

## Saturday May 9<sup>th</sup> - Coping with Covid - Morning

**Laugh it off:** Bob Hope Encore - "When they asked Jack Benny to do something for the Actor's Orphanage - he shot both his parents and moved in." -- "I grew up with six brothers. That's how I learned to dance....waiting for the bathroom." -- "A James Cagney love scene is one where he lets the other guy live. "

**God's Comfort: Prov 25:2-5** 2 It is the glory of God to conceal a matter, But the glory of kings is to search out a matter. 3 As the heavens for height and the earth for depth, So the heart of kings is unsearchable. 4 Take away the dross from silver, And it will go to the silversmith for jewelry. 5 Take away the wicked from before the king, And his throne will be established in righteousness. **Psalms 138:4-6** All the kings of the earth shall praise You, O Lord, When they hear the words of Your mouth. 5 Yes, they shall sing of the ways of the Lord, For great is the glory of the Lord. 6 Though the Lord is on high, Yet He regards the lowly; But the proud He knows from afar.

**Pray daily - God is easy to talk to:** Dear God, Shepherd of Israel, may Jesus, who is Emmanuel and son of Mary, be more than just a dream in our hearts. With the apostles, prophets, and saints, save us, restore us, and lead us in the way of grace and peace, that we may bear your promise into the world. Amen

**National Day Today (May 9):** American Indian Day, Bereaved Mother's Day, Birthmother's Day, Cornelia de Lange Syndrome Awareness Day, Migratory Bird Day, Jamestown Day, Archery Day, Babysitters Day, Miniature Golf Day, Train Day, Windmill Day, Stay Up All Night, World Belly Dance Day,

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**Laugh it off:** A man went to the hospital. He told the doctor that wherever he touched himself, it hurt. The doctor asked him to demonstrate, so he touched his nose and it hurt. He touched his stomach and it hurt. The doctor said, “Stop, I think I see the problem. Your finger is broken.”

**God’s Comfort: Matthew 10:32-34, 40-42** 32 “Therefore whoever confesses Me before men, him I will also confess before My Father who is in heaven. 33 But whoever denies Me before men, him I will also deny before My Father who is in heaven... 40 “He who receives you receives Me, and he who receives Me receives Him who sent Me. 41 He who receives a prophet in the name of a prophet shall receive a prophet’s reward. And he who receives a righteous man in the name of a righteous man shall receive a righteous man’s reward. 42 And whoever gives one of these little ones only a cup of cold water in the name of a disciple, assuredly, I say to you, he shall by no means lose his reward.”

**Historical Perspective (May 9):** **1800** - John Brown born. **1904** - The Great Western Railway Number 3440 City of Truro became the first railway locomotive to exceed 100 miles per hour. **1918** - Mike Wallace born. **1936** - Albert Finney born. **1939** - Ray Eberle recorded "Stairway to the Stars" **1946** - Candice Bergen born. **1961** - Jim Gentile (Baltimore Orioles) set record with a grand slam in two consecutive innings against the Twins. **1994** - Nelson Mandela becomes South Africa's first black president.

**Writing for Fun:** Use 100 words to tell us what happens next to the lady on the couch.



**Sample Lady on the Couch:** “Children,” she said, “You know the answer to your question. Bedtime is at 8 O’clock and you will not be able to watch father and I dance with our guests.

What is that? You say you will be good. You say you won’t be in the way. You say I look like an Angel.” “You do look like an angel,” a male voice said. She blushed as her husband, handsome as a coach and four, held out his hand and invited her off the couch. “Good night, Alfred and Mary,” he said, “Your mother is all mine tonight.” They both smiled.

**Your Lady on the Couch Story:**

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**Laugh it off:** Q: What do George Washington, Abraham Lincoln, and Christopher Columbus all have in common? A: They were all born on holidays. - - Q: What goes up and never comes down? A: Your age! - - Q: "Were any famous men born on your birthday?" A: "No, only little babies." - - Q: Why did the boy feel warm on his birthday? A: Because people kept toasting him!

**God's Comfort: Genesis 1:20-23** 20 Then God said, "Let the waters abound with an abundance of living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the face of the firmament of the heavens." 21 So God created great sea creatures and every living thing that moves, with which the waters abounded, according to their kind, and every winged bird according to its kind. And God saw that it was good. 22 And God blessed them, saying, "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the waters in the seas, and let birds multiply on the earth." 23 So the evening and the morning were the fifth day.

## Quotes/Other Wisdom:

"Love is just a word, but you bring it definition." - Eminem

"The course of true love never did run smooth." - William Shakespeare

"All you need is love. But a little chocolate now and then doesn't hurt." - Charles M. Schulz

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