

For the week of:

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*On This Day...*



**MONDAY 8/31**

Beloved by not only her home country but the world, *Princess Diana's* death in the fatal car crash of 1997 left everyone grieving such an unexpected and tragic loss.

**TUESDAY 9/1**

*The treasure hunt begins!* The *Titanic's* remains, sunk by an iceberg in 1912, were discovered in the North Atlantic more than two miles below the ocean's surface in 1985.

**WEDNESDAY 9/2**

Whether used as a dairy-free option, a candle scent, or mosquito repellent, coconuts are a highly versatile plant. On *World Coconut Day*, try something new with this superfruit.

**THURSDAY 9/3**

*Officially a free nation!* In 1783, the *Treaty of Paris* was signed which ended the American Revolution and signified the independence of the 13 original colonies from Britain.

**FRIDAY 9/4**

You may not be able to go on a safari this year, however, on *National Wildlife Day* why not consider visiting a drive-thru zoo or googling new facts about your favorite animal!

**DID YOU KNOW?**

- **Smokey the Bear** isn't just a fictional cartoon for forest fire prevention. The real-life Smokey was an orphaned cub who was actually saved from a forest fire in New Mexico's Capitan Mountains in 1950.
- **El Capitan** is one of the most impressive natural features of Yosemite National Park, towering over 3,000 feet above the valley floor.
- In 2017 climber **Alex Honnold** completed the first-ever free solo climb of El Capitan's vertical face without the aid of safety equipment.
- **The National Park Service** protects over 84 million acres of wild landscapes and historic sites.

**IN OTHER WORDS...**

"Families with multiple generations still living have a treasure trove of memories from which to draw."

— **Jim Daly**

"As a parent there's a desperate need to be consistent. But as a grandparent, there's a need to be consistent in your priorities, in your love for Christ and faithfulness [to Him], because those little eyes are watching."

— **John MacArthur**

\*Grandparents Day Tool Kit Quotes

**Weekly Verse**

"We give thanks to God always for all of you, constantly mentioning you in our prayers, remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labor of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. For we know, brothers loved by God, that he has chosen you, because our gospel came to you not only in word, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction."

— **1 Thessalonians 1:2-5**

**Life Issues Special:**

While not elected to office, the nine members of The Supreme Court of the United States (SCOTUS) are pivotal to issues of *life*. In a timely new special from *Life Issues*, **Brad Mattes** is joined by several guests who provide a "grass roots" understanding of this important matter. Check our website for full details on "Court is in Session: *Life Hangs in the Balance*"!

