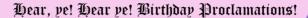
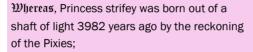
# The Birthday Newsletter of the Princess strifey

### On this day, March 6th:

- 1836 After a thirteen day siege, the Alamo is captured by Mexican troops.
- 1951 The trial of Ethel and Julius Rosenberg begins.
- 1987 The British ferry MS Herald of Free Enterprise capsizes in about 90 seconds killing 193.
- 1992 Michelangelo computer virus begins to affect computers.





Whereas, Princess strifey grew to be the most beautiful in the Realm of the Pixies:

Whereas, in the Sundering Wars of the Care Bears, the Princess strifey did strike down the fearsome Tenderheart and Funshine:

Whereas, contacted by special beings, the Princess strifey did strive to send a metal plate out into space to save us all;

Whereas, the Princess strifey overcame the ghastly thoughts sent out by the talking plant to speak out against the horror that lurks in the ruins:

Whereas, upon non-publication of his newsletter, Princess strifey set about not publishing his Fact-of-the-Day;

Dow therefore, I, The Royal Princess Buttercup do hereby proclaim March 6, 2011

### Princess strifey's birthday

in the Great Kingdom of the Unicorns and call upon all citizens of this magnificent realm to join with me in recognize that Princess strifey's birthday is a local, regional, national and international holiday that demands our attention, time, energy and celebration.

All persons with knowledge of this day's significance shall be encouraged to commemorate the occasion by making out with strangers, preferably brunettes.



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### The 2011 Unfiction Award Winners

# **Most Like Bing Crosby:**

negativeview

### **Ethical Beaver Award:**

SuperguyA1

### squid808's Soda Pop Fizzer **Most Likely To Secretly Be Having An Affair Award:**

Siege88 and Rowan

### **Sexiest Beast Male:**

Wee Gregoryn for his incredible Number of People Impregnated against All Odds ratio

### **Sexiest Beast Female:**

Rowan for her continuing sweep of RoboMen

The coveted Hungry Hungry **Hippos Where Art Thou Award:** tanner

### Woman who is currently secretly preggers:

### OH GOD NOT THE KNIFE:

Crispy

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### The Rapture Is Coming!

The Rapture is happening May 21st. The following people will be Raptured.

- People who have had babies,
- People with dogs,
- Mimes.
- Eggo Waffle Factory Workers,
- Polo players (The water version, not the horse),

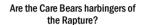
- Anyone who thinks that black licorice tastes good,
- Anyone who gardens,
- Cat Cora.

### Additionally:

- Lovek's soul will be switched with Crispy's.
- · Siege88 will not be raptured, however he will end up in Newark.

People being Raptured will not be going to heaven. They simply disappear. Please make your plans accordingly, and remember to beware the Ides of March.





The Rapture is coming

### **Book Review -- Scott Smith's The Ruins**

"You never think how different you would be if you didn't have a mortal enemy?"

The Ruins by Scott Smith is an exceptional book. It's a fascinating study of human nature under unbelievably overwhelming trauma. The characters felt real and their actions realistic. This is a very solid, tightly plotted, flawlessly written, extraordinary read that grabbed me from the get-go

Unlike lesser horror books, this is not simply a prolonged gore-fest; we see how each of the characters develops and tries to cope with the increasingly desperate situation. Starting slow and quiet, the pieces of the puzzle begin to form, then coalesce, and when it all comes together and you realize what's happening, it will blow you away.

When a group of college students vacationing in Cancun venture out to the countryside to search for a missing person, they are launched down a path that will lead them to The Ru-

I never thought I could laugh, roll my eyes, and yet be terrified at the same time, but The Ruins taught me otherwise. I highly recommend this book to anyone who is willing to appreciate serious literature.

## **Bake Your Own Pretty Pink Pony Cake!**

- \* 2 baked pony dome cakes
- \* 2 cups pink pony frosting
- \* Edible pink pony glitter
- \* Pink pony sour tape
- \* 3 mini chocolate/caramel pony droppings
- \* Good & Plenty pony bits
- \* Black and red ponystring
- 1. Place one dome cake rounded 3. Complete the pony with eye, pieces for ears & snout and arrange.
- 2. Ice the entire cake with frosting, then dust it with glitter. Curl tape by wrapping around a wooden spoon handle. Arrange them in place to create a flowing mane.
- side up. Cut the other into 3 nostrils, ear lining, eyelashes, mouth, and eyelid.

Tips: This fanciful pony is sprinkled with a little magic -- a dusting of pixie dust. Although we used real ponies in the mix, you may wish to use imitation if you are vegan.





