

*Scam of the Week*TM

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Joke of the WeekTM - One particular Christmas season a long time ago, Santa was getting ready for his annual trip, but there were problems everywhere. Four of his elves got sick, and the trainee elves did not produce the toys as fast as the regular ones so Santa was beginning to feel the pressure of being behind schedule. Then Mrs. Claus told Santa that her mom was coming to visit. This stressed Santa even more.

When he went to harness the reindeer, he found that three of them were about to give birth and two had jumped the fence and were out, heaven knows where. More stress.

Then when he began to load the sleigh one of the boards cracked, and the toy bag fell to the ground and scattered the toys. So, frustrated, Santa went into the house for a cup of apple cider and a shot of rum. . . . visit [*The Reverend*](#)

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[Austin IQ Test](#) - [Jorge's](#) along with [Mr. Gatti's](#) and [Wendy's](#) on MLK are gone.

Scam of the WeekTM - [Sooner Gift Guide](#) on [Fox](#).

Football - Congratulations to Oklahoma as co-Champion of the Big 12 and the Cotton Bowl against Johnny Football who will win the Heisman trophy tomorrow night. Oklahoma will have played all three Heisman finalists and hopefully not lose to all.

The BCS Championship according to *The Reverend Tony*TM final

rankings of

	Conference	Points	Champion
1	SEC (6)	46,879	Alabama
2	PAC 12 (4)	23,892	Stanford
3	Big 12 (3)	16,247	Kansas State
4	Independent (1)	9,978	Notre Dame
5	ACC (2)	9,704	Florida State
6	Big 10 (3)	5,801	Wisconsin
7	Mid America (2)	4,043	Northern Illinois
8	WAC (2)	3,113	Utah State
9	Mountain West (1)	2,513	Boise State
10	Big East (1)	1,808	Louisville
11	C-USA	0	Tulsa

results in this Great Eight

SUGAR BOWL

- (1) SEC - Alabama
v
- (8) WAC - Utah State

ROSE BOWL

- (2) PAC 12 - Stanford
v
- (7) MAC - Northern Illinois

FIESTA BOWL

- (4) Independent - Notre Dame
v
- (5) ACC - Florida State

ORANGE BOWL

- (3) Big 12 - Kansas State
v
- (6) Big 10 - Wisconsin

If the highest ranked team wins each Bowl then the Final Four would be Alabama v Notre Dame and Stanford v Kansas State but at least one of the four bowls will feature an upset.

Fútbol - Arsenal host West Brom who sit five as in 5 places ahead of Arsenal in the league table but Arsenal made the final 16 of Champions League and €30M unlike Manchester City and Chelsea, the first trophy holding team to

fail to qualify for the knock-out round. From the Emirates, 9:00 am cst Saturday online only.

Password tonight is [Take Five](#).

Peace, love and margaritas, I remain The Reverend Tony™.

Polyticks - Watch Texas government get small with [every Bill filed for the upcoming session](#) such as [HB 161](#) by [Larson](#) “relating to drug testing of certain persons seeking financial assistance benefits” which would include Formula One?

[Light, sweet crude](#) settled at \$86.53 down 1.8%, as natural gas steadies at \$3.66 as does the [Euro](#) at \$1.2905.

[4 dead last week](#) in The War Without End, Amen™. 296 for the year and counting.

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