

Nuggets of Fun and Nostalgia for Treasure Valley Golden-Agers

Ladies: Wait to Marry This Man

Growing up I was always told....

- Be the man who brings her flowers to work.
- Be the man who always opens the door for her.
- Be the man who buys her gifts to show how much I care.

But what you're never told, is to wait for the man who does things for you in silence. The things that almost go unnoticed because they weren't flashy, expensive, or done in front of others for the public eye to see.

What I should have been told was this....

- Be the man who gives her affection without sexual expectation.
- Be the man to apologize when you're wrong.
- Be the man who invests his time in her.
- Be the man who stays true to his character.
- Be the man who listens to her.
- Be the man who protects her.



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SO LONG, JANUARY

COUNT THE DAYS:

Thirty days has September.
 April, June and November.
 Unless a leap year is its fate,
 February has twenty-eight.
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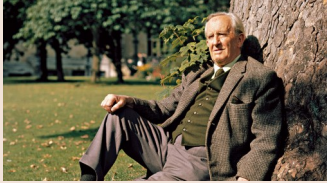


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“All that is gold does not glitter, not all those who wander are lost; the old that is strong does not wither, deep roots are not reached by the frost. From the ashes a fire shall be woken, a light from the shadows shall spring; renewed shall be blade that is broken, the crownless again shall be king.”

WILL ROGERS

“Good judgment comes from experience. And a lot of that comes from bad judgment.”

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- Be the man who doesn't mind hurting other women's feelings to protect hers.
- Be the man who wakes up every day looking for new ways to love her.
- Be the man who goes to church with her on Sunday morning.
- Be the man who continuously shows effort.
- Be the man who wakes up every morning and says “Good Morning” to her while gently kissing her forehead.
- Be the man who refuses to entertain any woman that isn't her.
- Be the man who stays true to his intentions.
- Be the man who respects her wishes.
- Be the man to ask her how her day was, and genuinely care about the answer.
- Be the man who makes her a priority rather than an option.
- Be the man who knows it's not about giving her the world but making her feel like she's the only one in it.



Take my advice - and wait for the man that will never let you go to sleep at night wondering if you still matter.

~ Cody Bret



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“How Do I Love Thee?”

by ELIZABETH BARRETT
BROWNING

How do I love thee? Let me count the ways.
I love thee to the depth and breadth and height
My soul can reach, when feeling out of sight
For the ends of Being and ideal Grace.
I love thee to the level of every day's
Most quiet need, by sun and candlelight.
I love thee freely, as men strive for Right;
I love thee purely, as they turn from Praise.
I love with a passion put to use
In my old griefs, and with my childhood's faith.
I love thee with a love I seemed to lose
With my lost saints,—I love thee with the breath,
Smiles, tears, of all my life!—and, if God choose,
I shall but love thee better after death.



We Are a Special Generation

- A generation who walked to school and back
- A generation who did our homework first so we could get outside to play ASAP.
- A generation who spent all our free time outside
- A generation who played hide and seek until dark
- A generation who played in the mud
- A generation who collected sports cards
- A generation who found and returned empty pop bottles to the grocery store for 5 cents each.
- A generation who made our own toys out of blocks of wood
- A generation who collected photos and newspaper clippings in albums
- A generation who bought vinyl records to play on record players.
- A generation who played board games on rainy days
- A generation whose TV went off at midnight after playing the national anthem.
- A generation who laughed under the covers so our parents wouldn't know we were still awake.
- A generation that is passing and will likely never return



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I let my husband label the spices, and this happened:



Dad, trying to get his 10-year-old son up to go to school: "Time to get up! The early bird gets the worm!"

Son: "The early bird can have it, 'cuz worms are gross and mornings are stupid!"

Word Twisters

- A chicken crossing the road is poultry in motion.
- I thought I saw an eye doctor when I lived on an Alaskan island, but he turned out to be an optical Aleutian.
- My teacher confiscated my rubber band gun in algebra class—she claimed it was a weapon of math disruption.
- The butcher accidentally baked into the meat grinder and got a little behind in his work.
- A dog gave birth to puppies alongside the road and was cited for littering.
- There was an explosion in a kitchen in Paris—the result was linoleum blownapart.
- Two silkworms had a race. They ended up in a tie.
- A backwards poet writes inverse.
- Two cannibals ate a missionary and got a taste of religion.
- No matter how much you push the envelope, it will still be stationery.

I named my dog "Six Miles" so I can tell my friends I walk 6 miles every morning!

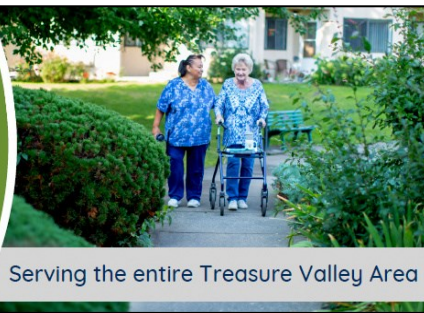
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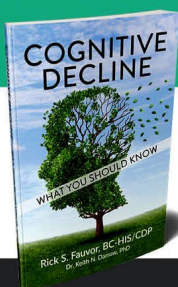
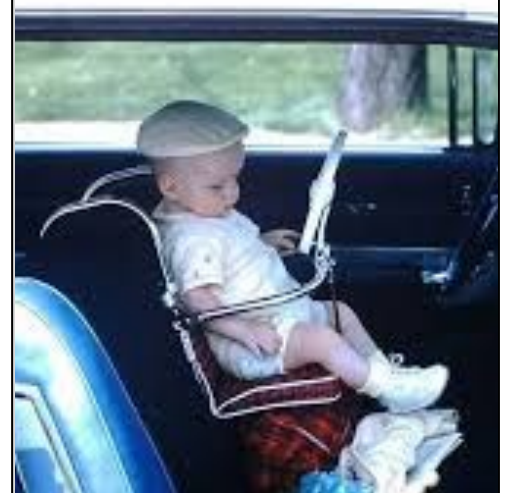


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"And what about your current husband?" asked the reporter.

"Oh, he's an undertaker," she replied.

"Those are four very diverse careers," he remarked.

"Yes," she replied. "I married one for the money, two for the show, three to get ready, and four to go!"

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definition of "maturity." My
copy has become worn and
tattered. Any chance you would
print it again?

- **Helen Rezendes,**
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Dear Helen: I'm pleased to
print it again. My mother is a
wise woman.

"Maturity is:

- The ability to stick with a
job until it's finished.
- The ability to do a job
without being supervised.
- The ability to carry money
without spending it.
- And the ability to bear an
injustice without wanting to get
even."

**One way to find out
if you are old is to fall
down in front of a lot
of people. If they
laugh, you're still
young. If they panic
and start running to
you, you're old.**

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"Yes, I am here," she answers.
"Are all my children here?"
"Yes, dad, we are all here."
"Are my grandchildren here?"
"Yes, grandpa, we are all here."
"Then why is the light in the kitchen still on?"

I saw an ad for a coffin
and thought to myself,
"That's the last thing
I need!"

So Much in Love Are We

You and I are in love
So when you laugh,
I laugh.
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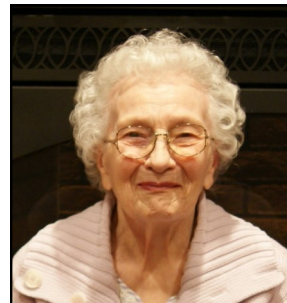
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