### A Poem -- by The ARGFest Bride



A fly riding a mousealope

Yesterday as I walked in my house
I saw a fly that was riding a mouse
His eyes were green and his wings were blue around and around I watched as he flew
He flew to the window and sat on the sill
I asked him his name and he said it was Bill
Again he took off and flew to my

He said to me I'm looking for
Ted
I said I haven't seen him in
about a week
Maybe he's looking for a place
to eat
The pile of dog shit on South
Forty Third
Or the vomit expelled from eating that curd
Either is exquisite to the taste of
a maggot
Better go quick, for nearby lives

Bill cried to me I can't take no more

And out he flew right threw my door

Was it the drugs or just a dream
I went to my room and let out a scream

Now this is the end of the story you hear
I think I'll go now and open a beer.

### **Horoscopes by @strifeyisms**

**Aries**: Use the mirror from the **Leo**: kaboddle, and you're set.

**Taurus:** If you poo in a toilet, it leaves you forever. If you poo on a wall, it stays with you till fall.

**Gemini:** Just marry the first chick that gives you a homemade pillow.

**Cancer:** Once you go granny, you feel slightly dirty.

**.eo:** Ambien: It steals your thoughts.

bed

Virgo: DONT DRINK THE WARTER!

**Libra:** Rule #1: Only lie to pretty women and spice girls. Rule #3: "Fun Size" is anything but.

**Scorpio:** How to tell if a girl loves you? When you pee, she doesn't run.

**Ophiuchus:** Toilet bowl brushes don't clean teeth well.

a parrot.

Sagittarius: THE END IS NEIGH!

**Capricorn:** Sometimes a nilla wafer is just death in disguise.

Aquarius: Today's secret ingredi-

ent is BEER.

Pisces: Babies are the most

common std.

"My mind kinda goes whir whir click"





# UNICORN COLLAGE BY THFFANY



### The Truth About strifey — An Exposé by Eric Miller

strifey, on this particular 29th birthday (what is this, your 7th reincarnation?), I'd just like to wish you all the best and tell you how much I appreciate your friendship over the last few years.

But on to more pressing matters. The strifey we all know and love has been hiding something, and I don't know how I didn't recognize this before. I'm astounded that with all of the brilliance of Unfiction, and our longstanding relationship with strifey, and our combined hive-mind powers of deduction and knowledge of all things, that we never realized before that strifey is none other than Carlos Irwin Estevez.

I did some research when I noticed the first of many obvious facts we overlooked: strifey and Charlie Sheen have never been seen in the same place at the same time.

Think about it: "Hot Shots!" ? strifey was nowhere to be seen. Award winning Long Island software developer? I don't even think Chuck was nominated (though strifey was a winner).

I was recently given access to strifey's medical records, and was startled to find the following information: Name: strifey
AKA: "Wild Thing"
DOB: 3/6/1982

Place of Birth: Unknown

**Blood type:** Tiger

**Known addictions:** Winning, himself **Notable characteristics:** Brash, imaginative, loud, easily mistaken for an F-18 which could destroy you in the air and deploy his ordinance to the ground

strifey is a wonderful person, and I hope he sees very many more birthdays, and that he will continue to imagine us all as he has in the past. Two and a half cheers for strifey! Hip-hip-hooray! Hip-hiphooray! Hip-hip!

### Which Is Your Favorite? Blond, Brunette or Red Head?



Scarlett Johansson



**Evangeline Lilly** 



Karen Gillan



Tricia Helfer



Sofia Vergara



Christina Hendricks

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### Movie Review -- M. Night Shyamalan's The Happening

The projects of M. Night Shyamalan, are often deeply affecting, and this entry is just as strongly made as his previous efforts like The Village or Unbreakable.

The Fincher-style opening titles float amidst the clouds in a slowly darkening sky. For Shyamalan's first R-rated film, the world of the film is awfully bright. This is one of many smart choices.

Portraying moments of drama and danger with a Hitchcockian lack of ceremony, Shyamalan's mundane depictions of tragedy create a quiet but weighty resonance. This evenhandedness is in palpable contrast to the more

melodramatic turns taken by the plot later down the line. While moments of The Happening feel like they are more epic apocalyptic movies like War of the Worlds, the unrestrained tendencies of such stylistics are wisely contained in the service of smaller, more personal catharsis. Take. for example, the side story of Alma's "tiramisu date." When she finally tells Elliot about her nondate, he's hurt. Her reaction is priceless. The magnitude of the exchange is deep. Terse bits like that stand in counterpoint to scenes like Julian's departure, during which he tells Alma not to take his daughter "unless she

means it." (And to each actor goes his moment in the sun.)

Though the film features plenty of running and bloodshed, the gravity of the situation is light. In tandem to the buoyant tone, Shyamalan's childlike obsession with ghosts seems to wane in its import here, while his attachments to haunting remain strong. It's as if to suggest he lets stories stand in for the less physical threats of our previous evildoings. Perhaps, he's suggesting, this is what we'll have left, or perhaps, this is all we have now.