik says, "God bless you," and leaves. The next day, magically appearing on the doorstep are 12 gold coins.

The following week a rabbi comes in, gets a haircut, goes to pay, and the barber says, "No, Rabbi, you are a learned man, a wise man, I can't take any money from you, go in peace."

The next day, magically appearing on the doorstep of the barbershop are 12 Rabbis!

### Tracks

A guy is walking along when suddenly he got his foot caught in the railroad tracks. He tried to get it out but it was really stuck. He heard a noise and turned around to see a train coming.

He panicked and started to pray, "God, please get my foot out of these tracks and I'll stop drinking!" Nothing happened, it was still stuck, and the train was getting closer! He prayed again, "God, please get my foot out and I'll stop drinking AND cussing!" Still nothing and the train was just seconds away!

He tried it one more time, "God please, if you get my foot out of the tracks, I'll quit drinking, cussing, smoking and fornicating."

Suddenly his foot shot out of the tracks and he was able to dive out of the way in the nick of time.

He got up, dusted himself off, looked toward heaven and said, "Thanks anyway God, I got it myself."

### Shorts

Q. Why is air a lot like sex?

A. Because it's no big deal unless you're not getting any.

Why did Kamikaze pilots wear helmets?

### How to read

A team of archeologists is excavating in Israel when they find a cave with the symbols of a woman, a donkey, a shovel, a fish, and a Star of David on the wall.

The head archeologist points to the first drawing. "This indicates that these people were family oriented and held women in high esteem." he says. "The donkey shows they were smart enough to use animals to till the soil. The shovel means they were able to forge tools. Even further proof of high intelligence is the fish: If famine hit the earth, they would take to the sea for food. The last symbol is the Star of David, telling us they were Hebrews."

The second archeologist shakes his head. "Sorry, Doc. You've got it wrong. Hebrew is read from right to left," he explains. "It really says, 'Holy Mackerel, Dig the Ass on that Chick!'"

### Telescope

The USSR Prime Secretary ordered the soviet scientists to build a telescope he could use to watch the Americans. So they built and it was beautiful. When Brejnev came to test it, he looked thru it and saw a big city with lots of skyscrapers.



He said, "Is this the New York? Where's that building they call Empire State?"

The scientists pushed some buttons and the Empire State building came to be seen.

"What are those large photos on that building?" asked Brejnev.

The scientists pushed more buttons, and the large photos that came into focus turned out to be those of Marx, Engels and Lenin; the grandfathers of communism.

"Hey, what happened to the Americans? Are they crazy, showing large photos of our Communist Fathers on their streets? Show me what the text below says."

More buttons pushed revealed the text below the photos: "Don't grow beards like these! Use Gillette!"

### House

I can't believe I actually own my own house. I'm looking at a house and it's two hundred grand. The realtor says, "It's got a great view." For two hundred grand I better open up the curtains and see breasts against the window.

—Garry Shandling

### More shorts

Two old men were sitting on a park bench, when a stray dog sat down in front of them and proceeded to lick himself. "I wish I could do that," said the first man.

The second man answered, "Go ahead, but I think you'd better pet him first."

A drunk went into a telephone booth and dialed a number at random.

"Salvation Army," said the voice at the other end.

"What do you do?" asked the man.

"We save wicked men and women," came the reply.

"Okay, save me a wicked woman for Saturday night."

A businessman was confused about a bill he had received, so he asked his secretary for some mathematical help.

"If I were to give you \$20,000, minus 14%, how much would you take off?" he asked her.

The secretary replied, "Everything but my earrings."

Paddy wanted to be an accountant, so he went for an aptitude test:

Tester: If I give you two Rabbits, and two rabbits, and another two rabbits, how many rabbits have you got?

Paddy : SEVEN!

Tester : No, listen carefully again. If I give you two Rabbits, and two rabbits, and another two rabbits, how many rabbits have you got?



**Paddy : SEVEN!**

**Tester : Let's try this another way. If I give you two bottles of beer, and two bottles of beer, and another two bottles of beer, how many bottles of beer have you got?**

**Paddy : SIX.**

**Tester : Good! Now, if I give you two Rabbits, and two rabbits, and another two rabbits, how many rabbits have you got?**

**Paddy : SEVEN!**

**Tester : How on Earth do you work out that three lots of two rabbits is seven?**

**Paddy : I've already got one rabbit at home!**

**Japan recently sent the American people 50,000,000 cases of Viagra...**

**They heard that our entire country can't get an election straight ...**

**Bought my girlfriend a mood ring the other day. When she's in a good mood it turns green. When she's in a bad mood, it leaves a red mark on my forehead.**

### Heaven vs. Hell

**In Heaven:  
the cooks are French,  
the policemen are English,  
the mechanics are German,  
the lovers are Italian  
and the bankers are Swiss.**

**In Hell:  
the cooks are English,  
the policemen are German,  
the mechanics are French,  
the lovers are Swiss  
and the bankers are Italian.**

**Palm Beach County: So nice, we let you vote twice.**

**Palm Beach County: We put the "duh" in Florida.**

### Breast fed

**A woman and a baby came into the doctor's office. She was told to go into a room and wait for the doctor. He examines the baby and asks the woman, "Is he breast fed or on the bottle?"**

**"Breast fed." she says.**

**"Well, strip down to your waist." He orders.**

**She does. He presses both breasts, pinches them both, and then says, "No wonder this baby is hungry, you don't have any milk."**



“Naturally,” she says, “I’m his aunt, but I’m glad I came!”

