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## Introduction

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## Amazing Alan – Whistle Scene

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**Director:** We're here in the middle of this Bull fighting ring where Amazing Alan will illustrate our need to tell others about Jesus.

**Alan:** Uh, guys, shouldn't I have a red cape to stop the bull?

**Director:** Alan, this bull is specially trained to stop when it hears a whistle.

**Alan:** Like this? (Whistle)

**Director:** Sure Alan, but first, here, have a cracker.

**Alan:** Oh, thanks. (crunch, crunch)

**Director:** Okay, let the bull loose.

**Alan:** Wait! Wait!!! I can't whistle!

**Director:** Alan is unable to whistle on his own, just as we are unable to get into Heaven on our own. I could tell Alan about this referee's whistle I have in my hand, just as we could tell others about Jesus. But just as we have our own excuses to not tell others about Jesus, I have my excuses. For example, Alan is too busy, I'm a little embarrassed that I haven't told Alan earlier, and he may not listen to me anyway.

**Alan:** (Boink) ARRRRRRRRRGG.

**Director:** OOOOO! Looks like we are too late to give Alan the whistle. Don't be too late in telling your friends about Jesus.

1 Thessalonians 5:2, Romans 13:11-14

# Great, Great, Great Grandfather

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- Father:** Well son, I'm sorry to hear you didn't get the promotion. Would ice cream help?
- Son:** Ice cream? Oh come on Dad! I've been working 80-hour weeks. I wanted that job more than anything. I thought for sure I'd get it.
- Father:** Let me give you some advice. Son, do you remember your great, great, great grandfather?
- Son:** Uh, I don't think I ever met the man.
- Father:** Neither did I. But he was a man with hopes and dreams too. Do you know what he dreamt of more than anything?
- Son:** No.
- Father:** Me neither. But, do you know how much money he made?
- Son:** No. How much?
- Father:** I don't have any idea.
- Son:** Uh, is this going anywhere?
- Father:** In the light of eternity everything else is either forgotten or turns to dust. Are your priorities straight?
- Son:** No, I don't think so.
- Father:** Come on, let's get some ice cream.
- Son:** Thanks Dad. I really appreciate it, but I'm going to go home and buy my son some ice cream.
- Father:** Now you got the idea.

Luke 12:15, Matthew 6:33

# Heirlooms

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- Grandpa:** Well, John, I want to hand down to you some family heirlooms.
- John:** Really? Did you hear that Dear? Grandpa has some gifts for us!
- Brenda:** (From another room) That's nice Dear.
- John:** So, what do you have for me?
- Grandpa:** Well, I have this Bible. It's been in the family since our relatives came over on the Mayflower in the 1600's.
- John:** Wow that's got to be worth a lot! Hun! What do you think we can get for this?
- Brenda:** I'll call the appraiser tomorrow.
- John:** What else do you have?
- Grandpa:** Well, uh...I have these wedding bands owned by your great-great grandparents.
- John:** Are they gold?
- Grandpa:** Oh no, they're silver. They were way too poor to afford gold.
- John:** Oh. What do you think Dear? Garage sale?
- Brenda:** Garage sale.
- John:** What's this book?
- Grandpa:** Uh, well, that's the history of our family going back to the 1400's. I've been working on this for the last 47 years.
- John:** Uh that's nice. Hun?
- Brenda:** Attic.
- John:** Yeah, well, thanks for coming over Grandpa. Come again. (slam)
- Announcer:** God loved the world so much that He GAVE his only Son, Jesus. What have you done with God's gift?

John 3:16

# Investing for the Long Term

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- Banker:** Okay, Mr. Smith, let's take a look at what you are doing for the long term.
- Mr. Smith:** Okay, let's see. I have several mutual funds, a few T-bills, CDs and a sizable amount of gold.
- Banker:** I'm talking about the long term.
- Mr. Smith:** Oh, definitely. I won't be touching this stuff until retirement.
- Banker:** I mean the long term.
- Mr. Smith:** The long term?
- Banker:** After retirement.
- Mr. Smith:** What's after retirement?
- Banker:** A very long term.
- Mr. Smith:** Oh.
- Banker:** What investments have you made for that period of your life?
- Mr. Smith:** Uh...what do you mean?
- Banker:** The Bible says not to put our hope in wealth, but to put our hope in God. You see, we lay up treasure for ourselves in Heaven by being rich in good deeds, and generous and willing to share. So, how are you investing for the long term?
- Mr. Smith:** Well, I hadn't thought much past my own death.
- Banker:** Mr. Smith, people don't die only bodies die. You'll be around for a long time after your death. Now is the time to plan ahead.

Matthew 6:20

## A Piece of Cake

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**Boss:** Elwood, have you seen the cake I bought this morning?

**Elwood:** (chew, chew) Was it Dutch Chocolate?

**Boss:** You're eating my cake!

**Elwood:** Yes sir, excellent cake sir. Would you like a piece? There's one left!

**Boss:** That cake was for the auction. You are in so much trouble, young man!

**Elwood:** Trouble? Oh, no sir, not at all. You see Marvin and Bob also ate a piece. So, because we all ate a piece, no one's in trouble. It's like speeding on the highway; everyone does it so it's okay...see? Are you sure you don't want a piece?

**Boss:** What?!!!

**Elwood:** Okay, it's clear you don't understand how this works. Obviously, if one of us had NOT eaten a piece of cake, then clearly the rest of us WOULD be in trouble. But, because ALL of us decided to have a piece, then NONE of us are in trouble...see?

**Announcer:** We all know that there are things that are right and things that are wrong, regardless of what the majority does. If it means going against the crowd, will you do the right thing?

**Co-worker:** Hey Elwood, where is your office now?

**Elwood:** Men's room, middle stall.

Genesis 4:7

## “So You Want to Go to Heaven” Game Show

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**Roger:** Welcome back to “So You Want to Go to Heaven” Frank.

**Frank:** Thanks, Roger.

**Roger:** If you get this final question right, you secure your place in Heaven. If you get it wrong, well, we don’t want to go there!

**Frank:** That’s right! Ha-ha-ha!

**Roger:** Okay: “To get to Heaven, you must: a) Be really good, b) Never do anything bad, c) Go to church every Sunday, or d) Put your faith and trust in Jesus.”

**Frank:** Uh, boy! I’d like to use one of my help-lines. I’d like to use my 75/25.

**Roger:** Okay, let’s take away 3 of the answers leaving... d) “Put your faith and trust in Jesus.”

**Frank:** That can’t be right! I’d like to poll the game show host.

**Roger:** Very well Frank. The answer is “d) Put your faith and trust in Jesus.”

**Frank:** Uh, uh, I’m going to have to go with “a) Be really good.”

**Roger:** That’s not even on the board!

**Frank:** But there has to be something more than just faith. That’s my final answer.

**Roger:** I’m sorry but the answer was “d) Put your faith and trust in Jesus.”

**Frank:** Bummer!

**Announcer:** The Bible says, “We are saved by grace through faith.” Have you put your faith in Jesus?

Acts 4:12

# Amazing Alan – Supermarket

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**Director:** Amazing Alan, Supermarket scene.

**Alan:** Uh, guys?

**Director:** Yes, Alan?

**Alan:** You want me to cut in front of these 15 people, who are waiting in this very slow line?

**Director:** That's right Alan. And cut in front of the big guy with all the tattoos.

**Alan:** Why am I doing this?

**Director:** To illustrate that people have a basic understanding of what is right and wrong, like knowing it is rude to cut in front of people.

