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PLEASE HELP RECRUIT A MEMBER!

Editor Missed Last 2 Meetings (Consequently)

The themes of perseverance and transcendence found in much of Steinbeck's work arose naturally from his upbringing and education. Raised in the Episcopal Church, he was steeped in the philosophy of Protestant ethics that centralizes the personal journey of humans from original sin through sacrifice to salvation. Many of his stories follow this very arc, and in so doing explore the deepest questions of human nature. Why do we behave the way we do, caught between our weaknesses and strengths? When we falter, how do we recover our grace? For Steinbeck, this was the very essence of being human: We are challenged by the world, and though we may fail, we all have the capacity to be exceptional. Here are 7 of 13 quotes from Steinbeck's books, speeches, & other writings that explore his ideas on life, literature, and hope: I am impelled, not to squeak like a grateful and apologetic mouse, but to roar like a lion out of pride in my profession.

Nobel Prize acceptance speech, 1962
Try to understand men. If you understand each other, you will be kind to each other. Knowing a man well never leads to hate and almost always leads to love.

— Journal entry, 1938

I have come to believe that a great teacher is a great artist and that there are as few as there are any other great artists. Teaching might even be the greatest of the arts since the medium is the human mind and spirit.— "On Teaching" No man really knows about other human beings. The best he can do is to suppose that they are like himself. — "The Winter of Our Discontent" And now that you don't have to be perfect, you can be good.

— "East of Eden"

Because I got you to look after me, and you got me to look after you, and that's why. — "Of Mice and Men" All war is a symptom of man's failure as a thinking animal.

— "Once There Was a War"

May 2, 2024

Our Only May Birthday!

Luke Mason - 5/19

Meals on Wheels need Drivers

Trash Off was Saturday, April 13th

Kiwanis Kudos to volunteers: Dianah and Raul Ascencio, Tom Andrews, Debby Conn, Wayne Kohout, Ashley Torrez, and Tim Upp

Mark Your Calendars: Flag Work Day Sat. May 11th at 8806 University, 10-Noon

The Objects of Kiwanis:

TO GIVE primacy to the human and spiritual, rather than to the material values of life. (...starting with family)

TO ENCOURAGE the daily living of the Golden Rule in all human relationships. (...starting with neighbors)

TO PROMOTE the adoption and application of the higher social, business, and professional standards.

TO DEVELOP, by precept and example, a more intelligent, aggressive, and serviceable citizenship.

TO PROVIDE, through Kiwanis clubs, a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service, and to build better communities.

TO COOPERATE in creating and maintaining that sound public opinion and high idealism which make possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism and goodwill (...starting with one another!)

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John Paul Batrice's Bits & Pieces

The reason I use an android is because Adam and Eve had an apple and they messed up everything.

A lady has sued a very reputable hospital, saying that after performing a surgery on her husband, he lost all interest in her.

Hospital spokesman replied in court that "her husband was admitted for cataract surgery and all we did was improve his vision."

A friend of mine took going to jail very badly. He refused all offers of food and drink, swore at anyone who came near him and was unbearable. After that, we never played Monopoly with him again.

I asked my wife: "What's for dinner today"? She said "Nothing."
I said: "We had that last night."
She said: "I know, I made enough for two nights."

Vodka and ice: bad for your kidneys. Rum and ice: bad for your liver. Whiskey and ice: bad for your heart. Apparently, ice is bad for you!

The wife crashed the car again today! She told the police that the man she collided with was on his mobile phone and he was drinking a beer. Policeman told her: "He can do what he likes in his own living room!"

OFFICERS 2023-2024:

Tom Andrews, President Joe Phea, President-Elect David Mallard, Vice President Lequice Kohout, Treasurer Paul Rostad, Secretary Debby Conn, Immed. Past Pres.

BOARD MEMBERS:

2022-2024: David Cook, Kim Davis, Wayne Kohout, Luke Mason **2023-2025:** Sandra Andrews, Cindy Ham, David Medrano, Carmen Vige

TODAY

Thur. May 2: David LaFreniere with Vander-Plas LaFreniere law. Importance of wills and our heirs.

ALSO...COMING SOON:

Thur. May 9: May Birthday, Committee Updates, Board Meeting

Thur. May 16: TBD