



A woman gets home, runs into the house, slams the door and shouts, "Honey, pack your bags, I won the lottery!!!!" Her husband says, "Wow! That's great! Should I pack for the ocean or should I pack for the mountains?" She says, "I don't care. Just get the heck out."

A woman went to the doctor's office. Where she was seen by a young, new doctor. After about 4 minutes in the examination room, the doctor told her she was pregnant. She burst out, screaming as she ran down the hall. An older doctor stopped her and asked what the problem was, and she told him her story. After listening, he had her sit down and relax in another room. The doctor marched down the hallway to the back where the first doctor was and demanded, "What's the matter with you? Mrs. Terry is 59 years old, she has four grown children and seven grandchildren, and you told her she was pregnant?" The new doctor continued to write on his clipboard and without looking up said, "Does she still have the hiccups?"

A very religious man was caught in a flood and was left clinging to a tree for dear life. After a few minutes, a boat came by and invited him aboard. "No, I will stay here. God will take care of me," the man said. Twenty minutes later, another boat floated past. Again he refused a ride, saying, "God will take care of me." Finally, as the waters rose even higher, a helicopter came to rescue him. He refused help, saying, "God will take care of me!" Shortly after, he drowned. Once in Heaven, he found God and asked, "Why didn't you take care of me?!"

To which God replied, "I sent you two boats and a helicopter! What more do you want?"

Funny Signs In Christmas Shops  
 At a Music Store in Nottingham, UK : Out to lunch. Bach at 12:30. Offenbach sooner.  
 In a dry cleaner's shop in Portsea, Portsmouth, UK: Drop your trousers here.  
 In a department store in Vancouver, Canada: Bargain Basement Upstairs.



# Pelly Coffee Pot

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*Yes There Is A Santa Claus  
 If you want the great gift giver  
 To come on his sleigh and deliver  
 Then remember this simple rhyme  
 And recall it at Christmas time  
 "If in Santa you do not believe  
 Christmas gifts you will not receive"*

**Why I Love Retirement**  
**How many days in a week?**  
 6 Saturdays, 1 Sunday  
**When is a retiree's bedtime?**  
 Three hours after he falls asleep on the couch.  
**How many retirees does it take to change a light bulb?**  
 Only one, but it might take all day.

**What's the biggest gripe of retirees?**  
 Not enough time to get everything done.  
**Why don't retirees mind being called "senior citizens?"**  
 The term comes with a discount.  
**What is considered formal attire among retirees?**  
 Shoes with laces.

**Why do retirees count pennies?**  
 They have the time.  
**What is the common term for someone who enjoys work and refuses to retire?**  
 Nuts!  
**Why are retirees so slow to clean out the basement, attic or garage?**  
 As soon as they do, one of their kids will want to store stuff there.

**What do retirees call a long lunch?**  
 Normal.  
**What is the best way to describe retirement?**  
 The never-ending coffee break.

**What's the biggest advantage of going back to school as a retiree?**  
 If you cut classes, no one calls your parents.  
**Why does a retiree often say he doesn't miss work, but misses the people he used to work with?**  
 He is too polite to tell the whole truth.  
**What do you do all week?**  
 Monday to Friday, nothing; Saturdays and Sundays, I rest!



**Events - 2012-13**  
 Dec 10 - guess how many DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS?  
 Dec 13 - Village Council meeting  
 Dec 17 - Fellowship Chapel Christmas program "The Tree-mendous Gilft", everyone welcome 7 pm  
 Dec 19 - Christmas program at school 7 - 9 pm in the gym  
 Dec 20 - garbage day  
 Dec 21 - last day of school  
 Dec 27 - extra garbage day  
 Dec 31 - New Years social at the Drop-in  
 Jan 3 - school starts for the new year

**The earliest winter since 1896 arrives with the Winter Solstice at 5:12 A.M. on the Dec 21**

Christmas is just plain weird. What other time of the year do you sit in front of a dead tree in your living room eating candy and snacks out of your socks?