### Get me a beer

A man comes home from an exhausting day at work, plops down on the couch in front of the television, and tells his wife, “Get me a beer before it starts.”

The wife sighs and gets him a beer.

Fifteen minutes later, he says, “Get me another beer before it starts.”

She looks cross, but fetches another beer and slams it down next to him.

He finishes that beer and a few minutes later says, “Quick, get me another beer, it’s going to start any minute.”

The wife is furious. She yells at him, “Is that all you’re going to do tonight? Drink beer and sit in front of that TV? You’re nothing but a lazy, drunken, fat slob, and furthermore . . .”

The man sighs and says, “It’s started . . .”

### Milk man

I said to the wife, “Guess what I heard in the pub? They reckon the milkman has made love to every woman in our road except one.”

And she said, “I’ll bet it’s that stuck-up Phyllis at number 23.”

—Max Kauffmann

### TV watching

While waiting for the final voter recount in Florida, media services questioned the two major presidential candidates today.

Both agreed that Americans are seeing too much inappropriate material in popular entertainment. However, they disagreed on the details.

The Republican candidate, George W. Bush, stated that there is too much bloody violence in the movies and on television.

Vice President Al Gore, his Democratic opponent, stated that the media presents Americans with too much sex and frontal nudity.

...Wait a minute—Are you telling me that Bush says there is too much gore and Gore says there is too much bush...?

### Lottery

I won the Florida lottery! I’m now a multi-millionaire! Can you believe it?! I’m bouncing off the walls here! You see, my ticket doesn’t have the exact winning numbers on it, but I meant to pick those winning numbers.

The ticket was very confusing when I was filling it out and so I ended up with the wrong numbers on my card. But since I really meant to pick those other numbers, they’re going to give me the money anyway! They really shouldn’t make those darn cards so hard to fill out! Even though I was confused, I didn’t ask for help because no one would have helped me anyway. I know the FL State Lottery will give me the money. If they don’t I’ll just sue them!



### Politicians say the darndest things:

No man is an Ireland.  
—Chicago Mayor Richard Daley

I love California. I practically grew up in Phoenix.  
—Vice President Dan Quayle

Politics gives guys so much power that they tend to behave badly around women. And I hope I never get into that.  
—Rhodes Scholar Bill Clinton

The Internet is a great way to get on the Net.  
—Presidential candidate Bob Dole

### Pardon

Clinton is in the supermarket picking up some things for the new office when a stock boy accidentally bumps into him.

“Pardon me,” the stock boy says.

“Sure,” Clinton replies, “but it’ll cost you.”

### Wait

The things that come to those that wait may be the things left by those who got there first.

### Breakfast divorce

“And what was the culmination of events that led you to file this action?” asked the man’s attorney at the divorce hearing.

“All through our marriage my wife was less than fully responsive to my sexual initiatives,” replied the husband. “But the clincher came one morning at the breakfast table.”

“Why? What happened?”

“She said, ‘Just so you don’t get your hopes up, I’m already beginning to get a headache.’”

### Bras

“Mom, can I ask you something?”

“Sure, honey, what’s on your mind.”

“Well, I’m already fourteen and, I think it’s just proper that I should own one.”

“Own ‘one’ what?” mother asked suspiciously.

“A push up bra.”

“No.”

“But my nipples are already prominent and it catches attention.”

“Absolutely not.”

“I think it would be just proper at my age...”

“I said no way!”

“But...”

“Morris! How many times must I tell you that bras are for girls!”



### Viagra

A guy walks into a pharmacy and asks for a bottle of Viagra.  
The pharmacist says, "Do you have a prescription?"  
The guy says, "No, but here's a picture of my wife."

### Grammer

A teacher wrote on the blackboard: "Like I ain't had no fun in months." Then she asked the class, "How should I correct this sentence?"

Little Johnny raised his hand and replied, "Get a new boyfriend."

### You think

A man was wandering around a fairground and he happened to see a fortune-teller's tent. Thinking it would be good for a laugh, he went inside and sat down.

"Ah....." said the woman as she gazed into her crystal ball. "I see you are the father of two children."

"That's what you think," said the man scornfully. "I'm the father of THREE children."

The woman grinned and said, "That's what YOU think."

