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# Oldie Moldies



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# Taking A Break

Some of you may have noticed that I took a break from posting videos in the middle of February. I didn't intentionally mean to stop posting but I had become overwhelmed with the business side of social media and my personal life. It seemed like there wasn't enough time in the day and I wasn't in the headspace to make comedy videos.

On top of that, the **algorithms** (a way of sorting posts in a users feed) were not working in my favor and not even ¼ of my followers were seeing my videos. I was tired of the comments, "I haven't seen your videos in forever" – when I had been posting **daily and working really hard**. Social media is not all about the numbers and the views but it's hard to build a **community** with awesome people when the social media apps don't show them your videos. That is something that I can't necessarily control and I felt a little defeated.

But taking some time away and taking a second to breath helped me return with more determination to create. I can't control who does / doesn't see my videos – I can just control the content that I make – and I'm going to focus on that.

So if you were wondering where I was for a couple days... let's just say I was out getting coffee. ☺

## February Facts



"February" is one of the most commonly misspelled words in the English language.

The odds of being born on Feb. 29<sup>th</sup> is roughly 1 in 1,461.

People spend **\$18 billion** on gifts and celebrations for Valentine's Day and **9 million** people buy pets for their gifts that day.

February has been Black History Month for over **40 years** now.

## From the Vault

Me taking a very important phone call with my grandma.

If the phone didn't give it away this has to be late 90s – early 2000s.





# Bored In The House

I'll be the first to say I'm going stir crazy doing the same thing every day and spending the majority of the day in my house.

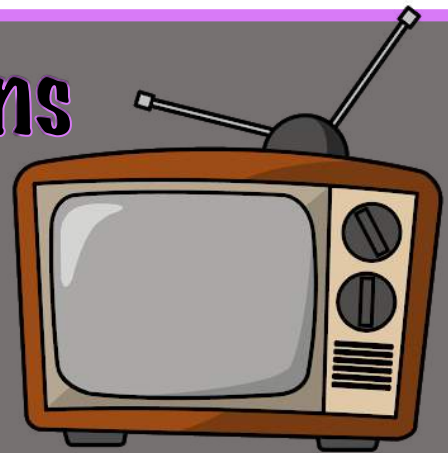
Here are some things to help you break routine.

- Morning dance routine – First thing when you wake up play music and make up a mini routine. Nothing fancy just come up with some simple moves and get the creative juices flowing.
- Rearrange some furniture – Move the lamp, slide the couch over a foot, put the TV on the other wall - see how you like it or how long it takes until it drives you crazy. HAHA
- Deep Clean – I personally like to take the day and completely gut a room of all clutter, clean thoroughly, and reorganize. Feels great once it's done!

## Media Recommendations

Some TV show / movie recommendations to get you through the winter – if you're under 4 feet of snow in the cold or not.

**Stay safe, stay warm, and stay inside!**



### *I Care A Lot*

A movie I saw on Netflix purely because the trailer drew me in! Starring Rosamund Pike and Peter Dinklage, it's about a court assigned legal guardian who tricks elderly people into assisted living rooms and swindles them out of their money.

**Rating: 9/10**

Twists and turns kept my attention the whole time!



### *Logan Lucky*



This movie came out in 2017 but it totally slipped my radar. I don't know how though because it features Channing Tatum and Adam Driver. I saw it on Hulu and I'll admit, the first half of this movie I was half interested but by the end I was left thinking "Damn, I gotta watch that again cause I missed so much!"

**Rating: 10/10**

Slow burn story line but every detail matters!

# Funniest Dating Stories

Anonymous stories submitted via Instagram:

- I had a dude yell at me across the liquor store “You don’t happen to be single do you?”
- Date went to take out the trash and ended up hitting his head on the door and getting a concussion.
- On a hike with my boyfriend he slipped and fell in mud. As I was laughing at him I also slipped and fell.
- He showed up late with pee on himself. 
- We both agreed we didn’t want to be serious... 5 years later we’re married with a baby.
- I threw up on his food and then he threw up too!
- I forgot his name in front of him! **\*face palm\***
- A guy broke up with me on a ski lift – we were ½ way up the mountain!
- He told me my eyes were so beautiful and then later told me he was colorblind.
- Asked if she wanted to share a milkshake. When I started drinking she said I looked like a lizard. 
- We both woke up in the same jail!
- A first date made me go down a few steps so he could be taller in the picture.
- First boyfriend tried to make out with me and I laughed in his face. I had never done it before!
- His ex was our waitress on the 1<sup>st</sup> date. Didn’t keep dating him but her and I are BFFs – 9 years strong!
- I farted while dancing around in front of his whole family.



An advice column from from Alloy’s POV.

Topic: Dating

Question: How to be confident and do well at my new job!

Alloy’s Answer: Great question!

Any kind of new job can be overwhelming to say the least. You don’t know the people, the schedule, or sometimes even where the bathroom is. I think entering a new job with a positive, open mindset and really understanding that it takes some time to adapt to a new environment will calm some of your nerves. Just remember that everyone was new at some point and take every day as an opportunity to learn something. Keep your head up, chest now, fake some confidence in the mean time, and try and make a new coworker friend your first week! You got this!

XOXO Alloy



# Oldie Moldies Out In The Wild

**\*\*Photo submissions from fans of the newsletter\*\***



Chillin' with the dogs in ...

Megyn's kid helping shovel with his John Deere



This Oldie Moldie is keepin' an eye on the neighbors haha



Holly doing some cross stitching



On a hike in San Francisco



Maria being an Oldie Moldie with her canine sidekick



Rachel reading on a Saturday night at 7pm

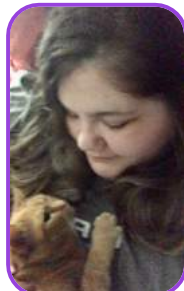
Amie working on a water color mandala craft



THROWBACK: Sarah and her friends dressing up as senior citizens for spirit week



Old lady glasses + old lady cardigan



Valerie being a self-proclaimed cat lady



Vickie made a baby blanket for her coworker



Have a safe and happy weekend! 😊

**Riley looking like the cutest model for our Valentine's Day photoshoot. And I found Rascal chillin' by this sign on my bed.**



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