

\*\* How old is Grandma? \*\*

One evening a grandson was talking to his grandmother about current events. The grandson asked his grandmother what she thought about the shootings at schools, the computer age, and just things in general.

The Grandma replied, "Well, let me think a minute, I was born before:

'-----television  
'----- polio shots  
'----- frozen foods  
'----- Xerox  
'----- contact lenses  
'----- Frisbees and  
'----- the pill  
There was no:  
'----- Radar  
'----- credit cards  
'----- laser beams or  
'----- ball-point pens  
Man had not invented:  
'----- pantyhose  
'----- air conditioners  
'----- dishwashers  
'----- clothes dryers  
'----- and the clothes were hung out to  
dry in the fresh air and  
'----- man hadn't yet walked on the  
moon

Your Grandfather and I got married first, . . . and then lived together! Every family had a father and a mother! Until I was 25, I called every man older than me, "Sir". And after I turned 25, I still called policemen and every man with a title, "Sir." We were before gay-rights, computer-dating, dual careers, day-care centers, and group therapy.

Our lives were governed by the Ten Commandments, good judgment, and common sense! We were taught to know the difference between right and wrong and to stand up and take responsibility for our actions. Serving your country was a privilege; living in this country was a bigger privilege. We thought fast food was what people ate during Lent!

Having a meaningful relationship meant getting along with your cousins!

Draft dodgers were people who closed their front doors when the evening breeze started!  
Time-sharing meant time the family spent together in the evenings and weekends-not purchasing condominiums.

What else was there in Grandma's youth? We never heard of FM radios, tape decks, CDs, electric typewriters, yogurt, or guys wearing earrings!

We listened to the Big Bands, Jack Benny, and the President's speeches on our radios! And I don't ever remember any kid blowing his brains out listening to Tommy Dorsey! If you saw anything with 'Made in Japan' on it, it was junk!

The term 'making out' referred to how you did on your school exam!  
Pizza Hut, McDonald's, and instant coffee were unheard of!  
We had 5 & 10-cent stores where you could actually buy things for 5 and 10 cents!  
Ice-cream cones, phone calls, rides on a streetcar, and a Pepsi were all a nickel!  
And if you didn't want to splurge, you could spend your nickel on enough stamps to mail 1 letter and 2 postcards!  
You could buy a new Chevy Coupe for \$600, . . . but who could afford one? Too bad, because gas was 11 cents a gallon!

In my day:  
'----- "grass" was mowed,  
'----- "coke" was a cold drink,  
'----- "pot" was something your mother cooked in and  
'----- "rock music" was your grandmother's lullaby?  
'----- "Aids" were helpers in the Principal's office,?  
'----- "chip" meant a piece of wood,  
  
'----- "hardware" was found in a hardware store and  
  
'----- "software" wasn't even a word.

And we were the last generation to actually believe that a lady needed a husband to have a baby. No wonder people call us "old and confused" and say there is a generation gap... and how old do you think I am?

I bet you have this old lady in mind...you are in for a shock!

- 64 Years young

"When I was a kid, I said to my father one afternoon, 'Daddy, will you take me to the zoo?' He answered, 'If the zoo wants you, let them come and get you.'" -- Jerry Lewis

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# Pelly Coffee Pot



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## The Vocabulary of a Father

**Dumbwaiter:** One who asks if the children would care to order a dessert.

**Feedback:** The inevitable result when the baby doesn't appreciate the strained carrots.

**Full Name:** What you call your child when you're angry with him.

**Grandparents:** The people who think your children are wonderful even though they're sure you're not raising them right.

**Independent:** How we want our children to be for as long as they do everything we say.

**Puddle:** A small body of water that draws other small bodies wearing dry shoes into.

**Show Off:** A child who is more talented than yours.

**Whodunit:** None of the children who live in your house.

**Bottle-feeding:** An opportunity for Daddy to get up at 2 am.

An elephant was drinking out of a river one day, when he spotted a turtle asleep on a log. So, he ambled on over and kicked it clear across the river.

"What did you do that for?" Asked a passing giraffe.

"Because I recognized it as the same turtle that took a nip out of my trunk 53 years ago."

"Wow, what a memory," commented the giraffe.

"Yes," said the elephant, "turtle recall".

## Events - 2013

June 14 - Roughriders @ Edmonton

June 16 - Father's day

June 20 - Calgary @ Roughriders

June 21 - Longest Day

June 26 - last day of school

**June 28 - Graduation day**

June 29 - Roughriders @ Edmonton

July 5 - Calgary @ Roughriders

July 11 - Roughriders at Toronto

A small boy is sent to bed by his father...

[Five minutes later]

"Da-ad..."

"What?"

"I'm thirsty. Can you bring me a drink of water?"

"No. You had your chance. Lights out."

[Five minutes later]

"Da-aaaad..."

"WHAT?"

