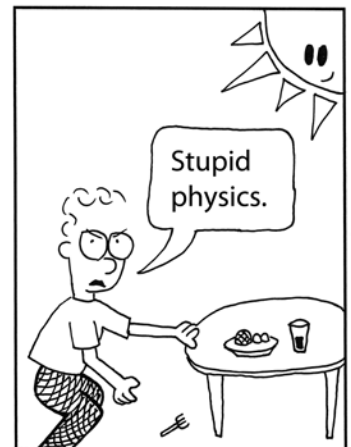
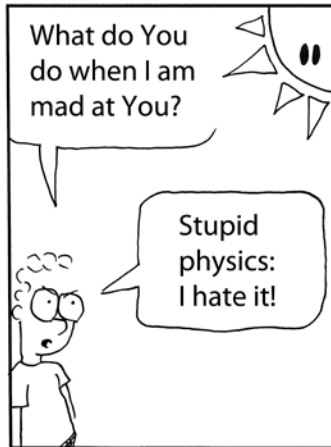


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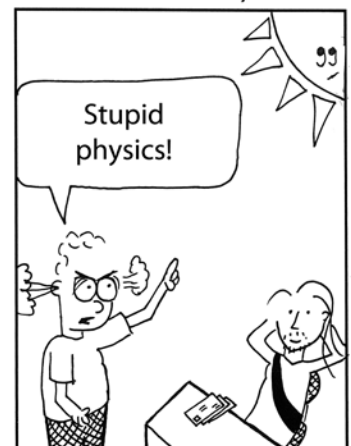
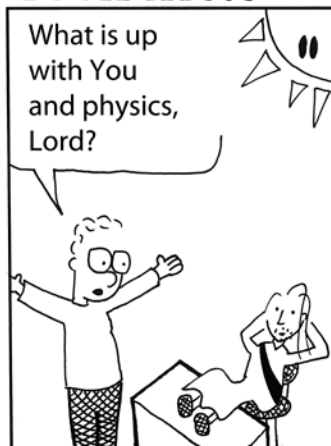
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Bures' Lament...

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Nieces and Nephews, oh my!

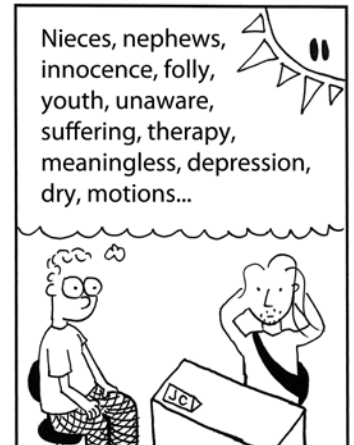
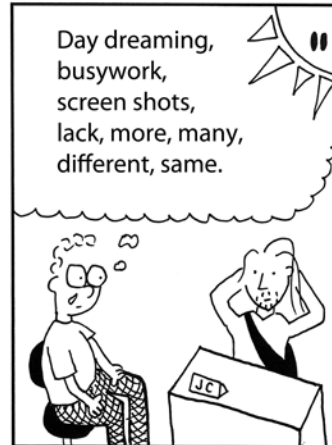
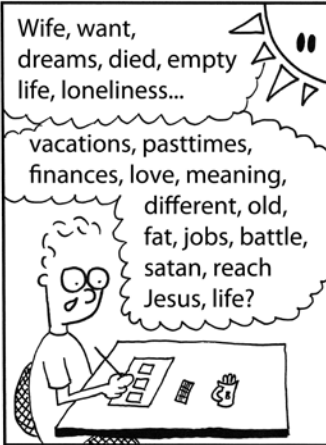
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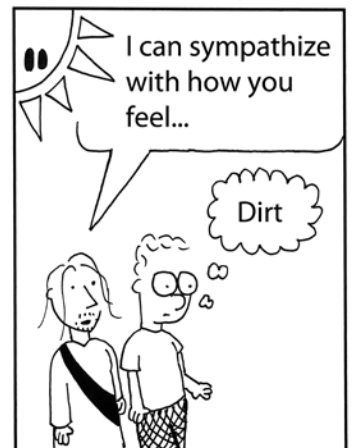
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### High Priest.

