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OneDeSoto Wellness Employee Health Clinic is *Officially Open!*



We are excited to announce that our Employee Health Clinic is here! Over the past few weeks, our new employee clinic has come to life, creating a convenient resource dedicated to supporting the health and wellness of our #TeamDeSoto family.

This week, virtual appointments are now available for staff, providing easy access to care and support when you need it most. We are grateful for this new opportunity to invest in the people who care for our students every day. Thank you to everyone who helped bring this vision to life!

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- ✓ Thoughtfully designed brick home with a spacious, open layout
- ✓ Updated kitchen with granite, abundant cabinets, eat-in bar, and gas stove
- ✓ Great room with a working wood fireplace
- ✓ Primary suite with walk-in closet & beautifully updated bath (dual sinks & tiled shower)
- ✓ Large laundry room with full bath, desk area & pantry storage
- ✓ Newer laminate floors & stainless-steel appliances
- ✓ 12'x26' in-ground pool with 50'x20' screened deck
- ✓ Fenced area with doggie door for your furry friend
- ✓ Two A/C units (one new in 2025)
- ✓ Tankless water heater
- ✓ Newer water softener system (also connected to grill)
- ✓ Gas line to grill
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SHOPPER
DeSoto County's Weekly Publication

NOVEMBER 17, 2026

The Arcadia Local Newspaper Distribution Locations

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Arcadia Do-It-Best Hardware
Arcadia Municipal Airport
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Arcadia Post Office
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Printed issues are released each week on Tuesday:

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- **Camera-ready ads: Fridays, 4pm**
- **Copy and graphics for ads requiring design: Wednesdays, 5pm**
- **Classified Ads: Thursdays, 5pm**

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NEW HOUSE ON THE BLOCK

All done but the plantings!! Brand new home beginning with 1481 sq st living area and 1989 sq ft total. This home has 3 bedrooms and 2 bathrooms, an open kitchen with breakfast bar, nice size pantry, granite tops and plenty of cabinets and, the kitchen area adjoins the very spacious dining area and that flows into the living room. There is a convenient Utility room that also houses THE ON DEMAND HOT WATER UNIT and washer/dryer hook up's. The Primary bedroom has it's own private, all modern bath with shower and a big walk in closet and large vanity. The 2nd and 3rd bedrooms are nice sized as well with roomy closets. This entire home has the same beautiful engineered " wood look" flooring thru out so each space in the entire home just flows nicely. There is a two car garage with room for storage cabinets or shelving to sit your needs. Call and schedule your first look at this beautiful brand new home.





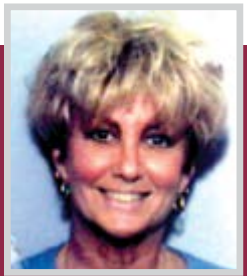








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ARREST REPORT **10/30/26 - 11/5/26**

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SHERIFF'S OFFICE

BOLSTEIN, MADIX JAMES:
Aggrav Battery - Aggrav Battery With A Deadly Weapon; Moving Traffic Viol - Reckless Driving 1st Off; Neglect Child - Neglect Child Without Great Bodily Harm

CARR, JACOB NATHANIEL RANDY:
Amphetamine-Traffic - Traffic In METH/AMPHETAMINE 14 Grams+; Drugs-Possess - Inmate Poss Ctrl Sub Define 893.02(4) Cor Inst

CASIMIRO-VAZQUEZ, JOSE HERIMINO:
Moving Traffic Viol - Driv While LIC Suspend Revocation Equiv Status

COMADORE, KARL LEE:
Moving Traffic Viol - Drive While LIC Susp Habitual Offender

COSTON, RODNEY ONEAL:
Prob Violation - Prob Violation

DAVILA, CHRISTINA LINDA:
Moving Traffic Viol - Dwlsr Revocation Equiv Status 2nd Subs Off

ESPINOZA-BACILIO, CLAUDIA:
Battery - Touch Or Strike

FEISTER, MICHAEL ALAN:
Drug Equip-Possess - Drug Equip-Possess: And Or Use; Possession Of Weapon - Or Ammo By Convicted Fla Felon (x7); Possession Of Weapon - Or Ammo Viol Final Inj DV Stalk Cyberstalk

GAME, AUSTIN LEVI:
Out-of-County Warrant - Out-of-County Warrant

GONZALEZ, DAVID ORTIZ:
Drug Equip-Possess - Drug Equip-Possess: And Or Use; Drugs-Possess - Possess Controlled Substance W/O Prescription; Out-of-County Warrant - Out-of-County Warrant

