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BAGPIPES

Time is like a river. You cannot touch the water twice, because the flow that has passed will never pass again. Enjoy every moment of life.

As a bagpiper, I play many gigs. Recently I was asked by a funeral director to play at a graveside service for a homeless man. He had no family or friends, so the service was to be at a pauper's cemetery in the countryside. As I was not familiar with the roads, I got lost and, being a typical man, I didn't stop for directions.

I finally arrived an hour late and saw that the funeral guy had evidently gone and the hearse was nowhere in sight. There were only the diggers and crew left and they were eating lunch. I felt badly and apologized to the men for being late.

I went to the side of the grave and looked down and the vault lid was already in place. I didn't know what else to do, so I started to play.

The workers put down their lunches and began to gather around. I played out my heart and soul for this man with no family and friends. I played like I've never played before for this homeless man. And as I played "Amazing Grace", the workers began to weep. They wept, I wept, we all wept together. When I finished, I packed up my bagpipes and started for my car. Though my head was hung low, my heart was full.

As I opened the door to my car, I heard one of the workers say, "I never seen anything like that before, and I've been putting in septic tanks for twenty years."

Apparently, I'm still lost....it's a man thing.

THE FINAL EXAM

There were four final year senior students taking chemistry and all of them had an 'A' so far.

These four friends were so confident that the weekend before finals, they decided to visit some friends and have a big party.

They had a great time but, after all the hearty partying; they slept all day Sunday and didn't make it back to University until early Monday morning.

Rather than taking the final then, they decided that after the final they would explain to their professor why they missed it.

They said that they visited friends but on the way back they had a flat tyre. As a result, they missed the final.

The professor agreed they could make up the final the next day.

The guys were excited and relieved. They studied that night for the exam. The next day the professor placed them in separate rooms and gave them a test booklet.

They quickly answered the first problem worth 5 points. Cool, they thought! Each one, in a separate room, thought this was going to be easy ... then they turned the page.

On the second page was written. For 95 points: Which tyre?

LIE DETECTOR

A father buys a lie detector robot that slaps people when they lie.

He decides to test it out at dinner one night. The father asks his son what he did that afternoon.

The son says, "I did some schoolwork." *The robot slaps the son.*

The son says, "Ok, Ok. I was at a friend's house, watching movies."

Dad asks, "What movie did you watch?"

Son says, "Toy Story." *The robot slaps the son.*

Son says, "Ok, Ok, we were watching porn."

Dad says, "What? At your age, I didn't even know what porn was." *The robot slaps the father.*

Mum laughs and says, "Well, he certainly is your son!!" *The robot slaps the mother.*

ROBOT FOR SALE.

GOD'S PLAN FOR AGING

Most seniors never get enough exercise.

So in His Wisdom God decreed that seniors become forgetful so they would have to search for their glasses, keys and other things thus doing more walking.

Then God saw there was another need. In His Wisdom He made seniors lose coordination so they would drop things requiring them to bend, reach & stretch.

Lastly, God considered the function of bladders and decided seniors would have additional calls of nature requiring more trips to the bathroom, thus providing more exercise.

So if you find as you age, you are getting up and down more, remember it's God's will. It is all in your best interest even though you mutter under your breath. However, there are ***Nine Important Facts to Remember as You Grow Older***

#1 Life is like a jar of chilli peppers. What you do today may be a burning issue tomorrow.

#2 In the 60's, people took acid to make the world weird. Now the world is weird, and people take Prozac to make it normal.

#3 All of us could take a lesson from the weather. It pays no attention to criticism.

#4 Health nuts are going to feel stupid someday, lying in the hospital, dying of nothing.

#5 Give a person a fish and you feed them for a day. Teach a person to use the Internet and they won't bother you for weeks, months, maybe years.

#6 Men have 2 motivations: hunger and hanky panky, and they can't tell them apart. If you see a gleam in his eyes, make him a sandwich.

#7 Good health is merely the slowest possible rate at which one can die.

#8 Life is sexually transmitted.

#9 Death is the number 1 killer in the world; alternately, Life is a terminal illness.