He's turned his life around. He used to be depressed and miserable. Now he's miserable and depressed.

Youth is a malady of which one becomes cured a little every day.

Remember, these difficult times will be the "good old days" in a few years.

**Canada:** Father Christmas has his own personal postal code; it is the alphanumeric number: HOH OH0. (Ho-Ho-Ho) In this way people who write to Santa know that their letter will arrive safely. It has been his personal code since 1982 and this address receives some 1 million letters from all over the world each year. Apparently, each letter received will be answered in the same language in which it is written, which, on its own must be a mammoth task.

**UK:** It is a British Christmas tradition that a wish made while mixing the Christmas pudding will come true only if the ingredients are stirred in a clockwise direction and each family member has a stir of the mix. Furthermore, a traditional Christmas dinner in medieval England was the head of a pig prepared with mustard.

**Norway:** on Christmas Eve all the brooms in the house are hidden because long ago it was believed that witches and mischievous spirits came out on Christmas Eve and would steal their brooms for riding.

**Venezuela:** In Caracas, the capital, it is customary for the streets to be blocked off on Christmas Eve so that the people can roller-skate to church.

I was signing the receipt for my credit card purchase when the clerk noticed that I had never signed my name on the back of the credit card. She informed me that she could not complete the transaction unless the card was signed. When I asked why, she explained that it was necessary to compare the signature on the credit card with the signature I just signed on the receipt. So I signed the credit card in front of her. She carefully compared the signature to the one I had just signed on the receipt. As luck would have it, they matched.

The twelve days of Christmas are the days between Christmas Day and Epiphany [6th of January] and represent the length of time it took for the wise men from the East to visit the manger of Jesus after his birth

While it is true that the name Santa Claus was an American 'invention' sometime before 1870. The original name for the 'figure' associated with the mid-winter festival was Saint Nicholas, or St. Nick. Other languages have variations or translations of Saint Nicolas, for example, Père Noël, Papa Noel, Babbo Natale, Papai Noel, Father Christmas, and Kris Kringle.

If you really want to do something, you'll find a way. If you don't, you'll find an excuse.

*The sooner you fall behind, the more time you'll have to catch up.*

I found a great way to attract money... work!

*If you can't see the bright side of life, polish the dull side.*

"I've got two wonderful children—and two out of five isn't bad."

*The label on a bottle of drain cleaner warns: 'If you do not understand, or cannot read, all directions, cautions and warnings, do not use this product.'*

"Dear Lord," the preacher began, with arms extended and a rapturous look on his upturned face, "without you we are but dust..."

He would have continued, but at that moment one very observant little girl, listening carefully, leaned to her mother and asked quite audibly in her loud little girl voice, "Mommy, what is butt dust?"



**Prediction is difficult, especially about the future.**

A Texan farmer goes to Australia for a vacation. There he meets an Aussie farmer and gets talking.

The Aussie shows off his big wheat field and the Texan says, "Oh! We have wheat fields that are at least twice as large".

Then they walk around the ranch a little, and the Aussie shows off his herd of cattle. The Texan immediately says, " We have longhorns that are at least twice as large as your cows".

The conversation has, meanwhile, almost died when the Texan sees a group of kangaroos hopping through the field. He asks, "And what are those"?

The Aussie replies with an incredulous look, "Don't you have any grasshoppers in Texas"?

Groups of Americans were traveling by tour bus through Holland. As they stopped at a cheese farm, a young guide led them through the process of cheese making, explaining that goat's milk was used. She showed the group a lovely hillside where many goats were grazing. 'These' she explained, 'Are the older goats put out to pasture when they no longer produce.' She then asked, 'What do you do in America with your old goats?' A spry old gentleman answered, 'They send us on bus tours!

*Dear Father Christmas, You can send me one of everything from the boys' section of the Sears catalogue. But nothing from the girls' section. I can't wait for Christmas to come. Kent*

*I just let my mind wander, and it didn't come back.*

Warning label on a letter opener that says: 'Caution: Safety goggles recommended.'

