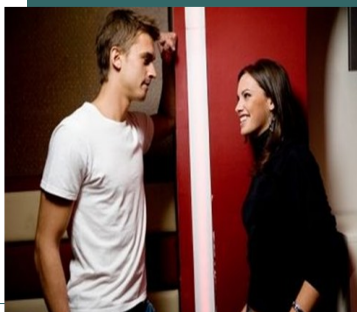


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Adventist Youth Society: In Him and with HIM you bear fruits



LOVE VS LUST: HOW TO KNOW THE DIFFERENCE

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The difference between love and lust is the attitude of your heart. The most well known passage about love is [1 Corinthians 13](#) where we get a list of all the things that define what love IS and what it IS NOT. If you're in love, the attitude of your heart is one of selflessness, with the other person as your focus, whereas if you are in lust the attitude of

your heart will be one of selfishness, with yourself as the focus. True love is driven by a godly desire to provide for, nurture and care for the other persons needs, whereas lust is driven by an ungodly desire to provide for, nurture and care for our own sinful passions. When you love someone you choose to stick with that person at the expense of all others, even when it's hard and you don't want to! When you lust after someone, you

get angry and throw in the towel as soon as you don't get what you want, or you manipulate them until they do what you want them to do.

So... if you are wondering about whether or not you're in love, ask yourself "what is my heart attitude towards this person? Is it one of selflessness or selfishness? Do I want to invest into this person, or is it just about fulfilling my human desires?"

HEALTHY LIVING

- Eat three meals a day (breakfast, lunch, and dinner); it is important to remember that dinner does not have to be the largest meal.
- The bulk of food consumption should consist of fruits, vegetables, whole grains, and fat-free or low-fat milk products.
- Choose lean meats, poultry, fish, beans, eggs, and nuts (with emphasis on beans and nuts).





CHURCH CORNER



Welcome to Church Corner, a column written by Mark Maitland where we look at some interesting and current matters in our church. We hope you will enjoy the featured topic each month.

To Ordain or Not to Ordain

Recently the president of the General Council of Seventh Day Adventists visited the Columbia Union Conference of Seventh Day Adventists. His main reason for visiting the Union was to make an appeal to the leadership and other union supporters to “hold still, do not run ahead of the General Conference.”

This was particularly concerning a move by the Columbia Union to ignore the guidelines of the General Conference and proceed with a recommendation to vote on allowing women to be ordained as pastors and serve within that union. Elder Wilson, in cautioning the union said in his speech;

“There are grave consequences that could result if you were to vote positively on the recommendation before you. I’m not threatening you in any way... but when an organization decides to proceed independently apart from the world family, this can lead to fragmentation and to a disintegration of the collegial relationship with the world church”.

In cautioning that he doesn’t want to appear authoritative and overbearing, he asked that they do not proceed in a direction that runs into conflict with the beliefs of the church. Elder Wilson also advised that the General Conference has established the process for a theology of ordination study and their main role is through deep study and prayer make a decision regarding the subject of women ordination.

Above everything else, he sought to acknowledge and show appreciation for the work and role that women have contributed and played in the SDA church.

Many a debates have already begun to wage on the matter of whether or not to give the green light to women ordination. So intensely debated is the subject that it seemingly has the ability to cause great division in many congregations.

Let me end by appealing to you that regardless of where your support lies on this matter, remember the words of Jesus in St. John 17: 20 – 21;

“I pray also for them which shall believe on me through their word, that they all may be **one, even as we are one.**”

Mark Maitland, JP

Do you have Nomophobia?

We know a 'phobia' is a fear of something which can cause anxiety and stress. what is nomo? Nomo is an abbreviation for "no mobile phone". So nomophobia is the fear of being out of contact with your mobile phone! Stop now and think ... what if you lost your phone? Did that just cause you panic?

HOW YOU KNOW YOU'VE GOT NOMO-

PHOBIA

Do you:
have an inability to turn off your phone?
take your phone to the bathroom ?
obsessively check emails, texts, facebook, twitter, etc.?
Technological advances are certainly great but with studies showing that we check our phones on average 34 times a day, maybe .

we have gone a bit too far. We must sound the warning that our technical devices can become masters-idols if you wish- rather than servants. And they can increase personal and social dislocation and isolation. We must bring every thought captive to Christ (2 Cor. 10: 5) and that includes smart phones-useful and helpful tools, but never masters of our time and attention. That role belongs to Jesus alone.



JUNGLE GUIDE

A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters



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But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all truth. He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come.

- JOHN 16:13 NIV

KILLER DOG

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For if you live according to the sinful nature, you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the misdeeds of the body, you will live,

- ROMANS 8:13 NIV



Joshua captured 31 kings ([Josh 12:9-24](#)).

