

Age doesn't make you forgetful.
Having way too many stupid things
to remember makes you forgetful.



A Man Goes To See The Rabbi. "Rabbi, something terrible is happening and I have to talk to you about it." The Rabbi asked, "What's wrong?" The man replied, "My wife is poisoning me."



The Rabbi, very surprised by this, asks, "How can that be?" The man then pleads, "I'm telling you, I'm certain she's poisoning me, what should I do?" The Rabbi then offers, "Tell you what. Let me talk to her, I'll see what I can find out and

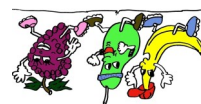
I'll let you know." A week later the Rabbi calls the man and says, "I spoke to her on the phone for three hours. You want my advice?" The man said, "Yes" and the Rabbi replied, "Take the poison." ggd ☺



A tour bus driver is driving with a bus load of seniors down a highway when he is tapped on his shoulder by a little old lady. She offers him a handful of peanuts, which he gratefully munches up. After about 15 minutes, she taps him on his shoulder again and she hands him another handful of peanuts. She repeats this gesture about five more times. When she is about to hand him another batch again he asks the little old lady, "why don't you eat the peanuts yourself?" "We can't chew them because we've no teeth", she replied. The puzzled driver asks, "Why do you buy them then?", The old lady replied "We just love the chocolate around them." ggd ☺



Meeting Date/Time: Wednesday - August 22, 2012/10:00 A.M.
Our Guest Speaker will be **Jeremy Wixson** - Go Fish Center of Perry, Georgia



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Meeting Dates/Time: **Wednesday, August 22nd** (10:00 A.M.) and **Wednesday, September 26th** (10:00 A.M.)
Location: Wellston Center - 155 Maple Street | Warner Robins, GA 31093

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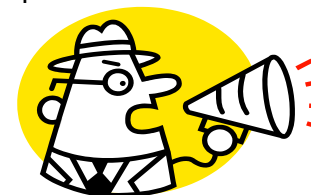
For each new morning with its light, For rest and shelter of the night, For health and food, For love and friends, For everything Thy goodness sends. **Ralph Waldo Emerson (1803-1882)** "Blessed are those who mourn, For they shall be comforted." **Matthew 5:4 NKJV**

Highlights From July's Meeting: Our speaker was **Drew Robinson** - seen here in his **lederhosen** - a traditional German costume. Drew spent a year in Germany, a guest of the program "Youth For Understanding." Drew lived with several different German families in different cities. He attended his junior year of high school while in Germany. The classes were standard high school classes, with the exception of **Boxing** and **Marksmanship**. Drew stated that he learned a lot about German culture and family life ... things that one does not necessarily learn from a brief visit or tour of a foreign country. After returning to Georgia Drew attended Perry High School for his senior year. Even though he received credit for his (junior year) classes while in Germany, he had to take local examinations that validated his "**German educational experience**" as meeting the academic requirements for graduation! If Drew looks familiar it's because he's the son of **Mike Robinson** - a previous guest speaker (and now one of our Chapter's newest member) who entertained us with his hammered dulcimer and guitar back in May! **We also had an enjoyable picnic!**



Worth Repeating: The Georgia Humanities Council, in partnership with the Smithsonian Institution, is sponsoring **New Harmonies: Celebrating American Roots Music**. **New Harmonies** is a traveling exhibition that shares America's story by examining the roots of American music. This exhibition will be in Perry at the Arts Center from September 8th - October 20th. For additional information please call **478/888-8000**.

Photo courtesy of Jeanine Frey - AARP Chapter 1952 President and Drew's Grandmother! ☺



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Sincerely,

Greg (Formerly Known As "Da Baby") Davis ggd ☺

Social Security Turns 77, What Do You Have to Say About It?

As the presidential election heats up, we're bound to hear a lot from all sides about **Social Security**. But whatever your political stripes, there's no getting around the fact that **Social Security** is critical for the majority of retirees, maybe more so now than ever. A recent AARP survey found 60 percent of voters 50 and older plan to rely on **Social Security** in retirement even more because of the economic downturn. And 91 percent agree that the next president and Congress need to **strengthen Social Security** to keep it solvent for **future** generations.

"With fewer jobs offering pensions and people struggling to save for retirement, Social Security will be even more important for younger generations," said AARP President **Rob Romasco**, noting that more than one in three working households age 21 to 64 has no individual savings set aside for retirement.

August 12 - 18 marked the **77th anniversary of Social Security**, and AARP is using the opportunity to encourage discussion about the program's future. Romasco will hosted a live web/internet chat August 14th and answered several questions about **Social Security** and how we can make sure future generations receive the full benefits they've earned.

AARP's "You've Earned a Say" national tour visited Springfield, Illinois; Billings, Montana; Sedalia, Missouri; Cincinnati, Ohio; and Des Moines, Iowa. The **"You've Earned a Say"** campaign, launched earlier this year, aims to ensure that the national conversation on **Social Security** takes into account the voices of as many Americans as possible — not just those who speak the loudest, and not just behind closed congressional doors.

Confused about **Social Security**? There's a new, comprehensive book out on one of the major benefits millions of us count on ... **Social Security for Dummies** by author **Jonathon Peterson**. Like all the books in the "dummies" series, it's not for dummies at all. It offers many tips to understanding, navigating and most efficiently working with the Social Security Administration to claim your maximum benefits.

There's plenty to discuss about **Social Security**! Please visit **www.AARP.org** and other internet sites to learn more about the proposals on the table in Washington and vote for which make the most sense to you. ggd ☺

Happy Birthday Social Security!



MONOLOGUES Three old ladies were sitting side by side in their retirement home, reminiscing. The **first lady** recalled shopping at the green grocers, and demonstrated with her hands the length and thickness of a cucumber she could buy for a penny. The **second old lady** nodded, adding that onions used to be much bigger and cheaper also, then demonstrated the size of two big onions she could buy for a penny a piece.

Then the **third old lady** chipped in with: **"I can't hear a word you're saying, but I remember the guy you're talking about."**

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Happy Birthday To Not One, Two But Three "nonagenarians" with birthdays in September ... Mary Lappano, Ivis Bedrick and Charles Bell! WOW ... 270+ Years Of Experience!

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Two New Jersey Hunters Go Hunting. After a while, one of the hunters clutches his throat and falls to the ground, his eyes roll back, and he's lying there motionless. The other one picks up a cell phone, dials 911, and says, **"I think my friend is dead! I don't know what to do!"** And the operator says, **"Just relax. Calm down. The first thing to do is to make certain your friend is dead."** There's a pause -- then a gunshot. And the hunter gets back on the phone and says, **"Okay. Now what?"**

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