

# Golden Rules

*Measuring Life by a Different Standard*

**Second Quarter 2013**

Last Quarter, we noted that B+R Partners celebrated its' Tenth Anniversary, and to commemorate this milestone, we decided to walk down memory lane for all four editions in 2013. We have continued to scour our past musings to republish our favorite words of wit – as we continue to *Measure Life by a Different Standard*. Here are some of the thoughts from 2004-2006.

- Our government has proven that if you rob Peter to pay Paul, you will always have Paul's support.
- Democrats buy most of the books that have been banned somewhere. Republicans form censorship committees and read them as a group.
- Let us endeavor so to live that when we come to die, even the undertaker will be sorry.
- A caller dialed to a help desk asking what hours the call center was open. The agent politely responded, *the number you dialed is open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week*. To this, the caller questioned, *is that Eastern or Pacific time?*
- How is it that we put man on the moon before we figured out it would be a good idea to put wheels on luggage?
- Why is it that our children can't read a Bible in school, but they can in prison?
- If money doesn't grow on trees, then why do banks have branches?
- People who gripe about their church should realize that if it was perfect, they couldn't belong.
- When I am abroad, I always make it a rule never to criticize or attack the government of my own country. I make up for lost time when I come home.
- Life is not measured by the number of breaths we take, but by the moments that take our breath away.



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