

"WHEN OLD AGE SETS IN"

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The following article came to me recently and I contended that I should pass it on. It has been slightly edited and a conclusion added.

1. Eventually you will reach a point when you stop lying about your age and start bragging about it.
2. Don't let anyone tell you you're getting old. Squash their toes with your rocker.
3. The older we get, the fewer things seem worth waiting in line for.
4. Some people try to turn back their odometers. Not me. I want people to know why I look this way. I've traveled a long way and some of the roads weren't paved.
5. Maturity means being emotionally and mentally healthy. It is that time when you know when to say yes and when to say no, and when to say WHOOPEE!
6. The 11:00 PM News is not nearly as important as it used to be.
7. When you are dissatisfied and would like to go back to youth, think of Chemistry and Algebra.
8. I don't know how I got over the hill without getting to the top.
9. The golden years are really just metallic years, gold in the tooth, silver in your hair, and lead in the seat.
10. Life would be infinitely happier if we could only be born at the age of 80 and gradually approach 18.
11. Old age is when former classmates are so gray and wrinkled, and blind they don't recognize you.
12. If you don't learn to laugh at trouble, you won't have anything to laugh at when you are old.

Plainly, don't get short changed. Let's be ready to meet our Maker. The Bible teaches that to avoid hell and gain heaven - one must:

- 1) Believe In Jesus As Savior (Acts 16:31)
- 2) Repent Of Sins (Acts 17:30)
- 3) Confess Christ Audibly (Acts 8:37)
- 4) Be Baptized In Water (Acts 2:38)
- 5) Live A Christian Life (Acts 14:22)
- 6) Be Active In the Church (Acts 2:47)

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