### Saddle horns

A pretty girl is driving through the west. Her car runs out of gas, and an Indian comes along on a horse, and gives her a ride to a gas station.

Every few minutes he lets out a wild whoop that would curdle milk.

Finally, he drops her off with a final "Yiiiee-yiiiee-yiiiee!" and gallops off.

"My god!" says the gas station guy. "What were you doing to that Indian to make him holler like that?"

"Why, nothing," says the girl. "I just sat behind him with my arms around him, holding onto his saddle horn."

"Lady," says the guy, "Indians don't use saddles."

### Air conditioner

A customer was continually bothering the waiter in a restaurant; first, he'd asked that the air conditioning be turned up because he was too hot, then he asked it be turned down because he was too cold, and so on for about half an hour.

Surprisingly, the waiter was very patient, he walked back and forth and never once got angry. So finally, a second customer asked him why he didn't throw out the pest.

"Oh I don't care," said the waiter with a smile. "We don't even have an air conditioner."



## Political Statements?

I will make a bargain with the Republicans. If they stop telling lies about Democrats, we will stop telling the truth about them. —Adlai Stevenson, during the 1952 presidential campaign

Feminism encourages women to leave their husbands, kill their children, practice witchcraft, destroy capitalism, and become lesbians. —Pat Robertson - speech at GOP Presidential Convention (1992)

## 25 Greatest Country Hits of all time

25. Get Your Tongue Outta My Mouth 'Cause I'm Kissing You Goodbye.
  24. Her Teeth Was Stained, But Her heart Was Pure.
  23. How Can I Miss You If You Won't Go Away?
  22. I Don't Know Whether To Kill Myself Or Go Bowling.
  21. I Just Bought A Car From A Guy That Stole My Girl, But The Car Don't Run So I Figure We Got An Even Deal.
  20. I Keep Forgettin' I Forgot About You.
  19. I Liked You Better Before I Knew You So Well.
  18. I Still Miss You, Baby, But My Aim's Gettin' Better.
  17. I Wouldn't Take Her To A Dog Fight, Cause I'm Afraid She'd Win.
  16. I'll Marry You Tomorrow But Let's Honeymoon Tonight.
  15. I'm So Miserable Without You, It's Like Having You Here.
  14. I've Got Tears In My Ears From Lyin' On My Back and Cryin' Over You.
  13. If I Can't Be Number One In Your Life, Then Number Two On You.
  12. If I Had Shot You When I Wanted To, I'd Be Out By Now.
  11. Mama Get A Hammer (There's A Fly On Papa's head).
  10. My Head Hurts, My Feet Stink, And I Don't Love You.
  9. My Wife Ran Off With My Best Friend, And I Sure Do Miss Him.
  8. Please Bypass This Heart.
  7. She Got The Ring And I Got The Finger.
  6. You Done Tore Out My Heart And Stomped That Sucker Flat.
  5. You're The Reason Our Kids Are So Ugly.
  4. If the Phone Don't Ring, You'll Know It's Me.
  3. She's Actin' Single and I'm Drinkin' Doubles.
  2. She's Looking Better After Every Beer.
- And the Number 1 Country and Western song of all Time is:
1. I Haven't Gone To Bed With Any Ugly Women But I've Sure Woke Up With A Few.

## Knocking at the gate

After a very long illness, a woman died and arrived at the Gates of Heaven. While she was waiting for Saint Peter to greet her, she peeked through the Gates. She saw a beautiful banquet table. Sitting all around were her parents and all the other people she had loved and who had died before her. They saw her and began calling greetings to her — “Hello, ‘How are you! We’ve been waiting for you! Good to see you.”

When Saint Peter came by, the woman said to him, “This is such a wonderful place! How do I get in?”

You have to spell a word,” Saint Peter told her.

”Which word?”, the woman asked.

”Love.”

The woman correctly spelled “Love” and Saint Peter welcomed her into Heaven.



About six months later, Saint Peter came to the woman and asked her to watch the Gates of Heaven for him that day. While the woman was guarding the Gates of Heaven, her husband arrived. "I'm surprised to see you," the woman said. "How have you been?"

"Oh, I've been doing pretty well since you died," her husband told her. "I married the beautiful young nurse who took care of you while you were ill. And then I won the lottery. I sold the little house you and I lived in and bought a big mansion. My wife and I traveled all around the world. We were on vacation and I went water skiing today. I fell, the ski hit my head, and here I am. How do I get in?"

"You have to spell a word," the woman told him.

"Which word?" her husband asked.

"Czechoslovakia."

### TOP 13 THINGS PMS STANDS FOR:

Pass My Shotgun  
 Psychotic Mood Shift  
 Perpetual Munching Spree  
 Puffy Mid-Section  
 People Make Me Sick  
 Provide Me with Sweets  
 Pardon My Sobbing  
 Pimples May Surface  
 Pass My Sweatpants  
 Plainly; Men Suck  
 Pack My Stuff  
 Permanent Menstrual Syndrome

### PMS answer

Q: How many women with PMS does it take to change a light bulb?

