

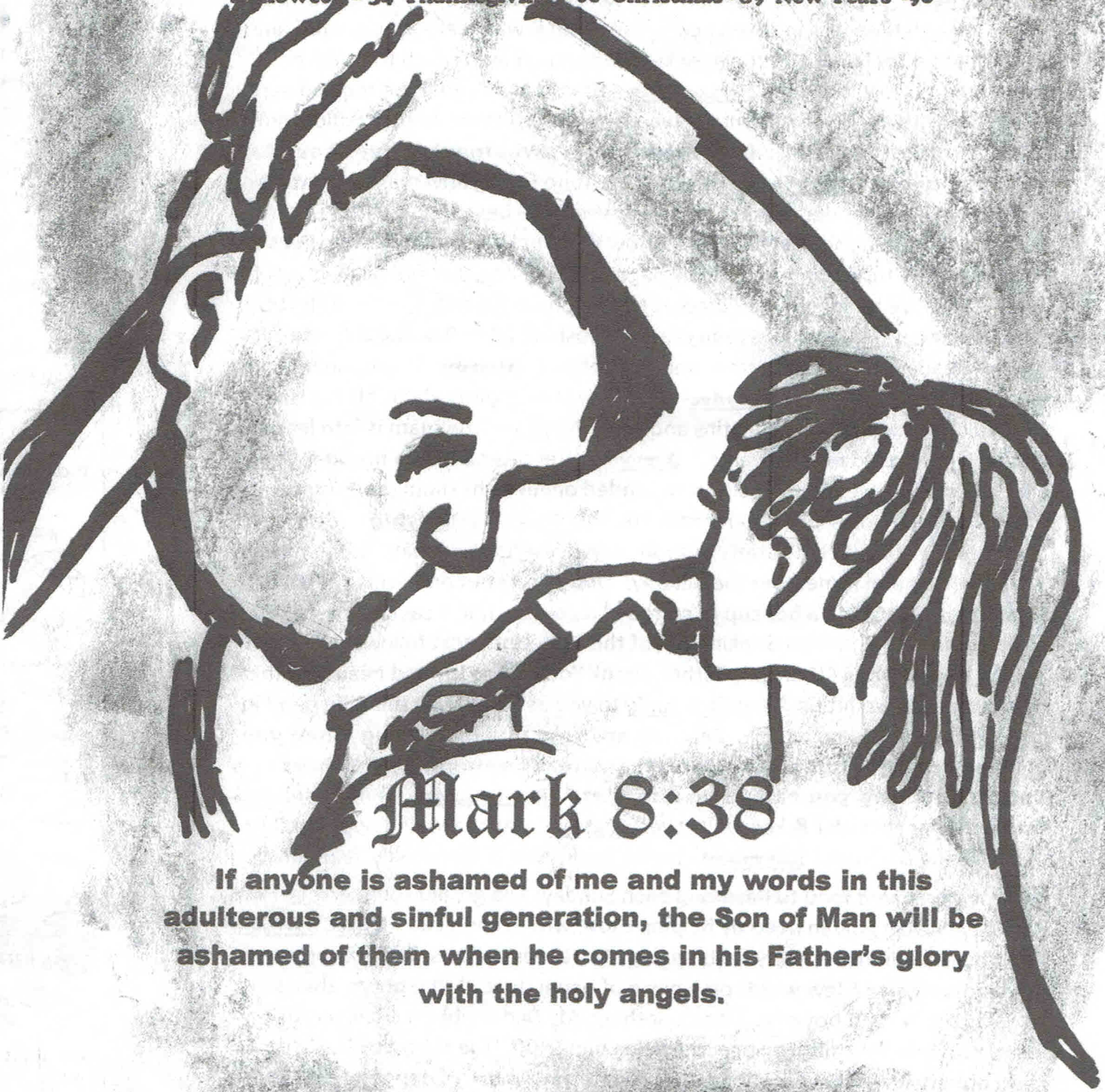
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Count Down To Holidays

Halloween - 34 Thanksgiving - 60 Christmas - 89 New Years -96



Mark 8:38

**If anyone is ashamed of me and my words in this
adulterous and sinful generation, the Son of Man will be
ashamed of them when he comes in his Father's glory
with the holy angels.**

Random thoughts
from office drones
counting the hours
till the weekend:

* Today is the one-year
anniversary of this
six-week project.

