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January 2011

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 **Happy
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JANUARY 2011

Family Time Crossword

The (K) Clues are for Kids

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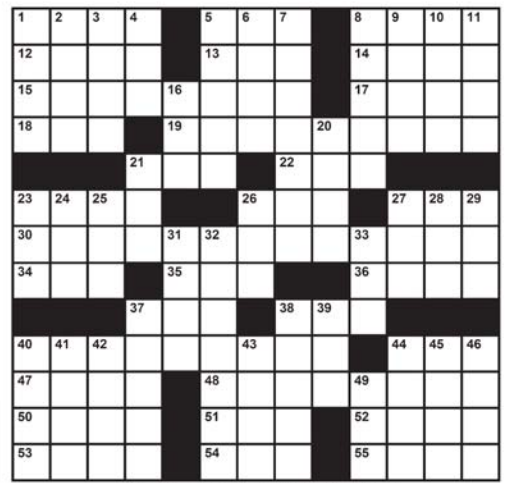
ACROSS

1. Annoying thing to be on
5. (K) Mas' mates
8. 1816 Jane Austen novel
12. Beauty-cream additive
13. (K) Unforgettable time in history
14. Hurt and disable
15. Exactly as spoken
17. Look, as a wolf
18. Many millennia
19. (K) Decrease
21. (K) Miles ___ hour
22. (K) Regret
23. (K) Piece of farmland
26. (K) What some roads are paved with
27. (K) Go downhill on snow
30. (K) Your dad's kids, to dad's dad
34. (K) Mr. Potato Head part

35. (K) Female deer
 36. (K) Place for ice skating
 37. (K) It blows cool air
 38. Not exactly outgoing
 40. (K) Fun dive (2 words)
 44. Chinese cooking pot
 47. Hodgepodge
 48. (Noted) genius
 50. (K) Opposite of answers
 51. It may follow a wash
 52. Sit at a red light
 53. (K) Golfer's wooden pegs
 54. Seek damages in court
 55. To be, to Brutus
- DOWN**
1. "... to ___ and to hold"
 2. A shortening, in more ways than one
 3. Sad ending for love
 4. Ballroom presentee
 5. (K) Pumpkin-eater of

- nursery rhymes
6. Like a desert
 7. Warrior of old Japan
 8. Act amateurishly
 9. (K) Visitors of the baby Jesus
 10. (K) "The Adventures of ___ and Otis"
 11. (K) Word that ends a prayer
 16. (K) "How ___ you?"
 20. (K) Hair roller result
 21. (K) Signatures are signed with one
 23. (K) What tree rings indicate
 24. (K) Weep
 25. "Norma ___" (Sally Field film)
 26. (K) ___ end
 27. ___ Lanka
 28. (K) Name of a male doll
 29. (K) It fills 21-Down
 31. June 6, 1944

32. Come clean
33. (K) Lacking moisture
37. (K) Something you do for your teeth
38. Short narrative or tale
39. Photo ___ (camera sessions)
40. (K) Water craft
41. "So what ___ is new?"
42. (K) Admire
43. In ___ of (replacing)
44. (K) Marries
45. (K) Stops machinery from squeaking
46. Baby bouncer?
49. (K) Good gift for dad



Can you find the answer to this riddle within the solved puzzle?

Who was a person "relatively" speaking?

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Resolutions

Together We...

You Helped

HAPPY NEW YEAR

Pray for our Military!

We couldn't do it
WITHOUT YOU!

We have to go

Thanks!!

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Our **VISION**

2011

Our **MISSION**

Together

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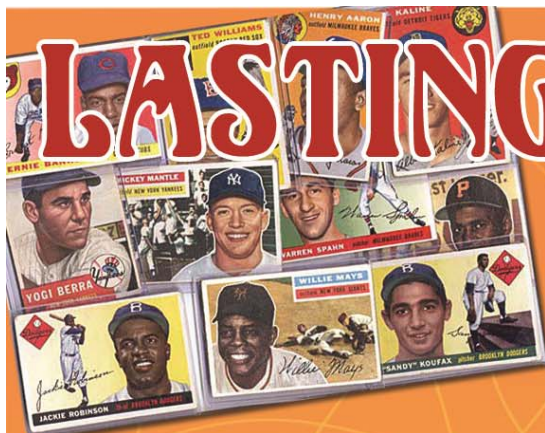
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It's a new year!



