



FRIDAY FOLLIES

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On the cover - what do you see? NOTHING!
More about that in a minute!

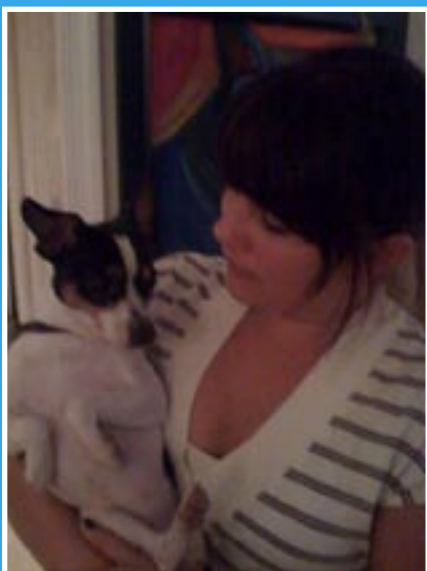
Busy week - and a funny one! Hope you had fun, too! Very busy at work with even more new projects to work on. That will be fine... just kinda freakin' at the moment. Gotta find time to "fit" them in, but I will... always do! Very worthwhile projects, so that makes it easier!

Lots of time with family and friends, and Ken flew in this past weekend to see me. That was nice! At least we got to break up the month that he was to be away. I picked him up at the airport and we had dinner in Norfolk Saturday night.



While he was in meetings Sunday, I did a "boat load" of stuff I needed to do here! Then he came to "The Beach" and we had dinner at one of my all-time favorite neighborhood cafes - The New Moon. It used to be the "Blue Moon," but with the latest renovations and all, it changed its name. It was great fun! Still has its comfy style!

We also came back to my house and watched the final game in Yankee Stadium with Jeremy! SOOO sad! I'm not even a Yankees fan and it was sad... Ken is gone again for a couple of weeks.



Monday night Jess came over and brought Mortimer with her. It was hilarious to see the dogs together. They have not seen each other in months!

Morty is so "big" now! We took them on a walk and then let them play while we all had a nice pasta dinner with fresh veggies from the garden!

During dinner, Jess said, "I am so sorry, Mom, I was supposed to tell you this earlier, but Jefferson Starship



is at the Jewish Mother tonight. I forgot to tell you!!" I almost packed us all up right then and there and hauled us straight to the "Jewish Mom," but it was too late at that point! Wouldn't that have been fun!

Original members, too! She simply did not understand the significance of it for someone my age!!!! I almost died!





I also wanted to include these cute photos of Beau BBOH (BoBo - AKA - Beautiful Blue Bird of Happiness) taking his/her weekly bath this week. Many of you have seen the video on YouTube. When BoBo takes a bath, it goes on FOREVER. He/she gets in and out a thousand times before finished. LOVES it when you praise him/her. Just too , too very sweet. God is so good!

The GIRLS went camping this weekend and also had a wine tasting at a local Vineyard. So sorry I could not make it, but you sure had a fabulous weekend for it. The photos were awesome and I would love to have had one or two in the Follies, but I did not ask permission in time! Hope you do it again, soon! Maybe I can join you!

The Lumber Jack party was a huge success, too! I did not get to go, but heard from several neighbors that it was a blast! Good job, Terrie and Mike!

OK! The photo on the cover is of the Blue Angels! HAHHAHA! Actually, I was running around the yard doing chores and watching the clock because Ken was to come over, and while in the front yard, they flew over (here for the Neptune Festival Air Show) in FORMATION! ALL of them! I am talking - literally at my treetop! It was amazing! I could SEE the pilots! The foundation of my very house shook! I ran inside to get my camera, and ran back out to wait for a shot! Finally, here they came! BATTERIES WERE DEAD! LOL! I ran back in and got new batteries out of the freezer, and they actually never thawed out well enough to get a good shot the whole time! (I think Jeremy thought I had lost my mind - but I LOVE the BLUES!) It was one of those things that I could never explain to you here. Just hysterical! I could NOT get a decent shot of them and yet, I don't think I have been that close to them - maybe EVER! The last page will be some of my silly attempts!



