



II Cor. 3:17 -- "Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is..."

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## In Days Gone By

On November 4, 1862, the machine gun was patented.

On Nov. 4, 1842, Abraham Lincoln married Mary Todd in Springfield, Illinois.

On November 4, 1884, Grover Cleveland was elected president of the U.S.

On November 4, 1952, General Eisenhower was elected as president of the U.S.

YOU CANNOT THINK DIRTY,  
YOU CANNOT TALK DIRTY, YOU  
CANNOT ACT DIRTY—AND BE  
CLEAN.

## Your Home Is Bugged!

Yes, your home is bugged. In every home there are two microphones per child—one in each ear. These highly sensitive instruments pick up the table prayers, the hymns sung, ordinary conversation, incidental remarks, type of language, a variety of words and intensities of sound. These all absorbing microphones transmit all that they hear to highly impressionable minds. These sounds then become the vocabulary of the child and his basis for action and reaction.

## OLD FRIENDS

There are no friends like old friends  
And none so good and true;  
We greet them when we meet them  
As roses greet the dew.  
No other friends are dearer  
Though born of kindred mold  
And while we prize the new ones,  
We treasure more the old.

There are no friends like old friends,  
Wherever we dwell or roam  
In lands beyond the ocean  
Or near the bounds of home.  
And when they smile to gladden  
Or sometimes frown to guide  
We fondly wish those old friends  
Were always by our side.

There are no friends like old friends,  
To help us with the load  
That all must bear who journey  
O'er life's uneven road.  
And when unconquered sorrows  
The weary hours invest  
The kindly words of old friends  
Are always found the best.

There are no friends like old friends,  
To calm our frequent fears  
When shadows fall and deepen  
Through life's declining years...  
And when our faltering footsteps  
Approach the Great Divide  
We'll long to meet the old friends  
Who wait the Other Side.

**Let The Word Of God Do Its Work!**  
 If you are cold, let it **WARM** you.  
 If you are asleep, let it **WAKE** you.  
 If you are a backslider, let it **WARN** you.  
 If you are defiled, let it **WASH** you.  
 If you are disobedient, let it **WHIP** you.  
 If you are uncertain, let it **WITNESS** to you.  
 If you are unsaved, let it **WIN** you.

I decided I'll never get down to my original weight, and I'm okay with that. After all, 6lbs 3oz is just not realistic.



**AMERICA:**  
 The Donkey and the Elephant won't help. We must turn back to the Lamb which taketh away the sins of the world!  
 (John 1:29)



When God gets ready to use you, there is no devil in hell that can stop him!

**PRACTICE THE PAUSE!**  
 When in doubt, Pause.  
 When angry, Pause.  
 When tired, Pause.  
 When stressed, Pause.  
 When you pause, **PRAY!**



## Have You Ever Wondered What Companies Donate To What Political Party During An Election Cycle?



### Election Cycle Political Donations - Center For Responsive Politics



#### SHOPPING

**Club Costco:** donated \$225,000. 99% went to Democrats.  
**Rite Aid:** Donated \$517,000. 60% went to Democrats.  
**Magia Products (Stanley tools, Mr. Clean):** Donated \$22,000. 100% went to Democrats.  
**Warnaco (Undergarments):** Donated \$55,000. 73% went to Democrats.  
**Martha Stewart:** Donated \$153,000. 99% went to Democrats.  
**Estee Lauder:** Donated \$448,000. 95% went to Democrats.  
**Guess Inc.:** Donated \$145,000. 98% went to Democrats.  
**Calvin Klein:** Donated \$78,000. 100% went to Democrats.  
**Liz Claiborne:** Donated \$34,000. 97% went to Democrats.  
**Levi Strauss:** Donated \$26,000. 97% went to Democrats.  
**Olan Mills:** Donated \$175,000. 99% went to Democrats.  
**Wal-Mart:** Donated \$487,000. 97% went to Republicans.  
**K-Mart:** Donated \$524,000. 86% went to Republicans.  
**Home Depot:** Donated \$298,000. 89% went to Republicans.  
**Target:** Donated \$226,000. 70% went to Republicans.  
**Circuit City Stores:** Donated \$261,000. 95% went to Republicans.  
**3M Company:** Donated \$281,000. 87% went to Republicans.  
**Hallmark Cards:** Donated \$319,000. 92% went to Republicans.  
**Amway:** Donated \$391,000. 100% went to Republicans.  
**Kohler Co.:** Donated \$283,000. 100% went to Republicans.  
**B.F. Goodrich (Tires):** Donated \$215,000. 97% went to Republicans.  
**Proctor & Gamble:** Donated \$243,000. 79% went to Republicans.

