

the Golden Circle

News To Help You Save Time And Money

April 2021

The Real Reward

A young woman known to her friends as an avid online shopper discovered she had received a small cash rebate from a purchase. It wasn't expected, but seeing the envelope show up in the mail brought such a smile to her face, her roommate asked what good news she had received.

When the young lady explained she had received an extra \$500, her roommate suggested she consider lending it out in the form of a microloan to women in need who were trying to finish their education or start their own business. The successful young woman liked the idea and, on a whim, signed up with an online site devoted to microloans.

About six months later when the loan was repaid, she decided to lend out the money a second time... then a third... and so on. Several years later, she had lent out the same dollars over and over again, without ever missing the money.

In the meantime, she continued to receive thank you letters and updates from many of the women who used the microloan, made possible through her check, to transform their own lives.



Although she has long since moved on from her roommate situation and is now a homeowner, she still sends her old friend a letter every year, sharing a few details of all the women she has helped. Each time, she thanks her old friend for making the suggestion years ago. That first loan changed the meaning of money for her, while changing the outcome for others at the same time.*

Rick Miller
Your Trusted Financial Adviser for Life

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Retirement Planning . . .

the **Third Little Pig** used the
Personal Economic Model
Software

Check out my video:
CSIwealth.org

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Do you have any silly jokes, hard riddles, strange questions that you would like to share with our CSI family?

Send your suggestions to donna@csiwealth.org

Bunny Race Car Treats

No Bake!

Ingredients

- Twinkies
- Cake Frosting
- Marshmallows
- Pretzels
- Easter M&M's
- Bunny Peeps

Instructions

1. Cut a rectangle out of the top of each Twinkie cake. Do this about three fourths of the way down the cake.
2. Stick the Bunny into the space you just cut out. Then stick in the pretzel right in front of the bunny. Using your hands, gently work the dough together then pour it out onto floured work surface.
3. Next cut two marshmallows in half. With the icing as your "glue" stick the marshmallows on the cakes to represent your wheels. Place dough ball in the center of a 9" greased and floured cake pan.
4. Use the same icing and stick an M&M in the center of each marshmallow.
5. That's it! Your racing rabbits are ready to face off in an Easter derby! Enjoy this cute Easter Peeps Dessert craft with your own favorite bunny this Spring.



Source: Easter Peeps Desserts | Bunny Twinkie Race Cars (livinglocurto.com)

April Quiz Question

Q: What famous playwright was born in April and he also died in April?

- A. T.S. Eliot
- B. William Shakespeare
- C. Oscar Wilde
- D. George Bernard Shaw

Call in or email your response by Friday, April 16th, and if you have the correct answer, you will be **entered into a drawing** for a \$ 40.00 gift card to your favorite restaurant!

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Or
Email: info@csiwealth.org

April is World Autism Awareness Month!

The fourteenth annual World Autism Awareness Day is April 2, 2021.

Joined by the international community, hundreds of thousands of landmarks, buildings, homes and communities around the world come together on April 2, Autism Awareness Day, to Light It Up Blue in recognition of people with autism and those who love and support them.



Autism-friendly events and educational activities take place all month, aiming to increase understanding and acceptance of people with autism, foster worldwide support and inspire a kinder, more inclusive world.

Join us for World Autism Awareness Month to help us spread kindness and autism awareness!

Source: World Autism Awareness Day | Autism Speaks

This Day in April

- **April 2, 1863** - A bread riot occurred in the Confederate capital of **Richmond, Virginia**, as angry people demanded bread from a bakery wagon then wrecked nearby shops. The mob dispersed only after Confederate President Jefferson Davis made a personal plea and threatened to use force.
- **April 14, 1986** - U.S. warplanes, on orders from President Ronald Reagan, bombed the **Libyan** cities of **Tripoli and Benghazi** in retaliation for the April 5th terrorist bombing of a discotheque in **West Berlin** in which two American soldiers were killed. Among the 37 person killed in the air raid was the infant daughter of **Muammar Qaddafi**, Libya's head of state .
- **April 21, 1918** - The **Red Baron (Manfred von Richtofen)** was shot down and killed during the Battle of the Somme. He was credited with 80 kills in less than two years, flying a red Fokker triplane. British pilots recovered his body and buried him with full military honors.
- **April 30, 1967** - Boxer **Muhammad Ali** was stripped of his world heavyweight boxing championship after refusing to be inducted into the **American** military. He had claimed religious exemption.