A: One. Only ONE!! And do you know WHY? Because no one else in this house knows HOW to change a light bulb! They don't even care that the bulb is BURNED OUT! They would sit in the dark for DAYS before they figured it out. And, once they figured it out, they wouldn't be able to FIND the light bulbs despite the fact that they've been in the SAME CUPBOARD for the past 17 YEARS!!! But if they did, by some miracle, actually find them 2 DAYS LATER, the chair they dragged to stand on to change the STUPID light bulb would STILL BE IN THE SAME SPOT!! AND UNDERNEATH IT WOULD BE THE WRAPPER THE STUPID BULBS CAME IN! WHY? BECAUSE NO-ONE EVER CARRIES OUT THE GARBAGE!! IT'S A WONDER WE HAVEN'T ALL SUFFOCATED FROM THE PILES OF GARBAGE THAT ARE 12' DEEP THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE HOUSE. THE HOUSE!!! - IT WOULD TAKE AN ARMY TO CLEAN THIS HOUSE! I'm sorry...what did you ask me?

### Witness Examination revisited..

These are from a book called Disorder in the 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 actually taking place. Some of these are excellent.

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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.

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.

Q: What was the first thing your husband said to you when he woke up that morning?

A: He said, "Where am I, Cathy?"

Q: And why did that upset you?

A: My name is Susan.

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.

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?

Q: So the date of conception (of the baby) was August 8th?

A: Yes.

Q: And what were you doing at that time?

Q: She had three children, right?

A: Yes.

Q: How many were boys?

A: None.

Q: Were there any girls?

Q: How was your first marriage terminated?

A: By death

Q: And by whose death was it terminated?

Q: Can you describe the individual?

A: He was about medium height and had a beard.

Q: Was this a male, or a female?

Q: Doctor, how many autopsies have you performed on dead people?

A: All my autopsies are performed on dead people.

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.

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, never the less?

A: Yes, it is possible that he could have been alive and practicing law somewhere.

### Burgler

A burglar needing money to pay his income taxes decided to burgle the safe in a store. On the safe door he was very pleased to find a note reading, "Please don't use dynamite. The safe is not locked. Just turn the knob." He did so.

Instantly a heavy sandbag fell on him, the entire premises were floodlighted, and alarms started clanging.

As the police carried him out on a stretcher, he was heard moaning, "My confidence in human nature has been rudely shaken."

### Quick Wit:

Have you heard about the new Barbie doll? It's called Divorce Barbie. It comes with all of Ken's stuff.

### A steak

A Texan, a Russian and a New Yorker go into a restaurant in London. The waiter says, "Excuse me, but if you wanted the steak you might not get one as there is a shortage."

The Texan said, "What's a shortage?"

The Russian said, "What's a steak?"

The New Yorker said, "What's excuse me?"

### QUICK WIT:

I'm not cheap, but I am on special this week.

### One ticket

Three engineers and three accountants are traveling by train to a conference. At the station, the three accountants each buy tickets and watch as the three engineers buy only a single ticket. "How are three people going to travel on only one ticket?" asks an accountant. "Watch and you'll see," answers an engineer.

They all board the train. The accountants take their respective seats but all Three engineers cram into a restroom and close the door behind them. Shortly after the train has departed, the conductor comes around collecting tickets.

He knocks on the restroom door and says, "Ticket, please." The door opens just a crack and a single arm emerges with a ticket in hand. The conductor takes it and moves on.

The accountants saw this and agreed it was quite a clever idea. So after the conference, the accountants decide to copy the engineers on the return trip and save some money.

When they get to the station, they buy a single ticket for the return trip. To their astonishment, the engineers buy no tickets at all.

"How are you going to travel without a ticket?" says one perplexed accountant. "Watch and you'll see," answers an engineer.



When they board the train the three accountants cram into a restroom and the three engineers cram into another one nearby. The train departs. Shortly afterward, one of the engineers leaves his restroom and walks over to the restroom where the accountants are hiding. He knocks on the door and says, "Ticket please."

### Quick Wit:

Our parents got divorced when we were kids and it was kind of cool. We got to go to divorce court with them. It was like a game show. My mom won the house and car. We're all excited. My dad got some luggage. — Tom Arnold

### Luck with the ladies

A man walked into a therapist's office looking very depressed, "Doc, 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 on his face. "Did my advice not work?" asked the doctor. "It worked alright. 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."

### Husbands and wives

A married couple trying to live up to a snobbish lifestyle went to a party. The conversation turned to Mozart. "Absolutely brilliant, magnificent, a genius!"

The woman, wanting to join in the conversation, remarked casually, "Ah, Mozart. You're so right. I love him. Only this morning I saw him getting on the No. 5 bus going to Coney Island."

