



Times Remembered
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How many antique kitchen staples can you remember that your Grandmother or your Mother used years ago? In the 40s, 50s, and 60s?

Let's see.....I remember green kitchen utensils, such as spatulas, long handle forks, spoons, potato mashers and flour sifters. These came out around 1935-1945, but they were still in use when I was growing up in the 50s. Manual mixers or egg beaters, wooden biscuit cutters, pastry blenders, green handle rolling pins, green depression glass measuring cups, and of course Griswold iron skillets, Dutch ovens, waffle irons, griddles, corn sticks and muffin rings were essentials cookware.

When the Griswold waffle iron was fired up, there wasn't any delay in being served a large, crispy-hot waffle. From 1865 to 1957, Griswold of Erie, Pennsylvania was the largest manufacturer of fine cast-iron cookware who had more patterns and variations than

Grandma's Kitchen



any other company. Griswold's motto was, "It never wears out." They truly don't wear out; many are still in use today and they are highly collectible and expensive. I love cooking in cast iron. County ham just can't be fried in any other skillet! All food just tastes better.

During that period homemakers were thrilled with many colors of Graniteware for their kitchens. I remember a blue dish pan, colander, and a coffee pot. The graniteware was mass produced in many shapes, and uses. A 14-piece set could be purchased from Sears and Roebuck Company in 1908 for \$4.58. Imagine that....I have several pieces of the blue that is really worn and a little rusty, but they are still special and they are very collectible today.

In those days no one had air conditioning; I remember the old table model fan we had; it was a black base, with a cloth covered cord and the large silver blades were enclosed a metal cage. That fan must have lasted 50 years. Mom placed it high to create a comfortable air flow for the kitchen. It fell off shelves so many times, was knocked off tables and stepped on; but it took

a beating and kept on running. I remember taking a thin piece of paper and sticking it in the blades to make noise when Mom or Dad wasn't looking. I was a little mischievous! But those old vintage fans were a work of art.

That fan cooled our house for many years until the window fan came along in the early sixties. But it was still in use when I left home 50 years ago. Mom and Dad never threw anything away. If it could be fixed Dad always fixed it; you never buy a new one unless it's absolutely worn out. We need that rule today for many people. Times are just different now!

We didn't have this in our household, but I remember the 1950s soda machine, (cooler), by Coca-Cola. The embossed slogan, drink Coca-Cola appeared on all four sides. The lid's hinges were in the middle that allowed it to fold in half. It opened from side to side, rather than front to back. It held 224 small bottles of Coca-Cola that were ice cold, and was sometimes frozen. They sold for a nickel or a dime later. The little cokes were my favorite and they still are, no Pepsi for me; I'm a Coca Cola gal.

Most important question in life has nothing to do with mathematics



America's Heartland
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Maybe you heard about the three little old men who decided they'd go together to the doctor to have their mental capacity tested.

They shuffled slowly into the examination room where the doctor asked the first fellow: "What's three times three?"

"That's easy ... 101," he responded.

The doctor, with a look of concern, then turned to the second fellow and asked: "What's three times three?"

"Three times three is Wednesday," he answered.

The doctor shook his head sadly and turned to the third man. "What's three

times three," he asked.

"Nine," the old fellow answered.

"That's great," the doctor said. "How did you get your answer?"

"Simple," he said. "I subtracted 101 from Wednesday."

Those fellows certainly had a unique approach to mathematics. Unfortunately, it was an entirely wrong approach.

You realize, wrong approaches aren't limited to math equations. All too often it extends to spiritual matters, as well.

That's why the Apostle Peter issued a strong warning to doubters. In his day, just as in ours, there were scoffers who doubted God's Word, who refused to trust in Christ, and who doubted that this world will one day come to a fiery end.

In Peter's day, some folks had pointed to all the years that have passed without the end having come.

"Beloved, be not ignorant of this one thing, that one day is with the Lord as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day," Peter wrote. "The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count

slackness, but is long-suffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance. But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night; in the which the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burned up" (2 Peter 3:8-10)

Such a dire warning warrants serious consideration.

Peter urged the people of his day, as well as of ours, to decided how they should live their lives in light of that truth: "Seeing then that all these things shall be dissolved, what manner of persons out ye to be? (2 Peter 3:11).

He supplied the answer: "Be diligent that ye may be found of Him in peace, without spot, blameless. (2 Peter 3:14).

That's clear enough for even mathematically challenged old men to understand.