LASTING VALUE



Last month, millions of people received the latest and greatest (item) for Christmas. Most will be completely bored with it by summer, longingly anticipating the next great thing. Our society places great value on the latest thing. In that value system, something is only valuable until it's replacement arrives. Finding something of lasting value is becoming increasingly rare. Most things that are both old and valuable, only have value because they have been previously regarded as worthless. Some time ago every little boy wanted a Babe Ruth baseball card. But as they grew, their attention moved on to other things and the cards were discarded. Being disregarded and discarded to the point of being extremely rare is what infers value on that card today. What a paradox; we value the latest and greatest, and the formerly worthless.

When we place great value on the trendy, it often makes us blind to things of truly lasting value. The latest is exciting, exhilarating, refreshing, but only the lasting truly satisfies. The Samaritan woman at the well came for water every day. Water was not only valuable, it was necessary for life. No matter how many times she came and drew water, she ran out and became thirsty again, needing the next trip to the well. Trendy things are like that. No matter how many latest and greatest items we acquire, we eventually become thirsty again, needing the next latest thing. Jesus told the woman that if she put her faith in him, he would cause a spring of living water to well up inside her so she

would never thirst again. Of course Jesus was talking about spiritual life and thirst, but that is the ultimate in lasting value. Even if we were to name something in this life that had lasting value (gold for instance has maintained its value throughout history), it is utterly worthless to us after we die. Only what we can take with us into eternity has true lasting value.

Of course Christians know this and always value the lasting over the latest. Except for the times we don't. Many Christians are just as enamored with the latest items as the rest of society, spending time chasing and enjoying (for a limited time) the latest instead of savoring the lasting. That's why so many Christians are unhappy, unsatisfied, and unfulfilled. Some ministers, and even entire ministries and churches get caught up in chasing the latest—the latest building, technology, ministry model, idea. All in the name of perpetuating the gospel, of course, but sometimes we only perpetuate societies lust for the latest. Sometimes our presentation of the gospel does find the lasting hidden behind all of the latest. But even when we get it right, sometimes we get it wrong. That's the real difficulty for Christians in our society. Not only cherishing the lasting and avoiding the trap of needing the latest, but also presenting the lasting in a way that appeals to a people consumed with the latest.

While chasing the latest is one end of the "missing it" spectrum, completely ignoring the latest is the other. Sometimes, in our attempts to value the lasting, we find ourselves consumed with the old. Old songs, methods, words, etc. may have helped us cherish the lasting in the past, and may very well continue to have meaning to us today, but we must not confuse what is truly lasting. It is the

home cookin'

CHEESY FOOTBALL

- 2 (8-ounce each) packages cream cheese, softened
- 1 (8-ounce) package shredded sharp cheddar cheese
- 1/2 cup Grated Parmesan Cheese
- 1/2 cup Miracle Whip Dressing
- 1/4 cup chopped green onions
- 1/4 tsp ground black pepper
- 1 cup chopped pecans

1. Beat cheeses and dressing with electric mixer on medium speed until well blended.
2. Add onions and black pepper; mix well. Cover. Refrigerate several hours or overnight.
3. Form into football shape; roll in pecans. Garnish with pimiento strips or roasted red pepper strips for the "lacing," if desired.

eternal, God, his Word, and our relationship with him, that is of truly lasting value, not the songs, methods or words we use to think about him, worship him, and learn about Him. Whatever draws us to him has value, but only He has lasting value. And while God never changes, people do, and therefore how He relates to us changes. God wants to know every person for who (and when) they are. We must be careful not to get so caught up in who Jesus is to us and what adds to our relationship with Him, that we forget He wants to show us something new and know us in new ways. We must also remember that He wants to know everyone, even those in our society who consider him old, boring and of no value compared to the latest knowledge, understanding, or philosophy. God wants us to become less concerned with new and old, familiar and unfamiliar, and become consumed with the truly lasting – Him.

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Today's answer:

Who was a person "relatively" speaking?
48 A) Einstein

FINDING ELIM

By Dave Nelson



YOU'RE JUST GOING TO HAVE TO TURN THE OTHER CHEEK, ROMEO!

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