

Wednesday May 13th - Coping with Covid - Morning

Laugh it off: If you sit down to enjoy a hot cup of coffee, then your boss will ask you to do something that will last until the coffee is cold. -- Barista: How do you take your coffee? Me: Very, very seriously. -- Sleep is a weak substitute for coffee.

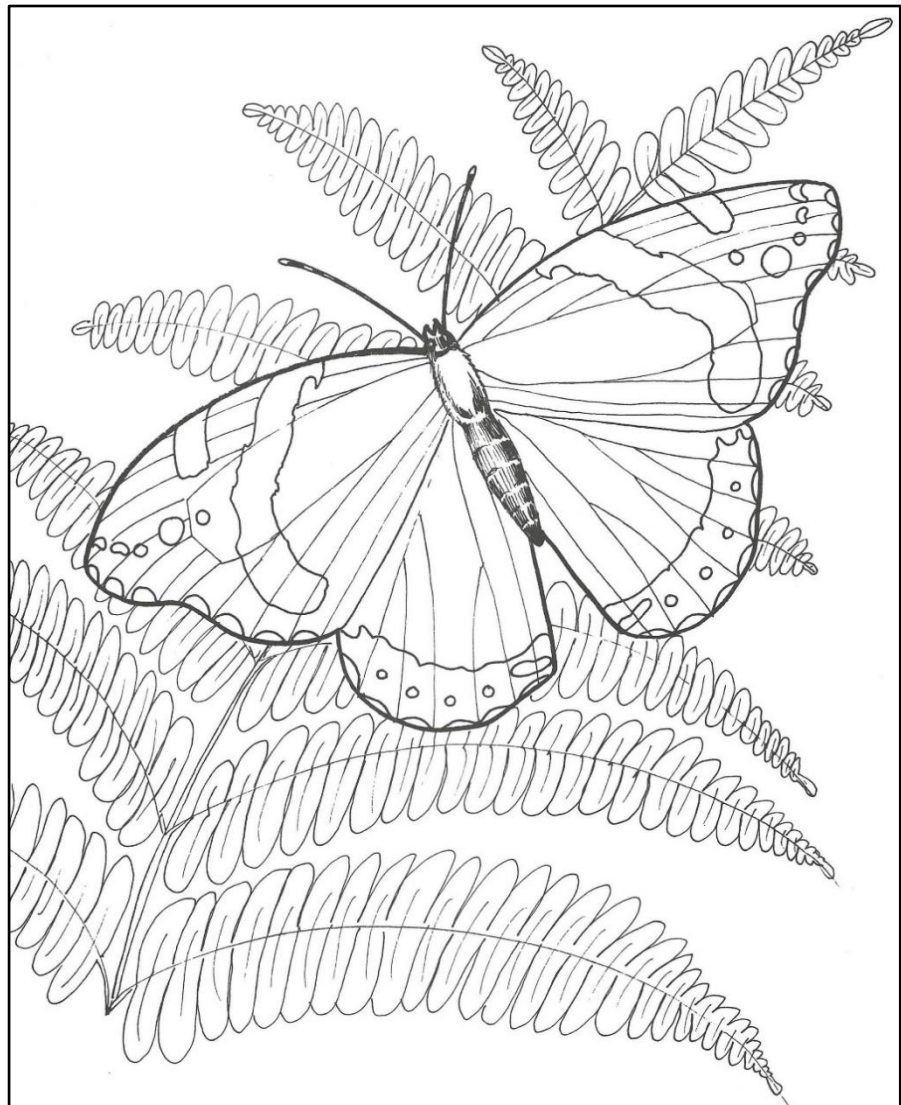
God's Comfort: Prov 25:11-12 A word fitly spoken is like apples of gold in settings of silver. 12 Like an earring of gold and an ornament of fine gold is a wise rebuker to an obedient ear.

Psalm 139:17, 18, 23, 24 17 How precious also are Your thoughts to me, O God! How great is the sum of them! 18 If I should count them, they would be more in number than the sand; When I awake, I am still with You. ... 23 Search me, O God, and know my heart; Try me, and know my anxieties; 24 And see if there is any wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.