Source: The History Place - This Month in

March Quiz

Question Winner

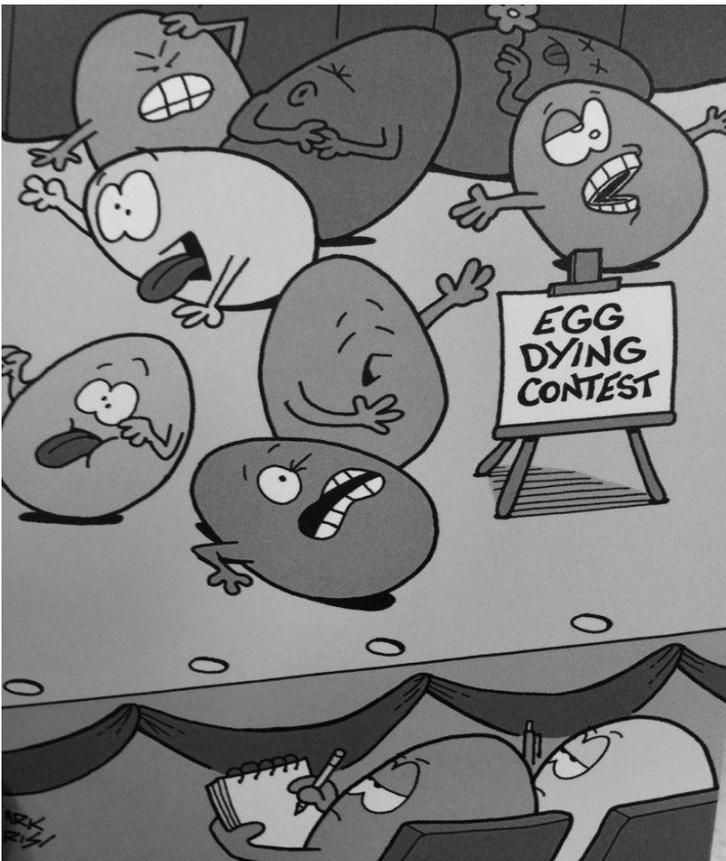
Q: Which animal does not appear in the Chinese zodiac?

A: *Hummingbird*

Congratulations to
Siriporn M.

From Garden Grove, CA

You've won a \$40 gift card to your favorite restaurant! 😊



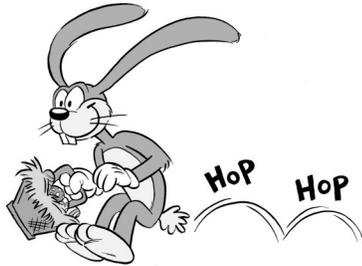
Easter Bunny Story

A man was driving along the highway when saw the Easter rabbit hopping across the middle of the road. He swerved to avoid hitting the rabbit, but unfortunately the Easter bunny jumped in front of the car and was struck by his car. The basket of eggs and candy, the rabbit was carrying, went flying all over the place.

The driver, being a sensitive man, as well as an animal lover, pulled over to the side of the road, and got out to see what had become of the rabbit carrying the basket. Much to his dismay, the colorful rabbit was dead. The driver felt so awful, he began to cry.

A woman driving down the highway saw the man crying on the side of the road and pulled over. She stepped out of her car and asked the man what was wrong. 'I feel terrible', he explained, 'I accidentally hit the Easter rabbit and killed it. Children will be so disappointed. What should I do?'

