

## What Gets Under Your Skin?

There once was an oyster  
Whose story I tell,  
Who found that sand had  
Got under his shell.

Just one little grain, but it  
Gave him much pain,  
For oysters have feelings  
Although they're so plain.

Now, did he berate the  
Working of Fate  
Which had led him to such a Deplorable  
state?  
Did he curse out the government,  
Call for an election?

No; as he lay on the shelf he  
Said to himself  
"If I cannot remove it, I'll try  
To improve it."

So, the years rolled by as the  
Years always do,  
And he came to his ultimate  
Destiny – stew.

And this small grain of sand  
Which had bothered him so,  
Was a beautiful pearl, all  
Richly aglow.

Now this tale has a moral – for  
Isn't it grand  
What an oyster can do with a  
Morsel of sand;

What couldn't we do if we'd  
Only begin  
With all of the things that get  
Under our skin.

## TRICKY TRIVIA

### *This Month's Question*

*What man in the Bible  
had ten sons who were  
hanged on the same  
gallows in which he  
was hanged?*

Answer to last  
month's question.

*In last month's  
"Tricky Trivia"  
question we asked:*

*What Bible writer  
wrote the book of  
Lamentations?*

*Answer: Jeremiah*

### **WLBG Radio Programs:**

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8:15AM - "Sixty Second Sermons"  
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**Monday-Wednesday, Friday**  
12:30PM - "Five Minutes of Faith"  
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#### **Sunday**

8:30AM - "Sermon & Song Program"  
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11AM - "The Word for Women"  
With Lila Smith

12:30PM - Sunday Afternoon Service  
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4PM - The Unshackled Program

*There is an old story which tells of  
an Italian duke who went on board a  
galley ship. As he passed the crew of  
slaves, he asked several of them what  
their offenses were. Everyone laid the  
blame to someone else, saying his  
brother was to blame or the judge  
was bribed. One sturdy young fellow  
said: "My Lord, I am justly in here. I  
wanted money and I stole it. No one  
is to blame but myself." The duke on  
hearing this seized him by the  
shoulder, saying, "You rogue! What  
are you doing here among so many  
honest men? Get you out of their  
company!" The young fellow was  
then set at liberty, while the rest were  
left to tug at the oars.*

*-Spurgeon*

## QUOTABLE QUOTES

1. "Even if you're on the right track,  
you'll get run over if you just sit there." -  
Will Rogers
2. "Deathbed repentance is burning  
the candle of life in the service of the  
Devil and then blowing smoke into the  
face of God." - Billy Sunday
3. "Jesus Christ is willing to receive the  
Devil's castaways." - George Whitefield
4. "Allow nobody to live in your family  
where sentiments, habits, manners or  
temper may corrupt your children." -  
Charles G. Finney
5. "Even if you don't have faith to do it, if  
it's right to do it, just go ahead and do it  
anyhow." - Bill Rice

## Thoughts on Children

•Those who say they "sleep like a  
baby" obviously don't have one.

•The later you stay up, the earlier  
your child will wake up the next  
morning.

•You spend the first two years of  
their life teaching them to walk and  
talk. Then you spend the next 16  
telling them to sit down and hush  
up.

•An unbreakable toy is useful for  
breaking other toys.

•A child will not spill on a dirty  
floor.

•Children seldom misquote you.  
In fact, they usually repeat word for  
word what you shouldn't have said.

•The main purpose of holding  
children's parties is to remind your-  
self that there are children who can  
be more awful than your own.

•Mothers of teens often begin to  
understand why some animals eat  
their young.

•The first sign of maturity is find-  
ing that the volume knob also turns  
to the left.



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