JAUREGUI, MICHAEL:
Moving Traffic Viol - Driv While LIC Suspend Revocation Equiv Status

KARTELS, DMITRIJS:
Disturbing Peace - Breach Of The Peace

LATTIMORE, ALEXANDER ROSHAD:
Drug Equip-Possess - Drug Equip-Possess: And Or Use; Drugs-Possess - Possess Controlled Substance W/O Prescription

LAURIA JR., ANGELO:
Cruelty Toward Child - Abuse Child Without Great Bodily Harm; Neglect Child - Neglect Child Without Great Bodily Harm

LEWIS, CHRISTOPHER KYLE:
Out-of-County Warrant - Out-of-County Warrant; Resist Officer - Obstruct Wo Violence

MCLENON, SUMMER NICKOL:
Moving Traffic Viol - Dwlsr Revocation Equiv Status 2nd Subs Off

MOORE, KAIRI MAE:
Cruelty Toward Child - Abuse Child Without Great Bodily Harm; Neglect Child - Neglect Child Without Great Bodily Harm

MORENO, CARLOS ALBERTO:
DUI-Unlaw Bld Alch - 0.15 Or Higher Or W Person Under 18 In Vehicle; Hit And Run - Leave Scene Of Crash Involve Damage To Prop; Moving Traffic Viol - Operate Motor Vehicle W/O Valid LIC 1st Conv

RIVERA, ELIJAH EMANUEL:
Battery - Touch Or Strike; Condit Release Violation - Pre Trial Release Cond Viol For Domest Viol

SUSTS, ANDRIS RAIMONDS:
Disturbing Peace - Breach Of The Peace

VASQUEZ, AGUSTIN:
Larc - Other Theft

VAZQUEZ, RIGOBERTO FELIPE:
Prob Violation - Prob Violation



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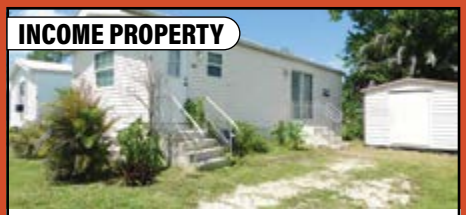
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SUNNYBREEZE



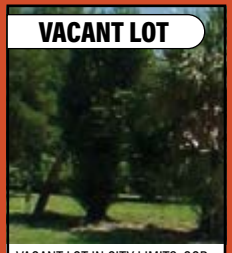
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VACANT LOT



VACANT LOT IN CITY LIMITS. CORNER OF MAGNOLIA ST (HWY 70 E) & MANATEE AVE. $59,000 L-450

RENTALS

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- **2BR/1BA DUPLEX**, LAUNDRY AREA, ALL TILE FLOORS $1,100 MO. CALL FOR INFORMATION.
- **3BR/1BA** IN CITY $1,450 MO.

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CONCRETE BLOCK



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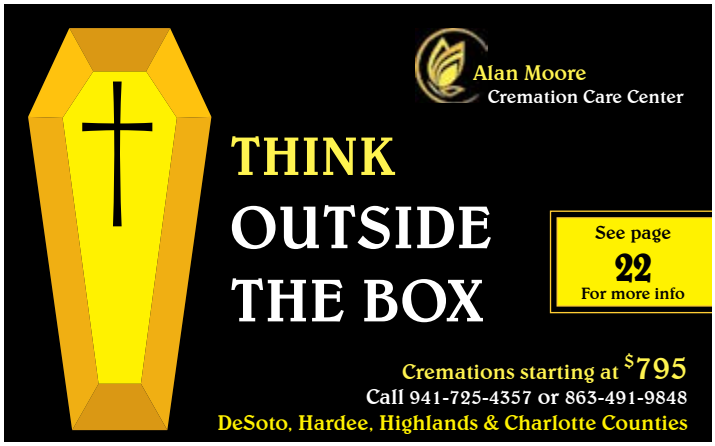
GUESS WHO ?

I am a comedic actor born in Canada on December 17, 1946. In high school I used humorous campaign posters to win the student council race. I've worked alongside fellow Canadians and am known for my thick eyebrows and glasses. My most iconic role was as an awkward dad in a movie about teenagers and virginity.

Answer: Eugene Levy



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CRYPTO FUN

Determine the code to reveal the answer!

