## WARNING: DATES ON THIS CALENDAR ARE CLOSER THAN THEY APPEAR

## Wisdom for 2001

Before you criticize someone, you should walk a mile in their shoes. That way, when you criticize them, you're a mile away and you have their shoes.

Anything worth taking seriously is worth making fun of.

I didn't say it was your fault. I said I was going to blame you.

Eagles may soar, but weasels don't get sucked into jet engines.

If you think there is good in everybody, you haven't met everybody.

If you lend someone \$20 and never see him again, it was probably worth it.

It's always darkest before the dawn. So, if you're going to steal the neighbor's newspaper, that's the time to do it.

Never test the depth of the water with both feet.

Sometimes too much to drink is not enough.

Youth and skill are no match for experience and treachery.

Never tell your computer that you're in a hurry.

There are two theories to arguing with women. Neither one works.

Diplomacy is the art of saying "good doggie" while looking for a bigger stick.

## Technospeak for 200 l

OHNO-SECOND – That tiny fraction of time in which you realize that you've just made a BIG mistake.

PERCUSSIVE MAINTENANCE – The fine art of whacking the crap out of an electronic device to get it to work again.

## Men & Women Compared

**Nicknames:** If Laura, Suzanne, Debra and Rose go out for lunch, they will call each other Laura, Suzanne, Debra and Rose. If Mike, Charlie, Bob and John go out, they will affectionately refer to each other as Fat Boy, Godzilla, Peanut-Head and Scrappy.

**Eating Out:** When the bill arrives, Mike, Charlie, Bob and John will each throw in \$20, even though it's only for \$32.50. None of them will have anything smaller, and none will actually admit they want change back. When the girls get their bill, out come the pocket calculators.

**Money:** A man will pay \$2 for a \$1 item he wants. A woman will pay \$1 for a \$2 item that she doesn't want.

**Arguments:** A woman has the last word in any argument. Anything a man says after that is the beginning of a new argument.

**Success:** A successful man is one who makes more money than his wife can spend. A successful woman is one who can find such a man.

**Future:** A woman worries about the future until she gets a husband. A man never worries about the future until he gets a wife.

**Natural:** Men wake up as good-looking as they went to bed. Women somehow deteriorate during the night.

**Marriage:** A woman marries a man expecting that he will change, but he doesn't. A man marries a woman expecting that she won't change and she does.

**Offspring:** Ah, children. A woman knows all about her children. She knows about dentist appointments and romances, best friends, favorite foods, secret fears and hopes and dreams. A man is vaguely aware of some short people living in the house.

**Thought for the Day:** Any married man should forget his mistakes. There's no use in two people remembering the same thing.