

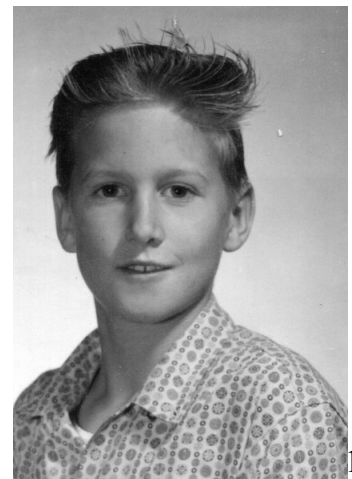
Dear friends,

Hey, it's Claire this time around writing a few quick notes about school starting. Remember the song, "School Days. School Days. Good old Golden Rule Days?" Well, I don't know how well that applies to school days in our present era. Nevertheless, as summer draws to a close, we can't help but think back to the school days of yore. Fresh Big Chief writing tablets. No. 2 yellow pencils with bright red sharpeners. A brand new pack of Crayola crayons. New black & white "saddle shoes." Haircuts. The anticipation of what the school year might bring.

Naturally, we had seen most of our school chums quite a bit during the summer. But there was something special about seeing them in their new outfits and joining us in entering our new classrooms with a different teacher. We were now a year older. How great! We were moving up the ladder from being the little kids in school. What would I learn this year? What position would I play on the class softball team? Will I do better in the spelling bees? What new friends will I make at recess?

Of course, this school year is going to be much, much different for many of the kids around the country. And my heart breaks for them having to deal with quarantine procedures, loss of school time and activities and friendships. So, we have added these kids to our regular prayer list, asking the Lord to meet their needs, motivate and protect them, and get them through these tough days very, very soon.

And, finally, to keep in the spirit of the nostalgia and memory-stimulation of these packets Denny creates for you all, I thought I'd drop in a few photos from **our** school days. The first shows my oldest brother and me. And no, we didn't get to ride the pony to school! It was just a late summer treat. The next photo is from the school days when I was a teacher, not a student. (And using a pretty ancient piece of AV equipment too.) Finally, there's a picture of Denny with his Brylcreem struggling to keep his flyaway locks under control. Like I said, fun days!



Multiple Choice Questions

1) In what country would you find the cities of Perth, Melbourne, Sydney, and Brisbane?

- A) England
- B) Australia
- C) Denmark
- D) Germany

2) According to the Carl Perkins' song (and later, Elvis Presley too), you "can do anything but stay off of..."

- A) "My mama's porch."
- B) "The new-polished bar."
- C) "My blue suede shoes."
- D) "My baby's motor scooter."

3) Which of these was **NOT** a famous folk music group?

- A) Little Anthony & the Imperials
- B) The Chad Mitchell Trio
- C) Peter, Paul, & Mary
- D) The Kingston Trio

4) World War II's "Operation Overlord" was the code name for which 1944 battle?

- A) El Alamein
- B) Battle of the Bulge
- C) Guadalcanal
- D) The invasion at Normandy

5) In the 1960s, Robert Conrad and Ross Martin starred in a TV series that combined "science fiction" with a traditional Western. It was called:

- A) *Yancy Derringer*
- B) *The Big Valley*
- C) *The Wild, Wild West*
- D) *Death Valley Days*

6) Bing Crosby's hugely popular song "White Christmas" was **NOT** introduced in the 1954 movie *White Christmas*. No, Bing first sang it in a 1942 film entitled...

- A) *Holiday Inn*
- B) *Bells of St Mary's*
- C) *The Lemon Drop Kid*
- D) *Going My Way*

7) The study of one's family tree (family history) is called:

- A) Podiatry
- B) Genealogy
- C) Linguistics
- D) Hermeneutics

8) The name of the beloved barber in *The Andy Griffith Show* was...

- A) Goober
- B) Mr. McBevee
- C) Otis
- D) Floyd

9) What condiment is the most popular (by far) in America?

- A) Mayonnaise
- B) Ketchup
- C) Soy sauce
- D) Mustard

10) Who is this?

- A) Kim Novak
- B) Gene Tierney
- C) Veronica Lake
- D) Carole Landis



11) Where in the world is Loch Ness?

- A) Wales
- B) Brittany
- C) Scotland
- D) Ireland

12) The Old Testament prophet who finally obeyed God and preached repentance to the city of Nineveh (after that episode of being swallowed by a whale) was named...