There was a sudden hush, and everyone looked at her. Her husband was mortified. He pulled her away and whispered, "We're leaving right now. Get your coat and let's get out of here."

As they drove home, he kept muttering to himself. Finally his wife turned to him. "You're angry about something."

"Oh really? You noticed?" he sneered. "I've never been so embarrassed in my life! You saw Mozart take the No. 5 bus to Coney Island? You idiot! Don't you know the No. 5 bus doesn't go out to Coney Island?"

As they left the auditorium after a two-hour lecture on ninetieth-century English poets, the wife exclaimed, "Didn't it make your mind soar?"

"Yes," her husband agreed grimly, "and my backside, too!"



## THINGS YOU'D LOVE TO SAY AT WORK..... BUT CAN'T!

I don't know what your problem is, but I'll bet it's hard to pronounce.

I see you've set aside this special time to humiliate yourself in public.

I'll try being nicer if you'll try being smarter.

It sounds like English, but I can't understand a word you're saying.

I can see your point, but I still think you're full of it.

I like you. You remind me of when I was young and stupid.

You are validating my inherent mistrust of strangers.

I have plenty of talent and vision. I just don't give a damn.

I'm already visualizing the duct tape over your mouth.

Thank you. We're all refreshed and challenged by your unique point of view.

What am I? Flypaper for freaks!?

Yes, I am an agent of Satan, but my duties are largely ceremonial.

And your crybaby whiny-butt opinion would be...?

Do I look like a people person?

This isn't an office. It's Hell with fluorescent lighting.

Sarcasm is just one more service we offer.

If I throw a stick, will you leave?

I'm trying to imagine you with a personality.

Can I trade this job for what's behind door #1?

How do I set a laser printer to stun?

I thought I wanted a career, turns out I just wanted a paycheck.

### Card game

A busybody who commented on everyone's hand and style of play had pestered all evening long four-card players. When he went out of the room for a moment, they hit on a plan to silence him.

"Let's make up a game no one ever heard of," one of them said. "Then he'll have to shut up."

The busybody returned. The dealer tore two cards in half and gave them to the man on his left. He tore the corners off three cards and spread them out in front of the man opposite him. Then he tore five cards in quarters, gave 15 pieces to the man on his right and kept five himself.

"I have a mingle," he said. "I'll bet a dollar."



“I have a snazzle,” the next man announced. “I’ll raise you a dollar.”

The third man folded without betting, and the fourth, after much deliberation, said, “I’ve got a farfle. I’ll raise you two dollars.”

The busybody shook his head vehemently. “You’re crazy,” he said. “You’re never going to beat a mingle and a snazzle with a lousy farfle!”

### Mark 17

A minister would up the services one morning by saying, “next Sunday I am going to preach on the subject of liars. And in this connection, as a preparation for my discourse, I would like you all to read the seventeenth chapter of Mark.”

On the following Sunday, the preacher rose to begin, and said, “Now, then, all of you who have done as I requested and read the seventeenth chapter of Mark, please raise your hands.”

Nearly every hand in the congregation went up.

Then said the preacher, “You are the people I want to talk to. There is no seventeenth chapter of Mark.”

### Bugged

A honeymooning couple is in the Watergate Hotel in Washington.

The bride is concerned about the room being bugged.

The groom says, “I’ll look for a bug.”

He looks behind the drapes, behind the pictures, under the rug. “A-HA!” Under the rug was a disc with four screws. He gets his Swiss army knife, unscrews the screws, and throws them and the disc out the window.

The next morning, the hotel manager asks the newlyweds, “How was your room? How was the service? How was your stay at the Watergate Hotel?”

The groom says, “Why are you asking me all of these questions?”

The hotel manager says, “Well, the room under you complained of the chandelier falling on them!”

### Reasons Why The English Language Is Hard To Learn:

- 1) The bandage was wound around the wound.
- 2) The farm was used to produce produce.
- 3) The dump was so full that it had to refuse more refuse.
- 4) We must polish the Polish furniture.
- 5) He could lead if he would get the lead out.
- 6) The soldier decided to desert his dessert in the desert.
- 7) Since there is no time like the present, he thought it was time to present the present.
- 8) A bass was painted on the head of the bass drum.
- 9) When shot at, the dove dove into the bushes.
- 10) I did not object to the object.



- 11) The insurance was invalid for the invalid.
- 12) There was a row among the oarsmen about how to row.
- 13) They were too close to the door to close it.
- 14) The buck does funny things when the does are present.
- 15) A seamstress and a sewer fell down into a sewer line.
- 16) To help with planting, the farmer taught his sow to sow.
- 17) The wind was too strong to wind the sail.
- 18) After a number of injections my jaw got number.
- 19) Upon seeing the tear in the painting I shed a tear.
- 20) I had to subject the subject to a series of tests.
- 21) How can I intimate this to my most intimate friend?

### Cat and mice

One day, a cat dies of natural causes and goes to heaven, where he meets the Lord Himself.

