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John 14:6

Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life.
No one comes to the Father except through me."

OUR MISSION - GO INTO ALL THE WORLD & PREACH THE GOSPEL

Memorize - Colossians 3:17 And whatsoever ye do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God and the Father by him.

1. Give As You Prosper All Year Long. (God loves a cheerful giver)
2. Set Your Daily Time For Reading Bible And Praying To Your God.
3. Share Your Faith (So also faith by itself, if it does not have works, is dead)

"The greatest trick the devil ever pulled was convincing the world he doesn't exist"

LUV IS IN THE AIR - Amanda & Andy are engaged with sparking diamond.

Sharon - Will have stent on left carotid artery on the 29th, then 6 weeks later do the right carotid artery. **John Boy** - Had leg Ablation to reduce swelling.

Raymond - 27th yearly checkup. **"Be yourself; everyone else is already taken"** **Shelia** - Matthew is better, but grandma Ruth sees it different and thinks he is still sick. Ares is surviving and hoping Amber doesn't get the flu. Ava's and Ben's birthday's are approaching Exciting! Sad that Momma Ruth will be departing soon. **Toni** - So far all is well In New Year with me and family. **Waid** - Took a fall on last step and kissed the hard spot. Hand took the blunt of OUCH! **Dolores** - Neuropathy treatment every Tue/Thur for next 12 weeks. **Jill/Stephen** - Well we have a new grandson! **Graham Michael** was born Monday weighing 8.14 and everyone is doing great. **"Believe you can and Seize the day."** **Kathy/Ron** - Our family is growing! We will have another granddaughter in July. **Janice/Jerry** - Just left Mom's residence about an hour ago. We had a nice visit, & she enjoyed cookies & hot coffee.

Nash - Helped waiting on Lord's table for first time. **Nicole/Ben** - Doing great! Made friends of our neighbors that attend church of Christ in Mannford. Excited for Ava's big #2 birthday coming up. **GP John** - The kale eater, and has feet issues standing while cooking his meals. **Carolyn** - I'm getting a shot in

my bad knee and hope it works! **The Disastrous Dinner Party** - Mike and Sarah were thrilled to host their first dinner party for their friends. They meticulously planned the menu, spending hours in the kitchen preparing an array of mouthwatering dishes. The evening arrived, and their guests began to arrive one by one. The atmosphere was buzzing with excitement. As Mike carried a tray of appetizers towards the living room, their overenthusiastic dog, Buddy, raced past him, accidentally knocking the tray out of his hands. The room descended into chaos as appetizers flew through the air, landing in unexpected places. The guests couldn't help but burst into fits of laughter. Despite the culinary mishap, everyone rallied together, ordering takeout and turning the night into an impromptu pizza party. It became a memorable evening of laughter, friendship, and unexpected culinary adventures.

FELL DOWN AND
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Today a 'nest-egg' is a sum of money safely put away as a reserve. When the term was first recorded early in the seventeenth century it described a sum of money set aside as an encouragement to save further money. This earlier meaning is an allusion to the practice of placing an egg, even an artificial egg, in a hen's nest to encourage her to lay others.

- temperature.
- ♦ If at first you don't succeed, then skydiving isn't for you.
- ♦ I busted a mirror and got seven years of bad luck, but my lawyer thinks he can get me five.
- ♦ If Barbie is so popular, why do you have to buy her friends?
- ♦ Everywhere is w distance if you h
- ♦ I think it's wrong company makes
- ♦ Why don't they i plane out of that
- ♦ If it's a penny for and then you pu somebody some a penny.