Solve the code to discover words related to laughter.
Each number corresponds to a letter.
(Hint: 14 = **E**)

A. **10 2 20 14**
Clue: Funny saying

B. **5 13 9 9 16**
Clue: Humorous

C. **19 7 13 19 20 22 14**
Clue: Laugh slightly

D. **1 25 8 22 14**
Clue: Pleased expression

Answers: A. joke B. funny C. chuckle D. smile

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APPLIANCES

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Clue: Lawn plant

C. **2 4 22 16 8 17 4 24 13**
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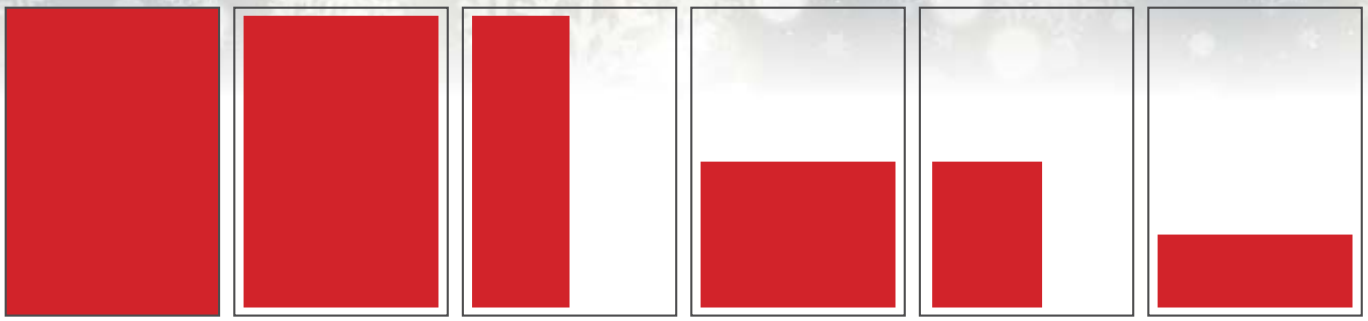
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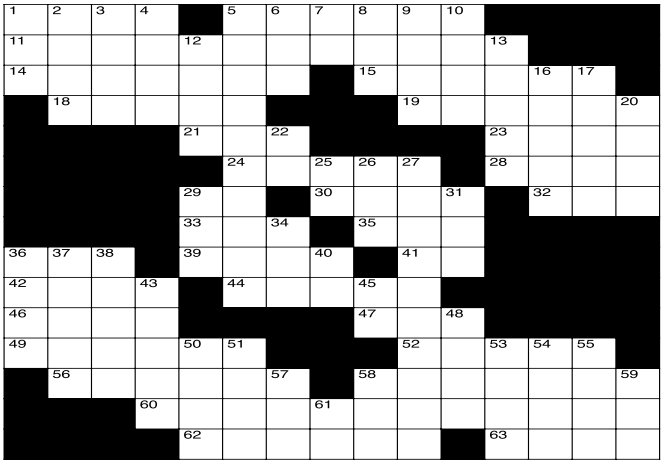
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	8				7			9
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	6							
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	7				3	4		5
				4		3	9	
				1		7		6

Level: Beginner

ANSWER:

6	2	3	4	5	9	1	7	8
4	8	5	1	2	7	6	3	9
7	9	1	3	6	8	5	2	4
3	6	9	2	8	4	5	1	7
2	1	8	6	7	5	9	4	3
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1	7	6	8	9	3	4	2	5
8	5	2	7	4	6	3	9	1
9	3	4	5	1	2	7	8	6



CLUES ACROSS

1. Dough made from corn flour
5. Rise
11. Gratitude
14. A low wall
15. Kidnap
18. A cup golfers want to win
19. Outgoing
21. "Partner" to flow
23. Former Michigan coach Brady
24. Proverb
28. Gasteyer and de Armas are two
29. Helps a body recover
30. Baseball Cy Young winner
32. Very fast airplane
33. Offensive baseball stat
35. Body of water
36. Record of one's heartbeat
39. Signs a contract
41. Atomic #24
42. Bind securely
44. French Jesuit theologian
46. Fragrant brown balsam
47. Post office box
49. Sells tickets at inflated prices
52. Places to hang coats
56. Jewish salutation
58. Yellow fruits
60. Poorly educated
62. Microorganism
63. Talk show host Barrymore

