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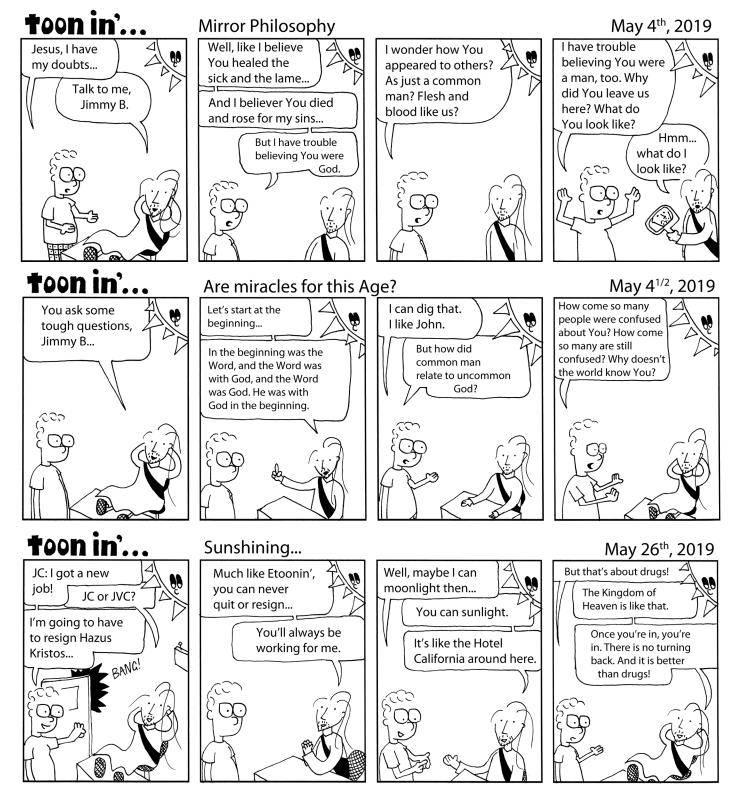
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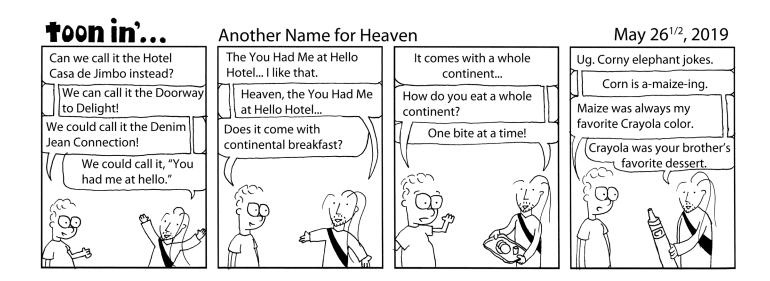
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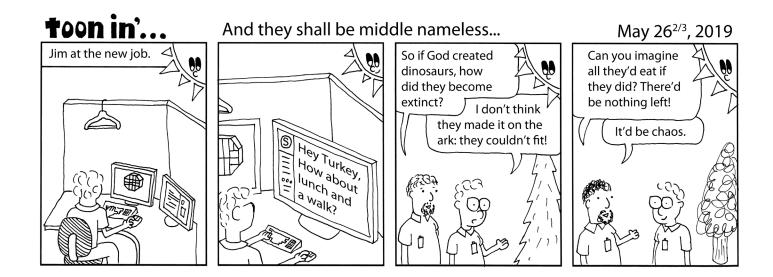
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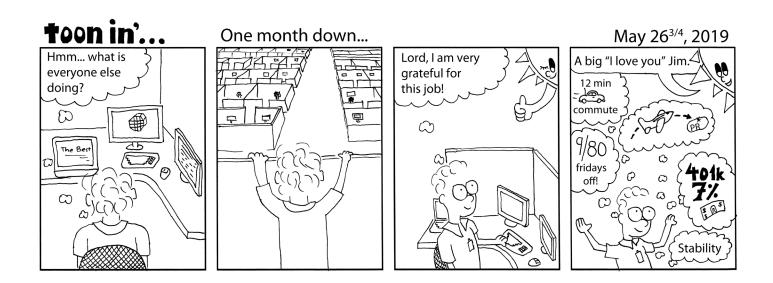
For this issue, I danced, in between drawing, to the beat of Darren Emerson's Global Underground mix. Underworld, a British electronic music group, flourished with Darren Emerson from 1991 - 2000. I draw much of my own musical inspiration from Underworld, which I frequently included