One day her granddaughter came to her and asked,
"Grandma, would you needle this for me?"

My daughter is a good seamstress, but she
never taught her girls or grandkids how to sew.



"SO LONG SEPTEMBER SUMMER"

Memorize - Acts 4:12 Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved.

A politician is the devil's quilted anvil; He fashions all sins on him, and the blows are never heard.

Welcome Abby, baby Enzo, & Dad Joel Alfonsi the 2nd. They live in our area and love God. **Sandy**-Took Raymond's favorite junk food, strawberry malt and French fries. With that he was in seven heaven and said it was really appreciated and brought a big laugh about eating ketchup and greasy French fries like he remembered as a teenager. **Grass/Rain** - Grass hasn't had to be mowed very often, but with a few down pours maybe two more cuttings before Halloween.

"Fall is officially here, which means your sweatpants never have to change again." **GPJ & John Boy**- There is no telling how many miniature crosses we have handed out in Tulsa. Last week, the best recipients were three Tulsa Trash men in the big wide truck. How they replied **"nobody ever gives us anything,"** The three men went away happy and smiling, and holding Crosses to their hearts. We handed out 17 crosses to all kinds of hurting people. At last GPJ got a GI hair cut! **Nash** - Jenks gave Chief a thrashing 28 to 0 & one day pay back.

Carol- Ready for cooler, weather and the holidays. **Sharon** - Having some bad days, keep in prayer. **Luke /Kaydee**- Dale gave them points about his big Harley. Also, Luke handed out the bulletins and said, "Nash and the team is into learning process with the old pig skin game." **Jerry** - Better after 24hrs in hospital. **Ron** - Fell due to sun in eyes & missed a step. Landed on his right shoulder. Scraped arm & knee. Bruised both hands. Can't raise his arm much. **Fellowship** - One more fellowship in 2026. Great variety of foods and desserts. It's always fun to have a meal together and remember the old days. Jerry and I remembered our parents & grandparents taking a hot cup of coffee and pouring it in a saucer to let it cool before drinking, and then drinking out of the cup. Until next fellowship bring a story. **Newlyweds** - Heavenly Father, thank You for the joy and beauty of this new marriage. We lift up **Amanda & Andy** to you as they begin their life hand in hand sharing in becoming one. **Friends are very understanding when you tell them in April that you can see them next September, but there is a limit to how long you can go on like that."**

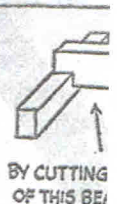
Bunco Lady - Paulette fell and fractured her shoulder & keep in prayer. **Debbie** - Has scheduled appointment due to feeling run down. **Raymond** - Home healthcare twice weekly, and Ben take

Dolores's prepared food to Raymond each Sunday. Old gospel song sang @ HG. "Each day I'll do a golden deed by helping those who are in need." **THREE DAD'S** Three boys are in the schoolyard bragging about their fathers. The first boy says, 'My Dad scribbles a few words on a piece of paper, he calls it a poem, they give him \$50.' The second boy says, 'That's nothing. My Dad scribbles a few words on a piece of paper, he calls it a song, they give him \$100.' The third boy says, 'I got you both beat. My Dad scribbles a few words on a piece of paper he calls it a sermon. And it takes eight people with baskets to collect all the money!'

* I keep hoping they'll put the two perfectionists on the same project and they'll correct each other to infinity and stay out of everyone else's way.

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Five-year-old: Just one more question! What are the lines on your forehead?
Me: ...
Five-year-old: Now they look angry.



Talking with Kids

My 2-year-old son calls beards and mustaches "face grass."

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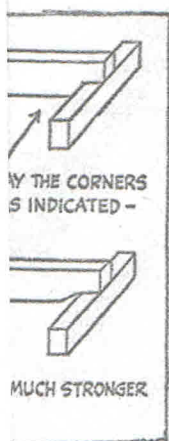
With his red hair, freckles and missing front tooth, my son Stephen heard everywhere he went that he looked just like Huckleberry Finn. While visiting his aunt Mary, Stephen told her, "People say I look just like Huckleberry Hound!"



WHY ARE THERE NO "BRING YOUR FRIEND TO WORK" DAYS SO THAT THEY CAN SEE YOU HAVE A SERIOUS JOB AND DO SERIOUS THINGS FOR A LIVING?