CLUES DOWN

1. A way to plan
2. Three-banded armadillo
3. Mobile
4. Romanian city
5. Making sour
6. Take a seat
7. "The Golden State"
8. When you hope to arrive
9. Pointed ends of pens
10. Extinct flightless bird
12. Sharp-pointed dueling sword
13. Nape of neck
16. Problems (Spanish slang)
17. Narrow carpet
20. To avoid the risk of
22. Spiritual academic degree (abbr.)
25. Equally
26. Traditional cars still need it
27. Eligible voters
29. Greek alphabet letter
31. Body part
34. Referee-declared outcome
36. Means to moving money
37. Popular footwear brand
38. Cockatoo
40. NFL's big game
43. Botswana currencies
45. News-reporting organization
48. Batman villain
50. Urgent request
51. Not all
53. Hallmark's specialty
54. Knot in a tree
55. Satisfy
57. Notable space station
58. Baby's dining accessory
59. Stitch clothing
61. __ and behold

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M	A	S	A	■	A	S	C	E	N	D	■	■	■	■
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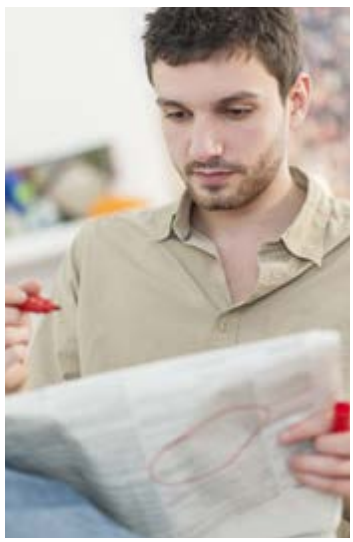
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Level: Intermediate

ANSWER:

8	7	9	1	6	2	3	5	4
6	5	4	9	8	3	1	2	7
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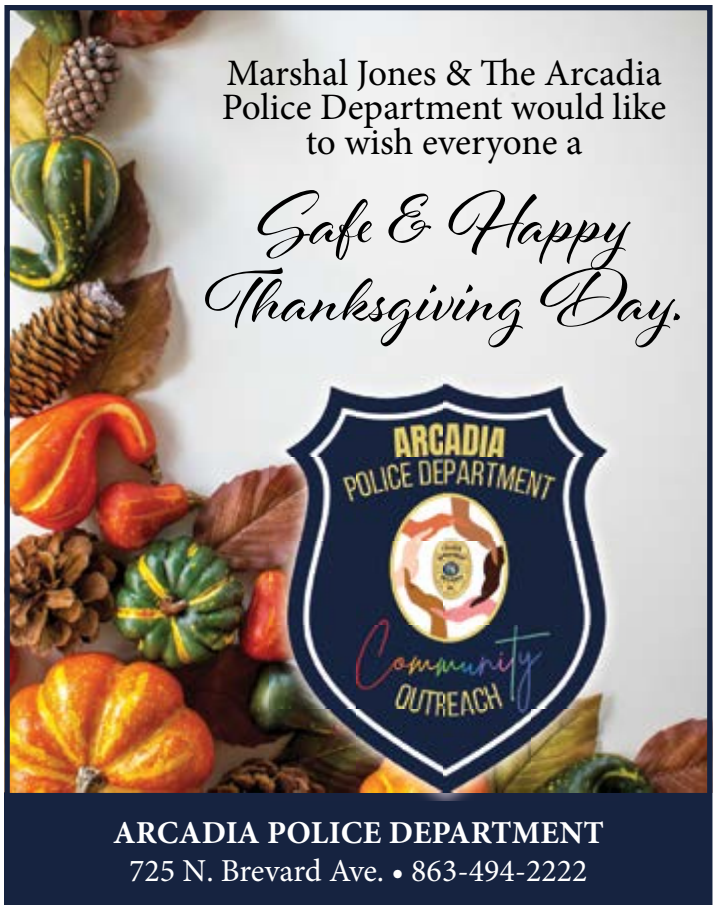
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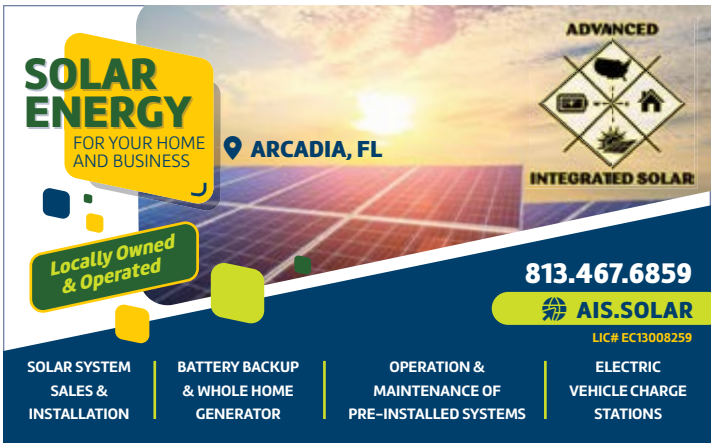
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L P I U P