**Alan:** But everybody knows that!

**Director:** Right. And since there is a basic moral law, there must be a moral Lawgiver.

**Alan:** Which means there's a God.

**Director:** Right, moral God. Okay, and action!

**Alan:** Okay everybody! A new rule here. According to MY standards it's okay to get in line anywhere I want...okay?

**Voice:** Hey, Buddy! Back of the line!

**Alan:** So I am going to get in the front of the line...here.

**Tattoo Guy:** Hey, I was here first!

**Alan:** Put me down!

**Tattoo Guy:** Now, what you did there was wrong!

**Alan:** AAAAUUUUUGGGGGHHHHHH!!!!!!! (crash)

**Director:** That's a take

**Alan:** There's got to be a better way to make these points guys.

Romans 1:18-19

## Don't Avoid God

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**Frank:** Hello? Oh! Carol! Hi. You want to talk to Frieda? Oh, sure! She's right h... Uh... No... she's... NOT here. No, she's, two words...SHE'S IN THE BACK ROOM, NO, NO, NO, NOT THE BACK ROOM...No, she's in the bathing room? BATHROOM! Yes! She's in the bathroom, mm-huh.

**Announcer:** There are people we try to avoid in life.

**Frank:** Hi boss, uh..hi boss. I'm too sick to come to work today...

**Bob:** Come on Frank! The fish are waiting!

**Frank:** (whispering) You Doofus! This is the boss I'm talking to.

**Announcer:** Even though God loves us very much, many people still try to avoid Him.

**Frank:** Read about Jesus? Study the Bible? Get real, I have better things to do than waste my time on that.

**Announcer:** If we continue to avoid God in this world, we will spend eternity in the next world without Him. God is love and He wants to spend eternity with YOU. Will you accept His invitation?

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Luke 12:5

# Cleaning Up

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**Doctor:** Mr. Smith,

**Bob:** Yes Doctor.

**Doctor:** The test results show that you have three completely blocked arteries.

**Bob:** Three? That sounds bad.

**Doctor:** Actually, it's amazing you're still alive. We need to perform triple bypass surgery as soon as possible.

**Bob:** Wow this is serious. When should you operate?

**Doctor:** I have a space open tomorrow morning.

**Bob:** Tomorrow! Oh, that's not enough time for me to get in shape.

**Doctor:** Get in shape, Mr. Smith?!

**Bob:** Yeah, I don't want to have an operation without being in good health. I need to quit smoking.

**Doctor:** I don't think we have the time...

**Bob:** And drinking, I need to stop drinking!

**Doctor:** MR. SMITH! YOU NEED MAJOR SURGERY!!

**Bob:** Yeah, I know! But I want to be in good health first! And a hair cut! I need to get a haircut.

**Announcer:** Why would anyone wait until they were in good health before they had life-saving surgery? Many people have this same attitude about going to God--they feel they need to clean up their life first. The problem is, we all have a life-threatening disease called sin and the only cure is Jesus. Are you trying to be good when you need to turn to Jesus?

Matthew 9:12

# Our Children Are Watching

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**Sound:** (Bell)

**Dad:** Hey, son!

**Son:** Yeah Dad?

**Dad:** I need to make a copy of this CD. Can you show me how to do that on the computer?

**Son:** Dad, isn't that, like, stealing? You could just buy a copy?

**Dad:** Oh, it's okay. It's not for me. It's for a friend at work. It's not like I'm shoplifting. We'll just make a quick copy. It won't take that long.

**Son:** Oh, okay.

**Sound:** (Bell)

**Mother:** Two tickets to the matinee, one adult, and one child.

**Ticket Lady:** Is your child under twelve?

**Mother:** Uh, yes...yes she is.

**Daughter:** (loud whisper) WHAT!?! MOM! I'M THIRTEEN!

**Mother:** She's eleven!

**Ticket Lady:** Here are your tickets, ma'am. One child and one adult.

**Mother:** Thank you.

**Daughter:** I can't believe you did that.

**Sound:** (Bell)

**Mother:** What's on TV tonight?

**Dad:** Why don't we watch that new gangster series.

**Mother:** Isn't that a little violent for the family?

**Dad:** Nah! Well, the kids can handle it. I'm sure they see a lot worse at school. Anyway, I've heard a lot about this program.

**Sound:** (Bell)

**Announcer:** When you compromise your integrity to save money or view programs you shouldn't, your children are watching. What kind of character are your children learning from you?

Psalms 78:72, Proverbs 11:3

# Pastor's Visit

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**Wife:** ...Okay, no problem. (Click)

**Husband:** Who was that on the phone, dear?

**Wife:** That was the Pastor of the church around the corner. He was just wondering if it was okay to stop by for a quick visit. I told him sure.

**Husband:** You told him WHAT?!! A PASTOR COMING OVER HERE?!!

**Wife:** Yeah, we're not doing anything.

**Announcer:** Sometimes, we get nervous when we're around someone we consider more righteous than ourselves.

**Husband:** Quick! You hide the magazines, I'll lock the movie drawer!

**Wife:** Do what?

**Husband:** And watch your language!

**Wife:** Watch MY language?

**Husband:** (Door opening, loud music) Kids? Stay in there and do not come out until we say!

**Kids:** Okay (Slam)

**Wife:** Dear, it's just a Pastor. He's just dropping by for a quick visit.

**Husband:** Maybe we need to get rid of all our champagne!

**Wife:** Dear, we only have sparkling cider.

**Husband:** Oh, well, that explains a lot.

**Announcer:** If you feel the need to clean up your act around a righteous PERSON, think what it will be like to stand before a righteous GOD. Jesus died so we can have a one-on-one relationship with God and stand before Him unashamed. Have you trusted Jesus with your life?

Isaiah 6:5, Romans 8:1

# Talk to the Boss

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- Announcer:** Once there were two employees. Frank worked from home...
- Frank:** (Computer game sounds) Ah! Die you space scum! (Ring, computer sounds stop) Hello? Yeah, I'm working on it. (Computer sounds)
- Announcer:** Bob also worked from home....
- Bob:** (Soap opera music) No, no, Carol! Don't kill him! That's your husband, not the imposter!
- Announcer:** Both Bob and Frank realized they were stealing time from the company. Bob thought:
- Bob:** You know, I should do some work. Nah! One more episode. They'll never know.
- Announcer:** But Frank went to his boss...
- Frank:** Sir...
- Boss:** Yes Frank?
- Frank:** I have a confession to make...
- Announcer:** When the President found out both Bob and Frank had wasted company time, who do you think got fired?
- Boss:** Mr. President, Frank talked to me about what he did. I promised him we'd work it out.
- President:** Okay, but fire Bob.
- Announcer:** Like Bob and Frank, we have all done wrong and are subject to God's judgement. Have you gone to God about your wrongs? Or, like Bob, are you hoping He won't notice?

1 John 1:9, Romans 10:9-10

## Amazing Alan – Tug o’ War

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**Director:** We’re here at the International Airport where Amazing Alan will have a tug of war with this 747 jumbo jet.

**Alan:** Uh, guys! This rope is going to slip right through my hands.

**Director:** Tie the rope around your waist Alan.

**Alan:** Oh, good idea. So, why am I doing this?

**Director:** To illustrate the effects of an unforgiving heart. The Bible says, “When you stand praying, if you hold anything against anyone, forgive him.”

**Alan:** So how does my holding on to this rope illustrate unforgiveness?

**Director:** When we are unforgiving, we hold a grudge and are pulled through the muddy pit of anger, drug over the brutal pavement of bitterness and tossed into the ravaging winds of revenge.

**Alan:** That doesn’t sound good.

**Director:** That’s why the Bible says we should let go and forgive those who offend us. Okay and action!

**Alan:** Somebody help me untie this knot. Whoa! Guys the jet is moving.  
AHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHH!!!!

**Director:** Just as Alan lost this tug of war, we lose when we don’t let go of our desire for revenge. Are you willing to forgive?

