



Pelly Coffee Pot

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One Wish

A woman was walking along the beach when she stumbled upon an unusual old lamp. She picked it up and cleaned it off, and suddenly a Genie appeared. The amazed woman asked if she was going to receive the usual three wishes.

The Genie said, "Nope...due to inflation, constant downsizing, low wages in third-world countries, and fierce global competition, I can only grant you one wish. So...what'll it be?"

The woman didn't hesitate. She said, "I want peace in the Middle East. See this map? I want these countries to stop fighting with each other."

The Genie looked at the map and exclaimed, "Gadzooks, lady! These countries have been at war for thousands of years. I'm good, but not THAT good! I don't think it can be done. Make another wish."

The woman thought for a minute and said, "Well, I've never been able to find the right man. You know, one that's considerate and fun, likes to cook and helps with the housecleaning, is good in bed and gets along with my family, doesn't watch sports all the time, and is faithful. That's what I wish for...a good mate."

The Genie let out a long sigh and said, "Let me see that map!"

I asked the librarian if she had a book about Pavlov's dogs and Schrodinger's cats. She said it rang a bell but wasn't sure if it was there or not.

A happily married couple took in their old Aunt Emma and she nearly ended their marriage. She was always rude and demanding. After she finally died, on the way home from the cemetery, the husband confessed to his wife, "Darling, if I didn't love you so much, I wouldn't have put up with your Aunt Emma living with us all these years." She looked aghast. "My Aunt Emma! I thought she was *your* Aunt Emma!"

The Last Word from Women

Men are like fine wine...

They all start out like grapes, and it's our job to stomp on them and keep them in the dark until they mature into something you'd like to have dinner with.

The Worst Memory

Catelin: My Mom has the worst memory.
 Amanda: She forgets everything?
 Catelin: No, she remembers everything!

A barber ran from his shop to where a policeman was standing. "Officer, I need your help. A guy just skipped out of my barber shop without paying!" The officer asked, "What's he look like? Any distinguishing features?" The barber replied, "Well, he's missing his left ear!"

Long Wait

The ninety-five year old woman at the nursing home received a visit from one of her fellow church members. "How are you feeling?" the visitor asked. "Oh," said the lady, "I'm just worried sick!" "What are you worried about, dear?" her friend asked. "You look like you're in good health. They are taking care of you, aren't they?" "Yes, they are taking very good care of me." "Are you in any pain?" she asked. "No, I have never had a pain in my life." "Well, what are you worried about?" her friend asked again.

The lady leaned back in her rocking chair and slowly explained her major worry. "Every close friend I ever had has already died and gone on to heaven. I'm afraid they're all wondering where I went."

Events 2016

- FALL EQUINOX September 22, 10:21 A.M. EDT (equal day and night)
 - Oct 1 -Museum Cultural Day
 - Oct 2 - Annual church service at Historic Anglican Church
 - Oct 10 - Thanksgiving Day
 - Oct 23 - Museum Fall Supper
 - OCT 26 - Village elections
 - Nov 6 - Daylight Saving time change
- In 2016, winter begins on December 21. 5:44 A.M. EDT.

It takes a lobster approximately seven years to grow to be one pound

Whipped butter is made by whipping nitrogen gas into the butter. The oxygen in normal air would promote oxidation and rancidity, but nitrogen gas is non-reactive.



An elderly lady in Texas did her shopping and upon return found 4 males in her car. She dropped her shopping bags and drew her handgun, proceeding to scream at them at the top of her lungs that she "knows how to use it and will shoot if required.... so get out of MY car!"

The 4 men didn't wait around for a second invitation. They got out and ran like mad, where upon the lady proceeded to load her shopping bags into the back of the car and got into the drivers seat.

Small problem: Her key wouldn't fit the ignition. Her car was identical and parked four or five spaces further down.

She loaded her bags into her car and drove to the police station. The sergeant that she told the story to nearly tore himself in two with laughter and pointed to the other end of the counter where 4 pale white males were reporting a carjacking by a mad, elderly, white woman.

No charges were filed.

My mother-in-law sent me two sweaters for Christmas. When she came for a visit, I put on one of the sweaters. The first thing she said was, "What's the matter? Didn't you like the other one?"

A boy was taking care of his baby sister while his parents went to town shopping. He decided to go fishing and he had to take her along. "I'll never do that again!" he told his mother that evening. "I didn't catch a thing!" "Oh, next time I'm sure she'll be quiet and not scare the fish away," his mother said. The boy said, "It wasn't that. She ate all the bait."

"What can I do to save the planet?"
"I'm glad you asked. Eat less meat. Drive an electric car. Walk or bike to work. Carpool. Take public transportation. Recycle vigorously. Plant a tree. Buy locally grown food. Compost. Reduce your water usage. Turn down your thermostat. Stop using plastic bags." "No, I mean realistically."

Misbehaving Phone Call

Seven year old Johnny had finished his summer vacation and gone back to school.

Two days later his teacher phoned his mother to tell her that John was misbehaving.

"Wait a minute," she said. "I had Johnny here for two months and I never called you once when he misbehaved."

The musical term "honky tonk" comes from black slang for "gin mill" -- later it was used to describe spirited music that thrived in such places in the 1930s.

1930s

Stationed in Okinawa, Japan, my son and his wife were expecting their first baby. I was elated when he called me at work with the news of my grandchild's birth. I took down all the statistics and turned to relate it all to my co-workers.

"I'm a grandmother!" I declared. "It's a baby girl, and she weighs five pounds."

"When was she born?" someone asked.

Recalling the date my son told me, I stopped, looked at the calendar, and said in amazement, "Tomorrow!"

I work out religiously: once at Easter and once at Christmas!

People are marrying younger today than they did before the turn of the century. In the United States in 1890, the average age of men at their first marriage was 26 years, compared with 23 today. For women, the corresponding figures are 22 then and just under 21 now.

How much dust does space give to us annually?

About 27 tons of dust rains down on the earth each day from space, making a total of almost 10,000 tons each year.

The Power of Woman

There were 11 people - ten men and one woman - hanging onto a rope that came down from a helicopter.

They all decided that one person should get off, because if they didn't, the rope would break and everyone would die.

No one could decide who should go, so finally, the woman gave a really touching speech saying how she would give up her life to save the others, because women were used to giving up things for their husbands and children, giving in to men, and not receiving anything in return.

When she finished speaking, all the men started clapping.

A man went to his psychiatrist and said, "What's wrong with me? I'm afraid of Santa." The psychiatrist said, "You must be Claustrofobic."

The Seven Wonders of the Ancient World all existed at the same time for a period of only 60 years.

A cat keeps purring, no matter if it is inhaling or exhaling, a baffling accomplishment.

A woman came home to find her husband in the kitchen shaking frantically, almost in a dancing frenzy, with some kind of wire running from his waist towards the electric kettle. Intending to jolt him away from the deadly current, she whacked him with a handy plank of wood, breaking his arm in two places. Up to that moment, he had been happily listening to his Walkman.

Q. What's the difference between a King's son, a monkey's mother, a bald head, and an orphan?

A. One's an heir apparent, the next is a hairy parent, the next has no hair apparent, and the last has nary a parent.

I started out with nothing & still have most of it left.

- Inside every older person is a younger person wondering what happened.



- I couldn't repair your brakes, so I made your horn louder.

In six hours, the world's deserts receive more energy from the sun than humans consume in a year.