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# Maudie's Naughties



### Age of Wisdom

A reporter is interviewing a 104 year-old woman. "And what do you think is the best thing about being 104?" the reporter asks.

"No peer pressure," she replies.

### Dating Relationships

"The attractive man I met last night insists he just wants to be friends," the girl told her maiden aunt. "Now I know what to do with a lover, but what the heck do I do with a 'friend'?"

The wise old lady smiles and says, "The same as with your lover, dearie, only not quite so often."

### Mouse Talk

A mother mouse and a baby mouse are walking along, when all of a sudden, a cat attacks them. The mother mouse goes, "BARK!" and the cat runs away. "See?" says the mother mouse to her baby. "Now do you see why it's important to learn a foreign language?"

### Lunch Time

Junior and Howard are riding around looking for a place to have lunch. Junior says, "Hey, let's have lunch over there under that tree." Howard replies, "No, no, let's have it in the middle of the road." They argue and come to a decision to have it in the middle of the road.

Not long afterwards a car comes speeding towards them, swerves off the road and runs into the tree. Howard says, "See, if we were over there we would be dead right now."

### Morning Coffee

Ray and his wife are having an argument about who should brew the coffee each morning.

The wife says, "You should do it, because you get up first, and then we don't have to wait as long to get our coffee."

Ray says, "You are in charge of the cooking around here and you should do it, because that is your job, and I can just wait for my coffee."

"No, you should do it," she replies. "And besides, it is in the Bible that the man should do the coffee."

"I can't believe it," replies Ray. "Show me."

So she fetches the Bible, and opens the New Testament and shows him at the top of several pages that it indeed says... "HEBREWS"

### Train Crash

In a terrible accident years ago at the Millers Creek railroad crossing, while switching cars, a train backs into a 1946 Plymouth and pushes it down the tracks. Though no one is hurt, the driver takes the train company to court.

At the trial, the brakeman insists that he had given the driver ample warning by waving his lantern back and forth for nearly a minute. He even stands and convincingly demonstrates how he'd done it. The court believes his story, and the suit is dismissed.

"Congratulations," the lawyer says to the brakeman when it is over. "You did superbly under cross-examination."

"Thanks," he says, "but he sure had me worried."

"How's that?" the lawyer asks.

"I was afraid he was going to ask if the lantern was lit!"

### Christmas Shopping

A young couple is doing some shopping in town. Having purchased everything they need, they return to the parking lot to drive home, but someone has stolen their car.

They return inside the mall and notify the police. A young trooper meets them where their car was parked to see if any evidence remains from the scene of the crime. But, what do you know, there is the stolen car, back in the exact spot! A note is on the windshield with two tickets to a concert attached. The note thanks the young couple for the use of their car, but the culprit's wife was about to give birth and had to be rushed to the hospital. The young couple's faith in humanity is restored and they go to the concert and have a wonderful time.

They arrive home late that night to find their entire house robbed, with a note on the door reading, "Well, I gotta put the kid through college, don't I?"

### Capital Punishment

A prospective juror is being questioned by the district attorney for a murder trial that has been in all the papers. "If the defendant were to be convicted tomorrow, could you kill him for his crime?"

"Of course not," replies the man. "But I could do it on Saturday if that works for you."

### Traffic Stop

While driving along the highway, Pa is surprised to see Sheriff Rocky motioning for him to pull off the road. Pa drives his pickup onto the shoulder and rolls down his window. "What's the matter, officer? Was I going too fast?"

"No, Pa - it's Ma! You drove off and left her in town!"

"Thank goodness!" Pa sighs, "I thought I'd gone deaf!"

## Compassionate Friends Candle Lighting Will Be Held Sunday, December 13<sup>th</sup> at Marcum-Wallace

The Compassionate Friends Worldwide Candle Lighting is held the second Sunday of December at 7:00 p.m. for one hour local time around the globe. It commemorates and honors children, siblings, and grandchildren of all ages who have died from any cause.

The Worldwide Candle Lighting is The Compassionate Friends' gift to the bereavement community. By holding a candle lighting service, we remember the lives of the precious children of this world who are no longer with us.

You are welcome to join in the local Candle Lighting ceremony, Sunday, December 13, 2015 at Marcum Wallace Memorial Hospital in Irvine, starting at 6:30 p.m. in the Mercy Room.

The mission of the Compassionate Friends is "Providing Grief Support After the Death of a Child"

*"The Compassionate Friends is about transforming the pain of grief into the elixir of hope. It takes people out of the isolation society imposes on the bereaved and lets them express their grief naturally. With the shedding of tears, healing comes. And the newly bereaved get to see people who have survived and are learning to live and love again."*

—Simon Stephens, founder of The

Compassionate Friends  
These words of TCF's Founder, Simon Stephens, resonate with those who have come to The Compassionate Friends hoping to find a purpose in a life that

suddenly seems so empty.

Whether your family has had a child die (at any age from any cause) or you are trying to help those who have gone through this life altering experience, The Compassionate Friends exists to provide friendship, understanding, and hope to those going through the natural grieving process.

Through a network of more than 650 chapters with locations in all 50 states, as well as Washington DC, Puerto Rico, and Guam, The Compassionate Friends has been supporting bereaved families after the death of a child for four decades.

The National Office and its staff also provide many levels of support to our chapters, as well as individual responses to those who call on the phone, contact us through our website, or send an e-mail that simply says, "My child has died. Help me!" We will be here as long as you need us. That is our commitment to you.

Time has proven that in caring and sharing comes healing.

Members of the local group welcome you to The Compassionate Friends and ask that you join us on Sunday, December 13th at Marcum Wallace..

## Community News

Mail announcements to The Estill Tribune,  
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or E-mail it to <News@EstillTribune.Com>

Wednesday, December 9th - 2-5pm

### "Nutcracker Sweet" At The Library

Estill County Public Library's staff and board of directors cordially invite the public to celebrate the holidays with us at our annual "Nutcracker Sweet".

Stop by the library between 2:00 and 5 o'clock p.m. on

Wednesday, December 9th, and enjoy some homemade sweet treats, visit with our friendly staff, and find out what the library has to offer. Call the library at 723-3030 for more information.

Closed December 23rd thru January 3rd

### Health Department Holiday Schedule

The Estill County Health Department will be closed on December 23rd for a staff meeting. In observance of Christmas and New Year the

Estill County Health Department will be closed December 24, 2015 through January 3, 2016. We will re-open on January 4, 2016 at 8:00 a.m.

## NEAL'S STEREO SHOP

(606) 975-3796  
River Drive & Main in Ravenna

## NEAL'S AUTO CENTER & BODY SHOP

Mechanical Work  
Main Street in Ravenna  
Call 606-975-3796

## Attention Veterans

KDVA SERVING KY VETS

A Veterans Benefits Field Representative will be at the National Guard Armory, 335 Cow Creek Road, Ravenna, on Thursday, November 5th and normally the first Thursday of each month. The hours are 1:30 p.m. until 3:30 p.m.

Veterans and their dependants will receive assistance filing for Federal and state veterans benefits. This service is provided free of charge by the Kentucky Department of Veterans Affairs. To apply, veterans need to furnish copies of pertinent documentation to verify eligibility. For further information, please call toll free within Kentucky, 1-866-376-0308, to speak with a Veterans Benefits Field Representative.

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