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some good lion meat!"

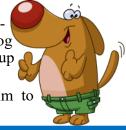
Hearing this, the lion abruptly stops in his tracks and thinks, "Whoa! This guy seems tougher than he looks. I better leave while I still can." The lion retreats cautiously.

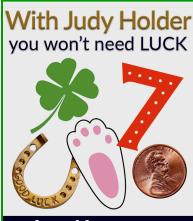
Up in the treetops, a monkey witnesses the entire scene. Realizing he could gain favor with the lion, the monkey decides to spill the truth. He swings down and tells the lion what really happened.

Furious, the lion growls, "Get on my back! We'll deal with him together!"

The lion and monkey rush back toward the dog. Spotting them, the dog panics again but quickly comes up with another idea. He shouts loudly,

"Where is that monkey? I told him to bring me another lion an hour ago!"





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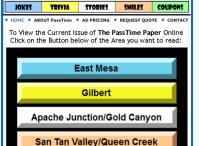
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* On April 1, 1963, ABC aired the first episode of "General Hospital," which became the longest-running serial program

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* On April 2, 1992, mob boss John Gotti, aka the "Teflon Don" due to his notable ability to avoid conviction, was found guilty on 13 counts, including murder and racketeering, and sentenced to life in prison. A decade later, he died of throat cancer at age

- * On April 3, 1948, "The Louisiana Hayride," a country radio program broadcast out of Shreveport, Louisiana, debuted. It launched the careers of several country music giants, and also that of a certain teenage, honey-voiced aspirant by the name of Elvis Presley.
- * On April 4, 1975, Operation Babylift, an American airlift to the U.S. and other Western nations of Vietnamese children deemed war orphans, had a disastrous start when an Air Force cargo jet crashed shortly after takeoff in Saigon, killing more than 135 passengers.

* On April 6, 1909, American explorer Robert Peary believed he had fulfilled a long-cherished dream when he, his assistant Matthew Henson and four Inuits reached what they determined to be the North Pole. Decades after Peary's death, however, navigational errors were discovered in his travel log, in all probability placing his expedition several miles short of its goal.

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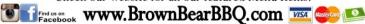
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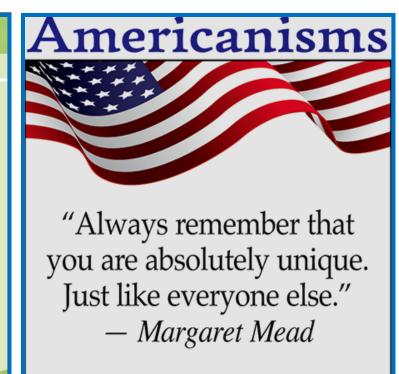
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- 2. **MOVIES:** Who was the male lead in the film "Risky Business"?
- 3. **LITERATURE:** In which novel does the character of Emma Woodhouse appear?
- 4. LANGUAGE: What does the acronym "sonar" stand
- 5. TELEVISION; What was the name of the Dukes' car on the show "The Dukes of Hazzard"?
- 6. **HISTORY:** The first atomic submarine was built in which decade?
- 7. GEOGRAPHY: What modern-day country is in the area known in ancient times as Lusitania?
- 8. **MEDICINE**: What disease is caused by a deficiency of Vitamin A?
- 9. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which U.S. president's image appeared on a dollar coin in 1971?
- 10. MATH: What does the symbol "r" stand for in geome-

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9. Dwight D. Eisenhower. 8. Night blindness.

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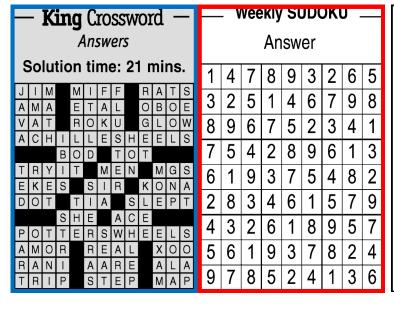
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By Lucie Winbourne

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- * Your brain is constantly eating itself, in a process called phagocytosis, where cells envelop and consume smaller cells or molecules to remove them from the system. Luckily, phagocytosis isn't painful or harmful, but helps preserve gray matter.
- * Identical twins don't have the same fingerprints.
- * The sun makes a sound in the form of pressure waves, but it's far beyond the range of human hearing.
- * A comet smells like rotten eggs, urine, burning matches and almonds.
- * One in 18 people have a third nipple. Known as polythelia, it's caused by a mutation in inactive genes.
- * Starfish don't have bodies. Along with other echinoderms such as sea urchins and sand dollars, their entire "bodies" are technically classed as heads.
- * There are roughly three ginger male cats to one ginger female. The ginger gene is found on the X chromosome, meaning female cats would require two copies of the gene to become ginger while males need just one.
- * Martial artists who smile before the start of a match are more likely to lose.
- * At a temperature of 54,000 F, a lightning bolt is five times hotter than the surface of the sun.
- * In the U.S., murder rates reportedly rise by 2.7% over the summer.

Thought for the Day: "All the art of living lies in a fine mingling of letting go and holding on." -- Havelock Ellis

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