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# Maudie's Naughties

Mitsy and Bambi are staying all night in an old, spooky motel. The night clerk tells them that there is a ladies room in the hotel where strange things happen in front of a special mirror. Supposedly, if one stands in front of the mirror and tells the truth, one is granted a wish However, if one tells a lie - \*poof\* - - you are instantly swallowed up by the mirror, never to be seen again. "That can't be true," says Mitsy. She asks the clerk, 'Have you ever known of anything really happening?"

"Well," says the clerk. "They say one really plain woman went in there and stood before the mirror and said, "I think I'm the most beautiful woman in the world."

\*poof\* The mirror swallowed her.

Then another woman went in front of the mirror and said, "I think I'm the sexiest woman alive."

\*poof\* The mirror swallowed her, too.

The girls just have to see this. They walk into the restroom and stand before the mirror, and Bambi says, "I think . . . ' \*poof\* The mirror swallows her up.

**Lost In The Desert** 

A man is lost in the Sahara desert. He used up the last of his water three days ago and he's lying, gasping, on the sand, when in the distance he suddenly hears a voice calling, "Mush! Mush!"

Not trusting his ears he turns his head and there it is again, closer this time -- "Mush! Mush!" Propping himself up on one elbow he squints against the sun and sees. of all things, an Eskimo bundled up in furs driving a sled with a team of huskies across the dunes.

Thinking that it's a hallucination, he blinks and shakes his head, but it's for real! He painfully lifts one arm and in a cracked voice calls, "He-elp!"

The Eskimo pulls the sled up by him, the huskies panting in the heat, and he says to the Eskimo, "I don't know what you're doing here, or why, but thank God you are I've been wandering around this desert for days, my water's all gone and I'm completely lost!"

The perspiring Eskimo looks down at him and says. 'And you think YOU'RE lost?!"

The Great Mushroom

Junior, Bubba and Howard Green are hunting mushrooms together on Flinchum Ridge when they all three spot a giant mushroom at the same time. They take off running in order to be the first to pick the giant morel Howard gets there first and is just about to snatch it when they all hear a strange voice that says, "Don't pick me I'm the 'Great Mushroom.' I've been here for many years. If you'll spare me I'll give you three wishes for anything you want!"

The boys think about it awhile and decide they will take one wish apiece since they all saw the Giant Mushroom at the same time. They each make their decision.

"I want every woman I see to be extremely attracted to me," says Junior.

"I want to lose 80 pounds and become the world's most admired male model," adds Bubba.

"I'd like to be the smartest person in all the 57 United States," wishes Howard Green.

"I'd like to be sautéd in butter for the best taste," says the Great Mushroom.

**Communication With Wildlife** 

Pa notices that Junior has been walking up to Buffalo Point every morning before breakfast, so he asks Bubba what Junior is doing, "Has he set traps and is going up to check them?"

"Nah," replies Bubba. "Junior's got some theory that an old bobcat is trying to communicate with him. He noticed that when the old bobcat takes a dump up on the rock, it is in shape of a letter of the alphabet. So, he goes up there every day to see what letter the bobcat has

"Interesting," says Pa. "What's he got so far?" "D-U-M-B-A," replies Bubba.

"Hmmm," says Pa. "Sounds like he's onto some-

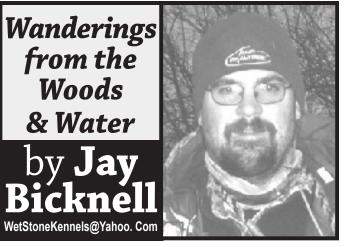
thing!"

### **Nature Calls**

Pa and Bubba are sitting on the porch when a car comes up the holler and rolls to a stop in front of the house. They notice it has license plates from up north. A guy jumps out, looks at Pa and points to the old outhouse upon the bank. Pa nods his head and the stranger runs up the bank to the outhouse and slams the door behind him.

"What's that all about?" asks Bubba. "You and Ma haven't used that outhouse since you put in a bathroom 35 years ago."

"I know," says Pa. "I thought about tearing it down, but these northerners are in such a hurry, they don't even ask if we have a bathroom in the house.'



### Hay of Panic

I find myself in a panic making sure I've got enough hay for the winter. I am constantly *Matthew 25:1-13* going over numbers of the goal.

hit, but you can guaran- hold, the bridegroom tee at some point a bad is coming;[a] go out to one will hit.

winter.

wondering where I am the bridegroom came, going with this. Well I and those who were was putting up some ready went in with him hay the other day and to the wedding; and the the Good Lord give me door was shut. this column. How being 11 "Afterward the other prepared is a must!

coming back, but we'd you.' prepared will be very coming. costly for eternity. The is to know Jesus!

### The Parable of the Wise and Foolish **Virgins**

*25 "Then the kingdom* rolls and square bales of heaven shall be likin my head. Having ened to ten virgins who enough hay to get cattle took their lamps and through the winter is went out to meet the bridegroom. 2 Now five In Kentucky, you nev- of them were wise, and er know how bad win- five were foolish. 3 Those ter will be. You never who were foolish took know how early the bad their lamps and took weather will hit. You no oil with them, 4 but never know if it's going the wise took oil in their to be a late spring. We vessels with their lamps. might have two or three 5 But while the brideyears of mild winters *groom was delayed, they* before a bad one hits. all slumbered and slept. You never know when 6 "And at midnight a a bad winter is going to cry was heard: 'Be-

meet him!' 7 Then all It pays to always be those virgins arose and prepared with the un- trimmed their lamps. 8 predictable weather in And the foolish said to Kentucky. If you own the wise, 'Give us some livestock you should be of your oil, for our lamps in a panic during hay are going out.' 9 But the time. Nothaving enough wise answered, saying, hay to make it through 'No, lest there should not the winter can be very be enough for us and costly! A wise farmer is you; but go rather to always prepared for the those who sell, and buy for yourselves.' 10 And You are probably while they went to buy,

virgins came also, say-You see, if you don't ing, 'Lord, Lord, open to know Jesus, I hope you us!' 12 But he answered are in a panic! We don't and said, 'Assuredly, I know the time Jesus is say to you, I do not know

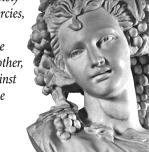
better be prepared. We 13 "Watch therefore, for are not promised to- you know neither the morrow, so we better day nor the hour[b] in be prepared. Not being which the Son of Man is

Until next week get only way to be prepared out and enjoy God's creation!

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Therefore, as the elect of God, holy and beloved, put on tender mercies, kindness, humility, meekness, longsuffering; bearing with one another, and forgiving one another, if anyone has a complaint against another; even as Christ forgave you, so you also must do.

COLOSSIANS 3:12, 13 🟖





4:10, Job 7:2, Psalm 23:4, Amos 1:1 4. Though lame on both feet, what descendant of Saul continually ate at King David's table? Mareshah. Methusael, Micah, Me-

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1. Is the book of Judges

2. From 2 Corinthians

3. Which scripture con-

through the valley of the

shadow of death"? Ruth

in the Old or New Testa-

ment or neither?

Patriotism, Liberty

phibosheth 5. Under what type of tree would the children of

Israel come to Deborah for judging? Palm, Sycamore, Fig, Cypress

6. From Matthew 8, who 3:17, "Now the Lord is that was the first woman that Spirit: and where the Spirit Jesus healed? Paul's sister, of the Lord is, there is ..."? Naomi, Peter's mother-in-Independence, Freedom, law, Deborah

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tains, "Yea, though I walk Now available by Wilson Casey! 2017 Bible Trivia box calendar loaded with daily teasers from TouchPointPress.com

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