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NATE

by Lincoln Peirce

AS YOU MAY RECALL, MY FRIENDS AND I RANG YOUR BELL AT 7:03 PM...

...AND YOU SAID, "SORRY, KIDS, I'VE JUST RUN OUT OF CANDY!"

SO I'M TAKING NO CHANCES THIS YEAR. I'M HERE EARLY.

THREE WEEKS EARLY!

I HAVEN'T EVEN BOUGHT HALLOWEEN CANDY YET!

OKAY, NOT A PROBLEM.

OCTOBER

Patience... Patience...

HI. TRICK OR TREAT.

TRICK OR—? KID, IT'S NOT HALLOWEEN!

I KNOW, BUT I'M TRYING TO AVOID A REPEAT OF LAST YEAR'S FIASCO.

JUST GIVE ME A COUPLE BUCKS, I'LL GO BUY MYSELF AN ALMOND JOY, AND WE'LL CALL IT GOOD.

SLAM!

SOME PEOPLE JUST CAN'T SEE THE BIG PICTURE.

SO I'VE HEARD

DILBERT

by SCOTT ADAMS

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YOUR DATA SHOWS YOUR PROTOTYPE DID NOT INCREASE SPEED OVER THE EXISTING SYSTEM.

NO, THE DATA PROVES THE PROTOTYPE IS FASTER THAN THE OLD SYSTEM.

I'M LOOKING AT THE DATA RIGHT NOW, AND IT CLEARLY SHOWS FAILURE.

IT LOOKS THAT WAY TO YOU BECAUSE YOU PREDICTED IT WOULD FAIL. YOU'RE SEEING WHAT YOU WANT TO SEE.

MAYBE IT ONLY LOOKS TO YOU AS IF IT WORKED BECAUSE YOU PREDICTED IT WOULD WORK.

SO... WE'RE BOTH LOOKING AT EXACTLY THE SAME DATA AND REACHING OPPOSITE CONCLUSIONS?

IF I THOUGHT DATA WOULD INFLUENCE MY DECISIONS, I WOULDN'T LET YOU GATHER IT.

GIVE ME A MINUTE TO REASSESS MY ENTIRE EXISTENCE.

FOR BETTER OR FOR WORSE

By LYNN JOHNSTON

SCRUB WASH SCRUB

CLATTER CRUMBLE CLICK

CH... SORRY!

GRATE GRATE GRATE

SHAKE SHAKE

I FORGOT THE CONDIMENTS!!

GRUNCH GRUNCH MUNCH CRUNCH!

WUMO

by Wulff & Morgenthaler

Hey, do you know who you look like? Huh!? HUH!? HUH!? Are you him as a grown-up? Are you? Do you still know Hermione?

The worst part of Peter's scar was not the traumatic memory of the car accident

Luann

by Greg Evans

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