Mark 11:25

# Bad Meatloaf

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- Grandpa:** Okay girls, Grandma's late, so I'm in charge of dinner.
- Kids:** PIZZA!!!
- Grandpa:** No, let's see what's in the refrigerator. Ah! Back in the corner there's some leftover meatloaf. That'll be good!
- Nellie:** Grandpa! That's the meatloaf we had last month!
- Corinne:** Ewww! It's green and got fuzzy stuff on it.
- Nellie:** Gross!
- Announcer:** The thought of eating rancid meat is revolting to us.
- Nellie:** Grandpa, this meat stinks.
- Corinne:** I'm not touching it!
- Announcer:** This is what our sin is like to God.
- Grandpa:** It'll be fine. Here, put some ketchup on it.
- Nellie:** Grandpa, it's moving!
- Grandpa:** Uh, put a lot of ketchup on it.
- Announcer:** No amount of good works can cover up even one of our sins. But there is good news.
- Grandma:** I'm home
- Corinne:** Grandma, please say you bought dinner.
- Grandma:** Of course I did. Tonight we're having pizza.
- Girls:** Yay!!!!
- Announcer:** God has offered to pay the price for our sins and give us His righteousness. He offers this to anyone who believes in His Son, Jesus. Are you putting ketchup on your sins, or will you accept God's gift?

Isaiah 64:6

# Brakes

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- Bob:** Sorry Frank, but unless you can prove beyond a shadow of a doubt there's a God, I'll never believe.
- Frank:** But Bob, every decision we make in this world requires faith. For instance, you got in this car.
- Bob:** That didn't require faith.
- Frank:** Sure it did! How do you know I'll get us to work safe and sound.
- Bob:** You've gotten me there in the past.
- Frank:** Right, you examined the evidence, and decided it was safe to get in the car. But...you don't KNOW that I will get us there safely TODAY.
- Bob:** (screech!!) Hey! Come on, man! You're going too fast for this turn! Slow down!!!!
- Frank:** Unless you can prove beyond a shadow of a doubt that these brakes are going to work, I'm not going to use them.
- Bob:** Frank! There's a stop light ahead! Use the brakes! They'll work!!
- Frank:** Prove it.
- Bob:** I can't.
- Frank:** Well we just don't know about these brakes, now do we.
- Bob:** WE'RE GOING TO DIE!!!!!!!!!! (SCREEEECH!)
- Frank:** Well, what do you know, the brakes do work.
- Bob:** Of course they do!
- Frank:** And Bob, the evidence that there is a God is as conclusive as the evidence that these brakes will work. You need to look at the facts and make a decision.

Romans 1:19-20

# Christmas All Year Long

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- Frank:** So Bob, doing anything special for Christmas this year?
- Bob:** We're spending Christmas at my in-laws.
- Alice:** Heads up everybody. The boss is coming!
- Frank:** I'm out of here.
- Boss:** (Open door) Frank, before you leave.
- Frank:** Uh, I was just going to the copy machine.
- Boss:** Well, I just wanted to say thanks for doing a great job.
- Frank:** Uh sure. You're welcome.
- Boss:** Alice, how are you today?
- Alice:** Fine.
- Boss:** That's nice. Here's a box of chocolates and Merry Christmas.
- Alice:** Thank you.
- Boss:** Bob!
- Bob:** Yes sir?
- Boss:** Didn't you have some baby pictures on that wall?
- Bob:** He went to college last year sir.
- Boss:** Ah, they grow up fast don't they? Well you have Merry Christmas.
- Bob:** You too sir. (Door shut)
- Frank:** Was that our boss?
- Bob:** What was that all about?
- Frank:** I don't know. He's probably going to cut our bonus this year.
- Bob:** You don't think he's going to cut our pay do you?
- Frank:** Oh no.
- Bob:** What?
- Frank:** This is the way he acted when he laid off half the marketing department last summer.
- Alice:** Guys. Don't you know by now? He's that way every Christmas.
- Frank/Bob:** Oh.
- Announcer:** Christmas: the time of year when we act the way we should the rest of the year.

Ephesians 2:10

# The Birthday Party

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- Fred:** Great birthday party Joe! I had a great time, and I loved that cake.
- Joe:** Thanks for coming.
- Wilma:** Mary, you always know how to throw a fun birthday party.
- Mary:** Thank you for bringing the potato salad. It was delicious.
- Wilma:** Be sure to tell the birthday boy we said, “Hi.”
- Mary:** Oh we will.
- Barney:** Joe, you sure put a lot of work into these decorations.
- Joe:** We like to make his birthday special.
- Barney:** Well the house looks great. Wish the birthday boy a happy birthday when you see him.
- Joe:** I will and thanks for coming.
- Barney:** It was fun.
- Joe & Mary:** Goodbye. Come again.
- Joe:** Well, that was nice.
- Mary:** Yeah one of the better birthday parties we’ve ever given. Good job on the hors d’oeuvres by the way.
- Joe:** Oh, thanks.
- Mary:** Those are the boy’s favorites. Where is the birthday boy anyway?
- Joe:** I don’t know. He’s your son. I thought you invited him.
- Mary:** I didn’t invite him. I thought you invited him.
- Joe:** I wondered why he wasn’t here.
- Announcer:** Christmas is the time of year we celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ. Keep Christ in Christmas this year, make sure you remember Him in your celebrations.

# The Christmas Spirit

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- Doc:** Now Mr. Smith, tell me, what seems to be the problem?
- Mr. Smith:** Well Doc, I STILL don't seem to have the Christmas spirit.
- Doc:** I see. Did you follow my suggestions?
- Mr. Smith:** Yes. I've been playing Christmas music non-stop!
- Doc:** Did you get a Christmas tree?
- Mr. Smith:** Thirty footer!
- Doc:** House?
- Mr. Smith:** Oh I decorated it. Santa Clause, Rudolph, you name, it's in my front yard or on the roof.
- Doc:** No effect?
- Mr. Smith:** Nothing!
- Doc:** How about gifts.
- Mr. Smith:** I bought gifts for everybody, even people who didn't give me one last year! And I still don't have the Christmas spirit.
- Doc:** Of course not. None of those things work.
- Mr. Smith:** What!?! Then why'd you tell me to do them?
- Doc:** So you would realize that the true Christmas spirit is not something you catch; it's the result of having a relationship with the person that Christmas is about.
- Mr. Smith:** What?
- Doc:** Christmas is a celebration of the fact that God gave us His only Son. The spirit of Christmas is found in knowing Jesus. It's not about gifts or Eggnog.
- Mr. Smith:** Eggnog. Oh, I forgot to get Eggnog!
- Doc:** Have you listened to a word I've said?
- Mr. Smith:** I'll be right back!

John 3:16

# Amazing Alan – Roller Coaster Scene

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**Director:** We're here with Amazing Alan at the wildest roller coaster ride in the world.

**Alan:** Okay, what are you going to do? Slam me into a wall?

**Director:** No Alan, as a matter of fact, I will ride the roller coaster with you.

**Alan:** Really?

**Director:** Sure Alan, hop in.

**Alan:** Okay.

**Director:** I'll just pull down my safety bar.

**Alan:** Uh, where's my safety bar?!

**Director:** Alan, you don't have a safety bar. You're illustrating going through life's ups and downs without God.

**Alan:** But, what if there is a loopy-loop?

**Director:** Alan we were not meant to handle life's uncertainties, like this drop, without God.

**Alan:** WHOAAAAAAAAAAA!!!

**Director:** Alan?

**Alan:** I'm back here.

**Director:** I am illustrating going through life's wild turns with God. No matter what comes my way, I know God is in control, and I am right where He wants me to be.

**Alan:** I can't see what's coming! ARRRRRRG!

**Director:** Alan, without God, we live our lives in fear of what might happen to us. When we know God, we can have peace through all of life's twists and turns.

