

Trust in God, because it works!

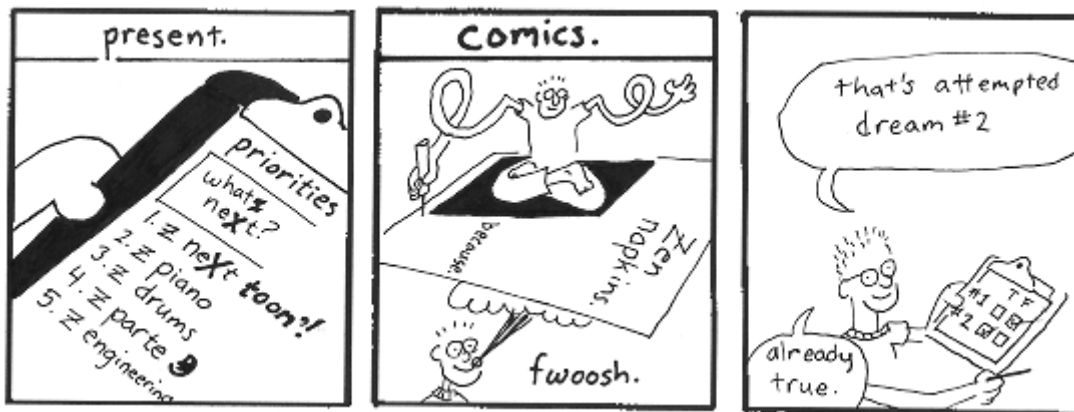
Etoonin' is all about God, or it is supposed to be. Many people who read Etoonin' already know about God. Others who don't can hopefully stomach what I write about God. God is, without a doubt, the best thing ever. God, despite what the world says about Him, is a Helper. God helps his people. When they are too tired and scared to press on, God encourages them. God relieves his people too. He relieves them from pressure. He relieves them from financial pressure, peer pressure, responsibility pressure. With God, there is always a fallback plan. No one falls short, because God always loves no matter what the circumstance. God is good. If the world is telling you God is bad: don't listen. God is good and He loves you. You matter to God. Call upon Him and He will hear you and answer you. Listen.

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We'd like to thank Andy, Roger and my Dad for contributing the first grocery store cards under the new donate as you read program here at Etoonin'. As a reminder, we do this all for free and we will, in fact, cartoon for food. Thank you!

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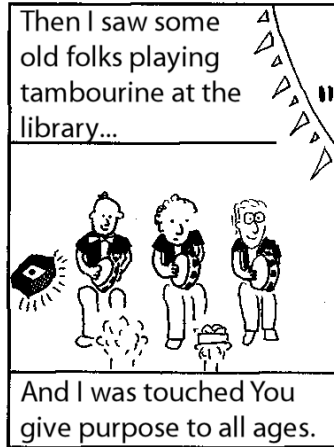
Below is a concatenated cartoon I drew back in February of 1997, before I knew the Lord. The point of the cartoon is a little obscure, but basically it tells that my #2 dream, to become a cartoonist, has come true. Thus I poise myself ready to tackle my #1 dream, which is to become a musician. At the time I had a piano in my apartment and liked to bang a toon.



When I grow up I want to be a musician. Cartoons are great, but makin' music is where it is really at. I think music is just a wonderful and completely joyful way to express one's self. I look forward to making some music. I've been told by a friend that the Lord is found in the here and now, neither by looking back nor looking to the future. I believe this is true. One problem I have is incessantly making plans without the ability to carry them out. So, being a musician might fit into this category. Yet I believe that God gives us the desires of our hearts when we chose to follow Him. In fact, the Bible says in Psalm 37:4, "Delight yourself in the Lord and He will give you the desires of your heart." This is a two-fold blessing, for the Lord is both something to delight in and He will give the desires of the heart. Nevertheless, it is impossible for me to make and keep plans; therefore I must rely upon the Lord. Right now He has prospered me in a position with a local newspaper. I hope I can keep my wandering heart right where it is planted. With the small success He has given me I am tempted to go and find more for myself. It doesn't work like that. Read about it. Enjoy the toons!

