

**Nuggets of Fun and Nostalgia for Treasure Valley Golden-Agers**

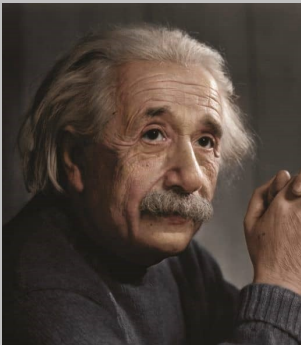
## Do You Know Where You Are Going?

In January 2000, leaders in Charlotte, North Carolina, invited their favorite son, Billy Graham, to a luncheon in his honor.

Billy initially hesitated to accept the invitation because he struggled with Parkinson's disease. But the Charlotte leaders said, "We don't expect a major address. Just come and let us honor you." So he agreed.



After wonderful things were said about him, Dr. Graham stepped to the rostrum, looked at the crowd, and said, "I'm reminded today of Albert Einstein, the great physicist who this month has been honored by Time Magazine as the 'Man of the Century.'



"Einstein was once traveling from Princeton on a train when the conductor came down the aisle, punching the tickets of every passenger. When he came to Einstein, Einstein reached in his vest pocket. He couldn't find his ticket, so he reached in his trouser pockets. It wasn't there, so he looked in his briefcase but couldn't find it. Then he looked in the seat beside him. He still couldn't find it.

"The conductor said, 'Dr. Einstein, I know who you are. We all know who you are. I'm sure you bought a ticket. Don't worry about it.'

*(Continued on page 2)*

### *Love is...*

There is only one happiness in this life—to love and be loved.  
- *George Sand*

For it was not into my ear you whispered, but into my heart. It was not my lips you kissed, but my soul.  
- *Judy Garland*

Love is our true destiny. We do not find the meaning of life by ourselves alone, we find it with another.  
- *Thomas Merton*

All you need is love. But a little chocolate now and then doesn't hurt.  
- *Charles Schultz*

A guy knows he's in love when he loses interest in his car for a few days.  
- *Tim Allen*

People should fall in love with their eyes closed and their hearts open.  
- *Anonymous*



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1. If the No. 2 pencil is the most popular, why is it still No. 2?
2. Why do we press harder on the remote control when we know the batteries are getting weak?
3. What was the best thing BEFORE sliced bread?



4. Why do we drive on parkways and park on drive-ways?
5. Why do "fat chance" and "slim chance" mean the same thing?
6. When does it stop being partly cloudy and start being partly sunny?
7. Why are you "in" a movie, but "on" TV?
8. On a plane, which armrest is yours?
9. Why do people say "heads up" when you should duck?
10. Why do we "help out" but "give in?"

### Do You Know Where You Are Going? *(Continued from page 1)*

"Einstein nodded appreciatively. The conductor continued down the aisle punching tickets. As he was ready to move to the next car, he turned around and saw the great physicist down on his hands and knees looking under his seat for his ticket.

"The conductor rushed back and said, 'Dr. Einstein, Dr. Einstein, don't worry, I know who you are No problem. You don't need a ticket. I'm sure you bought one.'

Einstein looked at him and said, 'Young man, I too, know who I am. What I don't know is where I'm going.'"

Having said that, Billy Graham continued, "See the suit I'm wearing? It's a brand new suit. My children, and my grandchildren are telling me I've gotten a little slovenly in my old age. I used to be a bit more fastidious. So I went out and bought a new suit for this luncheon and one more occasion.

"You know what that occasion is? This is the suit in which I'll be buried. But when you hear I'm dead, I don't want you to immediately remember the suit I'm wearing. I want you to remember this: I not only know who I am... I also know where I'm going."

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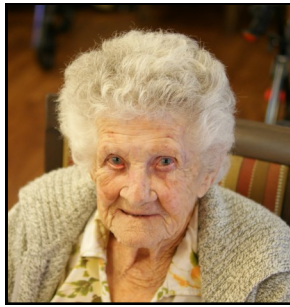


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## Milestones



Frann Richardson  
Feb 20, 1918—101 years  
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Peggy Nelson  
Feb 29, 1920—99 years  
Nampa Sunnyridge



Bertha Mullin  
Feb 26, 1921—98 years  
Melba Valley Senior Center



Verda Allen  
Feb 16, 1923—96 years  
Nampa Park Place



Lucille Tabor  
Feb 16, 1924—95 years  
Nampa Sunnyridge



Ruby Gray  
Feb 24, 1925—94 years  
Nampa Park Place

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Lassie                      | 1954-1973 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Starsky and Hutch           | 1975-1979 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dukes of Hazzard            | 1979-1985 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The Muppet Show             | 1976-1981 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bonanza                     | 1959-1973 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The Brady Bunch             | 1969-1974 |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Kojak                       | 1973-1978 |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Laverne & Shirley           | 1976-1983 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The Odd Couple              | 1970-1974 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bewitched                   | 1964-1972 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Happy Days                  | 1974-1984 |
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A Dozen Thanks



One day a florist went to a barber for a haircut. Afterward, when he tried to pay, the barber replied, "I can't accept money from you today. I'm doing community service this week."

