Thoughts for 1989, Zerro's Second Round!

There is but one known way to balance the Federal Budget. It is done by lengthening the holidays of the legislators and shortening the sessions.

One of the things the world needs today is a bank that shows just a bit more appreciation when your account is underdrawn.

Retirement is when you have everything to do on your own time.

Those establishments which feature signs: "No Shoes, No Shirt, No Service," are setting themselves up for the customer who comes in wearing everything but pants and underwear.

To be known as prudent, reserve a few things to be done outdoors for days when the weather will not permit these activities.

The traditional two minute warning in games is given so that you can put the food in the microwave and finish cooking it just about the time the game is completed.

It takes someone with the intelligence of a vending machine to argue with one.

The difference between a cow chewing its cud and someone chewing bubble gum is that the cow has better manners than to blow bubbles with its cud.

Three of the most frightening alarms we can hear are fire, burglar, and wakeup.

Some folks say honesty is the best policy, while others say keeping your mouth shut is even better.

It is of some small consolation for you to know that we have survived every President the electorate has thrust upon us.

Some people vote in elections only to establish eligibility to complain about who got elected.

First there were low calorie drinks put on the market, and now, dry beer. The next step is selling you and empty container that simply credits your account with having tried to drink something.

The secret of a long and successful marriage can be found in an old Slobovian Proverb: Never wallpaper a room together.

If you can stand the aggravation of trying to get the kids to go out and shovel the snow, your heart is in good enough condition to go out and do it yourself.

Few things are less enjoyable than being old enough to know better.

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If most of us had it to do all over again, most of us would let someone else do part of it.

With recognition that you have forgotten some of the folks that worked for President Ronald What's-his-name, comes an awareness that you are in true need of a basic memory course.

Don't put in any time with Willie Horton visiting on weekends unless you can stand the publicity of appearing on a Republican ad for the Presidency of the United States.

If English does become the Official Language of the United States, will the mispronunciation of "Missouri" be a misdemeanor or a felony?

I don't care what happens to the salesperson on the other end of the line. I am not buying any more magazine subscriptions by telephone, no matter.

The only time to say to someone; "Have a nice day," is when you have already rendered them completely speechless with rage and anger.

It is shocking to learn that the very last citadel of silence, the library, is stocking rock and roll recordings.

The talking movie was an improvement. Now, I am looking for another, like a silent television talk show.

Remember way back when anyone who went to Hawaii spent much of the remainder of their life giving travel talks?

People who insist on sticking with the truth can be terribly boring and just downright insulting.

No-fault insurance may be all right, but it would never have the popularity of somebody else's fault.

About the only person who has the time to write a book on how to raise a child is a bachelor.

There is really no use in aiming high in life if you are too lazy to pull the trigger.

Out of the mouths of babes comes a lot or really disgusting stuff.

It is a mite discouraging when someone has an hourglass figure and a face that would stop a clock.

There was a time when you could figure that seeing the word sex in print was really a misprint for sox or six.

In spite of what you may have heard, it is permissible to yell "FIRE!" in a theatre, particularly if the theater is on fire.

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There will come a time when the sheep can bed down with the Lion, but it will come only after the Commercial Strength Sleepeze has been introduced to the market.

If a chicken and a half can lay and egg and a half in a day and a half on a nest and half, how long will it take a little old red rooster sitting on a solid brass door knob to hatch a hardware store if the train is going East at forty miles an hour and the river is rising at six inches per hour in a strong cross wind? (If you do get the correct answer, please keep it to yourself!)

Tammy Faye Bakker has come back on television to appeal for more money so that she can appear on more stations to appeal for more money so that she can appear on more stations to appeal for more money to appear on more stations. The real sorry part of this is that people are sending her money!

It is bad form to use floor wax on your teeth so you can be a smooth talker.

There is one good thing about talking to your plants, they don't interrupt.

A good friend is one who keeps the surplus zucchini.

Few things there are which damage the image of grown-up Americans more than an adult book store.

Science has concluded that there were earthquakes before there was rock music.

When it comes to getting the back of your calf wet, a rain and a good umbrella are the best combination.

The one common trait of talk shows is the fact that most of the guests have done something most of us consider unspeakable.

Growing up requires that we break the apron strings and get on with the business of life. Easily said, but the business of life requires that we hang on to the financial strings as long as possible.

If exercise is all that good for you, how come the doctor with the greatest seniority has the parking place closest to the hospital door?

Teenager: A person who thinks 30 is a form of terminal illness.

It was not all that far back that a floppy disk was a phonograph record left too long in the sun.

Time is relative. Ten minutes in a dentist's chair can go by much more slowly than a two week vacation.

What appears to be a dirty old man may just be a father with three teen-aged daughters in a one bathroom home.

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Many a young lady does not realize just how strong her love for a young man

is until he fails to pass the approval test with her parents.

Any shower that keeps the kids inside for a full weekend can be called a rain of terror.

The fact that not everyone is perfect can be most clearly illustrated by other people.

Having high aims in life makes it a bit more possible to shoot yourself in the knee, rather than in the foot.

A real spoilsport is someone who muddles up a good argument with facts.

Life is tough, and you know that when you've got more bills in your mailbox than in your wallet.

If you don't like making constant decisions, than by all means, try to avoid trifocals.

The number of irreconcilable differences cited in divorce court tend to substantiate the observation that opposites attract.

It takes some work to lose weight, or to use the power of positive shrinking.

There are still quite a few of us who remember when you could get a fairly good high school education without completing college.

If astrology is superstitious, than how come weather forecasting is a science?

A childless marriage is difficult, since there is a real strain in finding someone to blame for all the failures. There just are not enough folks to go around.

The most difficult part of attaining perfection is finding something to do for an encore.

The word processor has increased the danger that more people who threaten to write books may actually do so.

You know the romance is not as warm as once it was when he leaves the motor running as he drops off his girl friend after a date.

Authorities tend to frown on the placement of an unopened can of spinach in a microwave oven, although everyone knows this is a quick way to redecorate your kitchen.

Sign on a Wooded Pasture: WARNING: NO TRESPASSING ALLOWED THE LORD TELLS US: FORGIVE THOSE WHO TRESPASS. TO HELL WITH THAT! I SHOOT THE DAMN BASTARDS!

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A surefire way to get unwanted guests to leave is the threat of showing family pictures taken by an 8 mm camera by someone who never handled the thing before.

Sign in a very old hotel with high ceilings in the rooms: "Note the many tobacco stains on the floor. Anyone can spit on the floor, even an idiot. Try your luck at spitting on the ceiling! Do not spit on the floor, unless you agree with line three. If you try line four, we will think a lot more of thee."

If at first you don't succeed, well, so much for Russian Roulette.

A small mind can produce a lot of half vast ideas.

The news is out, Jim Bakker did NOT receive a Christmas greeting card from Jimmy Swaggart this last Christmas!

It is considered bad form, when in the presence of Imelda Marcos, to say "If the shoe fits, wear it!"

This is Zerro's second installment. If you like this type of thing, of course, than you should see about therapy. After that, if you still persit, tell Zerro on the bulletin board.

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