The woman told the man not to worry. She knew what to do. She went to her car trunk, and pulled out a spray can. She walked over to the dead, limp rabbit, and sprayed the contents of the can onto the furry animal. Miraculously the Easter rabbit came to life, jumped up, picked up the spilled eggs and candy, waved its paw at the two humans and hopped down the road. 50 yards away the Easter rabbit stopped turned around, waved and hopped down the road. 50 yards further on, he turned again, waved and hopped another 50 yards, again he waved.



The man was astonished. He couldn't figure out what substance could be in the woman's spray can. He ran over to the woman and asked, 'What is in your spray can? What did you spray on the Easter rabbit?' The woman turned the can around so that the man could read the label. It said: 'Hair spray. Restores life to dead hair. Adds permanent wave.'

Funny Easter Bunny stories, jokes and pictures - Funny Jokes (funny-jokes.com)

April Riddles

1. *What tastes better than it smells?*
2. *Where does one wall meet the other wall?*
3. *Two in a corner, one in a room, zero in a house, but one in a shelter. What is it?*
4. *I am an odd number. Take away a letter and I become even. What number am I?*

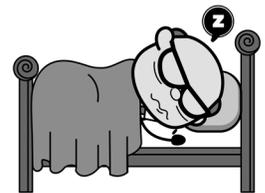
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I don't feel old.

I don't feel anything until noon.

Then it is time for my nap.

Bob Hope



Easter Facts

- Easter is the celebration of the resurrection of Jesus Christ in the Christian religion.
- Eggs have been seen as ancient symbol of fertility, while springtime is considered to bring new life and rebirth.
- Americans spend \$1.9 billion on Easter candy. That's the second biggest candy holiday after Halloween.
- 70% of Easter candy purchased is chocolate.
- 76% of Americans think the ears of a chocolate bunny should be the first to be eaten.
- Egg dyes were once made out of natural items such as onion peels, tree bark, flower petals, and juices.
- There's much debate about the practice of dyeing chicks. Many hatcheries no longer participate, but others say that it isn't dangerous to the chick's health because the dye only lasts until the chicks shed their fluff and grow their feathers.
- The first story of a rabbit (later named the "Easter Bunny") hiding eggs in a garden was published in 1680.
- Easter takes place on a Sunday, after the 40-day period called Lent. Lent is referred to as a time of fasting, but participants focus more on giving up one significant indulgence.
- Holy Week is the celebrated during the week leading up to Easter. It begins on Palm Sunday, continues on to Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, and then finally, Easter Sunday.
- "The White House Easter Egg Roll" event has been celebrated by the President of the United States and their families since 1878.
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Source: 11 Facts About Easter | DoSomething.org

Client of the Month

Congratulations to our Client of the Month:

Barbara Mc.

From San Dimas, CA

As Client of the Month you will receive a **\$40 gift card** to your favorite restaurant.

Congratulations!

We love introductions!



MEANING

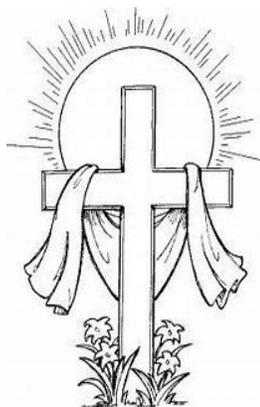
The Meaning of Easter

Colored eggs and chocolate bunnies, A rainbow of jelly beans.

But how many people truly know What Easter really means?

Easter is a time of promise that God has given to man.

It's the culmination of His redemption plan.



Source: Best Easter Poems | Cute Short

Easter Around the World!



Norway

The Norwegian's take on Easter has an Agatha Christie type feel. Easter Crime, or as they call it Paaskekrim, is a tradition where the Norwegians read mystery novels or watch detective shows on television. During Easter week, most Norwegians head to the mountains for a ski holiday and some family time playing board games.

Poland

Cold temperatures don't deter the people of Poland in their quest to maintain their Easter tradition of drenching one another with buckets full of water. The tradition dates back over 1,500 years. Originally the ceremony was a representation of baptismal water but, today, the tradition more recreational.