The Lord says to the cat, "You lived a good life, and if there is any way I can make your stay in heaven more comfortable, please let me know."

The cat thinks for a moment and says, "Lord, all my life I have lived with a poor family and had to sleep on a hard wooden floor."

The Lord stops the cat and says, "Say no more," and a wonderful, fluffy pillow appears.

A few days later, six mice are killed in a tragic farming accident, and all of them go to heaven. Again, the Lord is there to greet them with the same offer.

The mice answer, "All our lives we have been chased. We have had to run from cats, dogs, and even women with brooms. Running, running, running; we're tired of running. Do you think we could have roller skates so that we don't have to run anymore?"

The Lord says, "Say no more" and fits each mouse with beautiful new roller skates.

About a week later, the Lord stops by to see the cat and finds him snoozing on the pillow.

The Lord gently wakes the cat and asks him, "How are things since you got here?"

The cat stretches and yawns, then replies, "It is wonderful here. Better than I could have ever expected. And those 'Meals On Wheels' you've been sending by are the best!"

### Old rope

An old European Monastery is perched high on a 500-foot cliff. Visitors ride up in a big basket, pulled to the top with a ragged old rope.

Halfway up, a passenger nervously asked: "How often do you change the rope?"

The monk in charge replied: "Whenever the old one breaks."

### Ages

If you're less than ten years old you're so excited about aging you think in fractions. "How old are you?" "Six and a half!" You're never thirty-six and a half. Then a strange thing happens. If you make it over 100 you become a kid again: "104. And a half!" — Larry Miller

**Bad Luck**

A devoted wife had spent her lifetime taking care of her husband. Now he had been slipping in and out of a coma for several months, yet she stayed by his bedside every single day.

When he came to his senses, he motioned for her to come near him.

As she sat by him, he said, "You know what? You have been with me all through the bad times. When I got fired, you were there to support me. When my business failed, you were there. When I got shot, you were by my side. When we lost the house, you gave me support. When my health started failing, you were still by my side. You know what?"

"What dear?" she asks gently.

"I think you bring me bad luck."

**Liquid assets**

I filled out a rental application that asked, "Do you own any liquid filled furniture?" Couldn't they just have said "waterbed"? How many other forms of liquid filled furniture are there? "Yeah, I have a beer couch, will that be a problem?" — Lisa Goich

**CARDS YOU'LL NEVER SEE IN HALLMARK:**

"Looking back over the years that we've been together, I can't help but wonder:.....  
What was I thinking?"

"Congratulations on your wedding day!.....  
Too bad no one likes your wife."

"How could two people as beautiful as you.....  
Have such an ugly baby?"

"I've always wanted to have someone to hold, someone to love.....  
After having met you, I've changed my mind."

"I must admit, you brought Religion in my life.....  
I never believed in Hell until I met you."

"As the days go by, I think of how lucky I am.....  
That you're not here to ruin it for me."

"As you grow older, Mum, I think of all the gifts you've given me.....  
Like the need for therapy..."

"Thanks for being a part of my life!!!.....  
I never knew what evil was before this!"

"Before you go,.....  
I would like you to take this knife out of my back.  
You'll probably need it again."

"Someday I hope to get married.....  
But not to you."

"You look great for your age.....  
Almost Lifelike!"





“When we were together, you always said you’d die for me.....  
Now that we’ve broken up, I think it’s time you kept your promise.”

“I knew the day would come when you would leave me for my best friend.....  
So here’s his leash, water bowl and chew toys.”

“We have been friends for a very long time.....  
What do you say we call it quits?”

“I’m so miserable without you.....  
It’s almost like you’re here.”

“Congratulations on your new bundle of joy.....  
Did you ever find out who the father was?”

“You are such a good friend that if we were on a sinking ship and there was only one life jacket.....  
I’d miss you heaps and think of you often.”

“Your friends and I wanted to do something special for your birthday——  
So we’re having you put to sleep.”

### Your Problem...My Situation

When you get angry it’s because you’re ill tempered...  
It just happens that my nerves are bothering me.

When you don’t like someone it’s because you’re prejudiced...  
I just happen to be a good judge of human nature.

When you compliment people it’s because you use flattery to get your way...  
I only encourage people.

When you take a long time to do a job it’s because you’re unbearable slow and pokey...  
I take a long time because I believe in quality workmanship.

When you spend your paycheck in 24 hours, it’s because you’re a spendthrift... When I do,  
it’s because I’m generous.

When you stay in bed until 11 A.M., it’s because you’re a lazy good-for-nothing...  
When I stay in bed a little longer, it’s because I’m totally exhausted.

