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EVERYTHING IS GOING ACCORDING TO PLAN J.



THE CALENDAR HAD OTHER PLANS.

I hope you all are having a great Summer. As we move into Fall, I am quickly reminded of my goal date of October 1st to complete the book.

And while I am ever the optimist, pragmatism and reality have a way of slapping some sense into me.

Never fear great progress is being made, new illustrations are drawn daily. But, given the scope and desire to create the best work, I think the date is far too optimistic (probably by about three months).

Rather than rush the finish line, I've decided to give the project the time it deserves. After all, many of you entrusted me with your wonderful work, and I'd much rather deliver the best anthology possible than simply the fastest one.

That said, believe me when I say I'm just as eager as you are to finally hold this book in my hands.



EMAIL WOES: THE BUGS STRIKE AGAIN

If you haven't noticed, I have been having issues with email. I hear through the grapevine that people are not getting the updates or responses to emails. On my end, I don't always receive them; I've had entire batches get kicked back, and others may still be floating in the ether. So I needed a solution.

If you are reading this, then my plan has worked for the most part.

I will now, for communication's sake, be posting the Silly News Updates on the www.SillySociety.org website.

So if you need information, please go there. I am trying to figure it out with GoDaddy my web/email host. The problem may be that I am using GoDaddy for email, which uses Microsoft 365 Exchange, and it is being sent out through my Apple Mail. I am not a tech person, so it has all been very frustrating. But, none of this has been life-threatening, just inconvenient.

In the meantime, if you want to send me a direct message via Facebook: @eepspace or Instagram: @eepfineart or, if you feel so bold, via text 1 (951) 833-3519, I promise I will respond a **bit faster** than never.

And for that matter, please feel free to Follow or Friend Request.



SILLIZENS... YOU'RE IN AMAZING COMPANY!

The complete contributor list accompanies this update. Take a few minutes to browse the names. I think you'll recognize some familiar faces, discover some new favorites, and realize just how remarkable this collection has become.

When I first dreamed up this anthology, I had high hopes. You all managed to exceed them.

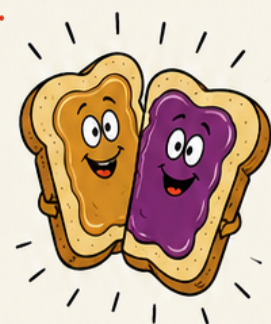
Together
we're sillier!

WE ACCIDENTALLY DID THE MATH.

If you recall, our plan was to include "High-Cuckoos" and Marginally Good Puns. The HCs were going to be across the top of the page and the MGPs along the outside margin. That was sheer genius. Creativity not seen since somebody added jelly to a peanut butter sandwich.

However, it would have required 200-plus of each. Now I figured I'd fill in the numbers with whatever was lacking. Again, overly optimistic, I received 25 very nice High-Cuckoos. If we want the book out before 2030, I don't think I'll attempt all 175 of them.

So... we improvise, adapt, and overcome. Both HCs and MGPs will be featured, but they will likely be grouped together at various intervals throughout the book, rather than being featured in the margins or at the top of the page.



A NOTE ABOUT TRAVEL



I will be traveling for about 6 weeks in October/November. I hope to see some of you at Boyd's Mills in November. I will also be in the New England area a couple of weeks before then, if anyone is interested in meeting up, if schedule permits.

**BASICALLY...
I'LL BE ALL OVER
THE UNITED STATES!**

FEEL FREE TO REACH OUT!



**NEXT UPDATE:
LOOK FOR IT ON
OCTOBER 1, 2026**



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