DEAR ABBY

COFFEE BREAK

Family's help with child care comes at a steep cost

Dear Abby: I am a mother of four (soon to be five) young children. It is exhausting. My husband helps as much as he can, but sometimes we both need a break. My parents offer to watch the kids. The problem is, my parents and I have opposite political and world views. Sometimes they'll say things to my children like, "You're such a ditzy girl, you better find a good husband!" Or call a former president "the devil." My husband and I have very different opinions than they do, and we worry about their influence on our children. But, honestly, sometimes we need their help. I don't think they can keep their opinions to themselves, but I don't want them anywhere near my kids, either. Is it hypocritical to accept their help? Different Views in New Jersey

Dear Different: Because you need their help and they are willing to babysit "the

grands," I don't consider accepting it the least bit hypocritical. Your children are too young to know any former presidents, and are not likely to place any importance on what your parents say about them.

I do, however, take issue with planting the idea in a little girl's head that she is a "ditz" and that her only goal in life should be to marry anyone. Your daughter is growing up in a very different world than the one your mother was raised in. These days, girls are expected to follow their own

path, get an education, work and become independent. Marriage, if it happens, comes later.

You and your husband should tell your children (in an age-appropriate way) that their grandparents love them, but have differ-



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and Daddy do. Then reinforce that they are smart, honest, good and any other virtues you would like to implant in their little heads. Dear Abby: I am married to

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a man from an affluent family. I love my in-laws and enjoy hosting dinners for them. My gay brotherin-law, "Karl" — who is my favorite person in the group — is seeing a guy, "Warren," who is 30 years younger. Their relationship is on and

off. Warren usually shows up when it's convenient or when he wants money.

My problem is, when I invite the family, Karl always asks if he can bring his boyfriend. Each time Warren shows up, I become anxious because he has no social graces. At all. He cuts people off at the buffet line, picks through pieces of meat on the serving platter looking for the "best" cut and acts like he hasn't eaten for days. I want to continue inviting Karl, so should I be honest and say, "Please do not bring your boyfriend," or stop hosting family dinners? Anxious in California

Dear Anxious: If you invite Karl and tell him not to bring Warren, the chances are he will refuse your future invitations. What you might do, however, is mention to him that his boyfriend's social graces could use some "polishing," and note what he does at the buffet. It's possible that he "acts like he hasn't eaten for days" because you are such a terrific cook he can't keep himself from scarfing. Or maybe it has been a while since he's had a square meal.

DAYS GONE BY

100 Years Ago Aug. 28, 1921

Opening of the Columbia River Highway from Pendleton to Astoria, with the exception of a time schedule effective where paving between The Dalles and Hood River, will be an event of Labor Day September 5, if the present schedule to complete the rock work between the Deschutes River and The Dalles is maintained. Telephonic communication between state highway division engineer Scott at The Dalles and the Eastern Oregon Auto Club established the fact that two shifts

of men are working at rush speed to blast away the last pillar of rock standing in the way of a completed highway.

> 50 Years Ago Aug. 28, 1971

Approximately 125 of the Hermiston school instructional staff who went to work after Aug. 15 will revert to their 1970-71 salary schedule as the result of the 90-day federal wage freeze, Richard Scott, school superintendent, said today. Classified employes, primarily aides and cooks, who went to work after Aug. 15 will be paid on their 1970-71 schedule, Others, primarily administrators and a few teachers who went to work before Aug. 15, will be on the new schedule, Scott said. The superintendent said a preliminary assessment would indicate that teachers in general will lose 5/24ths of their increment and raise, or 5/24ths of \$550, during the 90-day period. Scott estimated the amount the district will withhold or save from originally anticipated figures in the 90-day freeze period is \$14,739.

> 25 Years Ago Aug. 28, 1996 Two suspects have been

charged in the kidnapping and robbery of an 83-yearold Hermiston woman and police are still looking for a third suspect. Hugh G. Hill IV, 20, of Veneta, a town near Eugene, and a 14-year-old Eugene girl were charged with kidnapping, robbery and unauthorized use of a motor vehicle. Hermiston Police believe the third suspect, Timothy L. Harville, 20, is in the Eugene area. The kidnapping and robbery charges stem from an Aug. 13 incident in which the victim was asked by one of the suspects for a ride from Payless.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY

On August 28, 1963, more than 200,000 people listened as the Rev. Martin Luther King Jr. delivered his "I Have a Dream" speech in front of the Lincoln Memorial in Washington, D.C.