The florist was pleased and left. The next morning, the barber received a thank you note and a dozen roses from the florist.

Later, a cop comes in for a haircut, and when he tried to pay, the barber said, "I can't take your money—I'm doing community service this week."

The cop was happy and left. The next morning the barber received a thank you note from the cop and a dozen doughnuts!

Then a Congressman came in for a haircut. When he went to pay his bill, the barber said, "I can't take your money today. I'm doing community service this week." The Congressman was very happy and left.

The next morning when the barber went to open his shop, there were a dozen Congressmen lined up for a free haircut.

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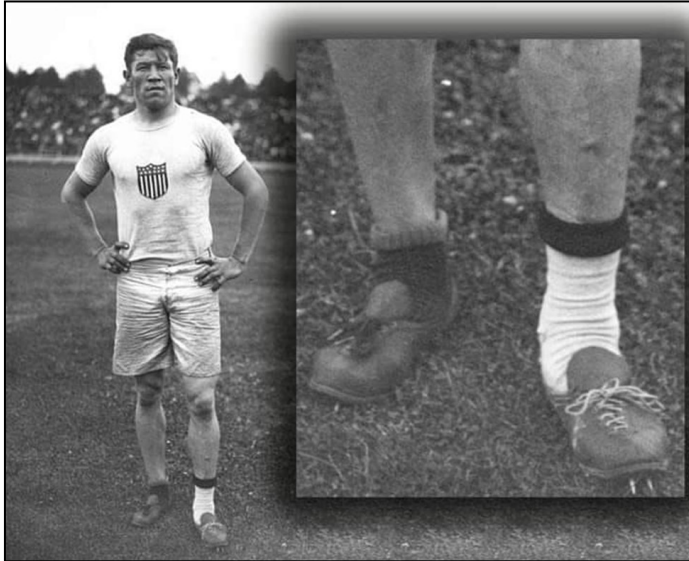
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## Jim Thorpe, All-American



This is Jim Thorpe. Look closely at the photo, you can see that he's wearing different socks and shoes. This wasn't a fashion statement.

It was the 1912 Olympics, and Jim, an American Indian from Oklahoma represented the U.S. in track and field.

On the morning of his competitions, his shoes were stolen. Luckily, Jim ended up finding two shoes in a garbage can. That's the pair that he's wearing in the photo. But one of the shoes was too big, so he had to wear an extra sock. Wearing these shoes, Jim won two gold medals that day.

This is a perfect reminder that you don't have to resign to the excuses that have held you back. So what if life hasn't been fair? What are you going to do about it today?

Whatever you woke up with this morning; stolen shoes, ill health, failed relationships, don't let it stop you from running your race.

You can experience more in life if you'll get over the excuses and get on with living. You can have reasons or you can have results and you can't have both.

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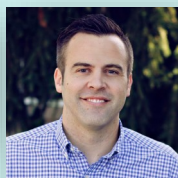
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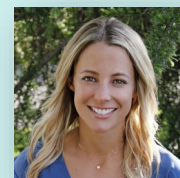
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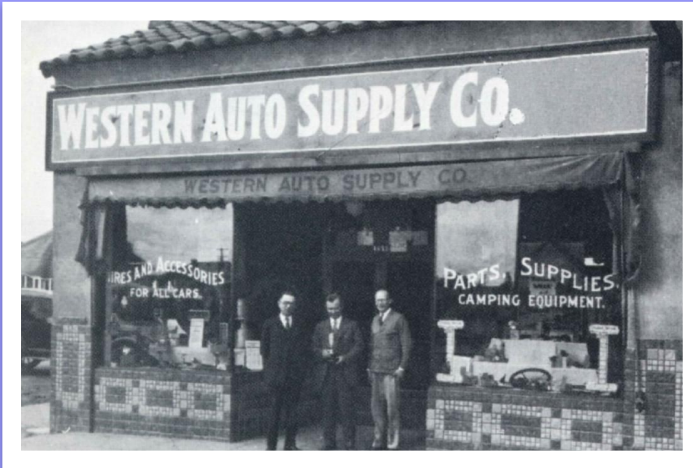
Roses are red  
 Mornings are hard  
 I'm not a poet  
 Coffee!

Roses are red  
 Coffee is brown  
 If I don't have coffee  
 You won't want me around!

Roses are red  
 Violets are purple  
 Sugar is sweet  
 So is maple serpel



## You Auto Know These!



Times have changed!



➔ Ahead of its time!



Honk if you know someone who needs this.



