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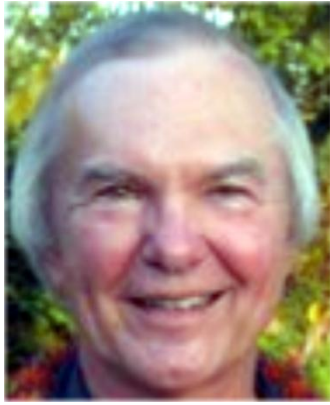
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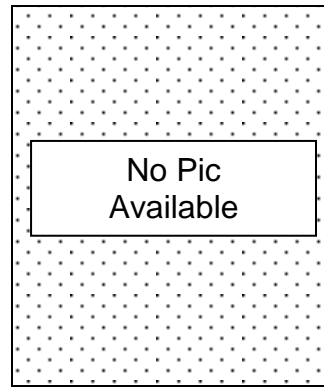
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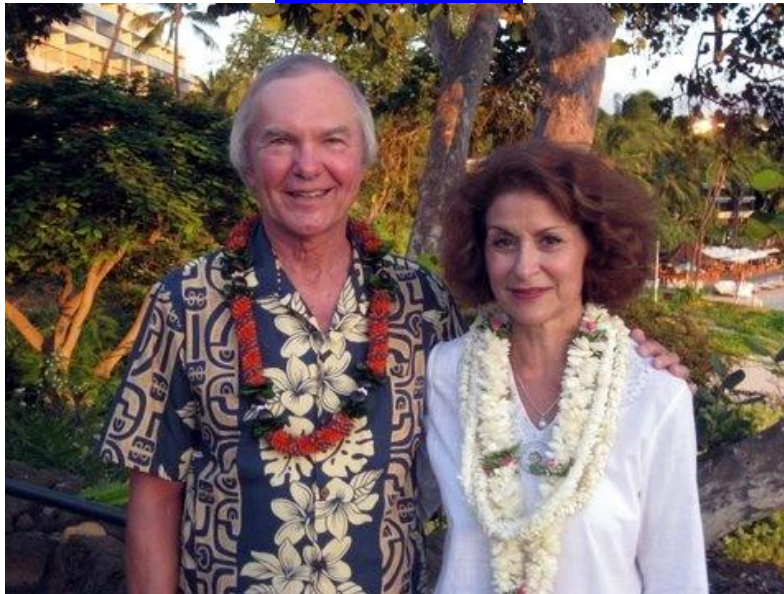
## CLASSMATE ACTIVITIES

### [Ann Meredith](#)



This is from our Boston vacation. Very seldom do the girls get to see one another as Kim is in San Diego and Pam in Boston, so it was a real treat. We were staying at the Liberty Hotel when the 20 inched of snow arrived. The Liberty was a jail in deplorable condition until 1991, A builder & architect saw its potential and renovated the facility. It opened in 2005 and is now a 4 diamond fabulous hotel! The snow was beautiful but a bit daunting. We shopped downtown till we dropped, ate at Regina's Pizza (highly recommended) and also enjoyed Mike's Pastries, the most famous Boston bakery. The restaurant in the hotel was also super. As you can see, we ate, shopped and just enjoyed being together as a family. Our 8 year old grandson Keillan, stayed in the room with us and loved his one on one with Grannie Annie and G Time!

### [David Braqunier](#)



My mother, who is 99, says that she can't believe that she has a son in his 70's. Well, I can't believe it either. The years have flown by and I've had a great time. The photo is of me and my wife Sara on the Big Island of Hawaii last August, where we celebrated her XX birthday. Our most recent trip was to the Southwest the first week of February, where they had all time record low temperatures. We visited my grandchildren in Albuquerque, NM and spent a couple of days in Scottsdale, AZ with classmate and best friend Walt DeLauder and his wife Sue. All the best to everyone!

***If you don't look at anything else in the newsletter, you must take a look at this video!! It was made for us.***

[http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vksdBSVAM6g&feature=player\\_embedded](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vksdBSVAM6g&feature=player_embedded)

A paraprosdokian is a figure of speech in which the latter part of a sentence or phrase is surprising or unexpected in a way that causes the reader or listener to reframe or reinterpret the first part. It is frequently used for humorous or dramatic effect.

