

# Because God Has A Sense of Humor



## WHAT WE SAY



## PROBABLY MORE ACCURATE



**JESUS WOULD PROBABLY NOT HAVE GOTTEN HIMSELF INTO THIS SITUATION IN THE FIRST PLACE**

## A devotion for the “big kids” too

### **Don't Rust Out!** (by Becki Reiser)

*“We hear that some among you are idle. They are not busy; they are busybodies.”*

*~ 2 Thessalonians 3:11*

When I was a child back in the 60's, I remember once riding with Mom in the car as we got on the highway for a trip to my grandparents' house. Once we hit the on-ramp, my mother would “stomp on the gas” – and it felt to me as if we were flying! She used to tell us kids that she was “blowing out the carbon.” I wasn't sure what that meant, but I thought it was fun.

Later, when I was a bit older, it was explained to me that carbon would build up inside a car's engine from idling. Hence the (questionable) procedure. And just cruising around town didn't qualify for “carbon blowing.” You apparently needed to reach a certain speed for a period of time. That would help the engine clear out its carbon problem...or so I was told.

The Scripture also speaks of our idling. If we're not busy with our Father's business, we may end up forgetting about our calling as the body of Christ: to be His hands, feet, and voice in the world. That ministry will demand much of us. But as an old preacher once said: “When it comes to serving our Lord, it's better to burn out than to rust out.

*Dear Lord, they say that idle hands are the devil's workshop. Keep me from a lazy approach to Your command to make disciples  
In Jesus' name, amen.*

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