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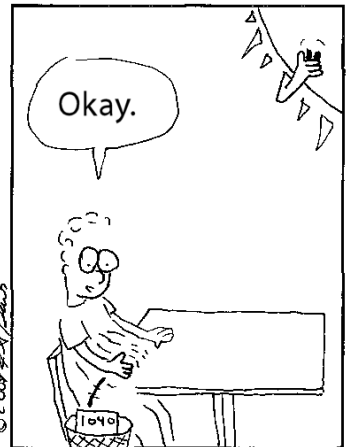
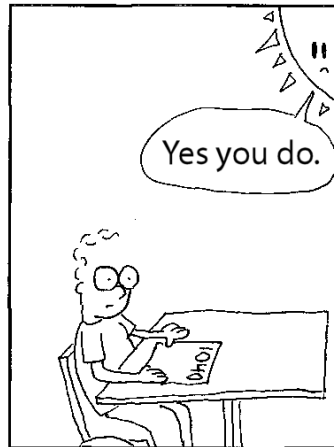
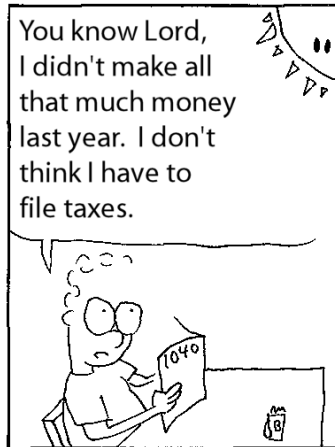
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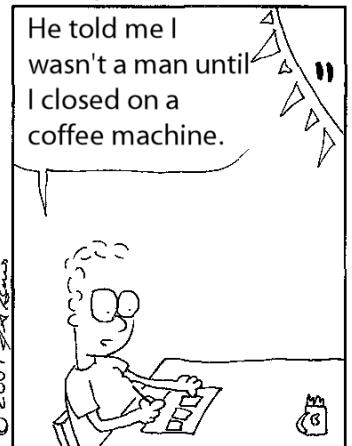
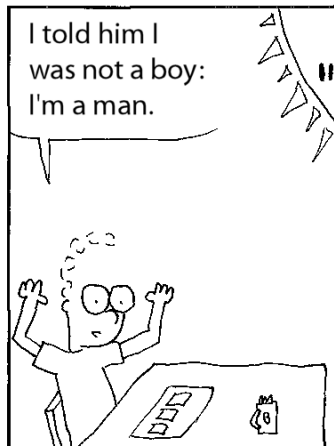
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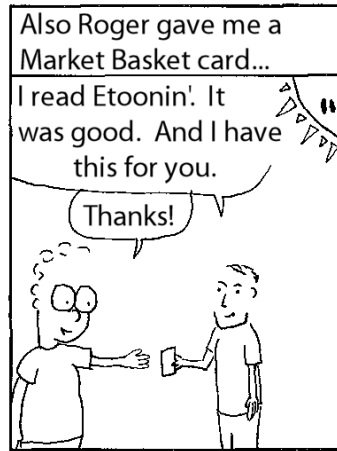
