

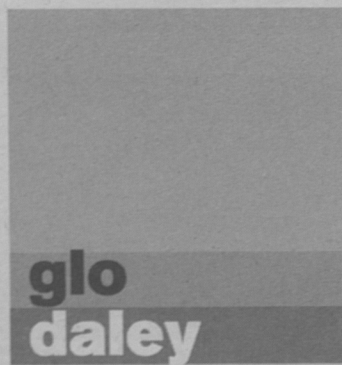
# Views: Holy Daze

**T**is the season to be jolly ... so they say. One's jollity quotient during the Christmas season can have a lot to do with one's politics or is that now being referred to as one's Moral Values (M.V.'s)? Although I am a godless Buddhist, I have a fondness for the historical Jesus, although it seems he may have had some problematic M.V.'s of his own. Didn't he say it would be "harder for a camel to walk through the eye of a needle, than for a rich man to get into the Kingdom of Heaven?" Honestly, the guy sounds like a bleeding heart liberal. Those are some harsh anti-capitalist words.

How about a little test to determine once and for all as we move through this lovely holiday period, just where we stand in the hierarchy of M.V.'s, O.K.?

**1. Bringing a same-sex partner home for the holidays is ...** A.) An abomination. B.) O.K. as long as you don't come out. C.) A good time, especially if mom's queer friends are there.

**2. "Jesus was born in a manger" means ...** A.) His parents were unmotivated street people spoiling the town (Bethlehem). B.) His parents were under-employed and in need of social services. C.) His parents were a virgin and a holy ghost so they get to crash wherever they want, o.k.?



**3. "Don we now our gay apparel" sounds like ...**

A.) A complete and total perversion. B.) A line from my favorite Christmas Carol. C.) Fun, fun, fun.

**4. The most important thing about Christmas is ...**

A.) The economy, stupid. B.) Presents. C.) Presence.

**5. Jesus, on the day of his birth, said ...** A.) "If you have an abortion, you will go straight to hell." B.) "If you have an abortion you won't be pregnant any more." C.) "I am a baby, o.k., I can't even talk yet."

**6. Christmas shopping at Walmart is ...** A.) The best way to get bargains. B.) Bad news because they have terrible labor practices. C.) Aaaaarrrrrgh!

**7. "Christmas is a-coming and the goose is getting fat" means ...** A.) It's time to kill

that goose and eat it. B.) The goose is suffering from obesity, one of America's major problems. C.) Somebody loves that goose.

**8. Jesus spent most of his time with 12 other guys because ...** A.) He was resisting the temptation of being around females. B.) He was trying to organize a fisherman's union. C.) Duh. He was a flaming f\_\_\_\_\_?

**9. Christmas shopping until you are in debt is ...**

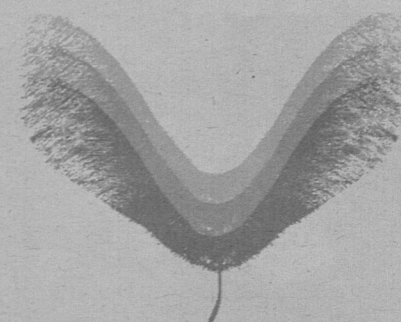
A.) Good for the economy. B.) Being nice to family and friends. C.) Insane.

**10. Santa is ...**

A.) A right jolly old elf. B.) A cute tradition. C.) Another effort to dupe kids.

O.K., enough already. If you answered A at least 7 times, then you are a winner: A Normal Member of the Moral Majority. If you answered B at least 4 times, you are a Low-life Lily-livered Liberal Loser. If you answered C more than 2 times, you are a Super Loser and if you don't get the Fear of God in you, you will fry in a hell for permanent pinko peverts. **HAPPY HOLY DAZE!** ▼

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