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FELINE FUN WORD SEARCH

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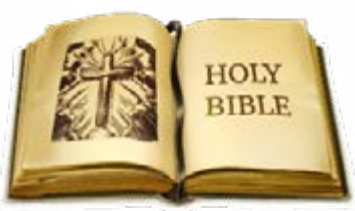
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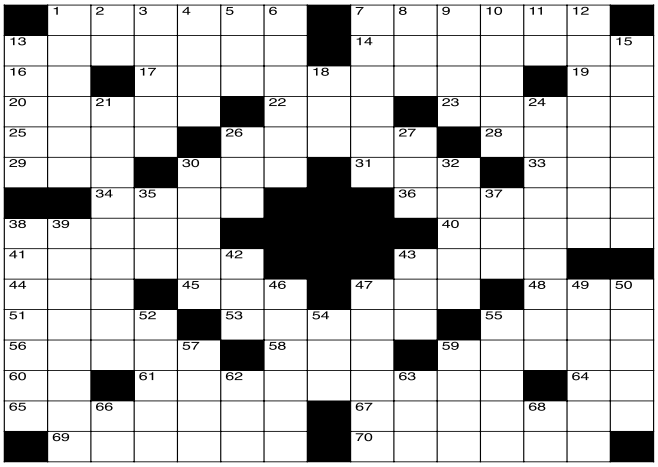
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23. Very willing
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26. Makes happy
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34. Company officer
36. Villains
38. Cricket frogs
40. Influential German psychologist
41. Endured
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44. You can get stuck in one
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48. Group of blood disorders (abbr.)
51. Employee stock ownership plan
53. Belonging to the bottom layer
55. Sound
56. MLB legend Hank
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9. Lay about
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18. Not in
21. Number above the line in a fraction
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26. Pouch
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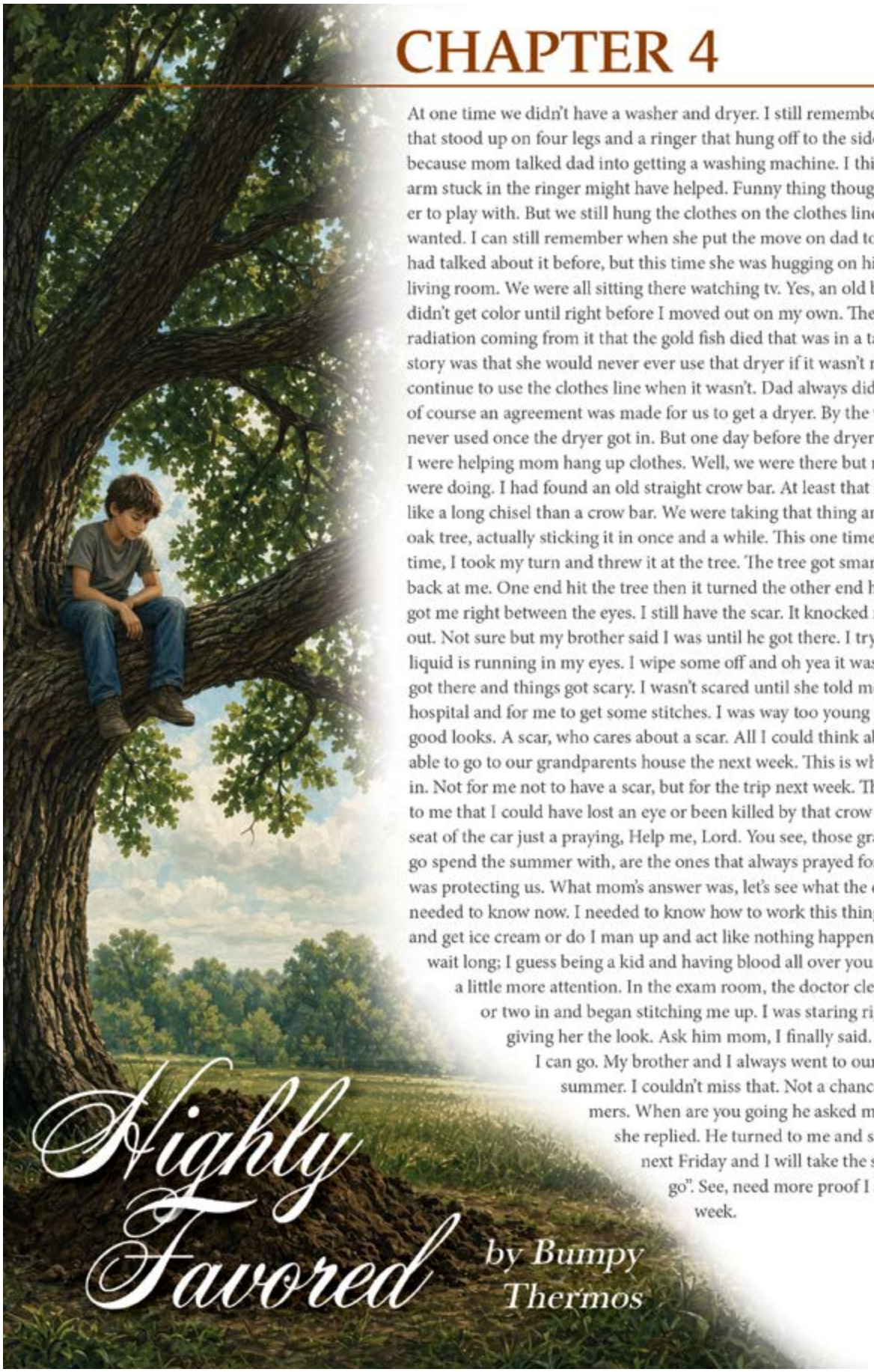