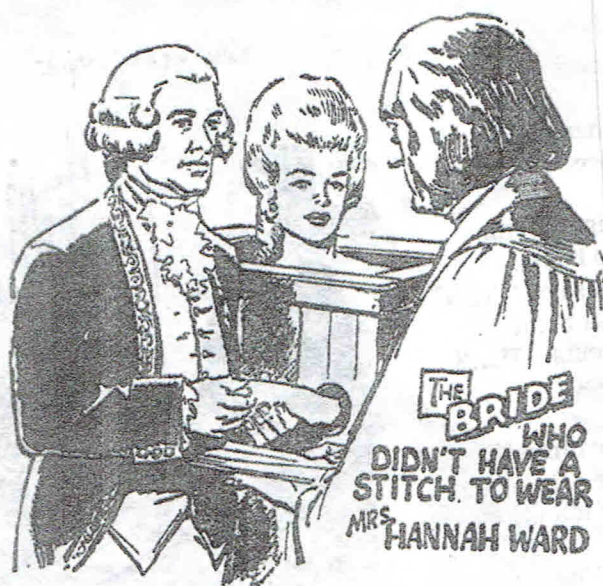
Youth is when you're allowed to stay up late on New Year's Eve. Middle age is when you're forced to.

TO KEEP IT ELEVATED

HUMAN NATURE

Look! Stem cells!

The best time to study human nature is when you are alone.



THE BRIDE WHO DIDN'T HAVE A STITCH TO WEAR MRS. HANNAH WARD

ALL THE FINERY the bride wore was a rough wooden chest, yet she lived happily ever after. On February 22, 1789, Major Moses Joy of Putney, Vermont, married Hannah, the widow of William Ward. The marriage took place in the Field Mansion at Newfane, Vermont, and the Rev. Hezekiah Taylor was the officiating minister. The blushing bride was completely unclothed, except for a rough wooden box completely enclosing her form. The receptacle was open at the top and there was an aperture in the side to accommodate her naked arm for the ring ceremony. The law of the period rendered a second husband answerable for all the liabilities of his predecessor if the widow wore any clothing at all during the ceremony.

The obituary editor of a Boston newspaper was not one who would admit his mistakes easily. One day, he got a phone call from an irate subscriber who complained that his name just appeared in the obituary column. "Really?" was the calm reply. "Where are you calling from?"

A hundred times every day I remind myself that my inner and outer life depend on the labours of other men, living and dead, and that I must exert myself in order to give in the same measure as I have received.

Albert Einstein

HUSBAND

As the husband is, the wife is.

WHY IS ONE BAPTIZED IN WATER?

Every time you read of baptism in the New Testament it was always an immersion in water in order to receive the remission of sins. Why is one baptized in water?

- To obey the Lord (Acts 10:48; Mark 16:16).
- To be united with the Lord (Rom. 6:3-6; Gal. 3:27).
- In order to become a child of God (John 3:3-7; Rom. 16:18).
- In order to become a new creature (2 Cor. 5:17; Rom. 6:3-4).
- In order to be saved/forgiven from sins (Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38; Acts 22:16; 1 Peter 3:21).
- In order to contact Jesus' blood (Rev. 1:5; Eph. 1:7; Rom. 6:3-6; Acts 22:16).
- In order to enter the kingdom / church (John 3:3-5; Acts 2:41,47; Eph. 5:23; 1 Cor. 12:13).
- In order to be put into Christ (Rom. 6:3; Gal. 3:27).
- In order to bury the old man of sin (Rom. 6:6).
- In baptism God circumcises and takes away our sins (Col. 2:11-12).
- In baptism God performs an operation on a sinner to remove their sins (Col. 2:12).

What follows water baptism?

- We walk a new life (Rom. 6:4).
- We are a member of the one body, the church (John 3:3-5).
- We worship God faithfully (Acts 2:42; 1 Cor. 11:23-26)
- Satan will try to draw us away (1 Peter 5:8; Acts 5:3)
- We seek those things that are above (Col. 3:1-3; 2:12)

HUNGER A hungry man is an angry man.

If I studied all my life, I couldn't think up half the number of funny things passed in one session of congress.

It spilled spot remover on my dog. Now he's gone. It doesn't matter what.

