**Time - Funnies**

**When I discovered, to my dismay, that my aged great-aunt still climbed over the garden fence to visit her next-door neighbor, I asked her why she didn't take the less dangerous route down the driveway and up the street. “Look,” came her sharp reply, “I'll be ninety-eight at the end of this year and I'm running out of time.” *(Z. L. Holbrook, in Reader's Digest)***

**At an all-you-can-eat buffet, my nine-year-old was excited to find a chocolate milk machine. But her aunt did not approve. "Chocolate milk for dinner?" she asked. "It's delicious!" said my daughter. Her aunt shrugged. "Well, it's 8 a.m. somewhere." *(Nichole Vikdal, in Reader's Digest)***

**For disappearing acts, it's hard to beat what happens to the eight hours supposedly left after eight of sleep and eight of work. *(Doug Larson, United Feature Syndicate)***

**There is never enough time, unless you’re serving it. *(Malcolm Forbes)***

**No month goes faster than the month between my monthly bills. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)*  
First man: “What are you thinking about, Earl?” Earl: “The word ‘trousers’. I was just wondering if it's singular or plural. I've kind of decided that it's singular at the top and plural at the bottom.” First man: “You've got way too much free time on your hands, don't you?" *(Brian Crane, in Pickles comic strip)***

**Time is a great healer. That's why they make you wait so long in the doctor's office. *(Ron Dentinger, in Dodgeville, Wis., Chronicle)***

**Wife: “You have too much time on your hands!” Husband: “What do you mean?” Wife: “Do you know anyone else who actually reads all the junk mail he gets?” *(Art Samsom, in The Born Loser comic strip)***

**The day after the 9/11 report came out saying we do not have the luxury of time, Congress left for a six-week vacation. Great timing, guys! And you wonder what the problem is. *(Jay Leno)***

**The good news is that Jimmy Carter has given the Iranians just three days to shape up. The bad news is, the three days are Labor, Thanksgiving and Christmas. *(Orben's Current Comedy)***

**There is not enough time to do all the nothing we want to do. *(Bill Watterson)***

**An old cowboy hadn’t been feeling his best for a while and finally went to the doctor, who told him he only had a year to live. “Isn’t there anything I can do?” the cowboy asked. “Well, I suppose you could marry a widow with a bunch of kids, move to West Texas and start up a pig farm,” the doctor suggested. “And that’ll make me live longer?” “No,” the doc replied, “but it’ll sure seem longer.” *(J. D. Babin from Three Rivers, Texas, in Country magazine)***

**Helga: “Do you know what your problems are?” Hagar: “I drink too much, I eat too much, I fight too much, and I stay out too late.” Helga: “Right!” Hagar: “It just saves time when I list them myself.” *(Chris Browne, in Hagar comic strip)***

**Grandma says to Billy: “When Granddad retired he never found time to do everything he hoped to do after he retired and had lots of time!" *(Bil Keane, in The Family Circus comic strip)***

**Ask Doctor Ernie: “Dr. Ernie, why do they say time is like a river?” Dr. Ernie: “Because the longer you're in it, the more wrinkled you get." *(Bob Thaves, in Frank & Ernest comic strip)***

**A 95-year-old Florida woman is running for mayor. Asked if she knew who she was running against, she said, “Time.” *(Conan O'Brien)***

**A St. Louis airline reservation agent at a local travel agency was using high-pressure salesmanship on a vigorous old lady who was taking a vacation trip to New Orleans, trying very hard to sell her an expensive airline ticket. "Do you mean to say that it takes less than four hours to get all the way to New Orleans?" she inquired. "Yes," the salesman replied, pointing to a schedule. "We can get you there in only three hours and 55 minutes." "I don't know," said the lady. "I guess I'd rather take a train." "But look at the time you'd save by flying," the agent protested. "Young man," the old lady replied with a confident air, "I've been saving time since I was a young woman. Now," she said, turning to leave," I intend to use some of it." *(Ernest Blevins, in Catholic Digest)***

**However short life may seem, there's always plenty of time in it to become thoroughly confused. *(Ashleigh Brilliant, in Pot-Shots)***

**I do not object to people looking at their watches when I am speaking. But I strongly object when they start shaking them to make certain they are still going. *(Lord Birkett, a British politician and lawyer)***

**Half our life is spent trying to find something to do with the time we have rushed through life trying to save. *(Will Rogers)***

**Alabama state troopers were closing in on a speeding car when it crossed into Georgia. Suddenly the officer behind the wheel slowed to a stop. “What are you doing?” his partner asked. “We almost had him.” “He just crossed over into the Eastern Standard Time zone,” he said. “Now he’s a full hour ahead of us.” (*Scottie Barron, in Reader’s Digest)***

**The three stages of kid's time perception: “Summer lasts forever!” “I can't believe summer's almost over!” “It's summer already?” *(John Allen, in Nest Heads comic strip)***

**Wife talking on the phone to the doctor: “Don't tell us if it's a boy or a girl, Dr. Beezy. We want it to be a surprise.” Husband: “We do?” Wife: “Yes, we discussed this, Darryl, remember?” Husband: “No.” Wife: “Well, you weren't there, so I discussed it with me for you, and decided that we should let it be a surprise.” Husband: “So now I don't even have to be present to lose an argument with you?” Wife: “Think of it as a time-saving device.” *(Rick Kirkman & Jerry Scott, in Baby Blues comic strip)***

**Garfield: "Time to take a break, Odie. Our breaks are so long, our breaks need breaks." *(Jim Davis, in Garfield comic strip)***

**Today is the first day of the rest of your life -- unless you live on the other side of the international date line, in which case yesterday was the first day of the rest of your life. *(Orben's Current Comedy)***

**Attorney: “I intend to prove to the court that my client invented and patented a time-travel machine, then went back to 1989 where this man stole the idea and patented it first!” *(Dan Piraro, in Chronicle Features)***

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