Pray daily - God is easy to talk to: Yours, LORD, is the greatness, the power, the glory, the victory, and the majesty! For all that is in the heavens and in the earth is yours. Yours is the kingdom, LORD, and you are exalted as head above all. Both riches and honor come from you, and you rule over all; and in your hand is power and might; and it is in your hand to make great, and to give strength to all. Now therefore, our God, we thank you, and praise your glorious name. – King David -1 Chronicles 29:10

National Day Today (May 13): Children of Fallen Patriots Day, Donate a Day's Wages to Charity, Frog Jumping Day, Hummus Day, Apple Pie Day, Fruit Cocktail Day, Night Shift Workers Day, Receptionists Day, Third Shift Workers Day, World Orienteering Day.

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Red Admiral (*Vanessa atalanta*). The swift-flying Red Admiral, with brilliant red or orange bars across its wings, can be found throughout the warmer parts of North America year-round; in spring it migrates north as well, making it one of the most widespread of butterflies. Quiet

in full sunshine, Red Admirals can often be seen courting at dusk. Courtship is an elaborate ritual that includes the dusting of the female with special scent scales that function as an aphrodisiac.

Wednesday May 13th - Coping with Covid - Noon

Laugh it off: Q: What do you call sad coffee? A: Despresso.-- Q: What's the best Beatles song? A: Latte Be! -- Q: Why do they call coffee mud? A: Because it was ground a couple of minutes ago. -- Q: How did the hipster burn his tongue? A: He drank his coffee before it was cool.

God's Comfort: Matthew 12:3-8 3 But Jesus said to them, "Have you not read what David did when he was hungry, he and those who were with him: 4 how he entered the house of God and ate the showbread which was not lawful for him to eat, nor for those who were with him, but only for the priests? 5 Or have you not read in the law that on the Sabbath the priests in the temple profane the Sabbath, and are blameless? 6 Yet I say to you that in this place there is One greater than the temple. 7 But if you had known what this means, 'I desire mercy and not sacrifice,' you would not have condemned the guiltless. 8 For the Son of Man is Lord even of the Sabbath."

Historical Perspective (May 13): 1821 - First practical U.S. printing press patented. 1842 - Composer Arthur Sullivan born. 1897 - Guglielmo Marconi sends first wireless signal over open sea. 1911 – NY Giants vs. St Louis score 10 runs before the first out. 1914 - Joe Louis born - The Brown Bomber. 1917 - Fatima, Portugal, three children see vision of Virgin Mary. 1926 - Beatrice Arthur born. 1938 - Louis Armstrong records "When the Saints Go Marching In". 1941 - Richie Valens born. 1967 - Mickey Mantle - 500 homeruns. 1975 - Tennis ball sized hailstones hit Waverly, TN. 1985 - Tony Perez - oldest to hit grand slam – 42 yrs, 11 mths.

Writing for Fun: In honor of Apple Pie Day use 100 words to describe a favorite desert.

Sample Favorite Desert: Floating Islands was my first shot at making a fancy cookbook desert recipe. I was in high school Julia Child and the Galloping Gourmet were on TV. Mom made it once and I liked it, so she may have suggested I try it. To me, you were a real chef if you could whisk eggs to a froth (Julia did it alllllll the time), separate yolk and white while cracking the egg, and boil down custard till it "coated a spoon." I did all three! The best was serving and eating. Dolloping mounds of meringue islands on the custard sea and digging in with a spoon. Bon Appetite!

Your Favorite Dessert:

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Wednesday May 13th - Coping with Covid - Supper

Laugh it off: If the local coffee shop has awarded you "Employee of the Month" and you don't work there, you may be drinking too much coffee. -- Q: What's the opposite of coffee? A: Sneezy. -- Q: Where do birds go for coffee? A: To the NESTcafe -- Q: What's the technical name for a pot of coffee at work? A: Break fluid

God's Comfort: Genesis 1:29-31 29 And God said, "See, I have given you every herb that yields seed which is on the face of all the earth, and every tree whose fruit yields seed; to you it shall be for food. 30 Also, to every beast of the earth, to every bird of the air, and to everything that creeps on the earth, in which there is life, I have given every green herb for food"; and it was so. 31 Then God saw everything that He had made, and indeed it was very good. So the evening and the morning were the sixth day.

Quotes/Other Wisdom:

"This is the mark of a really admirable man: steadfastness in the face of trouble." - Ludwig van Beethoven

"The greatest leader is not necessarily the one who does the greatest things. He is the one that gets the people to do the greatest things." - Ronald Reagan

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