### Amusement parks

I don’t understand people who go to amusement parks. I spend most of my time trying NOT to be nauseous and dizzy. “Excuse me, could you strap me in upside down? I’d like to be as sick as humanly possible. I feel great today, I think I’ll go down to Funland and snap my neck on the back of a ride. Honey, let’s bring the kids, I want to give them a spinal cord injury for Christmas.”  
— Dom Irrera

### Marriage

Marriage is not a man’s idea. A woman must have thought of it. Years ago some guy said, “Let me get this straight, honey. I can’t sleep with anyone else for the rest of my life, and if things don’t work out, you get to keep half my stuff? What a great idea.” — Bobby Slayton

Prison joke

The inmates of a prison had a joke book they all had memorized. They way they recited jokes was by the number of the joke. Some fellow would call out a number from one to one hundred and all would laugh.

A new man in the prison, after studying the book, said he wanted to tell a joke. They said, "Okay, shoot!"

He said, "Number 10," but nobody laughed. He said "This is funny. What's wrong; why aren't you laughing?"

A fellow nearby said, "Some can tell them and some can't."

Kindergarten

Did you ever read that book "Everything I Needed to Know I Learned in Kindergarten"? I learned only two things in kindergarten: First, if someone has something you want, you can remove it from them physically. And second, Elmer's glue makes a great between-meals snack. — Gary Barkin

Mud pies

A man pleaded with the psychiatrist, "You've got to help me. It's my son."

"What's the matter?"

"He's always eating mud pies. I get up in the morning and there he is in the backyard eating mud pies. I come hoes at lunch and he's eating mud pies. I come home at dinner and there he is in the backyard eating mud pies."

The psychiatrist reassured him, "Give the kid a chance. It's all part of growing up. It'll pass."

"Well, I don't like it, and neither does his wife."

Two spoons

We noticed that all the waiters in this New York restaurant carried two spoons in their vest pocket. Naturally, we were curious. We asked a waiter why.

"As a result of an efficiency study by the management, it was determined that the most frequently dropped silverware item was a spoon. Therefore, all the waiters carry two spoons so that the item can be instantly replaced."

As he was explaining that we noticed a string hanging out of the fly of his pants. So, we asked about that.

"Sir, that's another efficiency study result. When we have to go to the bathroom, we use the string to pull ourselves out and aim. Therefore, we do not have to stop to wash our hands."

We replied, "I understand how you can get yourself out and aim, but how do you get yourself back in?"

"Well," replied the waiter, "I don't know about the other guys, but I use the two spoons!"





## Minister words

A young minister, in the first days of his first parish, was obliged to call upon the widow of an eccentric man who had just died.

Standing before the open casket and consoling the widow, he said, "I know this must be a very hard blow, Mrs. Kinkaid. But we must remember that what we see here is the husk only, the shell—the nut has gone to heaven."

## Email astray

It's wise to remember how easily email — this wonderful technology — can be misused, sometimes unintentionally, with serious consequences.

Consider the case of the Illinois man who left the snow-filled streets of Chicago for a vacation in Florida. His wife was on a business trip and was planning to meet him there the next day. When he reached his hotel, he decided to send his wife a quick email.

Unfortunately, when typing her address, he missed one letter, and his note was directed instead to an elderly preacher's wife whose husband had passed away only the day before. When the grieving widow checked her email, she took one look at the monitor, let out a piercing scream, and fell to the floor in a dead faint.

At the sound, her family rushed into the room and saw this note on the screen:

Dearest Wife,  
Just got checked in. Everything prepared for your arrival tomorrow.  
P.S. Sure is hot down here.

## Mr. Klopman

A businessman boarded a plane to find, sitting next to him, an elegant woman wearing the largest, most stunning diamond ring he had ever seen.

He asked her about it.

"This is the Klopman diamond," she said. "It is beautiful, but there is a terrible curse that goes with it."

"What's the curse?" the man asked.

"Mr. Klopman."

## Crystals

I have friends who are very New Agey. Always clutching their crystals: "My crystal help me, and protect me, and guide me..." Look, you live in your van. I don't think it's working for you. Maybe a shower would help, followed by work of some sort. — Matt Weinhold

## Crib

One night a wife found her husband standing over their baby's crib. Silently she watched him.

As he stood looking down at the sleeping infant, she saw on his face a mixture of emotions: disbelief, doubt, skepticism.



Touched by this unusual display and the deep emotions it aroused, with eyes glistening she slipped her arm around her husband.

“A penny for your thoughts,” she said.

“It’s amazing!” he replied. “I just can’t see how anybody can make a crib like that for only \$46.50.”

### Birthday

My mom is real sweet. When I was a little kid she wanted to throw a surprise party for me, but she couldn’t get any of my friends to come to it. I walked into the house alone and there was my mom with a candle inside a Twinkie. And she said, “Surprise Bob, and I don’t want to bum you out, but I can’t stay.” — Bob Saget

### Motorcycle accident

Two men were riding a motorcycle on a windy winter day. When it became too breezy for one man, he put his jacket on backwards to keep the wind from blowing it open.

A few miles down the road, the motorcycle hit a tree, killing the driver and stunning the man with the backwards coat.

