



**FRIDAY FOLLIES**  
April 22, 2005

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Well, spring has sprung! Here they are! Precious! The new Finch family!



It is almost time to put Mom and Pop Finch back in a separate cage.



Finches don't respect heritage, so I will simply not give the new hen anything to build a nest with and we will be fine! They are truly amazing!



The babies are so fearless that every time I

open their new/antique cage to give them food or water, they fly right out by my head no matter what I do to try to stop them!



I have to play this little game with them and "coral" them back into the cage. Cute, but not when you are in a hurry to get to work!

The parakeets are in a new cage since none of you would come to the rescue! I really wanna get rid of them. They are very sweet, but I want to enjoy my Canaries. I guess I will have to take them back to the pet store!

OK, Here is the deal! Guy turned out to be a very young Genenviere and Sir Lance won't do a thing since I put him in the cage with the two hens. He won't even sing anymore! "Stud Muffin," my arse! Talk about "All Hat an No Cowboy!" So I moved him out and I moved "Chester" in with the two hens! Oh, boy! BOTH hens are in LOVE with him. Now I am wondering how I will tell which eggs are whose. I think he has definitely fertilized BOTH of them.



By the way! Here are my Chinese lanterns. They have been great fun! I had to put them up flush like that because it is so windy down by the beach, ya know, where I live, (smile).



I painted a couple of bird houses for the outside this past weekend.





I also planted a lot of geraniums this weekend. Man, they are so healthy. I wish they would stay that way all summer. I will plant some "color bowls" this weekend to finish off the backyard.

Don't ya love spring! I also planted eggplant, yellow squash, bell pepper, basil, rosemary, chives, leeks, onions, and more tomatoes! Grow, baby, grow!

I had tons of visitors this week and another great cook out! This time I cooked hot dogs, hamburgers, ribs, and chicken! Whew! I am getting pretty good at grilling! What fun! Gotta run! Lots going on. Updates of JJ and Jess next week.



**T**o all of you on my Friday Follies List, whether you are in Manila, Singapore, Kuwait, Bermuda, Virginia Beach, Mississippi, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Minnesota, Indiana, Colorado, Philadelphia, Key West, New Jersey, North Carolina, Indonesia, Washington D.C., Iraq, Costa Rica, Maryland, West (By-God) Virginia, Nashville, Florida, Chattanooga, New York, Oregon, Maine, Australia, Europe, or Yuma, have a wonderful, wonderful week!

**G**od bless.  
Remember, life is short...we need to make it a good one.  
Grow in peace and wisdom.

Your Friday Friend,

Judi Godsey



PS. NOTE OF CAUTION... 20 employees were fired from The New York Times here in Norfolk for sending lewd and indignant emails. (To my knowledge, none of the 20 were on our joke list - even though some of the attorneys who represent the company were!) I have asked each and every one of you on this list to tell me if the jokes that accompany these "Follies" place you in jeopardy, or even if they offend you. Please understand that they are intended to be light-hearted and are not mean-spirited in any way. If you are ever offended, do not hesitate to ask to be taken off the Friday Follies joke list. PSS. If you send jokes and I don't use it, it is because it has been used before, and I try not to repeat. Remember, I have been sending these since August of 1997. One tends to get through large numbers of jokes that way. Disclaimer: When anyone asks if I type all of these jokes, the answer is, "No!" I cut and paste one evening during the week (30 minutes, tops). Obviously, I don't have time to sit, read, and retype jokes all day!