

## 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.  
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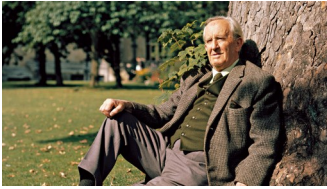


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“All that is gold does not glitter, not all those who wander are lost; the old that is strong does not wither, deep roots are not reached by the frost. From the ashes a fire shall be woken, a light from the shadows shall spring; renewed shall be blade 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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Irish Springer, a dog fresh and clean as mountain air

### Bloodhound + Labrador

Blabrador, a dog that barks incessantly

### Malamute + Pointer

Moot Point, a dog...oh, well, it doesn't matter anyway

### Collie + Malamute

Commute, a dog that travels to work with you

### Deerhound + Terrier



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"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."

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You and I are so in love -  
 So when you laugh,  
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 You scream, I scream.  
 You run, I run.  
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 You jump off a bridge  
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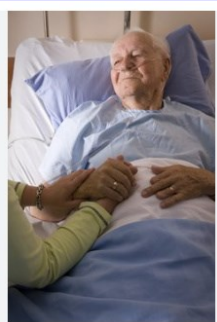
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Dad, trying to get his 10-year-old son up to go to school:

"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!"



An old man is lying in his bed dying. With a very weak voice he asks, "Is my wife here?"  
 "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?"

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