Green is the 1st color mentioned in the Bible ([Gen 1:30](#)).

Jerusalem at one time was called Jebus ([Judg 19:10](#)). It was also called Salem ([Ps 76:2](#))([Gen 14:18](#))([Heb 7:1-2](#)).).

David is mentioned 1139 times in the Bible, second only to Jesus.

Bethlehem means "house of bread."

There are 12 books of the Bible that start with J.

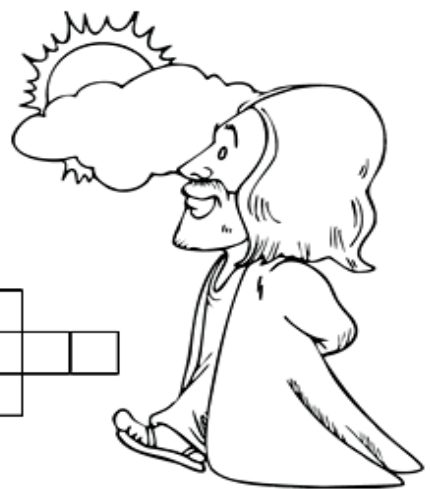
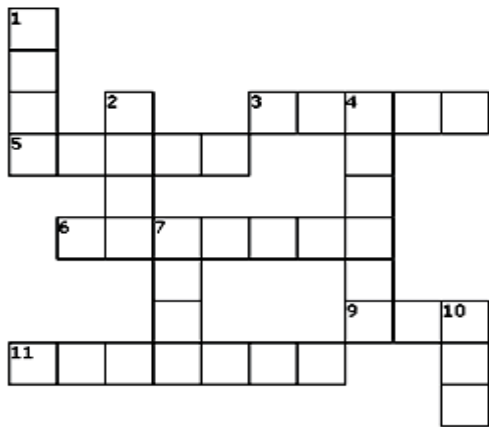
GOOD CHRISTIAN HUMOUR

There is the story of a pastor who got up one Sunday and announced to his congregation:

"I have good news and bad news. The good news is, we have enough money to pay for our new building program. The bad news is, it's still out there in your pockets."



Got Jesus?



ACROSS

- 3. The organ in the body that pumps the blood
- 5. To make letters and words with a pen or pencil
- 6. To accept as true, genuine, or real
- 9. Evidence given by witness in court
- 11. Something that continues forever

DOWN

- 1. To understand something
- 2. The period from birth to death
- 4. To receive something willingly, such as a gift
- 7. Someone who doesn't tell the truth
- 8. The creator and ruler of the universe
- 10. A male child

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FRIDAY NIGHT LIVE!

FRIDAY EVENINGS @ 7:30 PM

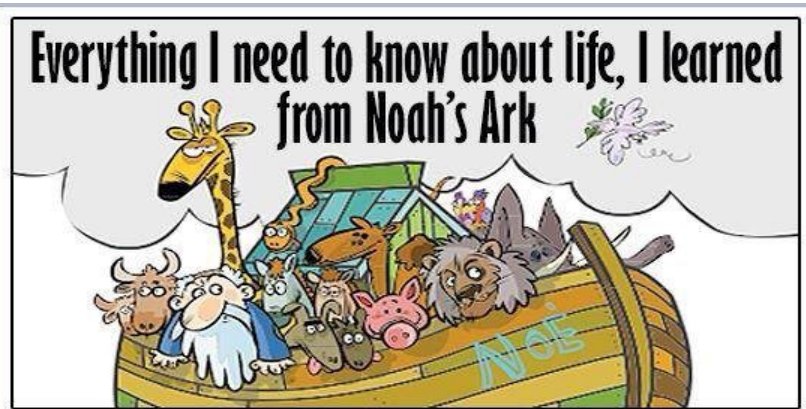
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Theme Text

Have not I commanded thee? Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the LORD thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest.

(Joshua 1:9)

“Having a positive mental attitude is asking how something can be done rather than saying it can't be done.”



- 1 Don't miss the boat.
- 2 Remember that we are all in the same boat.
- 3 Plan ahead. It wasn't raining when Noah built the ark.
- 4 Stay fit. When you're really old, someone may ask you to do some thing really big.
- 5 Don't listen to the critics; just get on with the job that needs to be done.
- 6 Build your future on high ground.
- 7 For safety sake, travel in pairs.
- 8 Speed isn't always an advantage. The snails were on board with the cheetahs
- 9 When you're stressed, float a while
- 10 Remember, the Ark was built by amateurs; the Titanic by professionals.
- 11 No matter the storm, when you are with God, there's always a rainbow waiting...

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