**Alan:** There's got to be a better way to make these points guys.

Philippians 4:11-13, Matthew 10:29-31

# The Airport

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**Tower:** Flight seven-one-niner, this is the tower, you are cleared to land.

**Pilot:** Tower, um, we'd have to go way out of our way to get to the airport. We're already lined up with this great golf course that looks pretty nice. Can we land there instead?

**Tower:** Flight seven-one-niner, um, did you say golf course?

**Pilot:** Uh, wait, how about the new parking lot? Can we land there?

**Announcer:** Some people want to believe that there are many ways to Heaven. Yet the Bible, in talking about Jesus, clearly states, "There is only one name under heaven given to men by which we must be saved."

**Tower:** Seven-one-niner, you are aware that you are flying a 747 jumbo jet. The only safe place to land is the airport.

**Pilot:** I think you should be more open minded about this. A bunch of us were talking and we were thinking about maybe landing on the Interstate. I mean, you know, we'd be a lot closer to the hotels and everything...okay ...tower?

**Announcer:** Just like the tower, the Bible is guiding us to the only option we have available. Will you turn to Jesus?

Acts 4:12

# Culinary Resuscitation

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**Woman:** Help! This man needs help!

**Bozo:** Step aside, I'm a doctor. What seems to be the problem.

**Woman:** I think he's having a heart attack!

**Bozo:** Okay, it appears this man is still breathing, which means he still has a heart beat. I am unable to help him until he stops breathing and his heart ceases to beat.

**Woman:** Are you sure?

**Bozo:** Of course I'm sure, I'm a doctor.

**Announcer:** You would never trust your health to someone who merely claimed to be an expert. We require proof that they know what they are talking about.

**Bozo:** Is his heart still beating?

**Woman:** Yeah.

**Bozo:** Then let's give him a few more minutes

**Woman:** Are you sure you're a doctor?

**Bozo:** I was took an intensive 8-hour course on "Culinary Resuscitation".

**Woman:** That doesn't make you a doctor!

**Bozo:** Have you ever breathed the breath of life into a lifeless body?

**Woman:** No. Have you?

**Bozo:** Well, no, not yet. Give me a minute?

**Announcer:** Yet when it comes to spiritual matters, people listen to many self-proclaimed experts. Jesus rose from the dead to prove His authority. Who are you following? And have *they* risen from the dead?

Matthew 12:39-41, 26:61

## “For Heaven’s Sake” Game Show

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- Bob:** Welcome to the game show, "For Heaven's Sake". Our first contestant is Frank Jones.
- Frank:** Hi Bob.
- Bob:** Our second contestant is the Prince of Darkness himself, Satan.
- Satan:** Hello Bob.
- Bob:** Okay, question number one: Frank, do you consider yourself a good person?
- Frank:** Uh, I'm not perfect, but I think I'm pretty good.
- Bob:** And Satan?
- Satan:** Well, I'm not perfect, but I think I'm pretty good.
- Frank:** That's my answer! You can't... can he do that?
- Bob:** Judges? (Ding) Okay, we're tied. Question number two: Satan, have you read the Bible?
- Satan:** Many times Bob.
- Bob:** And Frank?
- Frank:** Uh, I saw someone hold up a sign that said, "John 3:16", and I looked it up?
- Bob:** Judges? (Ding) That counts and we're still tied. Here's the final question: Satan, have you put your faith and trust in Jesus Christ?
- Satan:** Bob, I don't think I need to do that.
- Bob:** Well Frank, so far, there's been no difference between your answers and Satan's. So, have you put your faith and trust in Jesus Christ?
- Frank:** Uh...

Romans 3:23, 10:9-10

## Religions-R-Us: Many Roads

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**Salesman:** Welcome to Religions-R-Us. Are you here to buy Dr. Shami's new book, "Many Roads, One Destination"?

**Shopper:** Many roads, one destination?

**Salesman:** Yes. It's a celebration of the truth that all religions of the world lead to the same destination.

**Shopper:** Are you saying all religions are true?

**Salesman:** Of course. All religions have the same message: love one another.

**Shopper:** But they say very different things. They can't all be true.

**Salesman:** Well, it's like describing a door. One person may describe the beauty of the wood. Another may describe its golden hinges. Both, in their own way, describe truths about the same door.

**Shopper:** Yeah but, if they don't tell you how to open the door, you'll never meet the person on the other side.

**Salesman:** What do you mean?

**Shopper:** Jesus said, "I am the door. Whoever enters through me will be saved." Other religions might tell you to love others, but that won't get you through the door.

**Salesman:** Jesus wasn't a very open minded individual was he?

**Shopper:** I think He was just telling the truth.

John 10:9, 14:6

# Why Don't You Help Me!?

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**Teen:** Dad, can you drop me off here?

**Dad:** Oh, I can drive you all the way to school.

**Teen:** I don't want my friends to see me with my dad.

**Announcer:** For years we've been telling God to get out of our schools.

**Teen:** Quit telling me what to do Dad. I can make these decisions myself.

**Dad:** Okay son, if you're sure.

**Announcer:** And, we've been telling God to get out of our government.

**Teen:** Look. I'm eighteen now! And I'm movin' out. I don't need you anymore, so stay out of my life and leave me alone!

**Announcer:** Basically, we have told God to get out of our lives.

**Friend:** Bummer about wrecking your car, man. And you don't have insurance?

**Teen:** Yeah. Can you believe it? My dad has all that money and he won't pay my car insurance. Now I have to pay for the wreck myself! It's just not fair.

**Announcer:** Can we expect God to give us His blessing and His protection if we demand that He leave us alone? The Bible says that if we return to the Lord, He is gracious and compassionate and will not turn his face from us. Will you turn to Him?

2 Chronicles 30:9

# The Broken Door

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- Bob:** AAAAUUUUUUHHHHHH!!!!
- Clerk:** Next! Okay, have you ever told a lie?
- Stan:** No! I never lie!
- Clerk:** Never?
- Stan:** Well, there was this once...(Door open)  
AAAAUUUUUUHHHHHH!!!!
- Clerk:** Next! Have you ever stolen anything?
- Jim:** Well...(Door open) AAAAUUUUUUHHHHHH!!!!
- Clerk:** Next! Have you ever had adulterous thoughts?
- Kirt:** Uh, yeah, lot's of times. (Pause)
- Clerk:** Hang on a second. I think the door is stuck. Could you jump up and down a couple of times?
- Kirt:** Uh, okay. (slam, slam, slam)
- Clerk:** Hmm, let's try this again. Have you ever taken God's name in vain?
- Kirt:** Lots of times, before I became a Christian.
- Clerk:** You trusted Jesus Christ to pay for your sins?
- Kirt:** Uh, yeah.
- Clerk:** Mister your penalty's already been paid. You're in the wrong line.
- Kirt:** Oh, sorry.
- Clerk:** Next!
- Larry:** I accepted Jesus Christ as my Savior also!? (Door open)  
AAAAUUUUUUHHHHHH!!!
- Clerk:** Liar.

2 Corinthians 5:21

## But They Look Really Comfortable

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**Chief:** Listen up! The tanker truck is going to blow! There's nothing we can do about it. I want everyone in the Hot Zone out, fire, police, everyone. Do we have all the houses evacuated?

**Fireman:** Just about sir!

**Chief:** Just about?

**Fireman:** Well, there are a couple of houses where the people look really comfortable. I hated to bother them.

**Chief:** What!

**Fireman:** Well, one house was getting ready to have dinner. You know how rude it is to be interrupted during dinner.

**Announcer:** The Bible says that there WILL come a time when people who do not believe in Jesus will stand before God and face an eternity in Hell.

**Fireman:** Look, that tanker is going to explode. Do your job, get in there, and tell those people they are in danger!

**Chief:** Oh, can't we send someone else? I feel really awkward telling people, "Get out now before your house explodes!" I mean, who's going believe that?