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**Ask not for whom the bell tolls.
Let the machine get it.**

THE MAN LOOKED a bit worried when the doctor came in to administer his annual physical, so the first thing the doctor did was ask if anything was troubling him.

"Well, to tell the truth, doc, yes," the patient answered. "You see, I seem to be getting forgetful. No, it's actually worse than that. I'm never sure I can remember where I put the car, or whether I answered a letter, or where I'm going, or what it is I'm going to do once I get there - if I even get there. What can I do?"

The doctor thought for a moment, then answered in his kindest tone, "Pay me in advance."

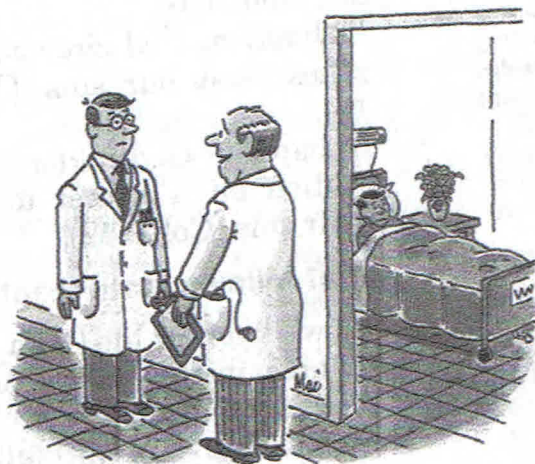
A MAN IS GIVING a speech at his lodge meeting. He gets carried away and talks for two hours. Finally, he realizes what he's done and says, "I'm sorry I talked so long. I left my watch at home."

At the back of the room, someone shouts, "That's no excuse. There's a calendar behind you."

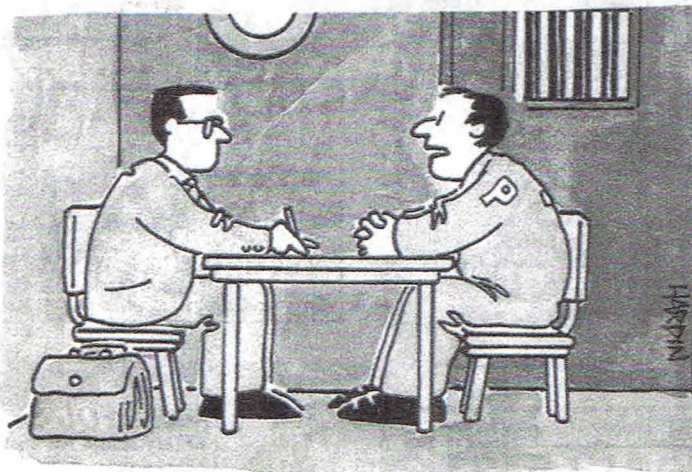
A YOUNG BOY was playing baseball by himself. "I'm the greatest hitter in the world," he said. Then he tossed the ball into the air, swung at it and missed. "Strike one!" he yelled.

He tossed the ball into the air again. When it came down, he swung and missed. "Strike two!"

Again he tossed the ball up in the air, swung, and missed. "Strike three!" Then, thinking, he exclaimed, "Wow! I'm the greatest pitcher in the world!"



"We caught him just in time. In another day or two he would have been cured by himself."



"I did it to pay Paul."



"My door is always open, Matthews, but only to those who stand in awe."

MY GOAL IN LIFE is to be the kind of person my dog thinks I am.

"IF YOU THINK smog is bad here (in Los Angeles), it's being reported that the city of Tehran in Iran is having a huge smog problem. Apparently the smog in that city is so bad Iranian scientists can't even see the nuclear bomb they claim they're not working on." - Jay Leno

AFTER A YOUNG COUPLE brought their new baby home, the wife suggested her husband try his hand at changing diapers.

"I'm busy," he said. "I'll do the next one."

The next time came around and she asked again.

The husband looked puzzled. "I didn't mean the next diaper," he said. "I meant the next baby."