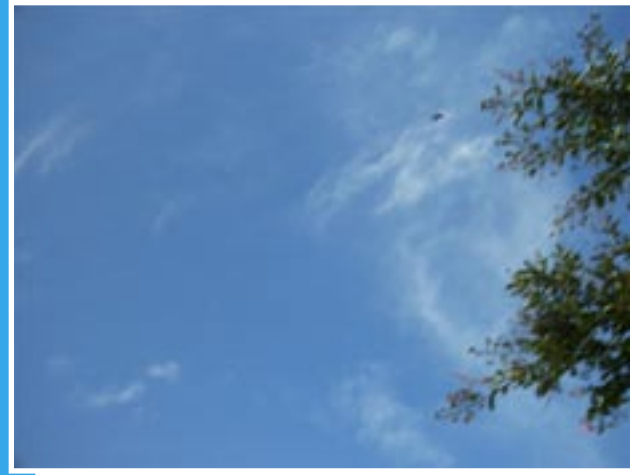
Most of it, just air!!! Too funny! You would not believe how low they were, but there is certainly not any showing you here! Hahaha!

Hey! Buy a cook book! Times are gonna get hard! I need all the help I can get! Some of the canned goods have almost sold out already, and I still have not done a show!

Can you believe this economy! Honestly, I almost did not do the Follies this week, it is so serious. I cannot get away from the TV and the stock reports! It scared me to death! Here I am, "Ms. Private Citizen" who has bought her first home ever, has never been late on a single payment, received a very nice raise and bonus this year -- and STILL am beginning to really struggle. What are we to do, folks?

But you know what!!! If I do end up having a really hard time with it all ~ as most of us will, if they do not work this out ~ I will probably have food to feed us all! (SMILE!)

Much Love enclosed, y'all!

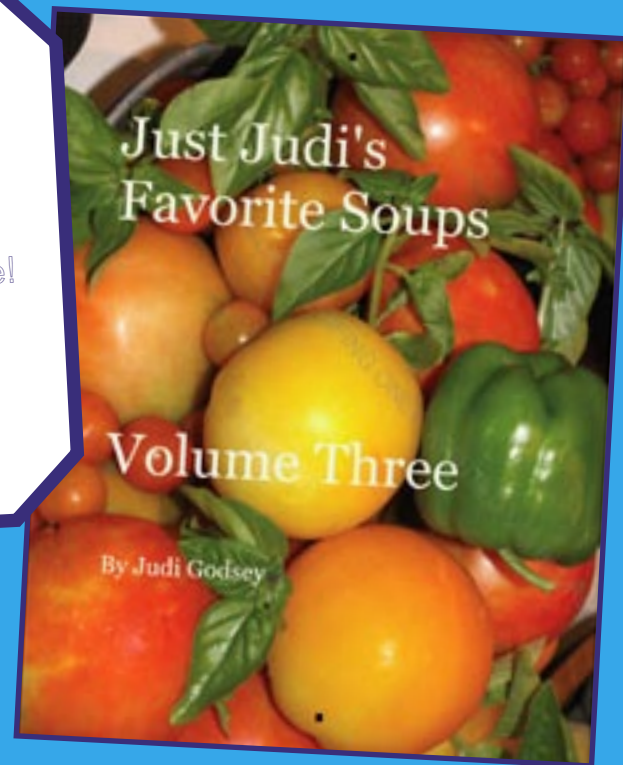


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Los Angeles, San Francisco, Minnesota, Indiana, Colorado, Lake Tahoe,
Philadelphia, Key West, New Jersey, North Carolina, Indonesia, Washington
D.C., Iraq, Costa Rica, Poland, Maryland, West (By-God) Virginia, Nashville,
Florida, Saudi Arabia, New 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,

Judi Godsey

P.S. 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!