

FRIDAY FOLLIES

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Nope... No Outer banks this weekend. Instead, we decided to stay here and partake of all of the local stuff going on.

Some of Ken's friends from Harbor Park (David and Carole) invited us to go out on their boat and view the Langley Air Force Air Show from the water.

I have to tell you, I am not the biggest fan of air shows. I mean, they are interesting and all, but shoot -- they fly over my HOUSE everyday! Hahaha! Plus, the truth is - there is a tremendous amount of "down time" at air shows.

NOT SO FROM THE WATER!!!

We launched out of Hampton, Virginia (Hey, Donna!) and the scenery was just breathtaking! I had never been on the water on that side of the Chesapeake Bay before! It was gorgeous! Big, beautiful homes, but it also had a very rustic feel to it. There were even duck blinds everywhere. Very cool...

The air show - well - we were only about 500 yards off the end of the runway and it was as if the entire show was put on for US! Just amazing! I loved it! Not to mention, I met some really, really nice new friends. So glad we opted for staying here. We were on the water from 11:00 a.m. until after five, and the time simply flew by! (Pun intended).





I wish I could tell you about some of the conversations... They were hilarious! Anyway, it was just an awesome way to spend the day.

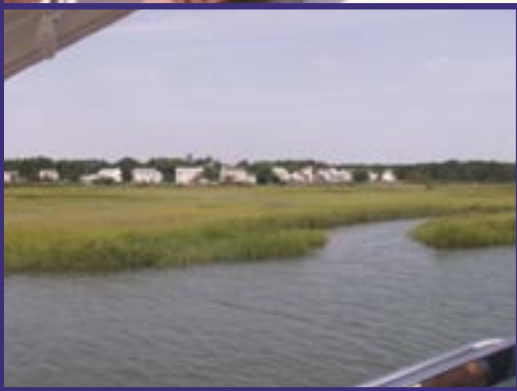
We came back to Norfolk and had dinner in Ghent and then the rest of the weekend was more of the same. Just chillin' and having nice dinners, etc. Virginia Beach has so many wonderful places on the water to dine out in the summer. I LOVE this place.



When not "out on the town," I also had time to cook my squash (have had lots of it already). It is just so beautiful, and when you cook it fresh from the garden like that... the color stays so yellow... the flavor so true. I really didn't have anything to put with the squash yet, so I cook it and froze it until the tomatoes, eggplant, and peppers come in.



I did have enough new banana peppers to make and can my first batch of Banana Pepper Mustard, though. Ummm! The best! Truthfully, though, I do not think I will sell or give this batch away. It always takes me one batch to practice and get the flavors right.





I also had some time to visit with some good friends and had a blast. Long time over due!

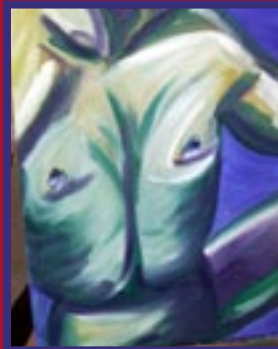
Continued painting "Her," and she is now finished. I LOVE "Her!"



Also found some time to start on "Him." Not sure where I am going with "Him," yet, but will wait for him to dry and begin to add the color accents I did with "Her." I think they will make a great pair. (And yes, Ray, she does have on a blouse!)



You are not going to believe this, Ray... but as I typed that sentence above, the door bell rang!



It was Fed Ex with more books from you! Thank you! You are such a sweet heart!

Isn't summer awesome!



I hope you are finding some time to relax and enjoy your family and friends, as well. That is really all there is, y'all... We would all be happier if we would realize that very simple fact!



Much love attached for you all!

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To 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, Lake Tahoe, Philadelphia, Key West, New Jersey, North Carolina, Indonesia, Washington D.C., Iraq, Costa Rica, Poland, Maryland, West (By-God) Virginia, Nashville, Florida, Saudi Arabia, New Hampshire, Tampa, Chattanooga, France, Phoenix, New York, Oregon, Russia, Maine, Australia, Bangkok, or Yuma, have a wonderful, wonderful week!

God bless.
Remember, life is short!
We need to make it a good one.
Grow in peace and wisdom.
Your Friday Friend,

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Judi Godsey

PS. NOTE OF CAUTION... 20 employees were fired from The New York Times here in Norfolk for sending lewd and indecent 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 a joke 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 go through huge 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!