- Ø I asked God for a bike, but I know God doesn't work that way. So I stole a bike and asked for forgiveness.
- Ø Do not argue with an idiot. He will drag you down to his level and beat you with experience.
- Ø Going to church doesn't make you a Christian any more than standing in a garage makes you a car.
- Ø The last thing I want to do is hurt you. But it's still on the list.
- Ø Light travels faster than sound. This is why some people appear bright until you hear them speak.
- Ø If I agreed with you, we'd both be wrong.
- Ø We never really grow up; we only learn how to act in public.
- Ø Knowledge is knowing a tomato is a fruit; Wisdom is not putting it in a fruit salad.
- Ø The early bird might get the worm, but the second mouse gets the cheese.
- Ø Evening news is where they begin with 'Good evening,' and then proceed to tell you why it isn't.
- Ø To steal ideas from one person is plagiarism. To steal from many is research.
- Ø A bus station is where a bus stops. A train station is where a train stops. My desk is a work station.
- Ø How is it one careless match can start a forest fire, but it takes a whole box to start a campfire?
- Ø Dolphins are so smart that within a few weeks of captivity, they can train people to stand on the very edge of the pool and throw them fish.
- Ø I thought I wanted a career; turns out I just wanted pay checks.
- Ø A bank is a place that will lend you money if you can prove that you don't need it.
- Ø Whenever I fill out an application, in the part that says "If an emergency, notify:" I put "DOCTOR."
- Ø I didn't say it was your fault, I said I was blaming you.
- Ø I saw a woman wearing a sweat shirt with "Guess" on it... So I said "Implants?"
- Ø Why does someone believe you when you say there are four billion stars, but check when you say the paint is wet?
- Ø Women will never be equal to men until they can walk down the street with a bald head and a beer gut and still think they are sexy.
- Ø Why do Americans choose from just two people to run for president and 50 for Miss America?
- Ø Behind every successful man is his woman. Behind the fall of a successful man is usually another woman.
- Ø A clear conscience is usually the sign of a bad memory.
- Ø You do not need a parachute to skydive. You only need a parachute to skydive twice.
- Ø The voices in my head may not be real, but they have some good ideas!
- Ø Always borrow money from a pessimist. He won't expect it back.
- Ø A diplomat is someone who can tell you to go to hell in such a way that you will look forward to the trip.
- Ø Hospitality: making your guests feel like they're at home, even if you wish they were.
- Ø Money can't buy happiness, but it sure makes misery easier to live with.
- Ø I discovered I scream the same way whether I'm about to be devoured by a great white shark or if a piece of seaweed touches my foot.
- Ø Some cause happiness wherever they go. Others whenever they go.
- Ø There's a fine line between cuddling and holding someone down so they can't get away.

- Ø I used to be indecisive. Now I'm not sure.
- Ø I always take life with a grain of salt... plus a slice of lemon... and a shot of tequila.
- Ø When tempted to fight fire with fire, remember that the Fire Department usually uses water.
- Ø You're never too old to learn something stupid.
- Ø To be sure of hitting the target, shoot first and call whatever you hit the target.
- Ø Nostalgia isn't what it used to be.
- Ø A bus is a vehicle that runs twice as fast when you are after it as when you are in it.
- Ø If you are supposed to learn from your mistakes, why do some people have more than one child?
- Ø Change is inevitable, except from a vending machine.

## COMEDY CORNER

### My 1 day employment



So after landing my new job as a Wal-Mart greeter,  
a good find for many retirees, I lasted less than a day....

About two hours into my first day on the job a very loud,  
unattractive, mean-acting woman walked into the store with her  
two kids, yelling obscenities at them all the way through the entrance.

I said pleasantly, 'Good morning and welcome to WalMart.

Nice children you have there. Are they twins?'

The ugly woman stopped yelling long enough to say,  
'They ain't twins. The oldest one's 9, and the other one's 7.

Why would you think they're twins? Are you blind, or stupid?'

So I replied, 'I'm neither blind nor stupid, Ma'am, I just couldn't believe someone slept with you twice.

