

WDGS~What Did God Say Ministry & Coaching

April 2025 Newsletter!

2025 Year Theme ~Restoration~ “Restoreth my Soul” Psalms 23:3



From the desk of **Alfreda Putman~WDGS CEO**

Tax preparation checklist

- Social security numbers
- Child care, education, adoption costs
- W-2 Forms
- Investment income forms
- Alimony information
- Social Security benefits
- Miscellaneous income
- Form 1098-E for student loan interest
- Form 1098 for home mortgage interest
- Charitable donations
- Medical and dental expenses
- Real estate taxes
- Last year's tax return
- Useful websites:**
- www.militaryonesource.com
- www.state.de.us/revenue
- www.irs.gov
- <http://militarydfas.mil/military.aspx>

MOST of the EXPERTS share 4 TAX TIPS

Although, there is a few extra days left to file this year taxes below are a few ways to save TIME & MONEY

1. **Choose Smart-** Not all tax preparation solutions are created equal, especially the free one. The most obvious Pro & Con. The Pro: of course no out of pocket cost. The Con: Many free tax preparers exclude providing the forms for more complex returns with itemized deductions, investment incomes, and capital gains and losses.
2. **Get Organized-**Put all of your W-2s and/or 1099 along with any other tax documents example: Annual Donations receipts in one place. Also having last year return handy for comparison can save time, especially e-filing.
3. **Double Check your Data-**The IRS rejects or audits many returns each year because of minor errors. Example: incorrect math, filing status, birth dates, social security numbers as they appear on your card and recent changes to names/last or addresses.
4. **E-file-** Nearly 80% of taxpayers e-file their Federal Tax returns. Unlike paper filers, you will receive information quicker, whether you are accepted or rejected, generally, within 48 to 72 hours. As a note with direct deposit, you can possibly receive your refund in as few as 8 to 10 days. However, remember if you OWE, there is now an option to pay later via credit card or debit card by setting up automatic scheduled withdrawals anytime before or on the 18th (due to Covid-19 please check with the IRS website for possible extensions after the 18th).



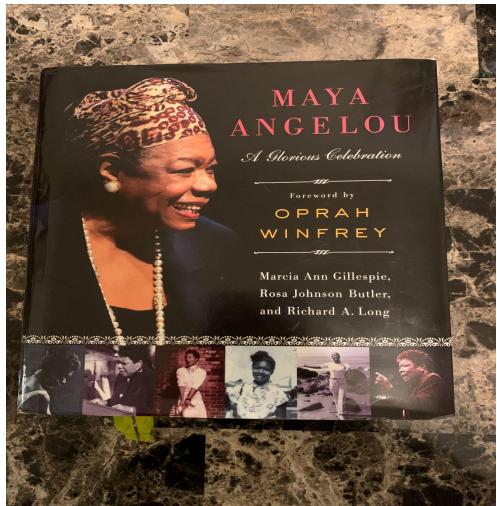
Department of the Treasury

Internal Revenue Service

*It's too costly to audit the rich,
so look out you working stiffs*

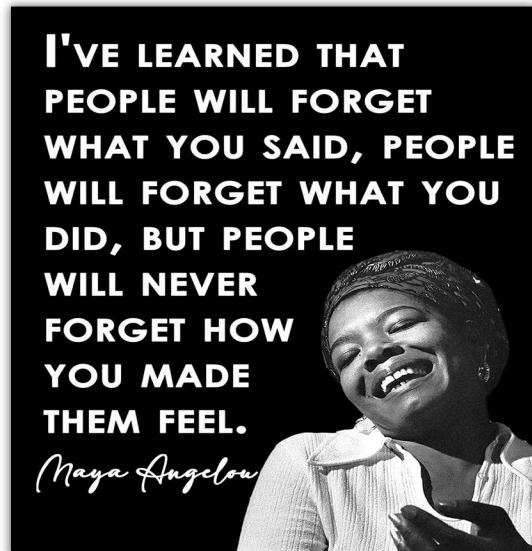
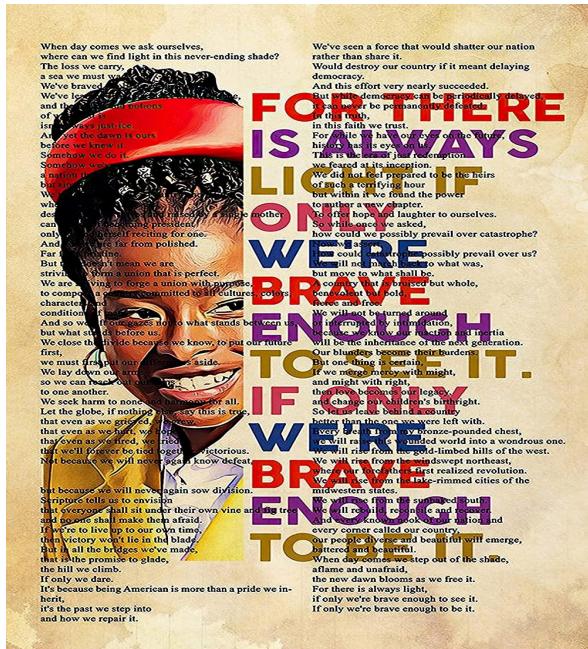
<http://www.irs.gov/>

April is National Poetry Month!