# Grace

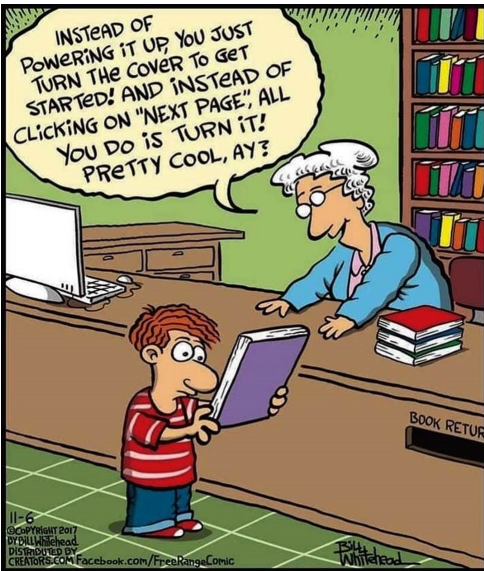
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**"I have never let my schooling interfere with my education."**

- Mark Twain



## Dr. Goodfellow and the \$1,000 Cure

Mervin Goodfellow, an old geezer who had been a retired farmer for a long time, became very bored and decided to open a medical clinic. He put a sign up outside that said: Dr. Goodfellow's clinic. "Get your treatment for \$500, if not cured get back 1,000."

Young Harvey Smedlap, who was positive that this old geezer didn't know beans about medicine, thought this would be a great opportunity to get \$1,000. So he went to Dr. Goodfellow's clinic.

*This is what transpired:*

**Harvey:** --- "Dr. Goodfellow, I have lost all taste in my mouth. Can you please help me?"

**Dr. Goodfellow:** --- "Nurse, please bring medicine from box 22 and put 3 drops in Harvey's mouth."

**Harvey:** --- "Aaagh !! This is Gasoline!"

**Dr. Goodfellow:** "Congratulations! You've got your taste back. That will be \$500."

Harvey gets annoyed and goes back after a couple of days figuring to recover his money.

**Harvey:** "I have lost my memory, I cannot remember anything."

**Dr. Goodfellow:** "Nurse, please bring medicine from box 22 and put 3 drops in the patient's mouth."

**Harvey:** "Oh no you don't, -- that's Gasoline!"

**Dr. Goodfellow:** "Congratulations! You've got your memory back. That will be \$500."

Harvey (after having lost \$1000) leaves angrily and comes back after several more days.

**Harvey:** "My eyesight has become weak --- I can hardly see !!!!"

**Dr. Goodfellow:** "Well, I don't have any medicine for that so -- here's your \$1000 back."

**Harvey:** "But this is only \$500..."

**Dr. Goodfellow:** "Congratulations! You got your vision back! That will be \$500."

*Moral of the story -- Just because you're young doesn't mean that you can outsmart an old geezer!!*

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### He's Losing It

As a trucker stops at a red light, a lady catches up. She jumps out of her car, runs up to his truck, and knocks on the door. The trucker lowers the window, and she says "Hi, I'm Heather and you're losing some of your load."

The trucker ignores her and proceeds down the street. When the truck stops for another red light, the girl catches up again. She jumps out of her car, runs up and knocks on the door.

The trucker lowers the window and the young lady says brightly, "Hi, my name is Heather, and you are losing some of your load!"

Shaking his head, the trucker ignores her again and continues down the street. At the third red light, the same thing happens again. All out of breath, the girl gets out of her car, runs up, knocks on the truck door. The trucker lowers the window.

Again she says "Hi, my name is Heather, and you are losing some of your load!"

When the light turns green the trucker revs up and races to the next light.

When he stops this time, he hurriedly gets out of the truck, and runs back to the young lady's car. He knocks on her window, and as she lowers it, he says "Hi, my name is Kevin, it's winter in Idaho and I'm driving a SALT TRUCK!"

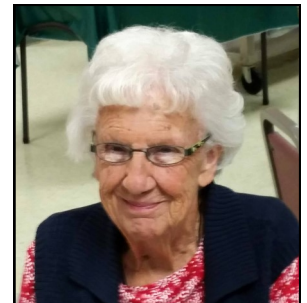
## Milestones



Maxine Rasey  
Feb 21, 1926—93 years  
Nampa Senior Center



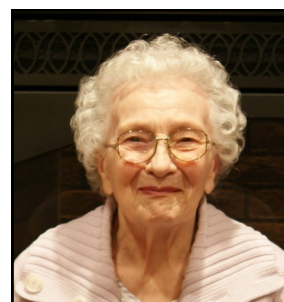
June Shaner  
Feb 24, 1927—92 years  
Caldwell Senior Center



Dolores Harrison  
Jan 11, 1928—91 years  
Caldwell Senior Center



Mae Howell  
Feb 27, 1929—90 years  
Caldwell Senior Center



Afton Wilde  
Feb 5, 1929—90 years  
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Carol Ann Atagi  
Jan 26, 1949—70 years  
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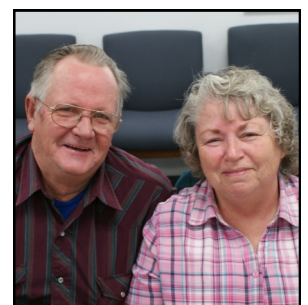


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