**Announcer:** Because Jesus died for us, we can escape an eternal punishment in Hell by having faith in Him. If you're not telling others about this Good News, what excuses are you using?

Romans 10:14-15

## Conversations in Heaven (1)

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**Intro:** Another conversation in Heaven.

**Bob:** Wow! This place is really nice! I wish I would have brought my camera.

**Barth:** You must be new here.

**Bob:** And am I glad to be HERE. Hi, I'm Bob.

**Barth:** I'm Bartholomew. So, what it was like serving our Lord during your day.

**Bob:** Oh, it was tough. People really frowned on you if you talked about Jesus.

**Barth:** Really?

**Bob:** Oh yeah! Guys laughed at me if I said grace at lunch.

**Barth:** Oh that's unfortunate.

**Bob:** You're telling me! And I really got ridiculed for bringing a Bible to work.

**Barth:** You held the scriptures in your hands?

**Bob:** Well, in my day, they put a Bible in every motel room.

**Barth:** God's Word was that common, and still His followers were persecuted?

**Bob:** Oh yeah, I really got thrown to the lions.

**Barth:** They still used lions in your day?

**Announcer:** God has given us blessings and freedoms unheard of in previous generations. Many Christians have paid dearly for their faith. How much has your faith cost you lately?

Romans 8:18

# The Erasable Bible

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**Larry:** I don't like it when the Bible talks about Hell or God's Judgement.

**Jim:** Well then, you need the ERASABLE BIBLE!!

**Larry:** The Erasable Bible?

**Jim:** A Bible completely printed with the same graphite used in number two pencils. Now you can easily remove that objectionable material.

**Larry:** Now I can read only the parts I want?

**Jim:** That's right, pick and choose which doctrine YOU want to follow.

**Pastor:** As a Pastor, I used to be concerned about how I would preach on those...difficult parts of the Bible. Now, with my Erasable Bible, I don't challenge or offend anyone, and my congregation loves me all the more.

**Stan:** Thanks Erasable Bible for allowing me to live my lifestyle!

**Announcer:** The Word of God says that there will come time when men will not put up with sound doctrine. Instead, to suit their own desires, they will gather around them a great number of teachers that say what their itching ears want to hear. It tells us to "Preach the Word; to correct, rebuke and encourage." Are you listening to all of God's Word?

2 Timothy 4:2-4

## According to God's Standards

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**Frank:** Yeah, I think I'm a pretty good guy.

**Jim:** Frank, are you good enough to get into Heaven?

**Frank:** Oh, sure.

**Jim:** You know, some day you're going to stand before God.

**Frank:** Oh, I'll do all right.

**Jim:** O.K. Have you ever told a lie?

**Frank:** Everybody does.

**Jim:** So according to God's standard, you're a liar.

**Frank:** No I'm not!

**Jim:** Well, you told a lie. The Ten Commandments say not to, therefore, you're a liar. Have you ever stolen anything?

**Frank:** Well, I borrowed a few things.

**Jim:** Did you give them back?

**Frank:** No.

**Jim:** Okay, so far, you're a lying thief.

**Frank:** Wait a minute. How can I defend myself against those kinds of standards?

**Jim:** These are just two of God's commandments, there are more.

**Frank:** You make me sound really bad.

**Jim:** Frank, compared to most people you are a wonderful person, but the standard is not 'other people', it's God.

**Frank:** Well, then nobody measures up.

**Jim:** Right. That's why we need a Savior; someone to pay the penalty of 'not measuring up' for us. And that Savior is Jesus.

**Frank:** So, standing before God without Jesus is not a good idea?

**Jim:** I wouldn't try it.

2 Corinthians 5:21

## The “I’m Not Responsible” Form

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- Frank:** Hey Bob! Would you sign this form?
- Bob:** Sure. What’s it for?
- Frank:** Oh, it’s just a form saying you won’t hold me responsible for anything I’ve done wrong.
- Bob:** What?! I’m not signing that. Why are you doing this?
- Frank:** Well, when I die God is going to judge me on all the things I’ve done wrong. BUT! I’m going to show HIM this form saying that nobody else holds me responsible, SOOOO, He’ll just have to let me into Heaven.
- Bob:** Uh-huh. What about my car?
- Frank:** What about your car?
- Bob:** You smashed the fender.
- Frank:** Right. That’s why you’re on the list.
- Bob:** Wouldn’t it be better if you paid for the damage?
- Frank:** (pause) Noooo. It would be better if you signed the form.
- Bob:** This isn’t going to work.
- Frank:** Why not?
- Bob:** Well, do you have Jesus’ name on your list?
- Frank:** Why do I need His name?
- Bob:** When you wrong others, you wrong God by breaking His law. In order to be right with God, and be allowed into Heaven, you need His forgiveness.
- Frank:** Hmmm. Bummer. I was kind of hoping I wouldn’t have to admit I’ve done anything wrong.
- Bob:** Yeah, pride is always the first thing you have to lose when you ask for forgiveness.

Psalms 51:4

# Announcement to Shepherds

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**Angel 1:** [harp gliss] Hey guys! I was just hovering over Bethlehem, and they put the Lord in a manger. It's the cutest thing.

**Michael:** Come on! Get in line! We're about to make the announcement to those shepherds.

**Angel 1:** We're announcing the greatest moment in history to shepherds?

**Michael:** Yes.

**Angel 1:** It's dark down there, they'll never see us.

**Michael:** We've got it covered. Are the lights set?

**Bob:** Oh yeah!

**Michael:** Are you ready with the announcement?

**Angel 2:** I BRING YOU...

**Michael:** Hold it. That'll scare them.

**Angel 2:** Okay, uh... "Fear not. I bring you good news of great joy that will be for ALL the people. Today, in the town of David a Savior has been born to you."

**Michael:** Okay choir, it may not be a big audience, but it's a big message.

**Announcer:** The birth of Jesus Christ was announced to common shepherds. While He was here Jesus told us that He would return for ANYONE who believes in Him. If Christ came back tonight, would you be ready?

**Shepherd 1:** What was that?

**Shepherd 2:** One of the sheep. Relax! Nothing EVER happens out here.

Luke 2:8-14

# Ants in the Driveway

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**Brother:** Billy, why are you dressed up like an ant?

**Billy:** Because there are ants in the driveway, and I need to tell them that they need to move before Dad comes home and drives over them.

**Brother:** Why don't you just pick 'em up and move 'em?

**Billy:** 'Cause there's too many.

**Brother:** Why don't you just sweep them out of the way?

**Billy:** 'Cause it'll hurt them.

**Brother:** Why don't you just squirt 'em away with water?

**Billy:** I tried that, but they just came back.

**Brother:** So, why are you dressed up like a ant?

**Billy:** Because I want to be like Jesus.

**Brother:** Jesus didn't dress up like a ant.

**Billy:** Yeah, but he became a baby and grew up and told us that he loves us, and that we need Him.

**Brother:** When did he do that?

**Billy:** At Christmas time.

**Brother:** Oh, yeah.

**Billy:** So, I'm going to become an ant and tell them they have to move before Dad comes home.

**Brother:** Can I help?

**Billy:** Yeah! You go get Dad's headphones, and we'll glue some springs on for antennas.

**Brother:** Okay! Then what?

**Billy:** Then you go tell them that I'm coming and then...

**Dad:** Hi kids! I'm home early!

**Billy & Bro:** NOOOOOoooooooooooo!!!!

Philippians 2:6-8

# Christmas Cow

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- Cow:** [Barnyard sounds] What's with all this commotion? I haven't been able to sleep all night.
- Donkey:** This is a very special night.
- Cow:** Yeah, well I'm hungry. Is that kid going to be in the manger long?
- Donkey:** That's not just any kid. That's the Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace!
- Cow:** Are you pulling my tail?
- Donkey:** Hey! He's the King of Kings.
- Cow:** A king would be born in a palace, not in MY manger. I'm hungry.
- Donkey:** You're always thinking about food.
- Cow:** I'm a cow, it's what I do.
- Donkey:** Well, you keep eating like that all the time, and you'll be a steak. You should show more reverence for this child
- Cow:** What are you thinking? People are going to worship this kid? Like songs are going to be sung about him, or the best selling book in history will be written about him and, what, thousands of years from now people's lives will be changed because of this baby? You think people are going to base their whole calendar system on this baby's birth right here in our stable tonight?
- Donkey:** It could happen.