Greece

Red dyed eggs are a well-known Greek Easter tradition. The red dye is representative of the blood of Christ. Following midnight mass, an egg-cracking game is played where each person cracks their egg on top of another person's egg. The last person with their egg still intact wins. The winner is said to have good luck all year long.

Source: Easter Around The World | Easter Traditions

WELCOME NEW CLIENTS

Here are some of the new clients who became members of our **"the Golden Circle Family"** this past month.

Frank & Jennifer B.

From Artesia, CA

Introduced by **Barbara Mc.**

Thank You for Your Trust & Confidence!

 **Justine Stafford** 
@JustineStafford Follow

Son: Hey Mam, what time is the Easter Egg hunt at tomorrow?

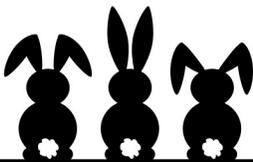
Mother: Son you're 27. It's for kids.

Son: I'll give them a head start like.



 **Simon Holland** 
@simoncholland Follow

You wouldn't believe all of the Easter eggs I just found lying in the grass outside of this pre-school.



 **@Ah_Pee**
@Ah_Pee Follow

Her: Babe what are your plans for this Easter?

Me: SAME as Jesus... I will disappear on Friday & reappear on Monday Imao

Happy Easter

APRIL – HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Clients & Friends



Gloria B. (1), Nile S. (1), Carmen B. (1) Gloria E. (1), Robert N. (1), Anthony R. (1), Arden G. (2), Betty H. (2), Marjorie C. (2), Recaredo T. (2), Noemi R (2), Scott S. (2), Yuriko K. (3), Gloria E. (3), Victoria W. (3), Bob H. (3), Rhonda R. (3), Gwenva B. (4), Carl B. (4), Edward C. (4), Malini J. (4), Marlene I. (4), Myrna F. (4), Hector G. (4), Gladys H. (4), Robert F. (4), Don C. (4), Arcadio Y. (4), Anukoon M. (4), Travis N. (4), Pat D. (4), Linda S. (4), Barbara O. (4), Jim B. (5), Helen T. (5), Tom A. (5), Wanita G. (5), Pat S. (5), Salli M. (5), Rita K. (5), Christina L. (5), Steve B. (5), Kerri I. (5), Kenneth L. (6), Evelyn B. (6), Jose A. (6), Lloyd C. (6), Leona E. (6), James H. (6), Omar D. (6), Stephen C. (6), Karen T. (6), Rebecca D. (6), Irene W. (6), Laura C. (6), April B. (6), Joannis A. (6) Brian L. (6), Chester F. (7), Lyman G. (7) Percy H. (7), Connie G. (7), Arron Z. (7), Lawrence H. (7), Beverly C. (7), Earleen J. (7), Blanca A. (7), Raymond Y. (7), Terri S. (7), Stacy M. (7), Rosemary C. (8), Virginia D. (8), Bill A. (8), Charles A. (8), Charles C. (8), Katherine D (8), Dolores F. (8), Darrell (8), Diana D. (8), Leroy A (9), Sally I. (9), Grace B. (9), Misak B. (9), Judith H. (9), Roy M. (9), Joseph M. (9), Wong C. (9), Karen E. (9), Jairo M. (9), James T. (9), Rick C. (9), Jack W. (10), Celestino B., (10), Jane G. (10), Donna C. (10), Sharon G. (10), Acelia B. (10), Ken B. (10), Kenneth B. (10), Anh J. (10), Bernard F. (10), Richard D. (10), Kelli F. (10), Fong L. (10), Leticia S. (10) Maria T. (10), Stella B. (10), Aaron L. (10), Fern C. (11), Richard H. (11), James EW. (11), Kathleen M. (11) David B. (11), David C. (11), Koryn B. (11), Sund C. (11), Mia L. (11), Ted S. (11), Pilar M. (11), James H. (12), Evelyn H. (12), Marjorie R. (12), Flo W. (12), Jack L. (12), William N. (12), Elizabeth