In 1609, English sea explorer Henry Hudson and his ship, the Half Moon, reached present-day Delaware Bay.

In 1941, Japan's ambassador to the U.S., Kichisaburo Nomura, presented a note to President Franklin D. Roosevelt from Japan's prime minister, Prince Fumimaro Konoye, expressing a desire

for improved relations. In 1955, Emmett Till, a Black teen from Chicago, abducted from his uncle's home in Money, Mississippi, by two white men after he had supposedly whistled at a white woman; he was found brutally slain

three days later. In 1964, two days of race-related rioting erupted in North Philadelphia over a false rumor that white police officers had beaten to death a pregnant Black woman.

In 1968, police and antiwar demonstrators clashed in the streets of Chicago as the Democratic National Convention nominated Hubert H. Humphrey for

president. **In 1988**, 70 people were killed when three Italian stunt planes collided during an air show at the U.S. Air Base in Ramstein, West Germany.

In 1996, the troubled 15-year marriage of Britain's Prince Charles and Princess Diana officially ended with the issuing of a divorce decree.

In 2005, New Orleans Mayor Ray Nagin ordered everyone in the city to evacuate after Hurricane Katrina grew to a monster storm.

In 2009, the Los Ange-

les County coroner's office announced that Michael Jackson's death was a homicide caused primarily by the powerful anesthetic propofol and another sedative, loraz-

In 2013, a military jury sentenced Maj. Nidal Hasan to death for the 2009 shooting rampage at Fort Hood that claimed 13 lives. On the 50th anniversary of Martin Luther King Jr.'s "I Have a Dream" speech at the Lincoln Memorial, President Barack Obama stood on the same steps as he challenged new generations to seize the cause of racial

In 2017, floodwaters reached the rooflines of single-story homes as Hurricane Harvey poured rain on the Houston area for a fourth consecutive day; thousands of people had been rescued from the flooding.

In 2018, a white former police officer, Roy Oliver, was convicted of murder for fatally shooting a Black 15-year-old boy, Jordan Edwards, while firing into a car packed with teenagers in suburban Dallas; Oliver was sentenced the following day to 15 years in prison.

Today's Birthdays: Actor Sonny Shroyer is 86. Actor Marla Adams is 83. Actor Ken Jenkins is 81. Former Defense Secretary William S. Cohen is 81. Actor David Soul is 78. Former MLB manager and player Lou Piniella is 78. Actor Barbara Bach is 75. Actor Debra Mooney is 74. Singer Wayne Osmond (The Osmonds) is 70. Actor Daniel Stern is 64. Olympic gold medal figure skater Scott Hamilton is 63. Actor John Allen Nelson is 62. Actor Emma Samms is 61. Actor Jennifer Coolidge is 60. Movie director David Fincher is 59. Actor Amanda Tapping is 56. Country singer Shania Twain is 56.

LITTLE W©RDS

Find the 7 words to match the 7 clues. The numbers in parentheses $\frac{1}{4}$ represent the number of letters in each solution. Each letter combination can be used only once, but all letter combinations will be necessary to complete the puzzle

SOLUTIONS CLUES 1 act indecisively (6) 2 paper for streamers (5) **3** pale hue (7)

4 1970s British sitcom (8) 5 clamps together, as teeth (5)

6 lost fumble, say (8) 7 Kevin of "Apollo 13" (5)

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odsy's Answers: 1. WAFFLE 2. CREPE 3. OATMEAL 4. PORRIDGE 5. GRITS 6. TURNOVER 7. BACON

WORD ★Roundup

Find and Circle...

Five country capitals _ Hemisphere Two parts of speech

Two math symbols

Heavyset marine mammal

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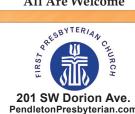
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Community Presbyterian Church

Worship: 10 AM

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