Luke 2:16

# Working with Earl

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- Boss:** Welcome to the mailroom. We're glad you're here.
- New Guy:** Well, thanks. It's great to be here. I'm looking forward to my new job.
- Boss:** Well, glad to hear that. You'll be working with Earl. He's been here for 29 years.
- New Guy:** Wow. I can learn a lot from him.
- Earl:** Uh, Mr. Johnson?
- Boss:** Yes Earl?
- Earl:** Uh, this letter goes to a guy named Smith. Where do I file that?
- Boss:** Under "S."
- Earl:** Oh yeah.
- New Guy:** That's Earl?
- Boss:** Yup. We had high hopes for him.
- Earl:** How 'bout this one for Zurcowitz?
- Boss:** Z!
- Earl:** Are you sure?
- Boss:** Earl!
- Earl:** Okay.
- New Guy:** Why is he still asking basic questions?
- Boss:** He's never grown his skills. He just does the minimum and goes home.
- New Guy:** But there's some much to learn and know. Why do you keep him?
- Boss:** Oh, we don't pay him. He just keeps showing up.
- Earl:** Stamp?
- Boss:** Upper right corner.
- Earl:** Thanks.
- Boss:** If he were an employee, we'd expect him to improve.
- Announcer:** Once we are born into God's family, we are expected to mature in our faith. Is your walk with God closer today than it was last year?

Hebrews 5:12

# The Speeding Ticket

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**Wife:** [Sound: Siren] I told you you were speeding!

**Husband:** Don't worry. I got pulled over by this guy a last month, and I pleaded with him to not give me a ticket, and he gave me a warning

**Officer:** Good afternoon. Oh, Mr. Smith, speeding again?

**Husband:** Uh, hi Officer. Yeah, I know. I promise I'll never do it again...okay?

**Wife:** I can't believe this.

**Husband:** Shhhh!!

**Officer:** Please sign here.

**Husband:** You're giving me a ticket?

**Officer:** You were speeding, sir.

**Husband:** That's not fair! You gave me a warning last time!

**Officer:** Oh I see. You want justice.

**Husband:** Uh.

**Officer:** So to be fair, I'll not only give you a ticket for speeding today, I'll also give you the ticket you deserved last month.

**Announcer:** Do you continue to live sinfully because you EXPECT God to have mercy? The Bible says, "Conduct yourselves in a manner worthy of the Gospel of Christ." God expects us to live holy lives. His grace IS amazing. Don't take it for granted. Show your gratitude with obedience.

Philippians 1:27

# The Faithful Witness

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- Police:** Okay, I understand you were a witness to the accident?
- Mavis:** Well, I'm not good at describing things, but I was standing here looking in the general direction when it happened, but that's about all.
- Police:** Well, for the police record, you want to tell me what happened?
- Mavis:** I really don't think I should.
- Police:** I'm sorry? Why not?
- Mavis:** It's that there's a lot I just don't know.
- Police:** What do you mean?
- Mavis:** Well, like their names, I don't have any idea the names of anyone driving. I don't know where they came from or where they were going. What were they thinking? What were they looking at? Don't ask me, I don't know.
- Announcer:** Often we forget that a witness only needs to say what he knows.
- Police:** Can you just tell me what you saw when the accident happened?
- Mavis:** Okay. Well, the white car ran the red light and rammed into the blue car. That's all I know. I wish I could tell you more, but that's all I got.
- Police:** That'll do fine, sir.
- Announcer:** The Bible tells Christians: "If anybody asks why you believe as you do, be ready to tell him." If people ask, say what you know. That's all that is required of a good witness.

I Peter 3:15

# Albino Mamba Snake

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- Doctor:** So, your husband has been bitten by a poisonous Albino Mamba Snake?
- Wife:** Yes Doctor, I told him not to keep that snake in the house.
- Husband:** Am I gonna die?
- Doctor:** I would estimate you have 15 minutes to live.
- Announcer:** The Bible says that everyone has a fatal disease called sin.
- Doctor:** But, I have here a pill that is the only known antidote.
- Husband:** I'll take it!
- Wife:** You're saying this is the only way to save my husband?
- Doctor:** Yes mam. There is no other way.
- Announcer:** It says that the only cure is Jesus.
- Wife:** That seems a little harsh, "Take this pill or die."
- Husband:** Dear, I'll take it.
- Wife:** I think we should find a more open-minded doctor.
- Doctor:** Mam, it's the truth.
- Wife:** Oh you are so intolerant.
- Doctor:** This pill will save your husband's life.
- Husband:** Dear, I'll take it.
- Wife:** No. I've read about narrow-minded doctors like this. They're just opinionated and stubborn.
- Announcer:** Some people reject the Bible's message as intolerant, but if something is true and will save your life, then it is the most compassionate thing someone can tell you. Have you allowed Jesus to pay for your sins?

John 14:6, Acts 4:12

## Amazing Alan – Bowling Ball

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**Director:** We're here on the roof of this house where Amazing Alan will walk on thin air by holding on to this bowling ball.

**Alan:** Guys...how is this going to work?

**Director:** Well, Alan, a lot of people think that whatever you believe is true, is true for you.

**Alan:** Really?

**Director:** Sure Alan. So you are going to attempt to illustrate that if you believe that bowling ball will help you defy gravity, then it will.

**Alan:** Oh yeah! I believe with this magic floating bowling ball I will gracefully step off this ledge and float like a butterfly... AAAUUUGGGHHHH (crash). It didn't work guys!

**Director:** Of course not Alan! It's a bowling ball!

**Alan:** Why didn't you tell me the truth?

**Director:** We wanted you to really believe it would work.

**Alan:** It doesn't matter what I believe if what I believe is not true!!!

**Director:** That's the point Alan! What we believe in is more important than the sincerity of our belief. Even a small faith in Jesus is better than great faith in something false.

**Alan:** Guys, can I direct next time?

Matthew 7:24-27, 17:20

## Amazing Alan – Gasoline

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**Director:** We're here with Amazing Alan who will attempt to put out this small campfire using this pail of clear liquid.

**Alan:** So, I'm going to illustrate how to properly put out a campfire?

**Director:** No Alan. The campfire represents someone who is angry. You're going to illustrate the wrong way to handle an angry person.

**Alan:** Oh, okay.

**Director:** And action!

**Alan:** Okay kids, remember, when putting out a fire, pour the water directly on the (Whoosh) Whoa!!! Guys! Major fire here!!! What do I do?

**Director:** Use more liquid Alan!

**Alan:** Okay! (Whoosh) This ain't helping!!!

**Director:** That's right Alan! When we answer an angry person harshly, it's like pouring gasoline on a fire.

**Alan:** This is gasoline?

**Director:** The Bible says a gentle answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger. When dealing with someone who is angry, we need to be gentle and answer with patience and kindness.