"I'm THIRSTY...Can I have a drink of water??"

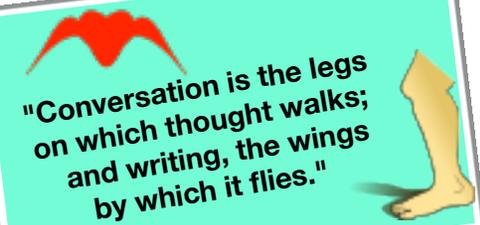
"I told you NO! If you ask again I'll have to spank you!!"

[Five minutes later]

"Daaaa-aaaAAAAD..."

"WHAT?!!!"

"When you come in to spank me, can you bring me a drink of water?"



Over the centuries fathers have given their children plenty of good advice; here are some examples:

**COLUMBUS'S Father:** I don't care what you've discovered, Christopher. You could have written.

**MICHELANGELO'S Father:** Mike, can't you paint on walls like other children? Do you have any idea how hard it is to get that stuff off the ceiling?

**NAPOLEON'S Father:** All right, Napoleon. If you aren't hiding your report card inside your jacket, then take your hand out of there and prove it.

**GOLDILOCKS'S Father:** I've got a bill here for a broken chair from the Bear family. Do you know anything about this Goldie?

**ALBERT EINSTEIN'S Father:** But, Albert, it's your senior picture. Can't you do something about your hair? Styling gel, mousse, something...?

**THOMAS EDISON'S Father:** Of course I'm proud that you invented the electric light bulb, Thomas. Now turn off that light and get to bed!

**HUMPTY DUMPTY'S Father:** Humpty, If I've told you once, I've told you a hundred times not to sit on that wall. But would you listen to me? No!

I want my children to have all the things I couldn't afford.

Then I want to move in with them. - Phyllis Diller

When Canadian road workers found about 200 dead crows on the highway between Toronto and Hamilton, there was concern that they may have died from Avian Flu.

So the government had a bird pathologist examine the remains of all the crows and he confirmed the problem was definitely not Avian Flu, much to everyone's relief.

However, he was surprised that his detailed study determined that 98 percent of the crows had been killed by impact with trucks, but only 2 percent were killed by car impact. The Province then hired an Ornithological Behaviourist to determine the reason behind the disproportionate percentages for truck versus car kills.

The Ornithological Behaviourist determined the cause in short order. When crows eat road kill, they always set up a lookout crow in a nearby tree to warn of impending danger. His conclusion was that the lookout crow could warn "Cah", but he could not say "Truck".

One student fell into a cycle of classes, studying, working and sleeping.

Didn't realize how long he had neglected writing home until he received the following note:

"Dear Son, Your mother and I enjoyed your last letter. Of course, we were much younger then, and more impressionable. Love, Dad."

A retired English professor who has spent the last couple decades collecting the most hilarious and often depressing spelling, grammatical and contextual errors his students have made in their papers.

"People who murder a lot of people are called masked murderers."

"The person was an innocent by standard, who just happened to be the victim of your friend's careless responsibility."

"Another effect of smoking is it may give you cancer of the thought."

"The children of lesbian couples receive as much neutering as those of other couples."

"Benjamin Franklin discovered America while fling a kite."

"Keith helps me to have good self-a-steam."

"For example, one homeless person lives under a bride in Lanham, Md."

"Jogging on a woman's ovaries can be dangerous to her health."

"The French benefits of this job are good."

**A man knows when he is growing old because he begins to look like his father.**

A young man comes home and says "Dad, just got my driver's license and would like to use the family car."

Father replies, "O.K., son. But, first, you have to get good grades in school, keep your room clean, make the yard is neat, and cut your hair. Come back in a few months and then we'll see."

Well, several months pass and the young man comes into the house with his report card in his hand. "Dad, I got great marks on my report card. I've been keeping my room as neat as a pin, and the yard is always ship-shape. How about letting me use the car?"

Father replies, "That's all true, but son you didn't cut your hair."

Son says, "But, dad, Jesus had long hair."

Father replies, "Yes, son, you're perfectly right. And he walked everywhere he went."

**A father carries pictures where his money used to be.**

What's the most common craving during pregnancy? For men to be the ones who get pregnant!

Am I crazy because I hear voices.. Or, are you because you can't?

"My father always told me, 'Find a job you love and you'll never have to work a day in your life.' " -- Jim Fox

## How to Determine if an Egg is Fresh

1

### VERY FRESH

A very fresh egg will sink to the bottom and lay on it's side.

2

### WEEK OLD

Week old eggs will rest on the bottom but the fat end of the egg will rise up slightly.

3

### 3-WEEK OLD

Three week old eggs will be balanced on pointy end with the fat end sticking up.

4

### BAD EGGS

Old eggs will be floating, bobbing along the surface of the water. These floaters should be tossed as they aren't any good to eat.

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