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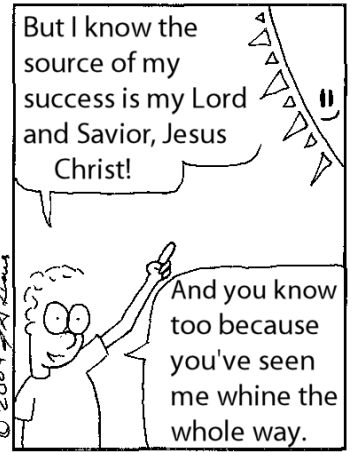
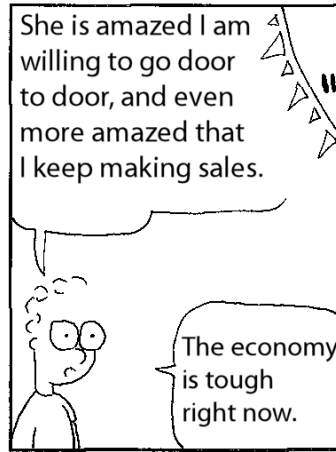
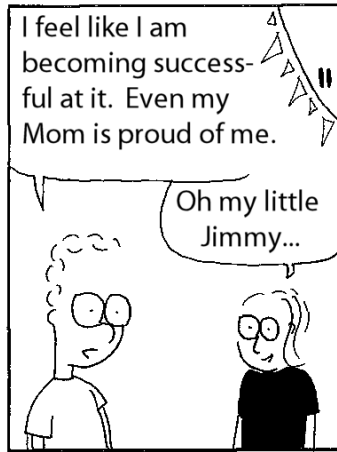
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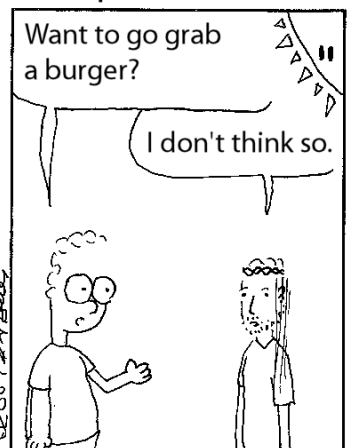
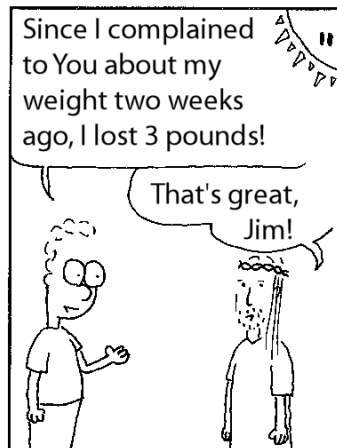
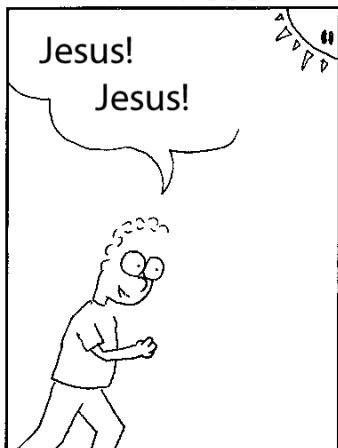
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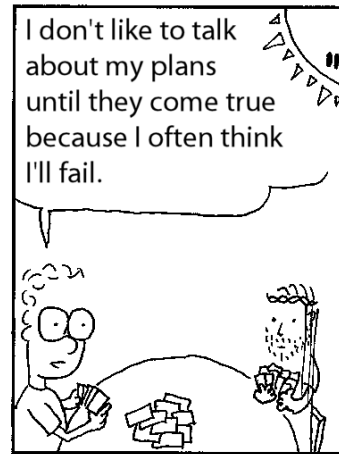
