



“Ironic” Then and Now

11 Updates for Today's Times

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#1

Then: Winning the lottery, but dying the next day



Now: *You win a modest \$100 from a scratch-off, then buy some Bitcoin that drops 5% the next week*



#2

Then: A black fly
lands in your
Chardonnay



**Now: *Your ergonomic
wine tumbler with
BPA-free lid prevents
insects from your
beverage***



#3

Then: A death row
pardon two minutes
too late

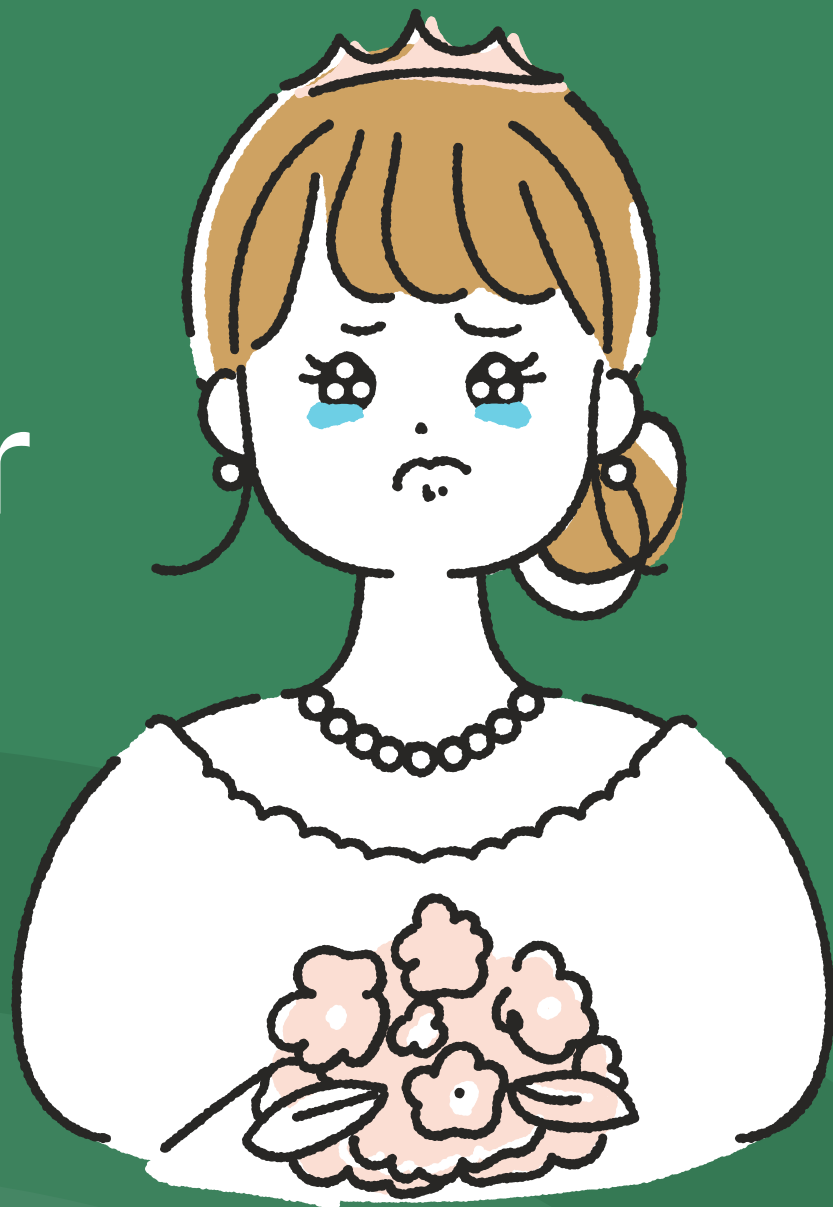


***Now: You finally have a
hot political take but
election season is over
and no one wants to hear
it***



#4

Then: Rain on your wedding day



Now: *It's 75 degrees and sunny on the day your girlfriend leaves you for a crypto bro she found on Tinder*



#5

Then: A free ride
when you've
already paid



***Now: Your Uber was more
expensive than you
planned and the driver
tried to pitch you his MLM
idea the entire ride***



#6

Then: Good advice
that you just didn't
take



Now: *You took
advice from a
LinkedIn influencer
only to discover it
was written by
ChatGPT*