Later, when the coroner visited the scene, he asked a rookie policeman standing nearby: “What happened?”

“Well, the officer replied, “one of them was dead when I got here, and by the time I got the head of the other one straightened around, he was dead, too.”

### Time

No matter how much time you save, at the end of your life, there’s no extra time saved up. You’ll be going, “What do you mean there’s no time? I had a microwave oven, Velcro sneakers, and a clip-on tie.” Because when you waste time in life, they subtract it. Like if you saw all the “Rocky” movies, they deduct that. — Jerry Seinfeld

### Old George

70-year old George went for his annual physical. All of his tests came back with normal results.

Dr. Smith said, “George, everything looks great physically. How are you doing mentally and emotionally? Are you at peace with yourself, and do you have a good relationship with God?”

George replied, “God and me are tight. He knows I have poor eyesight, so he’s fixed it so that when I get up in the middle of the night to go to the bathroom \*poof\* the light goes on, when I’m done \*poof\* the light goes off.”

“Wow!” commented Dr. Smith, “That’s incredible!”

A little later in the day Dr. Smith called George’s wife.

“Ethel,” he said, “George is doing fine. Physically he’s great. But, I had to call because I’m in awe of his relationship with God. Is it true that he gets up during the night and \*poof\* the light goes on in the bathroom, and then when he is through \*poof\* the light goes off?”

Ethel exclaimed, “Oh, my God! He’s peeing in the refrigerator again!”

Dog smarts

A Canadian psychologist is selling a video that teaches you how to test your dog's IQ. Here's how it works: if you spend \$12.99 for the video, your dog is smarter than you. — Jay Leno

Snow alert

Joe and Joan were sitting down to their usual morning cup of coffee listening to the weather report on the radio. "There will be 3 to 5 inches of snow today, and a snow emergency has been declared," the weather report said.

"You must park your cars on the odd numbered side of the streets."

Joe said, "Jeez, okay," and got up from his coffee.

The next day they were sitting down with their morning cups of coffee. The weather forecast was, "There will be 2 to 4 inches of snow today, and a snow emergency has been declared.

You must park your cars on the even numbered side of the streets." Again Joe replied, "Jeez, okay," and got up from his coffee.

Two days later, again they're sitting down with their cups of coffee and the weather forecast said, "There will be 6 to 8 inches of snow today, and a snow emergency has been declared. You must park your cars on the..." and the power went out and Joe didn't get the rest of the instructions.

He turned to Joan, "Jeez, what am I going to do now, Joan?"

Joan replied, "Aw, Joe, just leave the car in the darned garage today."

Ugly

Kids are cute, babies are cute, puppies are cute. The little things are cute. See, nature did this on purpose so that we would want to take care of our young. Made them cute. Tricked us. Then gradually they get older and older, until one day your mother sits you down and says, "You know, I think you're ugly enough to get your own apartment." — Cathy Ladman

Water births

People are giving birth underwater now. They say it's less traumatic for the baby because it's in water. But it's certainly more traumatic for the other people in the pool. — Elayne Boosler

YOU KNOW YOU'RE GETTING 'MARVELOUSLY MATURE' WHEN.....

1. You and your teeth don't sleep together.
2. You try to straighten out the wrinkles in your socks and discover you aren't wearing any.
3. At the breakfast table you hear snap, crackle, pop and you're not eating cereal.
4. Your back goes out but you stay home.
5. When you wake up looking like your driver's license picture.
6. It takes two tries to get up from the couch.
7. When your idea of a night out is sitting on the patio.
8. When happy hour is a nap.
9. When you're on vacation and your energy runs out before your money does..
10. When you say something to your kids that your mother said to you and you always

hated it.





there.

11. When all you want for your birthday is to not be reminded of your age.
12. When you step off a curb and look down one more time to make sure the street is still there.
13. Your idea of weight lifting is standing up.
14. It takes longer to rest than it did to get tired.
15. Your memory is shorter and your complaining lasts longer.
16. Your address book has mostly names that start with Dr.
17. You sit in a rocking chair and can't get it going.
18. The pharmacist has become your new best friend.
19. Getting "lucky" means you found your car in the parking lot.
20. The twinkle in your eye is merely a reflection from the sun on your bifocals.
21. It takes twice as long - to look half as good.
22. Everything hurts, and what doesn't hurt - doesn't work.
23. You look for your glasses for half an hour and they were on your head the whole time.
24. You sink your teeth into a steak - and they stay there.
25. You give up all your bad habits and still don't feel good.
26. You have more patience, but it is actually that you just don't care anymore.
27. You finally get your head together and your body starts falling apart.
28. You wonder how you could be over the hill when you don't even remember being on top of it.

### Kids?

Kids? It's like living with homeless people. They're cute but they just chase you around all day long going, "Can I have a dollar? I'm missing a shoe! I need a ride!" — Kathleen Madigan