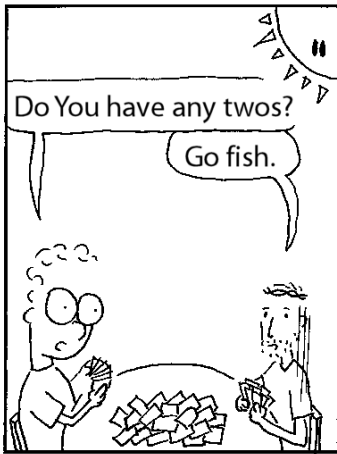
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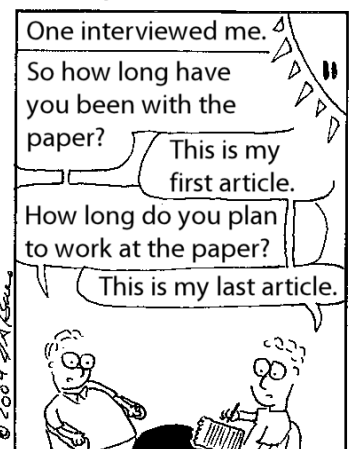
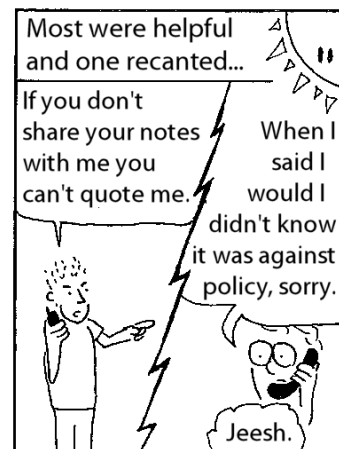
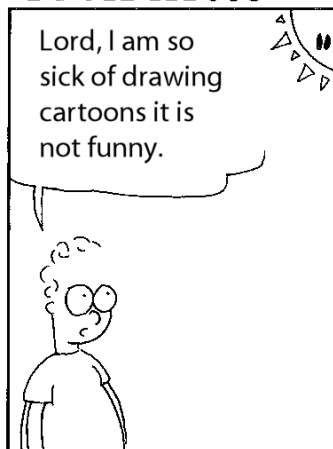
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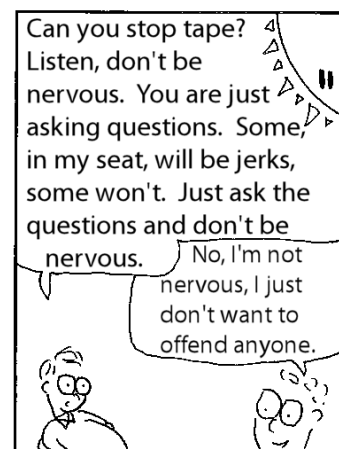
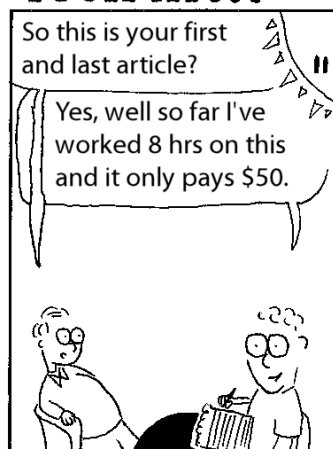
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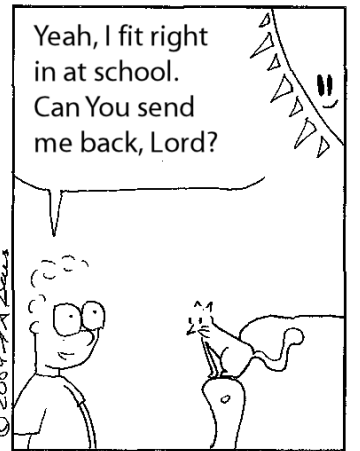
