

Golden Rules

Measuring Life by a Different Standard

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The world was shocked last month with the outcome of the Brexit vote – where the citizens of the UK voted to leave the European Union. The social and financial repercussions will be felt for a generation, as many nations are starting to determine the ultimate fate of the EU, and countries such as Scotland and Ireland begin their own debate as to whether or not to continue to be a part of the UK!

It's crazy times in which we live. The British have seemingly decided to *Measure Life by a Different Standard* -- so in recognition for their decision, we have decided to share some of our favorite quotes, some funny, that have come from the other side of the Atlantic.

- *I spent 90% of my money on women and drink. The rest I wasted* - George Best
- *Live each day as if it were your last...because one day, you'll be right!* - Benny Hill
- *Did you know you're ten times more likely to get mugged in London than New York City? That's because you don't live in New York City* - Jimmy Carr
- *On Valentine's Day, you have to come up with mushy sayings every year. Last week I just wrote, 'I still love you -- see last year's card for full details.'* - Michael McIntyre
- *My greatest hero is Nelson Mandela. What a man. Incarcerated for 25 years, he was released in 1990 and he hasn't reoffended. I think he's going straight, which shows you prison does work.* - Ricky Gervais
- *I am ready to meet my Maker. Whether my Maker is prepared for the great ordeal of meeting me is another matter.* - Winston Churchill
- British insult: *The volume of the knowledge which you do not possess makes the Atlantic Ocean look like an above ground kiddie pool.*
Larry the cable guy saying the same thing: **YOU'RE AN IDGIT!**
- *A hotel mini-bar allows you to see into the future and find out what a can of Pepsi will cost in 2020.* - Rich Hall
- *I saw a poster for Mission Impossible III the other day. I thought to myself - Is it really impossible if he's already done it twice.* - Mark Watson
- *I said to my girlfriend on Saturday: 'How would you like to go shopping with the girls, get some new shoes, get your hair done in a different style and then go out for a couple of bottles of Chardonnay?' She said: 'That sounds brilliant.' I said: 'Good - because we're breaking up.'* - Jimmy Carr



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