- A) Malachi
- B) Jeremiah
- C) Hosea
- D) Jonah

13) The motto of the United States is "E Pluribus Unum" which is Latin for:

- A) "In God We Trust"
- B) "Live Free or Die"
- C) "Out of Many, One"
- D) "Justice and Unity"

14) "Begin the Beguine," "Night and Day," "Just One of Those Things," and "Anything Goes" are just a few of the hit songs written by this fellow.

- A) Al Jolson
- B) Duke Ellington
- C) Irving Berlin
- D) Cole Porter

15) Connie Stevens and Edd "Kookie" Byrnes had a hit song in 1959 called...

- A) "True Love"
- B) "Kookie, Lend Me Your Comb"
- C) "Little Brown Jug"
- D) "Spanish Harlem"

16) What was the end of the gangster called "Machine Gun Kelly"?

- A) He died in 1954 after serving 21 years in Alcatraz.
- B) He was shot by Melvin Purvis in 1931 while robbing a drugstore.
- C) He escaped to Bolivia in 1938 and was never heard from again.
- D) He was killed while serving with the U.S. Army in Tarawa.

17) According to the 1920s hit song, "we have string beans, onions, cabbages, scallions, and all sorts of other things but yes, we have no..."

- A) Cucumbers
- B) Ripe tomatoes
- C) Lemons
- D) Bananas

18) Before he turned traitor, this fellow was a highly-respected General in the Continental Army.

- A) Nathanael Greene
- B) Benedict Arnold
- C) Marquis de Lafayette
- D) "Mad" Anthony Wayne

19) John Wayne's real name?

- A) Charles Dennis Buchinsky
- B) Leslie Townes Hope
- C) Marion Michael Morrison
- D) Archibald Leach

20) Rita Hayworth's real name?

- A) Margarita Cansino
- B) Lucille Fay LeSueur
- C) Frances Gumm
- D) Ruby Stevens

21) In what Christmas carol do these words appear – “No more let sins and sorrows grow, nor thorns infest the ground?”

- A) “Joy to the World”
- B) “Little Drummer Boy”
- C) “Angels We Have Heard on High”
- D) “Silent Night”

22) Where was Glenn Miller born?

- A) Chicago, Illinois
- B) Hollister, Missouri
- C) Clarinda, Iowa
- D) Detroit, Michigan

23) This popular food product came in a box to be rehydrated and served as a side dish for supper. It was advertised with cable cars and touted as a “San Francisco treat.”

- A) Kraft Macaroni & Cheese
- B) Rice-A-Roni
- C) Pillsbury Dinner Rolls
- D) Chef Boyardee Pasta

24) The mega-hit that Johnny Cash recorded live at a concert at Folsom Prison in 1969 was about a boy who had been saddled with a girl's name. That name was...

- A) Betty
- B) Janet
- C) Princess
- D) Sue

25) Which of these was **NOT** a fabulous trumpet player?

- A) Louis Armstrong
- B) Harry James
- C) Artie Shaw
- D) “Doc” Severinsen

26) The R.A.F. prevented the German invasion of Britain in World War II. What does “R.A.F.” stand for?

- A) Royal Air Force
- B) Registered Active Fighters
- C) Reserve Association of Firemen
- D) Ring of Armored Forces

27) *Postum* is an instant “coffee substitute” made popular during World War II. What is it made from?

- A) Chicory (with 14% coffee)
- B) Wheat bran, wheat, and molasses
- C) Sassafras bark
- D) Chocolate powder and sugar beet

28) Which of the Presidents listed below was **NOT** a WW II vet?

- A) Richard Nixon
- B) Ronald Reagan
- C) George H.W. Bush
- D) Bill Clinton

29) The stars who played in this TV series included James Arness, Milburn Stone, Amanda Blake, Dennis Weaver, and Ken Curtis.

- A) *The Big Valley*
- B) *Death Valley Days*
- C) *Gunsmoke*
- D) *Wagon Train*

30) Which Red Skelton character is he playing here?

- A) Clem Kadiddlehopper
- B) Freddie the Freeloader
- C) George Appleby
- D) Cauliflower McPugg



Can You Identify These Celebrities?



1) _____

6) _____

2) _____

7) _____

3) _____

8) _____

4) _____

9) _____

5) _____

10) Which of these was an actor, producer, writer, and director?

Can You Name These Historic Sports Heroes?



1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

4) _____

5) _____

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7) _____

8) _____

9) _____

10) Which of these won 18 Major Championships in his sport?

