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Maudie's Naughties



I'm Dead!

An older couple is lying in bed one morning. They have just awakened from a good night's sleep. He takes her hand and she responds, "Don't touch me." "Why not?" he asks. She answers, "Because I'm dead." The husband asks "What are you talking about? We're both lying here in bed together and talking to one another!" She says, "No, I'm definitely dead." He insists, "You're not dead. What in the world makes you think you're dead?" "Because I woke up this morning and nothing hurts."

Internet Shopping

A man and a woman who live in the same town, have the same name and the same birthdate, both decide to try ordering their prescriptions from out of the country using the Internet.

After ordering birth control patches, she discovers three months later that she has still become pregnant. In addition, although she has never smoked, she suddenly has an insatiable desire for Cuban cigars.

Finally, she discovers that her birth control patches have been switched for the nicotine patches ordered by the man with the same name and her birthdate.

The man . . . he's okay. But his wife is plenty peeved because he now has a better chest than she does.

Write It Down!

A couple that's not really that old starts to have trouble remembering things. A visit to the doctor reveals that they are okay physically, but he suggests they start writing things down.

One night, while watching "One versus a 100," the man gets up from his chair during a commercial and starts for the kitchen. "I'm going for a snack," he says. "Do you want anything?"

"Yes," she answers. "I want a bowl of ice cream, but you'd better write that down, so you don't forget."

"Surely I can remember an ice cream," he replies.

"I'm sure," she replies. "But I'd like vanilla ice cream with chocolate syrup and cherries with whipped cream topping."

"Three toppings," he says, as he heads for the kitchen holding up three fingers. "I can remember those easily."

A few minutes later, he returns to the living room and hands her a plate full of bacon and eggs.

"I told you that you should have written it down," she tells him. "You forgot my toast."

Teamwork

The mayor of a big city is driving down the street one day when he observes two public works employees. One is digging a hole and the other, who is following along behind him, quickly fills it back up. They cross the street, and without taking any breaks, repeat the process.

The mayor jumps out of his car and runs over and demands, "Why are you wasting the city's time and money? You should accomplish something by working hard!"

"We are working hard," says one employee. "I dig the hole, and he covers it up. It's the guy that plants the tree in the hole who's home sick that's wasting the city's money."

Work for Food

A woman is walking down the street when she is approached by a really dirty, shabby-looking homeless woman who asks her for a couple of dollars for dinner.

The well-to-do woman takes \$10 out of her purse but holds onto it as she asks, "If I give you this money, will you be buying wine with it?"

"No, madam," the homeless woman replies. "I stopped drinking years ago."

"Well," the woman asks, "Are you going to go shopping for clothes with the money instead of buying food?"

"No, madam," the homeless woman replies. "I can't buy clothes. I have to use every bit of money I get to buy food."

"Well," the woman asks, "Are you going to spend this money on a beauty salon instead of buying food?"

"No, madam," the homeless woman replies. "I haven't had my hair done in years."

"Well," says the rich woman. "I'll give you a \$20 if you'll go home with me and meet my husband. I want him to see what a woman looks like who gives up drinking wine, shopping for new clothes and going to the beauty salon."



Recovery Progress - More than \$21 million provided in Kentucky

Kentucky homeowners and renters who sustained losses from the severe storms, flooding, landslides and mudslides from Feb. 27 through March 14 in Breathitt, Clay, Estill, Floyd, Johnson, Lee, Magoffin, Martin and Powell counties may be eligible for assistance from FEMA.

FEMA's National Flood Insurance Program has paid more than \$17 million in flood insurance claims in Kentucky. About 600 claims have been submitted. A major disaster declaration is not required for flood insurance to pay. Claims may be submitted from any county.

For losses not covered by insurance, FEMA has approved more than \$3 million in Individual Assistance disaster grants for Kentucky homeowners and renters. Grants may help survivors with rent, home repairs, home replacement and other disaster-related needs such as childcare, medical and dental expenses. A total of 509 households have been approved.

The U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA)

has approved 17 low-interest disaster loans for \$775,100.

By law, FEMA cannot duplicate insurance payments or assistance from government programs or charities.

If you have uninsured or underinsured losses, contact FEMA online at DisasterAssistance.gov, download the FEMA app and register on your smartphone or tablet, or call 800-621-3362 (TTY 800-462-7585). The toll-free telephone lines operate from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m., seven days a week. Multilingual operators are also available during these hours.

Those who use a Relay service, such as a video-phone, Innocaption or CapTel, should provide their specific number assigned to that service. It is important that FEMA can contact you. Phone calls from FEMA may come from an unidentified number.

The Disaster Service Corp Society of St. Vincent de Paul will assist survivors to register with FEMA, apply for Commonwealth disaster benefits

and offer other resources at the following locations and times:

Parish Recovery Assistance Center in Booneville, Holy Family Parish: 1439 KY Highway 11S, Booneville, Kentucky 41314

Hours of Operation: Wednesday, May 26 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Parish Recovery Assistance Center in Paintsville St. Michael's Parish: 720 Washington Ave., Paintsville, Kentucky 41240

Hours of Operation: Thursday, May 27 to Friday, May 28

9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday and Friday

You should have the following information available to register:

Address of the damaged primary dwelling where damage occurred

Current mailing address

Current telephone number

Social Security number

Your insurance information

Total household annual income

Routing and account numbers for checking or savings accounts so FEMA may directly transfer disaster assistance funds

A description of disaster damage and losses.

Spending FEMA Grants Wisely

While FEMA Individual Assistance is tax free and grants don't have to be repaid, FEMA urges survivors to use the funds quickly, wisely and only for disaster-related expenses.

When a grant is awarded, FEMA sends a disaster assistance determination letter listing approved uses.

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