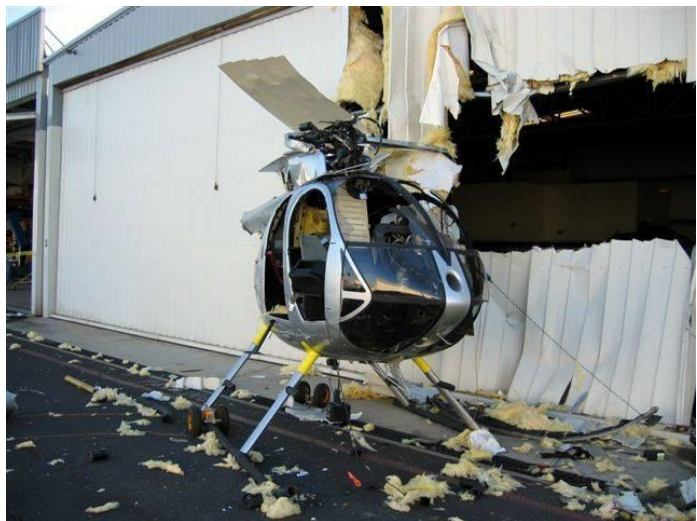
Have a good day and thank you for shopping at Wal-Mart.'

My supervisor said I probably wasn't cut out for this line of work.

### How's Your Day Going?













**What Starts with F and ends with K?**

A first-grade teacher, Ms Brooks, was having trouble with one of her students. The teacher asked, 'Harry, what's your problem?'

Harry answered, 'I'm too smart for the 1st grade. My sister is in the 3rd grade and I'm smarter than she is! I think I should be in the 3rd grade too!'

Ms.. Brooks had enough. She took Harry to the principal's office.

While Harry waited in the outer office, the teacher explained to the principal what the situation was. The principal told Ms. Brooks he would give the boy a test. If he failed to answer any of his questions he was to go back to the 1st grade and behave. She agreed.

Harry was brought in and the conditions were explained to him and he agreed to take the test.

Principal:

'What is 3 x 3?'

Harry: '9.'

Principal:

'What is 6 x 6?'

Harry: '36.'

And so it went with every question the principal thought a 3rd grader should know.

The principal looks at Ms. Brooks and tells her, 'I think Harry can go to the 3rd grade'

Ms. Brooks says to the principal, 'Let me ask him some questions..'

The principal and Harry both agreed.

Ms.. Brooks asks, 'What does a cow have four of that I have only two of?'

Harry, after a moment: 'Legs.'

Ms Brooks: 'What is in your pants that you have but I do not have?'



The principal wondered why would she ask such a question!

Harry replied: 'Pockets.'

Ms. Brooks: 'What does a dog do that a man steps into?'

Harry: 'Pants.'

The principal sat forward with his mouth hanging open.

Ms. Brooks: 'What goes in hard and pink then comes out soft and sticky?'

The principal's eyes opened really wide and before he could stop the answer, Harry replied, 'Bubble gum.'

Ms. Brooks: 'What does a man do standing up, a woman does sitting down and a dog does on three legs?'

Harry: 'Shake hands.'

The principal was trembling.

Ms.. Brooks: 'What word starts with an 'F' and ends in 'K' that means a lot of heat and excitement?'

Harry: 'Firetruck.'

The principal breathed a sigh of relief and told the teacher, 'Put Harry in the fifth-grade, I got the last seven questions wrong...'



### *Larry's Favorite Animal*

Our teacher asked us what our favorite animal was, and I said, "Fried chicken."

She said I wasn't funny, but she couldn't have been right, because everyone else in the class laughed. My parents told me to always be truthful and honest, and I am. Fried chicken is my favorite animal.

I told my dad what happened, and he said my teacher was probably a member of PETA. He said they love animals very much.

I do, too, especially chicken, pork and beef. Anyway, my teacher sent me to the principal's office. I told him what happened, and he laughed, too. Then he told me not to do it again.

The next day in class my teacher asked me what my favorite live animal was.

I told her it was chicken. She asked me why, just like she'd asked the other children. So I told her it was because you could make them into fried chicken.

**She sent me back to the principal's office again. He laughed, and told me not to do it again.**

**I don't understand. My parents taught me to be honest, but my teacher doesn't like it when I am.**

**Today, my teacher asked us to tell her what famous person we admire most.**

**I told her, "Colonel Sanders." Guess where I am now...**