**Alan:** Oh, I get it. But was it really necessary to burn off my eyebrows to make this point guys?

Proverbs 15:1

# Boss Trying to Call

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- Bob:** Hey Frank, you needed me to give you some numbers for your deadline today?
- Frank:** Bob! Yeah! I am so glad you're here! Here! Let me pull up the report.
- Bob:** Okay, make it quick. I only have about five minutes.
- Frank:** [ring] Yeah, umm, hold on. Let me check that. Oh that's my boss's number. I'll call him later. Okay, I need the sales figures for the last quarter.
- Bob:** Sure. They're [beep].
- Frank:** Oh I'm sorry, that's my pager. Uh, oh it's my boss again.
- Announcer:** Is your life busy? Full of deadlines?
- Frank:** Don't worry, I'll call him later. Go on.
- Bob:** Should I come back? [ring]
- Frank:** Cell phone. Uh, oh, it's my boss. No, no go ahead.
- Bob:** Sales for the last quarter were [you've got mail]
- Frank:** Hold on. Oh, it's my boss.
- Announcer:** God told us in the Bible to "be still and know that I am God." Putting Him first will put the rest of your day in perspective. Have you taken time today to be still, to be quiet before God?
- Boss:** Frank.
- Frank:** Oh Mr. Johnson! Sorry I didn't return your calls. I've just been working on that deadline.
- Boss:** I've been trying to tell you, I don't need the report until next week.
- Frank:** Oh.

Psalm 46:10

# Old Friend

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- Wife:** What is that, your yearbook?
- Husband:** Yeah. You remember Jim?
- Wife:** Your best friend in high school?
- Husband:** Yeah. I saw him driving today downtown. I waved at him, but he must not have recognized me.
- Wife:** I haven't heard you mention him for years. You guys were on the track team together.
- Husband:** Oh yeah, we used to meet every morning down at the track to run laps. If it weren't for him I wouldn't have made the team.
- Wife:** Didn't you guys buy a car together?
- Husband:** Oh yeah! That thing cost us fifty bucks each. We spent all summer making plans on where we were going to drive. We were going to drive to from like Canada, to Mexico and all over. We spent more time planning the route than fixing the car. Ah, it was the best summer ever.
- Wife:** What ever happened to you two? You guys were inseparable.
- Husband:** I don't know. We hung out together after graduation for a while. But, it just seemed like he was always busy with his job or found other things to do. After awhile it just became awkward, like we didn't know each other anymore.
- Announcer:** Relationships that don't grow closer *through* the years tend to vanish *with* the years. Is your relationship with God growing?

2 Thessalonians 1:3

# The Perfect Church

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**Bob:** So Frank, how come you don't go to church?

**Frank:** 'Cause I hate hypocrites. Every church I've ever gone to was full of liars, cheaters and thieves.

**Bob:** Well you've probably never been to this church.

**Frank:** This one here?

**Bob:** Yeah. This church knows that if its members sin then someone like you might decide not to go to church and get to know God. So you have to apply to attend this church.

**Frank:** Really?

**Bob:** Oh yeah. All those other churches let anybody in. As a matter of fact, they even encourage sinners to attend. But not this church.

**Frank:** Wow! Do you think they'll accept my application?

**Bob:** Go in and ask.

**Frank:** Okay. [large door squeaks open] Hello? [echo] There's nobody inside!

**Bob:** Well of course not! There are no churches without sinners because we are all sinners in need of God's help and each other's encouragement.

**Frank:** It's just that I've just seen too many hypocrites in churches.

**Bob:** Frank, if a hypocrite is between you and God, guess who's closer to God. At least he's in place where he can get help.

1 John 1:8, Hebrews 10:25

## Amazing Alan – Revenge

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**Director:** Amazing Alan, Frolicking Through a Field of Flowers scene...

**Amazing Alan:** Hey guys! You promised that I get to direct this time!

**Director:** You're right, go ahead.

**Amazing Alan:** Really?

**Director:** Yep.

**Amazing Alan:** Oh! Okay, uh, uh, I want you to jump in a rubber raft, in the middle of a shark-infested pool of boiling acid.

**Director:** And your point would be?

**Amazing Alan:** My point?

**Director:** We always have a point, Alan.

**Amazing Alan:** We do?

**Director:** Yeah, like, when we seek revenge, ultimately we hurt ourselves.

**Amazing Alan:** Oh.

**Director:** How about if I run through the field of flowers, Alan.

**Amazing Alan:** I can do that! It's just a field of flowers.

**Director:** Okay, and action!

**Amazing Alan:** Fa la la la la la...

**Director:** We're here with Amazing Alan who is running...

**Amazing Alan:** Ya know, this stuff looks a lot like Poison Ivy!

**Director:** Very observant of you Alan. Running through a field of Poison Ivy may be fun at first but in the end, it causes you pain. Just like revenge.

**Amazing Alan:** Oh man! There's just got to be a better way to make these points, gu...  
Oh, hey! These really do have a point!

Romans 12:19

# Donut Diet

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**Sam:** And I'll have three glazed donuts, two chocolate covered donuts, two maple bars and a cinnamon roll.

**Cook:** I got it!

**Bill:** Sam, long time no see! How are you doing?

**Sam:** Hey, Bill! Doing okay! Hang on a second will ya? Uh, excuse me, can you put extra frosting on that cinnamon roll?

**Cook:** No problem!

**Sam:** Thanks! I appreciate that.

**Bill:** Uh, so how's the diet coming along?

**Sam:** (munch munch) Really good. The doctor has been really strict, but I eat everything he tells me to eat. Hey, you want a donut?

**Bill:** No thanks. The doctor tells you to eat donuts?

**Sam:** Oh, no! That's something I allow myself to do. You can't be 100% faithful with everything.

**Bill:** Even a diet?

**Sam:** Especially a diet.

**Bill:** Really? So, have you lost any weight?

**Sam:** You know, come to think of it, I think I've gained a couple of pounds. Man, this diet is worthless! I just knew that doctor didn't know what he was talking about!

**Announcer:** If you allow sin to have a little space, it will grow. If you truly want to grow in Christ, be obedient to God in all areas of your life.

2 Corinthians 2:9, 10:5, Romans 6:16

# Driving Lessons

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**Prayer:** OH LORD, INTO YOUR HANDS I COMMIT THE LIVES OF MYSELF AND MY SON.

**Son:** Are you sure you want to do this Dad?

**Dad:** Oh yeah.

**Prayer:** PLEASE KEEP US SAFE! DON'T LET ME DOWN NOW!

**Dad:** Go ahead, start the car.

**Son:** Okay.

**Dad:** Very good! Now back it out of the driveway.

**Prayer:** BREAK! LORD LET HIM BREAK!!!

**Son:** (screech.) Oh, there's the break.

**Announcer:** Prayer allows us to bring our concerns to an all-powerful God.

**Dad:** Your speed is good, you're doing okay son.

**Prayer:** HE'S SWERVING! OH LORD, HELP US! HE'S SWERVING!

**Dad:** You're moving a little too close to the centerline.

**Son:** Sorry, it helped me go straight.

**Prayer:** THE DITCH! LORD! DON'T LET US RUN INTO THE DITCH!!!

**Dad:** Cutting it a little close over here, son.

**Announcer:** Prayer gives us comfort.

**Prayer:** OH LORD, PLEASE LET US SAFELY MAKE THIS LEFT TURN.

**Son:** Can I turn now?

**Dad:** Wait for the traffic to clear...WAIT FOR THE TRAFFIC...(TRUCK)

**Son:** Wow! That was close.

**Dad:** Mm hm.

**Announcer:** Prayer brings us closer to God.

**Son:** (door slams) I really feel comfortable driving with you dad. Thanks for being so calm.

**Announcer:** Prayer can also make us a better parent. Have you prayed lately?

1 Peter 5:7

## Lunch with Ex-Girlfriend

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**Husband:** Doc, I love my wife, I love everything about her.

