

## **16 - Coping with Covid - Morning**

**Laugh it off:** Moira Wilde was stopped for speeding. The officer asked for her license. Moira huffed and said, 'I wish you'd get your act together. Only yesterday you took away my license and today you expect me to show it to you.' \*\*\* John was stopped near Waldorf. The officer asked for his driver's license. Looking at it he said, "Sir, you should be wearing glasses.' John said directly, 'Well, I have contacts.' The officer replied gruffly, 'I don't care who you know, Sir. You're still getting a ticket.'

**God's Comfort: Proverbs 18:20, 22** A man's stomach shall be satisfied from the fruit of his mouth; From the produce of his lips he shall be filled. 22 He who finds a wife finds a good thing and obtains favor from the Lord. **Psalms 103:1-3** Praise the Lord, my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name. 2 Praise the Lord, my soul, and forget not all his benefits - 3 who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases, 4 who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion, 5 who satisfies your desires with good things so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.

**Pray daily - God is easier to talk to than most people –**

My God,  
I offer up to Thee  
My soul and heart,  
Thine own to be;  
And all I do or hear or say,  
And all my work and play. Amen  
**National Day Today (April 4):**  
National Love Our Children Day,  
Jeep 4x4 Day, National Play  
Outside Day, Victims of Violence  
Holy Day, Walk Around Things  
Day

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## 16 - Coping with Covid - Noon

**Laugh it off:** Two policemen were called to the scene of a crime at Safeway. The manager said, 'There's a man over there covered in Corn Flakes and he's dead.' 'That's odd,' the first officer said, 'didn't we have one covered in Bran Flakes yesterday and another covered in Cheerios last week?' 'You're right,' said the second officer. 'I suspect a cereal killer.'

Officer Comments: "The handcuffs are tight because they're new. They'll stretch out after you wear them awhile." "If you run, you'll only go to jail tired."

**God's Comfort: 1 Peter 5:5-10** All of you, clothe yourselves with humility toward one another, because, "God opposes the proud, but shows favor to the humble." 6 Humble yourselves, therefore, under God's mighty hand, that he may lift you up in due time. 7 Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you. 8 Be alert and of sober mind. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour. 9 Resist him, standing firm in the faith, because you know that the family of believers throughout the world is undergoing the same kind of sufferings. 10 And the God of all grace, . . . will himself restore you and make you strong, firm and steadfast. 11 To him be the power for ever and ever. Amen.

**Historical Perspective (April 4): 1581** - Francis Drake knighted. Circumnavigate world. **1914** - "The Perils of Pauline" first serialized moving picture opened NYC. **1928** - Maya Angelou born. **1939** - Glenn Miller records "Moonlight Serenade." **1968** - Martin Luther King Jr. assassinated - age 39. **1974** - Hank Aaron ties Babe Ruth's home-run record at 714.

**Writing for Fun: What's Next?** Using 100 words, write what happens next to this family.



**Sample:** "Look over there," Mom said, pointing across the river. "Are those Indians?" asked Dad. "No way!" exclaimed Roger who was 10. "Yes way!" said Elena who was 13. A band of 10 Indians had come out of the woods and were resting their horses before crossing the stream. Their horses are beautiful," said Elena. "Look at their Bonnets," said Roger in awe. Just then the Indians spurred their horses and they came splashing across the river, water lilt by the evening light, and disappeared down the trail. "Guess we better hurry up," Dad said, "If we want to catch the show."

**What's Next:**

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## 16 - Coping with Covid - Supper

**Laugh it off:** La Plata deputies had good luck when a robbery suspect couldn't control himself during a line-up. When detectives asked each man in the line-up to repeat the words, 'Give me all your money or I'll shoot,' the man shouted, 'That's not what I said!'

Officer Statements: "The answer to this last question will determine whether you are drunk or not. Was Mickey Mouse a cat or dog." "Life's tough, but it's tougher if you're stupid."

**God's Comfort: John 2:6-11** 6 Nearby stood six stone water jars . . . each holding from 20 to 30 gallons. 7 Jesus said to the servants, "Fill the jars with water"; . . . 8 Then he told them, "Now draw some out and take it to the master of the banquet." . . . 9 the master of the banquet tasted the water that had been turned into wine. He did not realize where it had come from . . . Then he called the bridegroom aside 10 and said, "Everyone brings out the choice wine first and then the cheaper wine after the guests have had too much to drink; but you have saved the best till now." 11 What Jesus did here in Cana of Galilee was the first of the signs through which he revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

### Quotes/Other Wisdom:

It's not whether you get knocked down, it's whether you get up. - Vince Lombardi

You miss 100 percent of the shots you never take. - Wayne Gretzky

Peace begins with a smile. - Mother Teresa

You only live once, but if you do it right, once is enough. - Mae West

### Games: Tool in the Box Word Search

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GREASE GUN	MALLET	SCREWS	WOOD GLUE
HACKSAW	NAILS	TAPE MEASURE	WRENCH