A Book Feature from my personal collection

2 of Author's Choice FAVORITE POETS: Old School & New School



HAPPY MONTH of APRIL 2025 showers of golden



U.S. NATIONAL HOLIDAYS

Good Friday? April 18, 2025

On Good Friday, Jesus Christ died on the cross. He died for us. But he only died in human form. He then arose from the dead on Easter Sunday morning to show us that there is life after death in heaven.

Easter Sunday April 20, 2025 and the Season of Lent?

The real meaning of Easter is the Resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. For Christians, Easter Sunday is the most special day of the year. Yes, the birth of Christ is quite important. But, his resurrection offers the hope of everlasting life to everyone! The season of Lent leading up to Easter Sunday is a time of fasting, sacrifice, and prayer. It is the Christian way of replicating in a small way what Christ sacrificed for us, both in his fasting and his final death on the cross.

The word "Easter" comes from the Saxon pagan festival, honoring the goddess "Easter" (also called Oestre). The goddess Easter's symbol is the rabbit.

Earth Day is always observed on April 22

U.S. Senator Gaylord Nelson, the "Father of Earth Day", initiated and promoted eco-friendly environmental actions and activities beginning in 1962. He convinced then President John F. Kennedy to tour the nation in support of environmental concerns. This initial effort did not spark national concern at a political level to effect change. But Senator Nelson continued his pursuit of increased environmental concern and action. He proposed a *National Earth Day* in 1970. It was to be the first nationwide environmental protest "to shake up the political establishment and force this issue onto the national agenda". On April 22, 1970, the timing was right and the first *Earth Day* protest received astounding support.

Planet Earth is our home. It's the only home we have. Therefore, it is imperative that we protect its health and the planet's resources in any and every way that we can.

Here are some ways that you can make a difference:

- First and foremost, do what you can to minimize and reverse global warming.
- Reduce your carbon footprint.
- Promote earth-friendly, carbon-free energy resources.
- Get involved with activities and organizations to help our environment.
- Be environmentally conscious.
- Reduce, reuse and recycle wherever possible. Home composting is a great way to start.

<https://www.holidayinsights.com/other/earthday.htm>



EASTER TREATS to EAT

What is the traditional Southern Style Easter dinner? Easter dinner is typically made up of ham, potatoes, vegetable side dishes such as corn, green beans or asparagus, and dinner rolls. Of course each of those dishes can vary greatly. For example, some have roast lamb or chicken instead of ham. Should you make scalloped potatoes or mashed potatoes?



Here's a twist, to finally add some bread with those boiled eggs 😊

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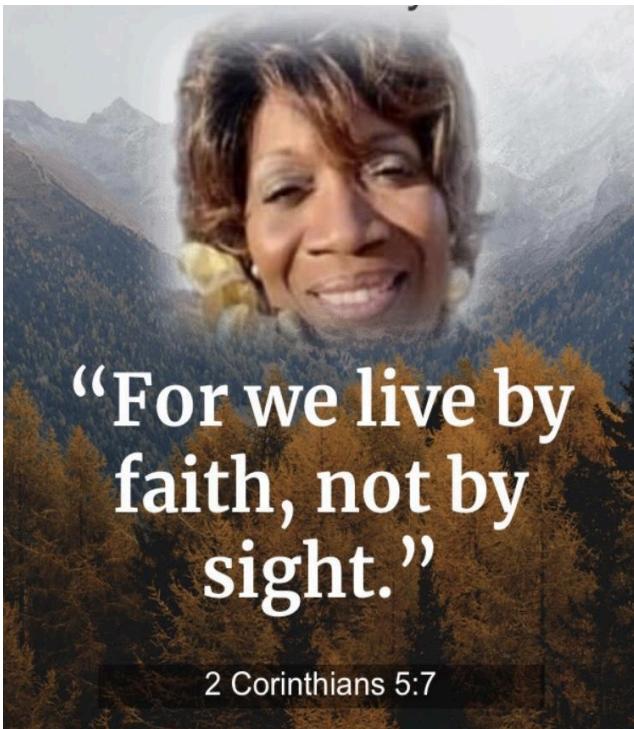


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