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New Year's Dream

Ma is taking an afternoon nap on New Year's Eve before the festivities. After she wakes up, she confides to Pa, "I just dreamed that you gave me a diamond ring for a New Year's present. What do you think it all means?"

"Aha, you'll know tonight," answers Pa.

At midnight, as the New Year was chiming, Pa approached Ma and hands her small package. Delighted and excited she opens it quickly. There in her hand rests a funny book entitled "The meaning of dreams."

New Year's Wedding

At a friend's wedding, everything goes smoothly until it is time for the flower girl and her young escort to come down the aisle.

The boy stops at every pew, growls at the guests. When asked afterward why he behaved so badly, he explains, "I was just trying to be a good ring bear."

New Year's Companion

On the afternoon of New Year's day, Ma tells everyone they should spend the evening with the most important one in their life. So, Pa heads to the barn to be with his tractor, Farmer Green goes to check on his cows, Mrs. Green goes through her new garden catalogs, Junior and the Green's son Howard go up to Buffalo Point to look for spellings from the mountain cougar, and Ma spends most of the evening by herself watching the New Year's shows.

New Year's Classic

He who breaks a (New Year) resolution is a weakling; He who makes one is a fool.

> -- F.M. Knowles **New Year's Depression**

There's a man sitting at a bar just looking at his drink. He stays like that for half an hour. Then, a big trouble-making truck driver steps next to him, takes the drink from the guy, and just drinks it all down.

The poor man starts crying. The truck driver says 'Come on man, I was just joking. Here, I'll buy you another drink. I just can't stand seeing a man crying."

"No, it's not that. This day is the worst of my life. First, I fall asleep, and I'm late to my office. My boss, in an outrage, fires me. When I leave the building to my car, I found out it was stolen. The police say they can do nothing. I get a cab to return home and when I leave it, I remember I left my wallet and credit cards there. The cab driver just drives away. I go home and when I get there, I find my wife sleeping with the gardener. I leave home and come to this bar. And when I was thinking about putting an end to my life, you show up and drink my poison."

New Year's Prayer for the Elderly

God, grant me the senility to forget the people l never liked anyway,

The good fortune to run into the ones that I do, And the eyesight to tell the difference.

New Year's Day Prayer for One and All

Dear Lord

So far this year I've done well.

I haven't gossiped, I haven't lost my temper, I haven't been greedy, grumpy, nasty, selfish, or overindulgent. I'm very thankful for that. But in a few minutes, Lord, I'm going to get out of bed, and from then on I'm probably going to need a lot more help.

New Year's Lecture

On New Year's Eve, Uncle Slim is in no shape to drive, so he sensibly leaves his van in town and walks home up the creek. As he is wobbling along, he was stopped by the law. 'What are you doing out here at four o'clock in the morning?' asks Sheriff Rocky.

'I'm on my way to a lecture,' answers Slim. 'And who on earth, in their right mind, is going to give a lecture at this time on New Year's Eve?' en-

quires the constable sarcastically. 'My wife,' slurs Slim grimly.

Resolution To Quit Smoking Peter, at a New Year's party, turns to his friend

Ken, and asks for a cigarette.

'I thought you made a New Year's resolution to quit smoking,' Ken responds.

'I'm in the process of quitting,' replies Peter with a grin. 'Right now, I am in the middle of phase one.'

'Phase one?' wonders Ken.

'Yeah,' laughs Peter, 'I've quit buying.'



2015 Mountain Mushroom Festival

Food Court Applications Are Now Available

Chestnut Street.

Food vendors must carry and proof of liability in- 723-4235. surance must be submitted January 30, 2015 at 4:00 Sunday, April 26th.

Food Court applica- p.m. Mailed applications tions for the 2015 Moun- must be postmarked by the tain Mushroom Festival deadline date. No late enare now available at Irvine tries will be accepted. The City Hall located at 101 application fee is \$150 per food booth space plus a \$75.00 Early Departure/ a minimum \$500,000 com- Closing fee, if applicable. mercial vendor liability in- For more information, you surance. Application, fees may call Kim Williams at

The 2015 festival dates by deadline date of Friday, are Saturday, April 25th &

Third Week of each Month

Congressman Barr's Staff To Hold Traveling Office Hours In Estill Co.

To better serve the people scheduled in two weeks.

Monday, January 19 **Madison County Courthouse**

1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.101 W. Main St.

Richmond, KY 40475 **Estill County**

Courthouse 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.130 Main St. #207 Irvine, KY 40336 Wednesday, January 21

Powell County Courthouse

3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.525 Washington St. Stanton, KY 40380

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