

A Humorous Moment: The Difference 40 Years Has Made

The following is a humorous look at some of the changes today's baby boomers and older adults may have experienced over the 40 years between 1965 and 2005. Enjoy!

1965: Long hair

2005: Longing for hair

1965: KEG

2005: EKG

1965: Acid rock

2005: Acid reflux

1965: Moving to California because it's cool

2005: Moving to California because it's warm

1965: Trying to look like Liz Taylor

2005: Trying NOT to look like Liz Taylor

1965: Seeds and stems

2005: Roughage

1965: Hoping for a BMW

2005: Hoping for a BM

1965: The Grateful Dead

2005: Dr. Kevorkian

1965: Going to a new, hip joint

2005: Receiving a new hip joint

1965: Rolling Stones

2005: Kidney Stones

1965: Passing the drivers' test

2005: Passing the vision test

Just in case you weren't feeling too old today, this will certainly change

things.

The people who were starting college in 2005 across the nation were born in 1987. They are too young to remember the space shuttle blowing up.

Their lifetime has always included AIDS.

Their bottle caps have always been screw off and plastic.

The CD was introduced the year they were born.

They have always had an answering machine.

They have always had cable.

They cannot fathom not having a remote control.

Jay Leno has always been on the Tonight Show.

Popcorn has always been cooked in the microwave.

They never took a swim and thought about Jaws.

They can't imagine what hard contact lenses are.

They don't know who Mork was or where he was from.

They never heard: 'Where's the Beef?', 'I'd walk a mile for a Camel', or 'de plane Boss, de plane'.

They do not care who shot J. R. and have no idea who J. R. even is.

McDonald's never came in Styrofoam containers.

They don't have a clue how to use a typewriter.

Do you feel old yet? Sorry. Pass this on to the other old fogies on your list. Notice the larger type, that's for those of you who have trouble reading.

Oh and remember:

'Save the earth. It's the only planet with chocolate.'