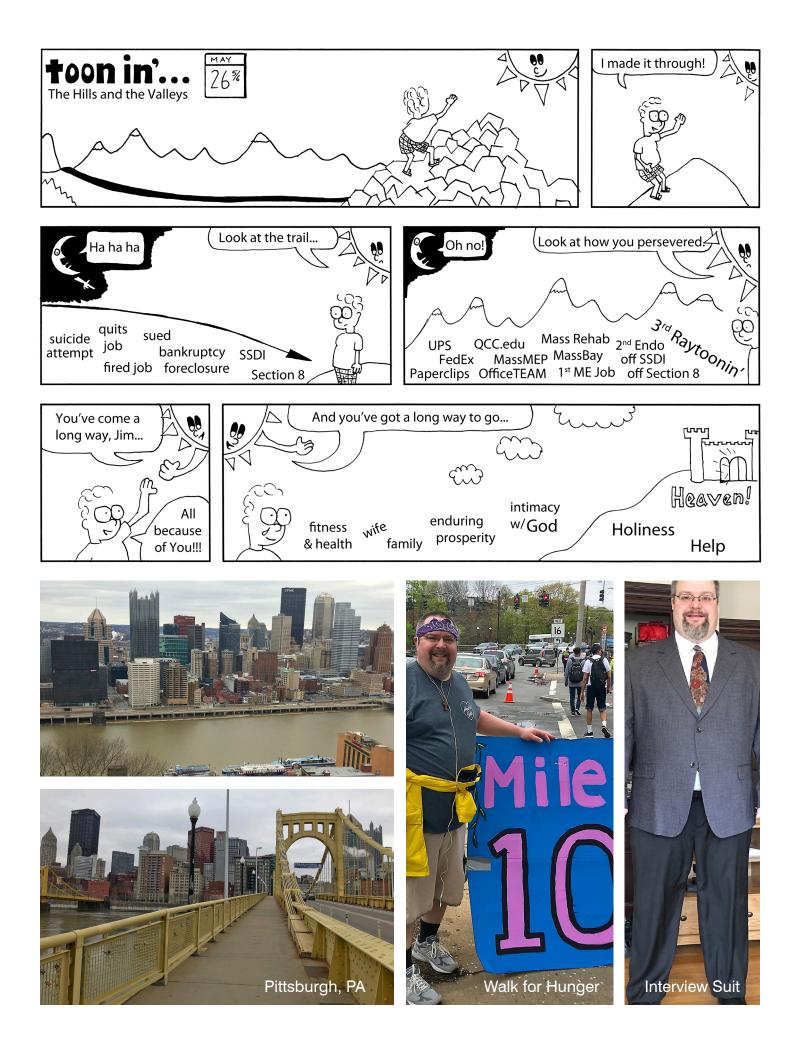
in sets for parties Dan, Jason and I threw back in 1996 + 1997. Way Out West, with Jody Wisternoff, inspires me too, along with my favorite musician, BT (Brian Transeau). My sister introduced me to him at Boston's Avalon club in 2000. BT asked me not to leave Facebook back in 2017.











## THEN YOU WILL KNOW THAT I AM THE LORD YOUR GOD

The Lord God is very hopeful. In the Old Testament, He was constantly bringing the Israelites through trouble and proclaiming that when He did, they would know that He is the Lord their God. But, ironically, they never really learned this, not as a whole. They kept turning to their own ways.

The Lord God is also very powerful, in an assured way, as my friend Art taught me. God operates in ways that bring people to know Him without forcing Himself upon them. What the Lord wants does happen, don't mistake that, but it happens in a very assured way. God never fails.

The Lord has rescued me from my own foibles, bipolar disorder, poverty and ten years in the wilderness. God has brought me back to Raytoonin' for the latter half of my career. And now I know that He is the Lord my God.

God can do anything. I was unemployed for almost six months in 2012. Then I started working for Paperclips and I was miserable. Now I am making five times what I earned at Paperclips <u>and</u> my job is easier, more flexible and less demanding concerning staying busy every moment.

Raytoonin' is definitely a blessing to me. I've worked there six weeks now. I'm on a project to reduce a radar in size. This will last until the end of September. I also completed two short term projects to gain exposure. I find it easy to do the work because I remember the CAD software (Creo + AutoCAD) from 13 years ago. My boss is even keel and I've enjoyed reconnecting with old friends and colleagues. Projects keep me engaged with other engineers who feed me my work, so I don't deal directly with my boss. I can "work from home" and I get every other Friday off with the 9/80 Schedule. My summer vacations are already approved (Puerto Rico and Sacramento, CA). Raytoonin' contributes 7% to my 401k and I contribute 10%. I'm already vested. There is also a Bible Study on Wednesdays that I attend. I am the 1% that got off SSDI and Section 8 housing!

I really, really wanted this job and I prayed for it and you prayed for it and now here I am thanks to the great I Am!

Stay tooned, my

I am excited for my first electronic music lesson with Daniel Babai, aka Dephrase. He taught me at the now defunct MMMMaven School of Electronic Music. Our first lesson is on Saturday, July 6th, 2019 at Daniel's Ugly Duck Studios in Brighton, MA. I'm psyched!

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www.etoonin.com ~ where you can sign up - free cartoons

I write that God will provide certain things without really knowing. I do think my job at Raytoonin' provides the opportunity to support a wife and family. I hope God sees it that way. I am losing weight to help attract said wife. These are my plans, but I'm sure God has His own ideas. This career provides stability and helps me afford many things I want, like the music lessons and travel. I'm saving for retirement, but also need to save for emergencies, new cars, down payments and items like that. I like that I can also give more too. I have a feeling it will all work out.

June 2nd is the 13th anniversary since I quit Raytoonin'. It just amazes me that God brought me back. I was so down. But I am so much better now. Praise be to God! Thank you for your support too. I couldn't have done it without my family, friends, Churches, counselors, government agencies and programs, professors and mentor programs and mock interviews that various community colleges provided.

I am so much more thankful, well balanced, healthy, wise, secure and peace filled than I was those 13 years ago. I really feel like God makes a way to live at peace and expect good things to happen if you stand by Him. "Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding. Acknowledge Him in all your ways and He will make your paths straight." ~ Proverbs 3:5-6. I have tried, from my broken perspective, to acknowledge the Lord in all I do. He is awesome in power and might. He is the horn of my salvation, and I hope He saves you too! Love, Jim Bures

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