#### HUNGRY/FOOD

**Sonic Corporation:** Donated \$83,000. 99% went to Democrats.  
**Triarc Companies (Arby's, T.J., Cinnamon's, Pasta Connections):** Donated \$112,000. 96% went to Democrats.  
**Pilgrim's Pride Corp. (Chicken):** Donated \$366,000. 100% went to Republicans.  
**Outback Steakhouse:** Donated \$641,000. 95% went to Republicans.  
**Tricon Global Restaurants (KFC, Pizza Hut, Taco Bell):** Donated \$133,000. 87% went to Republicans.  
**Brinker Int. (Magliano's, Brinker Cafe, Chili's, On The Border, Macaroni Grill, Crazyfem's, Corner Baker, EatZis):** Donated \$242,000. 83% went to Republicans.  
**Waffle House:** Donated \$279,000. 100% went to Republicans.  
**McDonald's:** Donated \$197,000. 86% went to Republicans.  
**Darden Restaurants (Red Lobster, Olive Garden, Smokey Bones, Bahama Breeze):** Donated \$121,000. 89% went to Republicans.  
**Heinz:** Donated \$85,300. \$64,000 went to Republicans. \$21,500 went to democrats. (This is especially interesting since John Kerry's wife is the owner of Heinz.)

#### TRAVELING

**Hyatt Corporation.** Donated \$187,000. 80% went to Democrats.  
**Marriot International:** Donated \$323,000. 81% went to Republicans.  
**Holiday Inn's:** Donated \$38,000. 71% went to Republicans.



So, there it is Christian people. You and I stand on spiritual and moral values. This list shows where your money goes when you go out. But, this list ought to show us how to spend our time and money more wisely whenever we go out. Choose your products and where to buy them very carefully.

# Miscellaneous-

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\*EVENTS  
\*VIEWS  
\*NEWS



SOME LESSONS I HAVE LEARNED down through the years- Life is full of lessons and we are constantly learning. Sometimes we have to learn the same lesson 2 or 3 times before it really sinks in, and some lessons we never seem to learn at all. But, having been around all these many years, especially 63 years as a Christian and 60 years as a preacher, I have learned some things that are truly important. Though I've forgotten a lot of things, here are four that I would like to share with you:

I've learned from life that death is inevitable. As a minister I have dealt with the deaths of many people. We never get used to it, and we are genuinely shocked when it happens to those we love the most. However, if Jesus doesn't come soon, your death notice and mine will be in the newspaper. The truth is, we really start dying the minute we are born. When I walk through familiar cemeteries I am always amazed at the number of people buried there who were personal acquaintances in life. I'm reminded once again of Hebrews 9:27, "...as it is appointed unto man once to die, but after this the judgment."

I've learned from life that those who are saved are the happiest of all people. We live in a dog-eat-dog world with hate and revenge everywhere, but when God's love comes in we have a love for others, even for our enemies. Where God's love is there is peace, contentment and an unspeakable joy. In life or in death, we are ready to go because we know that Heaven awaits.

I've learned from life that nothing lasts in this world. Everything changes, disappears and many things become disappointing. We need to look further than this life. Listen to what the Apostle Paul wrote in II Corinthians 4:18: "While we look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which not seen: for the things which are seen are temporal, but the things which are not seen are eternal." Hallelujah! We can be extremely happy here one day and extremely sad the next, but it's not that way in Heaven!

I've learned from life that hope makes the difference in the graveyard. I have preached many funerals of family members, friends, acquaintances and even strangers since I became a preacher in 1958, and one thing I've discovered about most families is that they want to know where their loved one went. When you die as a saved person, it not only makes a big difference for you in eternity, but it makes a big difference for your family and friends as well.

**Give Satan an inch & he'll be a ruler.**