My nephew, Frankie, was told by his mother to wash up and change before going visiting. "Am I going to wear a short-sleeved shirt or a long-sleeved one?" he asked. "If I wear long sleeves, I just have to wash my hands, but if I wear short sleeves, I have to wash my arms too."

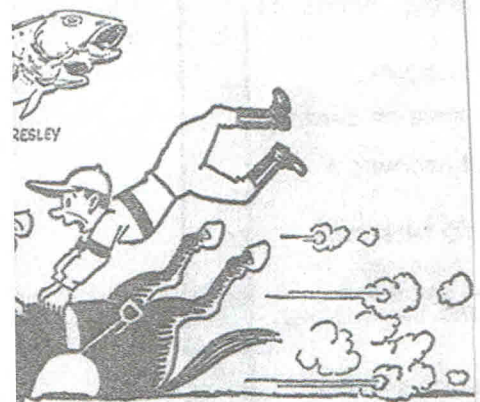
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party and presidents have been
nal conventions ever since.



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TY SILVAS

I WAS TELLING my daughter how I got head lice, when I was 7. My dad bought a little drop of mercury, mixed it with lard and rubbed my

whole head with it. My head was wrapped with a towel for the night. The next morning, I washed my

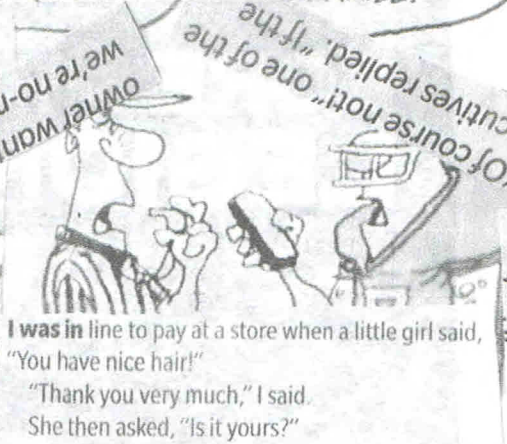
hair with hot water. I never got lice again. My daughter told me that mercury is poison. Well, I guess it was—for the lice

Election season is here
and football season has
started. I'll see you after
mid - February.



THAT'S THE
THIRD DELAY-OF-
GAME PENALTY
THIS QUARTER.

SORRY. THESE
FANTASY FOOTBALL
DRAFTS TAKE
A WHILE.



I was in line to pay at a store when a little girl said, "You have nice hair!" "Thank you very much," I said. She then asked, "Is it yours?"

WHAT DOES IT COST TO BE A CHRISTIAN?

Jesus said, "If any man come to me, and hate not his father, and mother, and wife, and children, and brethren, and sisters, yea, and his own life also, he cannot be my disciple. And whosoever doth not bear his cross, and come after me, cannot be my disciple" (Luke 14:26-27; Matt. 6:33). Friend, it costs EVERYTHING to be a faithful member of the church of Christ. Paul wrote, "For all seek their own, not the things which are Jesus Christ's" (Philippians 2:21). Jesus said, "The first of all the commandments is...thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength" (Mark 12:29-30). One's life is to be a "living sacrifice" (Romans 12:1-3). Are you willing to pay the price?

Are you willing to sacrifice your family and friends, Abraham did when he left his homeland. Most people today are unwilling to give up family ties. Jesus said he came to bring a sword, not peace (Matthew 10:34-39). The context of Matthew 10 points out clearly that if one's family hinders their obedience to the Gospel and living the Christian life, then one must break with family, even if those of his own house become enemies. That's loving God and Christ more than family. The Lord will accept nothing less!

Are you willing to sacrifice your personal privilege, Abraham did when he gave Lot his choice of the land (Genesis 13:7-11). This is denying self, just as Jesus said "we must do (Luke 14:26,33; Philippians 2:4). What about you?

Are you willing to sacrifice your country, Abraham did (Genesis 12:1-4; Hebrews 11:8-10). If we are a friend of this world, we cannot be a friend of God (James 4:4). We must so live to declare that we are simply strangers and pilgrims on this earth (Hebrews 11:13).

Being a member of the church of Christ will cost you your life, not only in service, but possibly even your death if need be (Revelation 2:10). Unless you are willing to surrender all, Jesus said, "You cannot be my disciple" (Luke 14:26). That's a high price looking at it from our standard, but hardly any at all to pay for an eternal reward in heaven.

