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August is For Relaxing!

I used to teach. There were three very good reasons to be a teacher: June, July, and August. Well, times have changed. Teachers went back officially on July 28th and kids go back August 4th. If you're in marching band, you were back for practice July 14th & your band director was back a week before that.

Whatever happened to those lazy days of summer when your biggest stress was getting your books read so you could get your free personal pan pizza from Pizza Hut? Somehow, three months of freedom has been reduced to a few weeks of rushing to get all of the "relaxing" in before school starts again.

I hope you're getting some time (in all of this heat) to stay inside and do the little relaxing things. Read a few books just for fun! I hear they still make those personal size pizzas.

Now for the important stuff.

August is:

- American Adventures Month
- American Artists Appreciation Month
- International Pirate Month
- Back to School Month
- Golf Month

August is also:

- National Catfish Month
- National Cowgirl Month
- Crayon Collection Month
- Goat Cheese Month
- National Panini Month
- Read A Romance Novel Month

The Week of August 3-9 is:

- Stop On Red Week
- National Button Week
- International Lace Week
- Bargain Hunting Week
- National Hobo Week

Some celebrations only last a day:

- 3rd-** American Family Day
National Doll Day
National Hair Gloss Day
Watermelon Day
- 4th-** Chocolate Chip Cookie Day
National White Wine Day
Picnic Day
Raisin Bran Day
- 5th-** Dolly Parton Day
National Oyster Day
Work Like a Dog Day
Electric Traffic Light Day
National Underwear Day
- 6th-** National Fresh Breath Day
National Wiggle Your Toes Day
National Root Beer Float Day

- 7th-** National Lighthouse Day
Professional Speakers Day
Purple Heart Day
Raspberries 'n' Cream Day
- 8th-** International Cat Day
National CBD Day
Fried Chicken & Waffles Day
National Pickleball Day
National Dollar Day
Happiness Happens Day
National Frozen Custard Day
National Whataburger Day
Wear Your Mama's Jewelry Day
Sneak Zucchini Onto Neighbor's
Porch Day
- 9th-** Book Lovers Day
National Bowling Day
National Garage Sale Day
Smokey the Bear's Birthday

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."



Summer Relaxing

(4 going on 14)

Things That Made Me Laugh Today

- *"Throughout the years I have set up my own rules about eating food: Never eat anything you can't pronounce. Beware of food that is described as, 'Some Americans say it tastes like chicken.'"*
~ Erma Bombeck
- It doesn't matter how old you are, buying snacks for a road trip should always look like an unsupervised 9 year old was given \$100.
- My husband asked if he had any annoying habits & then got all offended during the PowerPoint presentation.
- I've found that if you tuck one part of your pant legs into your sock, people expect less of you.
- At my funeral, take the bouquet off my coffin & throw it into the crowd to see who is next.
- And yet again this morning, no one was standing next to my bed saying, "Good morning, your Royal Highness, here is your mimosa."
- I meant to behave but there were too many other options.
- Never laugh at your wife's choices. You were one of them.
- Sometimes you just have to sit back, relax, and let the train wreck itself.
- Mr. Rogers did not adequately prepare me for the people in my neighborhood.
- Unless you fell off your treadmill and smacked your face, no one wants to hear about your workout.
- I want buns of steel, but I also want buns of cinnamon.