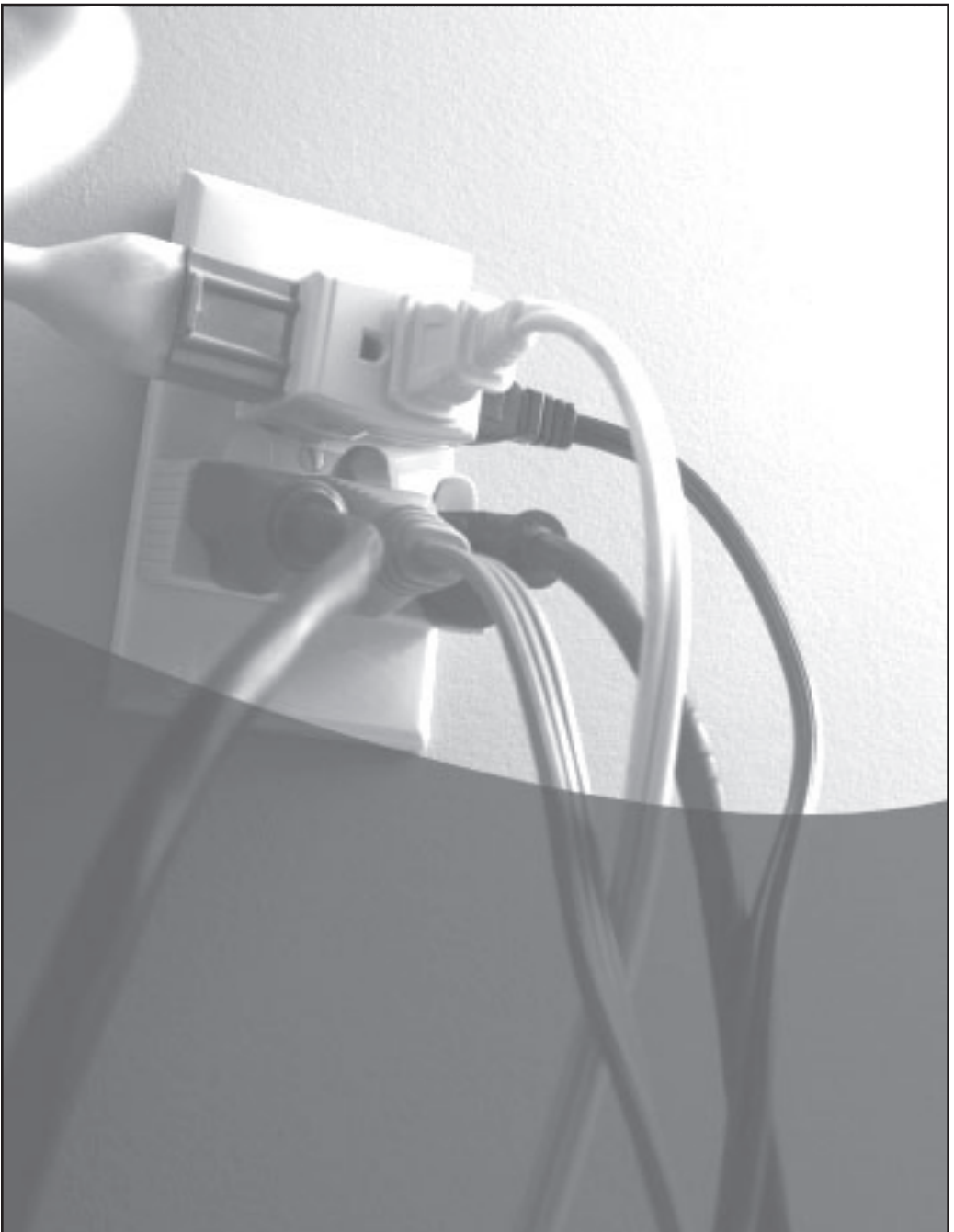
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SOUTH IRVINE EARLY LEARNING CENTER BREAKFASTS				
Breakfast Pizza Orange Juice Milk	Pancake Porky Apples Milk	Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Peaches, Milk	Omelet & Toast Oranges Milk	Blueberry Muffins Fruit, Grape Juice Milk
SOUTH IRVINE EARLY LEARNING CENTER LUNCHES				
Grilled Chicken Roll, Green Beans Mac & Cheese Fresh Pears, Milk	Hamburger on Bun French Fries Peaches Milk	Taco w/Shell Salsa, Corn Lettuce, Tomatoes Side Kicks, Milk	Pizza Hut Garden Salad Pineapples Milk	Corn Dogs California Blend Mandarin Oranges Milk
ESTILL SPRINGS BREAKFASTS				
Cinnamon Pop Tart Cocoa Puffs Pears Asst. Juice Milk Choices	Pancake Porky/ Syrup or Cinn. Toast Crunch/Graham Snacks, Applesauce Asst. Juice, Milk	Yogurt/Cheese Sticks or Frosted Flakes Graham Snacks Strawberry Cup	Biscuit, Sausage Gravy or Lucky Charms, Banana Asst. Juice Milk Choices	Funnel Cakes or Fruit Loops/Straw- berry Pop Tart Peaches Asst. Juice, Milk
ESTILL SPRINGS LUNCHES				
Chicken Nuggets Roll, Green Beans Mashed Potatoes Pears Milk	Deli Turkey/Cheese on Bun Potato Smiles Pork & Beans Peaches, Milk	Curly Spaghetti Texas Toast CA Blend Veggies Cucumber Slices Dip, Pears, Milk	Pizza Hut Pizza Corn Steamed Broccoli Mandarin Oranges Milk	Pizza Munchable Pepperoni/Mozz. Cheese, Loco Bread Marinara Sauce Carrots, Raisins
WEST IRVINE BREAKFASTS				
Pop Tarts, Cereal Mandarin Oranges Juice Milk	Dutch Waffle or Cereal Applesauce Juice, Milk	Surprise Donut or Cereal Peaches Juice, Milk	Bacon, Egg, & Cheese Biscuit or Cereal Grapes Juice, Milk	Assorted Muffin or Cereal Apple Juice, Milk
WEST IRVINE LUNCHES				
Chicken Pattie/Bun Potato Emojis Baked Beans Strawberry Cup Milk	Rectangle Pizza Corn Cucumber Slices/ Dip, Applesauce Milk	Chili, Grilled Cheese 3/4 cup carrots Fresh Oranges Crackers, Chocolate Chip Cookie	Chips, Cheese, Salsa Broccoli/Dip Applesauce Milk	Pizza Hut Pizza Corn Tomato/Dip Apple, Milk Bomb Pop