Repent and be baptized today to become a member of the church of Christ (Acts 2:38; 22:16). It's the only way to heaven. Are you willing to pay the price?

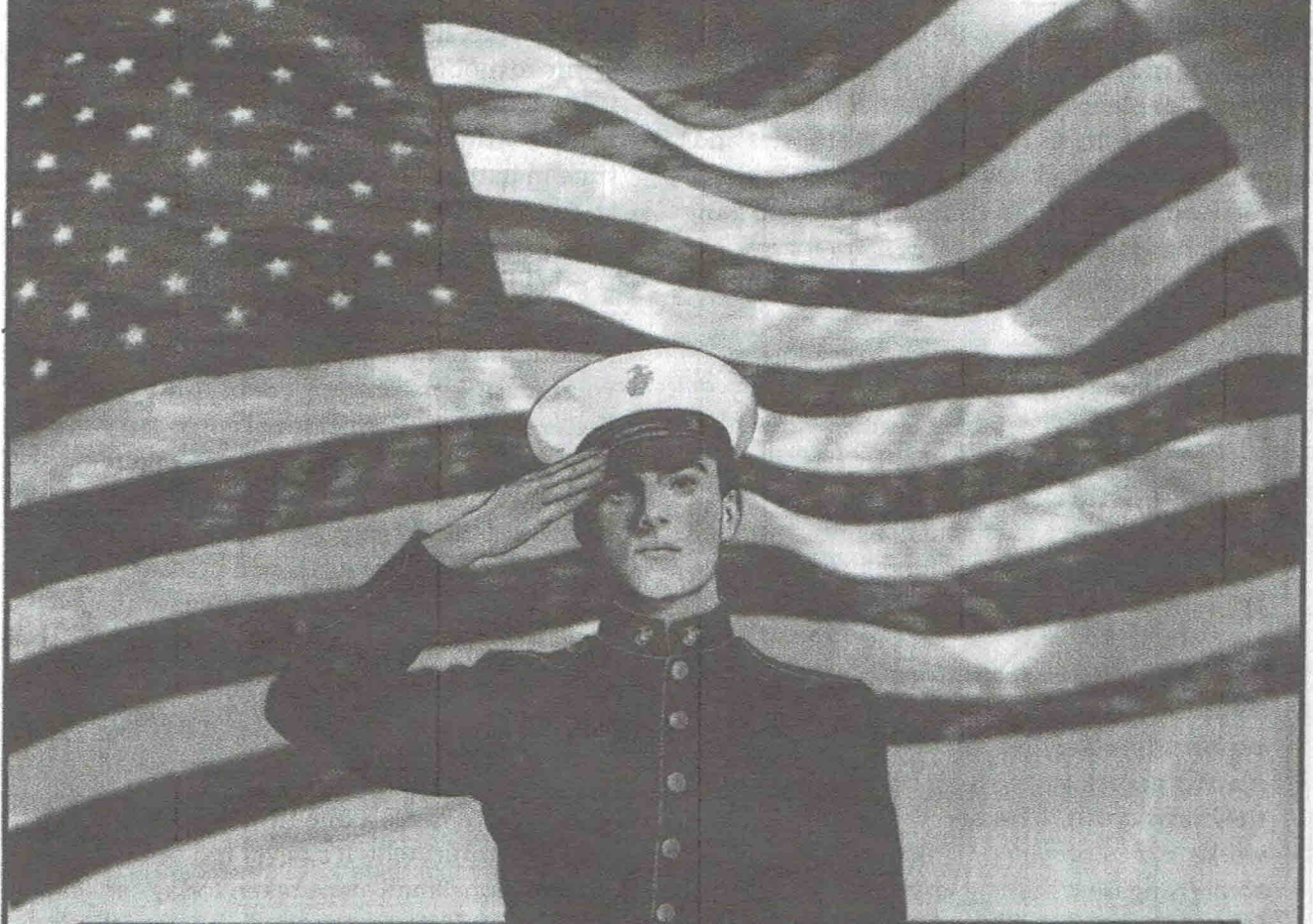
shouted, "Are you all just a bunch of yes-men?"

opinions expressed were those of our owner, the rep

staff. After an exasperating afternoon in which the only

A vendor's rep met with my company's executive

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