W. (12), Doug C. (12), Tom F. (12), Tim F. (12), Noni A. (12), Gregory C. (12), Mary R. (13), George G (13), James C. (13), Gloria (13), Howard M. (13), Bertile T. (13), Loretta (13), Margaret B. (14), William S. (14), Lyle K. (14), James S. (14), Gary C. (14), Debra P. (14), Karen G. (14), Lewendra G. (14), Frank D. (15), Elizabeth T. (14), Mark A. (15), Earl G. (15), Charles B. (15), Homer B. (15), Chatur P. (15), Annie K. (15), Lynn G. (16), Richard C. (16), Frances T. (16), Jeaning F. (16), Lulu Y. (16), Ernesto Lopez (16), Teri Z. (16), Joanne D. (16), Glenn B. (16), Marc C. (16), Sunanda C(16), Robert S. (17), Eileen D. (17), Nancy M. (17) Wanda A. (17), John D. (17), Joy G. (17), Mary W. (17), Gloria B. (18), Sarah B. (18), Marisa P. (18), Sai L. (18), Kimi K. (18) Rose Mary M. (18), Pablo H. (18), Denis S. (18), Walter J. (18), Kathel H. (19) Adolf F. (19), Beatriz G. (19), Shelly B. (19), Silviano O. (19), Patricia E. (19), Carole Q. (19), Sonia M. (19), Mark L. (19), Arlette W. (19), Peter M. (19), Lester B. (20), Annie H. (20), Rudolph F. (20), Sonja M. (20), Robert A. (20), Victor N. (20), Michael S. (20), Elva S. (20), Thelma C. (20), Susan G. (20), William L. (20), Diane N. (20), Beth C. (20), Shane P. (20), Ray F. (21), Judith O. (21), Linda D. (21), Beth R. (21), Hamid F (21), Therse Z. (21), Andrew L. (21), Betty J. (22), Victor H. (22), John B. (22), James H. (22), Alfredo N. (22), Dominador C. (22) Jack W. (22), Jenny L. (22), L. G. (23), Steve S. (23), Mary A. (23), Stephen M. (23), Ronda Z. (23), Paul G. (23), Mari B. (23), Richard S. (24), Virginia L. (24), Betty T. (24), Bonnie L. (24), Arnie M. (24), Roy H. (24), Maria P. (24), Frank C. (24), Janine A. (24), Anita B. (24), Zheng L. (24), Barbara B. (25), Lawrence B. (25), Alma G. (25), Gabriel A. (25), Fred M. (25), Xiang L. (25), Donna H. (25), Donna O. (25), Nell A. (25), Debra C. (25), John S. (25), Cynthia C. (25), Joyce D. (25), Connie W. (25), Mary C. (26), Clarissa K. (26), Mary S. (26), John G. (26), Maria C. (26), Melody B. (26), Eric U. (26), Marilyn C. (27), Vincent M (27), John A. (27), Stephanie F. (27), Mary D. (27), Mary H. (27), Amy B. (27), Lisa S. (27), Frank B. (28), Arlowyn B. (28), Goerge W. (28), Bernard P. (28), Mary M. (28), Kanak P (28), Shams D. (28), Betty E. (28), Lois H. (29), Martha M. (29), Ruth W. (29), Ed S. (29), Hilda A. (29), Jerri S. (29), Jorge E. (29) Maria G. (29), Doug D. (29), Ann K. (29), Enrique O. (29), Harold F. (30), Roger G. (30), Ananias M. (30), Louis A. (30), Ken M. (30), Catherine D. (30), Bobbi M. (30), Faustino L. (30)

RIDDLE ANSWERS: (1) Your tongue (2) On the corner (3) The letter "r" (4) Seven

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Easter Service

One Easter Sunday the Reverend Jones announced to his congregation, 'My good people, I have here in my hands three sermons..... A \$100 sermon that lasts five minutes A \$50 sermon that lasts fifteen minutes And a \$20 sermon that lasts a full hour. Now, we'll take the collection and see which one I'll deliver.'



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