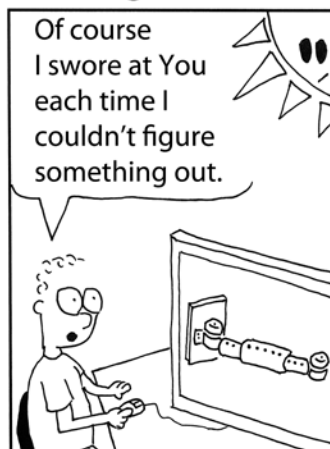
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## toon in'...

### Calming down

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## toon in'...

In a sky filled with stars

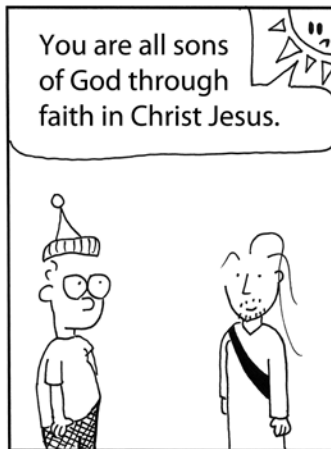
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Galatians 3:26 + John 15:15

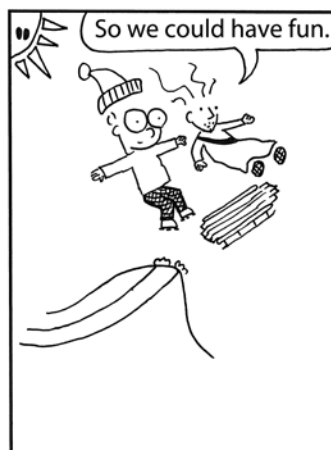
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## toon in'...

The Hard Questions...

Dec. 10<sup>1/2</sup>, 2016





# Electronic Music Production

I have been drawing more cartoons lately in an attempt to use what skills I do have while working toward what I want to do. More than anything, I want to make music. However, I do draw good cartoons and God has been giving me inspiration. It beats wasting time on Facebook. I hope that you enjoy these cartoons and consider sharing them with whomever you think will also like them. To subscribe, visit:

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I will have a lot of free time until April 2017, and want to take the Music Production Certificate Program at MMMMaven.com in Central Square, Cambridge, MA. They teach how to use Ableton Live to make electronic music. I'll walk away with at least one full length techno track that I compose, hopefully more. The courses cost \$2700 and last eight weeks. I have started to pray that God give me the funds for this class. I have not prayed for anything really big since God sent me to Alaska. He is able.

I'm realistic about this: the best chance of making great music is during those eight weeks. When I got my Graphic Design degree, I was excellent in class, but eventually lost the skills as I lost exposure after graduating. That hurt my heart for years. Therefore I'm realistic about what to expect: my best music will come through the exposure to professional instructors. If you feel led, please pray with me for this: I'd be in your debt. I might have some funds to put toward it: 2016 tax refunds, a class action settlement coming in January, and friends have pledged \$200 so far.

Last weekend I hosted my annual Christmas Carol Party. It came in two waves: family from 3:30 to 4:45 PM, and friends from 5:00 to 8:00 PM. Five children romped around my apartment for the first wave! Ruben threw himself at the ground over and over, while the rest vied for my attention while they drew various things. Tom led everyone in a game of charades, and I read my cartoons to Mariela. Amalia was able to copy my main character, Jim, incredibly well. It was a whirlwind tempest of a party.



During the friends portion, there was lots of interaction and talking. I served the customary Lasagna and Pasticcio to our nine guests. They were devoured, with only one and ½ servings leftover. My friend, Mei-Lin, a storyteller, acted out the Grinch Who Stole Christmas. She was wonderful. Stacy brought cheesecake: delicious. We served the Christmas Cake Tom baked for me. Ironically there were no carols sung. My family tried singing carols with the children, but that proved futile with all the activity. I loved hosting the party: the one time during the year where I serve all without reservation.

Merry Christmas and Happy Hanukah to you, and may God bless your family with a very prosperous and enjoyable New Year! Thanks for reading. Love, JimBures.