

## YOU KNOW YOU'RE LIVING IN 2004 WHEN . . .

1. You accidentally enter your password on the microwave.
2. You haven't played solitaire with real cards in years.
3. You have a list of 15 phone numbers to reach your family of 3.
4. You e-mail the person who works at the desk next to you.
5. Your reason for not staying in touch with friends is that they don't have e-mail addresses.
6. When you go home after a long day at work you still answer the phone in a business manner.
7. When you make phone calls from home, you accidentally dial "9 " to get an outside line.
8. You've sat at the same desk for four years and worked for three different companies.
10. You learn about your redundancy on the 11 o'clock News.
11. Your boss doesn't have the ability to do your job.
12. Contractors outnumber permanent staff and are more likely to get long-service awards.

### AND THE REAL CLINCHERS ARE...

13. You read this entire list, and kept nodding and smiling.
14. As you read this list, you think about forwarding it to your "friends."
15. You got this email from a friend that never talks to you anymore, except to send you jokes from the net.
16. You are too busy to notice there was no #9.
17. You actually went back up to check for #9.

**AND NOW YOU'RE LAUGHING AT YOURSELF!!**

## YOU KNOW YOU'RE LIVING IN 2024 WHEN . . .

- Ozone created by electric cars now killing millions in the seventh largest country in the world, California.
- White minorities still trying to have English recognized as California's third language.
- Baby conceived naturally... Scientists stumped.
- Couple petitions court to reinstate heterosexual marriage.
- Last remaining Fundamentalist Muslim dies in the American Territory of the Middle East (formerly known as Iran, Afghanistan, Syria, and Lebanon).
- Iraq still closed off; physicists estimate it will take at least ten more years before radioactivity decreases to safe levels.
- France pleads for global help after being overtaken by Jamaica.
- Castro finally dies at age 112; Cuban cigars can now be imported legally, but President
- Chelsea Clinton has banned all smoking.
- George Z. Bush says he will run for President in 2026
- Postal Service raises price of first class stamp to \$17.89 and reduces mail delivery to Wednesday only.
- Results of 35-year study indicate that Diet and Exercise is the key to weight loss.
- Average weight of Americans drops to 250 lbs.
- Massachusetts executes last remaining conservative
- Supreme Court rules punishment of criminals violates their civil rights.
- Average height of NBA players now nine feet, seven inches.
- New federal law requires that all nail clippers, screwdrivers, fly swatters, and rolled up newspapers must be registered as weapons by January 2026.
- Congress authorizes direct deposit of illegal political contributions to campaign accounts. IRS sets lowest tax rate at 75%.
- Florida Democrats still don't know how to use a Voting Machine.