**Doctor:** Uh, huh. So, tell me, why are you both here in family counseling?

**Wife:** Oh, he SAYS he loves me, but I don't believe a word of it.

**Husband:** I don't know why she say's that! There's nothing I wouldn't do for her!

**Wife:** Nothing? Doctor, ask him about his Friday afternoons.

**Doctor:** Okay, so Mr. Smith....

**Husband:** Oh! She always brings that up! Just because I have lunch with my ex-girlfriend every Friday, she gets all worried! I keep telling her that there's nothing going on!

**Doctor:** Well, if you know it really bothers her, why don't you stop having lunch with your ex-girlfriend?

**Husband:** Doc, I dedicate my whole life to my wife, but I need to have one area that's for me. I'm not asking too much, am I?

**Announcer:** God promised to bless those who are obedient. If you love God, do you show it in all areas of your life, or are you holding back something you call your own?

2 Corinthians 2:9, 10:5, Romans 6:16, 1 John 3:21-22

# Moving Day

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- Bob:** Hey Frank! What are you doing this weekend?
- Frank:** Oh, trying to finish some projects around the house. Why?
- Bob:** I'm moving this weekend. I was hoping you could help.
- Frank:** I can do that.
- Bob:** Great! 7 AM Saturday! Can you bring your truck.
- Frank:** Uh...
- Bob:** I know it's new and all, but I really need a truck.
- Frank:** No, no problem.
- Bob:** Thanks, you're a real friend. It's up 3 floors.
- Frank:** Oh, okay.
- Bob:** No elevator.
- Frank:** Hey! We can handle it. No problem.
- Bob:** Mind if I drop my dog off at your place tonight? He's in the way of packing.
- Frank:** Oh, sure! I love dogs.
- Bob:** Is a week too long?
- Frank:** Oh, no. That's fine.
- Bob:** Thanks! You're such a great friend. If there's anything I can do for you, don't hesitate to ask.
- Frank:** Hey, since you're not going to have a yard anymore, you're probably not going to need your garden hose, are you? Mine leaks.
- Bob:** Uh, I was going to sell it at my garage sale. Stop by, I'll give it to you at half price.
- Frank:** That's okay.
- Announcer:** God has given us so much. He forgave our sins, made us holy and blameless in his sight. Are you grateful for this? Does your life show it?

Colossians 2:6-7

# I Don't Want to Go to the Doctor

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**Son:** I don't want to go to the doctor. It's not fun.

**Dad:** But you need to son.

**Son:** But, he really hurts me with needles and stuff.

**Dad:** Come on son, we have to go.

**Son:** BUT WHY???

**Dad:** Because the doctors need to check your CBC's to see if you have any abnormal hemoglobin or hematocrit levels, then they need to do a Cat-Scan & MRI on your head to check for any intercranial bleeding.

**Son:** Huh?

**Dad:** Okay, one more time. Your body needs red blood cells to carry oxygen from your lungs to the rest of your body.

**Mom:** Dear? Hold on a second. Johnny, the doctor knows what he's doing, and you have to go to see him, so he can help you feel better.

**Son:** Okay.

**Announcer:** Things happen to us that are painful. Sometimes we understand why, and sometimes only God understands why. But, whether we understand or not, in the midst of our pain, we can take comfort in the fact that God is ultimately in control, and He is good. In your time trouble, do you trust God?

Job 38:4, Romans 8:28

# Grandma Wilson's Toilet

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- Stu-Bob:** Well, I got Grandma Wilson's toilet to flush.
- DM:** I'm sure she really appreciates it, Stu-Bob.
- Stu-Bob:** Doreenamae, she told me that the Johnson's are using their warehouse to house the homeless. We ought to do something like that.
- DM:** Like what?
- Stu-Bob:** Something big for God, like letting the homeless sleep in our garage.
- DM:** We have a carport.
- Stu-Bob:** Well that don't work.
- DM:** You do quite a bit dear...
- Stu-Bob:** Doreenamae, everybody I know is doing big things for God. Maybe we could feed the poor by growing corn or something in the backyard.
- DM:** Stu-Bob, we can touch the fence from the back door. You do a lot for the Lord. They may not be big, but they're just as important.
- Stu-Bob:** Like what?
- DM:** You unclogged Grandma Wilson's toilet.
- Stu-Bob:** The Johnson's are housing the homeless. And me? I unclog toilets! I can see the people filling the Churches now!
- DM:** Small things are important too. If everyone fed thousands, or housed the homeless, then Grandma Wilson's toilet would never flush.

Matthew 25:21, Luke 16:10

## Stu-Bob's Big Statue

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**Stu-Bob:** Doreenamae! I'm gonna do something REAL big for God.

**DM:** You're finally going to go next door and talk to Andy.

**Stu-Bob:** No! Picture, a 360-foot statue of Jesus in our backyard with a fish in one hand and a loaf of French bread in the other.

**DM:** That's nice Stu-Bob.

**Stu-Bob:** Where's that sack of cement I had?

**DM:** You mean the one you bought to engrave the entire Bible on?

**Stu-Bob:** Yeah that's right.

**DM:** It's next to the paint you were going to use for the mural of the Last Supper.

**Stu-Bob:** You don't think I'm going to do this, do you.

**DM:** Stu-Bob, every time you get inspired you want to do something so big that you just can't do it.

**Stu-Bob:** Well, these things take time.

**DM:** Why don't you start by talking to Andy?

**Stu-Bob:** I don't want to touch just one person, I want to touch thousands.

**DM:** No you don't! You wanna do anything you can but talk to your neighbor.

**Stu-Bob:** I know! I'll make Christian radio messages and play them on the radio!

**DM:** That still ain't talkin' to your neighbor. Will ya go next door?!

Matthew 28:19-20

# Operation for Sparky

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- Vet:** I'm terribly sorry, but your dog has been seriously injured. There's not a lot we can do to help her.
- Wife:** Oh, dear.
- Husband:** Are you sure there's nothing we can do?
- Vet:** There is an operation we can do. But I'm afraid it would cost several thousand dollars.
- Husband:** Well, we may be able to do something to...
- Wife:** George, we can't afford a bill that big.
- Husband:** But Sparky has been at my side for the last ten years. I just can't put her to sleep if there's something we can do.
- Wife:** I love Sparky too, but we can't afford to go this deep into debt.
- Husband:** Doctor, isn't there anything else we can do?
- Vet:** I'm sorry. I'd do it for less, but...
- Wife:** No doctor, we understand.
- Husband:** Maybe we could rent out the spare bedroom? There's got to be something we could do to save Sparky.
- Announcer:** The value of a life can be measured by what we are willing to sacrifice for it. Have you ever thought about the value of human life? Have you ever thought about your value? God has. He sacrificed His Son to save us from our sins. That makes your life valuable. Do you know this loving God?

John 3:16, Romans 5:8-11, 8:16-17

# Stage for God

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- Frank:** I want all the spotlights on this big X in the middle of the stage!
- Voice:** Got it!
- Frank:** Oh, hi Bob!
- Bob:** Hi Frank. Hey, what's with this big stage?
- Frank:** I'm inviting God to make an appearance before us.
- Bob:** You're doing what?!
- Frank:** I figure many of us would believe in God if he would just let us see Him. So I rented this stage.
- Bob:** Frank, you can see how complex Creation is and you know all the prophecies in the Bible that were fulfilled, and still you want God to appear on stage so you can see Him and then believe?
- Frank:** Well, of course. If God exists this would be a great opportunity for him to prove it.
- Bob:** So, you expect Him to do a little song and dance for you?
- Frank:** If He loves me, then he'll appear.
- Bob:** Frank, 2000 years ago, God did appear. Jesus came to earth and died on the cross so that by believing in Him we could have eternal life. He made sure that even after 2000 years you would hear that message.
- Frank:** So where is He?
- Bob:** He's here, but we must come to Him on His terms, not ours.

Exodus 33:20, John 1:1 & 14

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