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No Matter How Hot It Is, Be Nice!

I sometimes talk to folks at companies all over the country. In the moments when they're looking for something, or I'm looking for something, I tend to make conversation (imagine that). One of my first questions is always, "where are you?" Then I can ask, "what's the temperature there?" and we compare notes. This time of year, that can be an interesting series of questions. If they're in Montana, for example, I'm groaning at how comfortable that temp sounds and they typically groan at the temp I tell them. If we're both in the South, it gives us a common bond & we commiserate about the heat.

Folks in the northern part of America usually comment that when they talk to Southerners, we're always so *nice*. I am quick to tell them that living in South Carolina, we know exactly what *hell* will be like, and we want no part of it.

Now for the Important Stuff...

The Week of August 23-29 is:

- International Water Week
- Go Topless Week (Jeeps)
- National Safe at Home Week
- World Princess Week
- Buffalo Chicken Wings Week

Some celebrations only last a day:

- 23rd**-Cuban Sandwich Day
 - Go Topless Day (Jeeps)
 - Find Your Inner Nerd Day
- 24th**-Intentional Kindness Day
 - International Strange Music Day
 - National Waffle Iron Day
- 25th**-Kiss and Make Up Day
 - Second-Hand Wardrobe Day
 - National Whiskey Sour Day
 - National Park Service Day
- 26th**-National Dog Day
 - National Toilet Paper Day
- 27th**-Just Because Day
 - National Cinema Day
- 28th**-National Thoughtful Day
 - Radio Commercials Day
 - Red Wine Day
- 29th**-Lemon Juice Day
 - More Herbs, Less Salt Day
 - Buffalo Chicken Wings Day

Have a great week & call me if you need a ride to church.

Serving Him & Loving it!

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Luke 7:23 ~ "Blessed are those who are not offended by me."

Things That Made Me Laugh This Week

- When I finally snap, it's because I had to type my email address on the TV.
- I'm always here if you need moron support. It's like moral support, but for bad ideas.
- Life is simpler when you are nonchalant. We soon as you start chalangting, it all goes sideways.
- I hate it when people ask me if I did anything exciting over the weekend like I'm over here skydiving. I'm old. I went to Food Lion, did some laundry, ate too much food, and took a nap.
- Why does iced coffee taste like hope, but hot coffee tastes like responsibility?
- I need to do a thing. My body: you did a thing yesterday. That's enough things.
- Coffee isn't enough anymore. I need to chew on a powerline.
- Being an adult has taught me that no matter how overwhelmed you may be, you can always get more overwhelmed.
- The older I get, the more I hate making extra stops on my way home. Like, I'm late for the house!
- Real mom friends don't actually talk on the phone. We send each other memes late at night as our main form of communication.
- The oldest sister is actually more strict than the actual parents.
- If you don't point out cows on road trips, I don't know if I can trust you.

Things Southerners Do That They Don't Think is Southern

1. Chit chat in grocery lines.
2. Call all sodas "coke".
3. Wave when we pass strangers on the road.
4. Give landmark-based directions.
5. Call their church "a home church"

Summertime Dad Jokes

- What do you call a snowman in the summertime? A puddle.
- Where do sharks go to summer camp? Finland
- What sits on the seabed and has anxiety? A nervous wreck.
- How do you know if the ocean is friendly? It waves.
- What do you call a Labrador at the beach? A hot dog.

**If showing up in
a robe and a tiara
with a box of wine
is wrong, then
maybe I don't
fully understand
how Casual Friday
actually works.**