#7

Then: You got over your fear of flying, but the plane crashes

Now: *You saved up to take that flight, but Southwest is charging to check bags*



#8

Then: A traffic jam
when you're
already late

Now: *You work from
home and you're
still late for your
Zoom call*



#9

Then: A “No Smoking” sign on your cigarette break

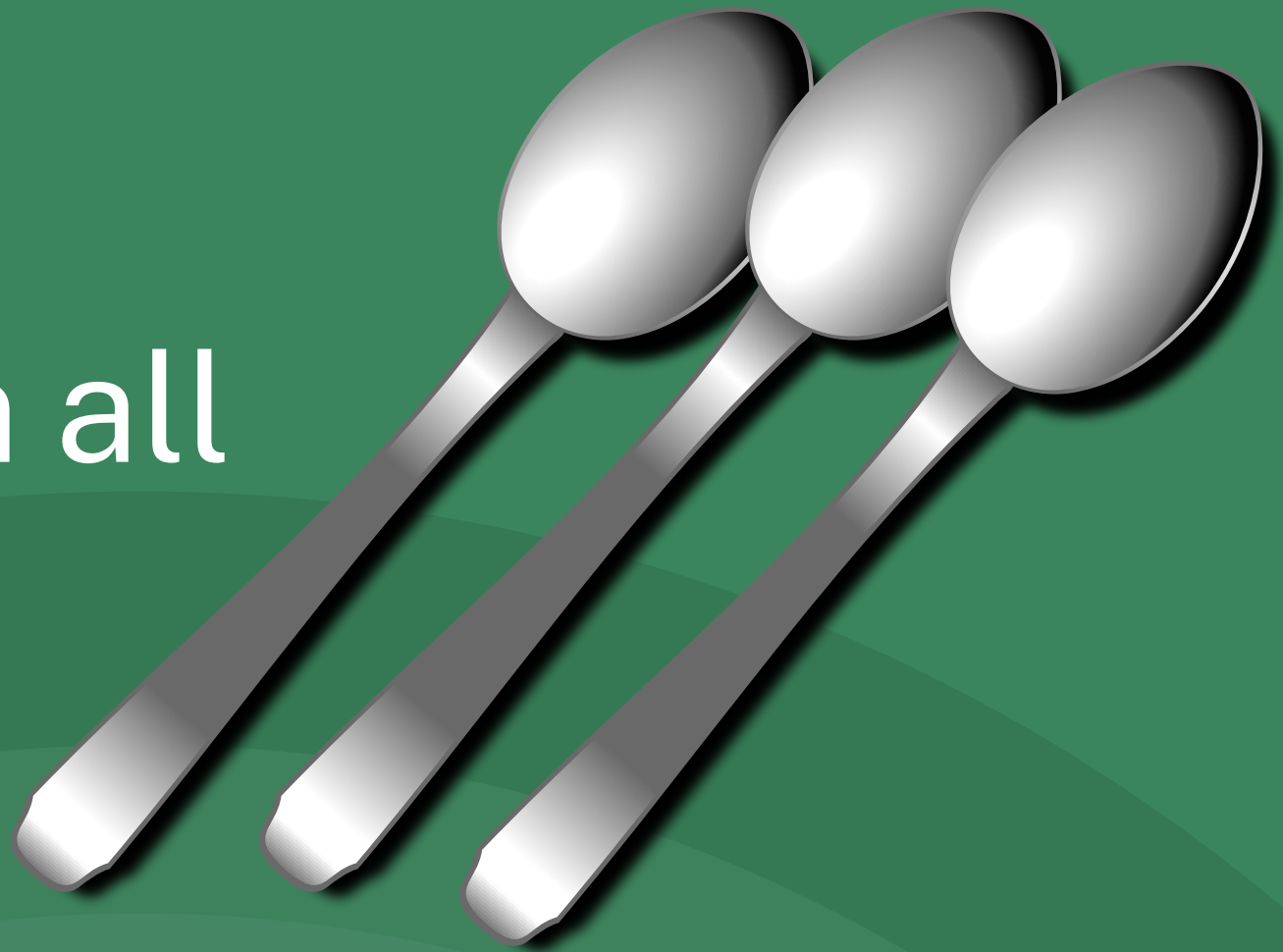


Now: A *Netflix sign* says *"Too many people are using this account right now when you just want to binge the latest Love Is Blind episode"*



#10

Then: 10,000
spoons when all
you need is a
knife



**Now: *A dozen
charging blocks
around the house
but not a charging
cable in sight***



#11

Then: Meeting the man of your dreams, but then meeting his wife

Now: Meeting the man of your dreams, but your relationship with him competes with 29 other women and is only as good as the last rose you received





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