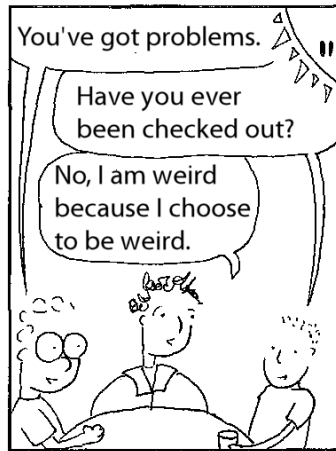
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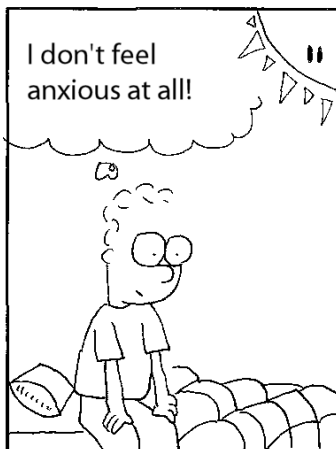
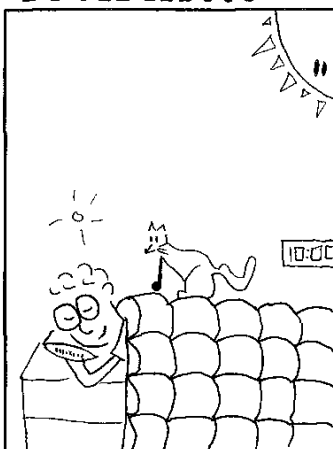
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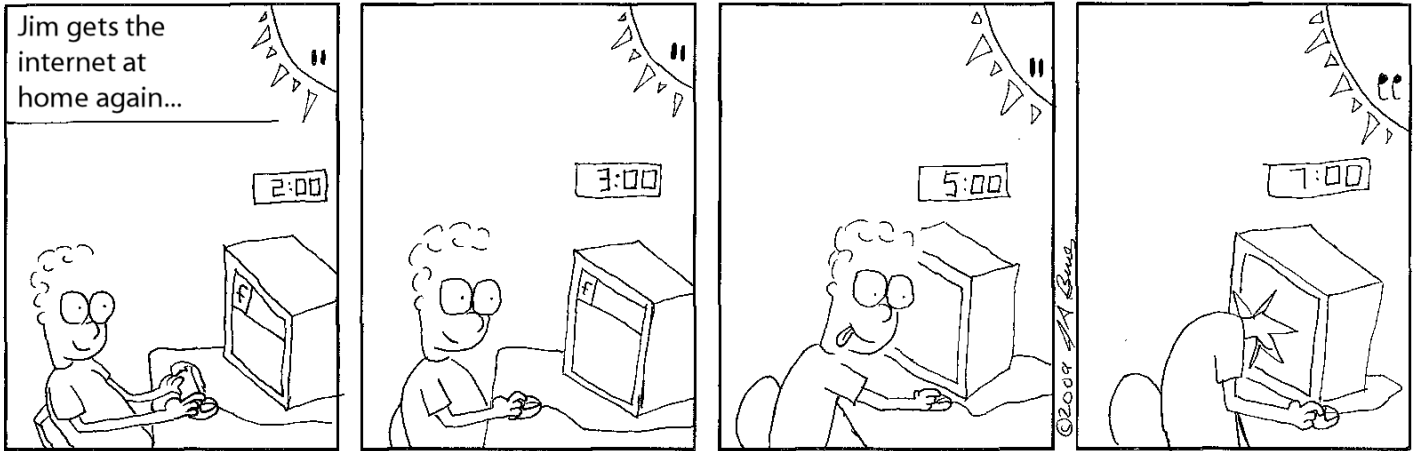
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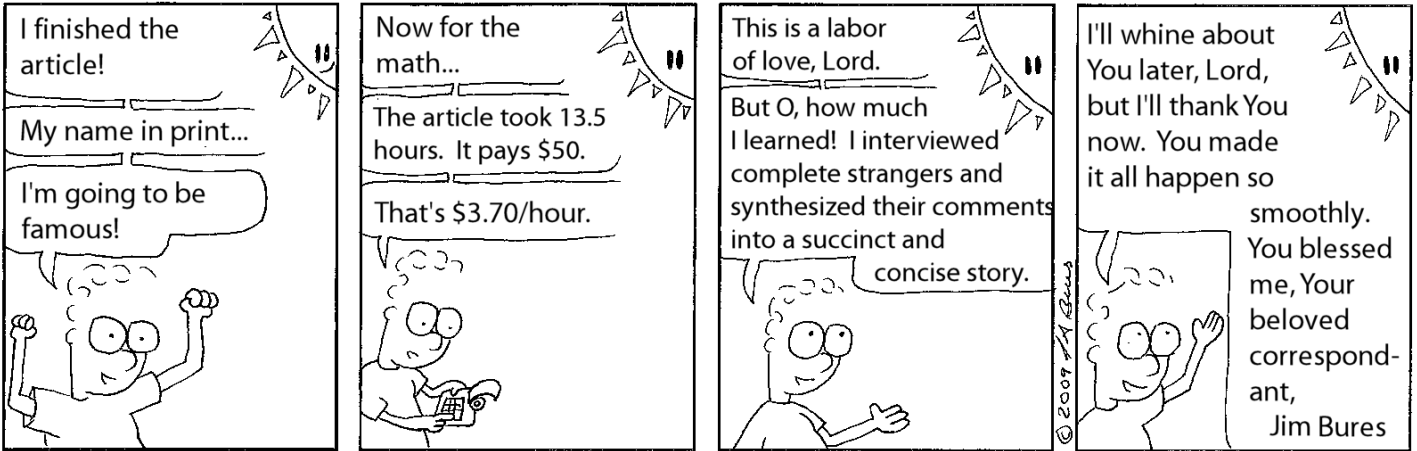
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