Proverbs to Ponder

“America is the only country ever founded on a creed.” (G.K. Chesterton)

“The longest way must have its close. The gloomiest night
will wear on to a morning.” (Harriet Beecher Stowe)

“But when I am afraid, I will put my trust in You.” (Psalm 56:3)

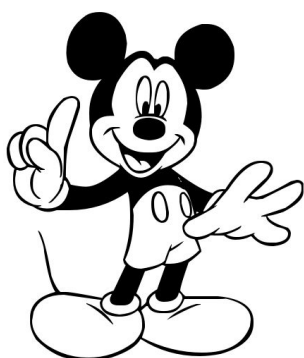
“I don’t think of all the misery but of the beauty that still remains.” (Anne Frank)

“You may be one person to the world but you may also be the world to one person.”
(Audrey Hepburn)

“While you are proclaiming peace with your lips, be careful to have it even more
fully in your heart.” (St. Francis of Assisi)

“Any cowboy can carry a tune.
The trouble comes when he tries to unload it.” (Unknown)

“Praise be to the Lord for He has heard my cry for mercy. The Lord is my strength
and my shield; my heart trusts in Him, and He helps me. My heart leaps for joy,
and with my song I praise Him.” (Psalm 28:6-7)



“Do good to thy friend to keep him, to thy enemy to
gain him.” (Benjamin Franklin)

“If you can dream it, you can do it. Always remember
this whole thing was started by a mouse.” (Walt Disney)

“The man who has no imagination has no wings.”
(Muhammad Ali)

“Cheerfulness keeps up a kind of daylight in the mind,
filling it with a steady and perpetual serenity.” (Joseph Addison)

“A teacher affects eternity; he can never tell where his influence stops.”
(Henry Adams)

“Be on your guard; stand firm in the faith. Be courageous. Be strong.
Do everything in love.” (1 Corinthians 16:13-14)

What Comes Next in This Song Lyric?

- 1) “Other arms reach out to me. Other eyes smile tenderly. Still, in peaceful dreams, I see...
- 2) “Happy trails to you until we meet again. Happy trails to you; keep smiling until then...
- 3) “Maybe I’m right and maybe I’m wrong. Maybe I’m weak and maybe I’m strong...
- 4) “One night a wild young cowboy came in, wild as the west Texas wind. Dashing and daring, a drink he was sharing...
- 5) “Day by day and with each passing moment, strength I find to meet my trials here...
- 6) “But don’t forget who’s taking you home and in whose arms you’re gonna’ be...
- 7) “When the deep purple falls over sleepy garden walls and the stars begin to twinkle in the night...
- 8) “Joy to The world! The Lord is come. Let earth receive her King...
- 9) “The hills are alive with the sound of music...
- 10) “I left my heart in San Francisco. High on a hill, it calls to me...

The Answers!
Multiple Choice

- 1) B
- 2) C
- 3) A
- 4) D
- 5) C
- 6) A
- 7) B
- 8) D
- 9) A
- 10) B
- 11) C
- 12) D
- 13) C
- 14) D
- 15) B
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- 18) B
- 19) C
- 20) A
- 21) A
- 22) C
- 23) B
- 24) D
- 25) C
- 26) A
- 27) B
- 28) D
- 29) C
- 30) B

**Can You Identify
These Celebrities?**

- 1) Mickey Rooney
- 2) Mahalia Jackson
- 3) Helen O'Connell
- 4) Rhonda Fleming
- 5) William Boyd (playing Hopalong Cassidy)
- 6) June Allyson
- 7) Diahann Carroll
- 8) Jack Webb
- 9) Walter Brennan
- 10) Jack Webb

**Can You Name These
Historic Sports Heroes?**

- 1) Stan Musial
- 2) Lee Trevino
- 3) Bill Russell
- 4) Jack Nicklaus
- 5) Arthur Ashe
- 6) Ted Williams
- 7) Willie Mays
- 8) Bob Cousy
- 9) Roger Maris
- 10) Jack Nicklaus

**What Comes Next in this
Song Lyric?**

- 1) "...The road leads back to you."
- 2) "...Who cares about the clouds when we're together? Just sing a song and bring the sunny weather. Happy trails to you 'till we meet again."

3) "...But nevertheless, I'm in love with you."

4) "...With wicked Feleena, the girl that I loved."

5) "...Trusting in my Father's wise bestowment, I've no cause for worry or for fear."

6) "...So darling, save the last dance for me."

7) "...In the mist of a memory, you wander back to me breathing my name with a sigh."

8) "...Let every heart prepare Him room. And heaven and nature sing..."

9) "...With songs they have sung for a thousand years."

10) "...To be where little cable cars climb halfway to the stars. The morning fog will chill the air. I don't care."