ESTILL COUNTY MIDDLE SCHOOL BREAKFAST				
Breakfast Pizza Frosted Flakes Cereal Bars, Pop Tarts, M. Oranges	Mini Pancakes Cocoa Puffs, Cereal Bars, Pop Tarts Applesauce	Sausage, Biscuit Fruit Loops, Cereal Bars, Pop Tarts Pears, Juice, Milk	Breakfast Bun Trix, Cereal Bars Pop Tarts, Peaches Asst. Juice, Milk	Egg Sliders, Cinn. Toast Crunch Cereal Bars, Pop Tarts, M. Oranges
ESTILL COUNTY MIDDLE SCHOOL LUNCH				
BBQ Pork on Bun or Fish on Bun Baby Bakers Baked Beans Mandarin Oranges/ Apple, Milk or Juice	Sausage Links Biscuit & Gravy Hash Brown Grape Tomatoes Cooked Apples Peaches	Pizza Hut Pizza Broccoli w/Dip Corn, Fudge Bar Mixed Fruit Pineapples Milk or Juice	Chicken Noodle Soup, Gr. Cheese Carrot Sticks Cauliflower Bites Tropical Fruit Oranges, Milk	Fiestada Mexican Pizza or Taxo Snax Garden Salad Cucumber Slices Peras, Strawberry Cups, Milk or Juice
ESTILL COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL BREAKFAST				
Breakfast Honey Bun, Cereal Cereal Bars Pop Tarts, Mini Chocolate Donuts	Pancake Porky Pop Tarts Donut Holes Yogurt Parfait Apples or Oranges	Bacon, Egg, & Cheese Biscuit Pop Tarts, Yogurt Parfait, Donuts Apples or Oranges	Chicken Biscuit Pop Tarts, Yogurt Parfait, Donut Holes Oranges or Apples Juice, Milk	Dutch Waffle PopTarts, Cereal, Cereal Bars Mini Choc. Donuts Oranges or Apples
ESTILL COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL LUNCH				
Cheeseburger/Bun Chili Dogs Let./Tom./Pickles Potato Wedges Baked Beans Tropical Fruit Sidekicks Juice/Asst. Milk	Corn Dogs Fish on Bun Pizza Hut Pizza Let./Tom./Pickles Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Cantaloupe Applesauce	Burrito Bar Let./Tom./Cheese Refried Beans Corn, Salsa Peaches Pineapples Juice Assorted Milk	Chicken Alfredo Breadstick Mr. Rib on Bun Steamed Broccoli Corn, Pears Grape Tomatoes Applesauce Juice/Asst. Milk	Chili, Crackers Grilled Cheese Carrot Sticks Broccoli Bites Mandarin Oranges Strawberry Cup Juice Asst. Milk

Offered Daily: Pizza Line
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