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CHAPTER 4

At one time we didn't have a washer and dryer. I still remember mom used a washer that stood up on four legs and a ringer that hung off to the side, but not for very long because mom talked dad into getting a washing machine. I think my sister getting her arm stuck in the ringer might have helped. Funny thing though we kept the old washer to play with. But we still hung the clothes on the clothes line. Not what momma wanted. I can still remember when she put the move on dad to get a dryer. Surely, they had talked about it before, but this time she was hugging on him on the couch in the living room. We were all sitting there watching tv. Yes, an old black and white one. We didn't get color until right before I moved out on my own. The color one had so much radiation coming from it that the gold fish died that was in a tank on top of it. Mom's story was that she would never ever use that dryer if it wasn't raining. That she would continue to use the clothes line when it wasn't. Dad always did really love my mom, so of course an agreement was made for us to get a dryer. By the way, the clothes line was never used once the dryer got in. But one day before the dryer got in, my brother and I were helping mom hang up clothes. Well, we were there but not sure how much we were doing. I had found an old straight crow bar. At least that is what I called it. More like a long chisel than a crow bar. We were taking that thing and throwing it at a big oak tree, actually sticking it in once and a while. This one time and obviously the last time, I took my turn and threw it at the tree. The tree got smart this time and threw it back at me. One end hit the tree then it turned the other end hit it and here it came. It got me right between the eyes. I still have the scar. It knocked me down and probably out. Not sure but my brother said I was until he got there. I try to sit up and some liquid is running in my eyes. I wipe some off and oh yea it was blood. Then my mom got there and things got scary. I wasn't scared until she told me we needed to go to the hospital and for me to get some stitches. I was way too young to worry about these good looks. A scar, who cares about a scar. All I could think about was would I be able to go to our grandparents house the next week. This is where the praying comes in. Not for me not to have a scar, but for the trip next week. The idea never occurred to me that I could have lost an eye or been killed by that crow bar. I was in the front seat of the car just a praying, Help me, Lord. You see, those grandparents I wanted to go spend the summer with, are the ones that always prayed for us. Telling us that God was protecting us. What mom's answer was, let's see what the doctor says. Doctor? I needed to know now. I needed to know how to work this thing. Do I go after the pity and get ice cream or do I man up and act like nothing happened. We didn't have to wait long; I guess being a kid and having blood all over you makes the hospital pay a little more attention. In the exam room, the doctor cleaned me up, put a shot or two in and began stitching me up. I was staring right at mom. You know, giving her the look. Ask him mom, I finally said. So now we will know if I can go. My brother and I always went to our grandparents for the summer. I couldn't miss that. Not a chance. I lived for the summers. When are you going he asked my mom. Next weekend she replied. He turned to me and said, "Bring the boy back next Friday and I will take the stitches out so he can go". See, need more proof I am blessed? Maybe next week.

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