



Recipe Corner

Candy stash made it through the Halloween night. Last piece went to cute kid who was outfitted with real hot dogs dressed as a seller you see at ball games. You could hear his dad giggling at the end of the driveway but I think the kid was a bit reluctant...obviously doesn't appreciate dad jokes. Thought for sure I was going to have a cookie recipe here using leftover miniature candy bars.



Brenda's sister Lisa is engaged (*in what they didn't tell me*) to Chris Holm. Both are nurses and a 2nd Chris for the family so I guess I'll be using initials as my father-in-law used to do. Happy news BUT I do question their taste in dogs.

That one is ugly!

May want to consider adding a Golden Retriever?

Just ask the other Chris.

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Freedom of the press belongs to those who own one.*



Half a dozen Republicans have been sending me emails asking for money they need to spend with the Lame Stream Media to counter the bad things the Lame Stream Media is saying about them. The most egregious is one in Arizona who claims her opponent is leading in the polls that predicted Hillary would be president...therefore she needs a \$3 from me.

I sent her this:

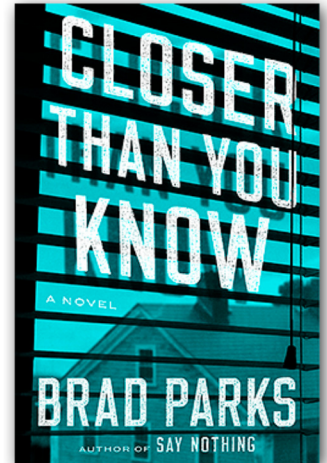


Now if she is that rare smart politician, she will start sending that \$3 bill to her opponent's campaign and make sure the Lame Stream Media hears about it? Also note that the emails ask for money. Shouldn't they be sending emails asking for votes? Maybe buy the email list of Democrats and try to help them see the light. Most of the vast campaigning I've seen so far is really half-vast.



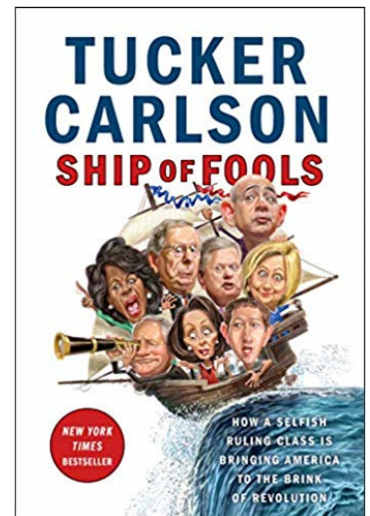
Bon Mots

All of my kids have a twisted sense of humor. Should I be proud... or scared?



Book Report

Brad Parks has a knack of writing dialogue as a female. His first (*Say Nothing*) was very good. This one starts slow and waaaay overdone with the oppression. Also too many hints on the obvious identity of the bad guy.



Don't miss this one! Excellent history lesson and spot on social commentary. Connects the dots and shines a light on idiocy. Fast read so cogitate!

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Contemplating a new hobby.

Found a gun store with shooting range and CCP instruction for the Kimber Micro but in .380 rather than 9mm because of weight. Classic 1911 patent in a new caliber. Should fit well in my purse...yes, I have been carrying a purse for several decades. Most pipe smokers do...also all the stuff I used to carry in my pockets and wondered why my pants kept falling down.



Another hobby I'm seriously contemplating is getting back to a guitar. I used to play for myself and by myself. Now The Boys may be subjected to it. My preference is folk music from college days and I had a stack of chords worked out for that genre but I loaned it to someone and forgot about it. With the internet, I discovered how easy it is to resurrect the lyrics/chords for learning it all over again. I'll stay away from a dreadnaught style as the hole is big enough for Paul to fit...Peter not so much. Will probably find the strings spread out all over the house since my fingers won't stand up to steel so I'll go with nylon.



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Voting Tuesday November 5 is **important.**



REALLY IMPORTANT!

Started the new gun process...MN requires local **police** to do a background check and issue a permit to purchase. In AZ, you just needed permission from your credit card company. Not to be confused with the local **sheriff** issuing permission for concealed carry. Bet our LEO's just love this wasted time. The permit to purchase is identical to the permit for concealed carry. I'll track this through the process and update the "Why Politicians Love Gun Laws" article on my blog at www.thefrankreport.net.

Mileage between permits is going to equal cost. The new gun shop/range I found is really nice. Will be challenging marksmanship of kids and grandkids since I will now have multiple guns.

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