

For the week of:
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Get the low-down from a high-up perspective!

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MONDAY 4/3

The **first Pony Express mail**, departed simultaneously from St. Joseph, Missouri, and Sacramento, California, on April 3, 1860. Ten days later the westbound rider arrived in Sacramento after traveling over 1,800 miles. One of the most notable riders was William "Buffalo Bill" Cody, who signed on at age 14.

TUESDAY 4/4

When most Americans were still using typewriters, **Bill Gates and Paul Allen founded Microsoft in 1975, paving the way for new technology**. Microsoft rose to the top as the largest provider of personal computer software in just a decade. Soon after, Bill Gates became the world's youngest billionaire at 31 years old.

WEDNESDAY 4/5

The history of caramel can be traced back several centuries to the Arabs. Back then, sugar was crystallized using hot water to produce a hard, crunchy candy. Caramel spread to Europe over time, changing into new forms and additions, and eventually becoming one of the most well-liked treats worldwide.

THURSDAY 4/6

The Twinkie was created in 1930 when a manager at an Illinois bakery noticed that the machinery used to make the company's strawberry shortcakes lay idle during strawberry season. He then had the bright idea to fill the spongy yellow cakes with a light, airy white cream filling. It's commonly believed that Twinkies can survive years, or even nuclear wars, however, their true shelf life is only 45 days.

FRIDAY 4/7

"But God demonstrates His own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us." (Romans 5:8) **Today we remember Jesus' sacrifice on the cross leading to His resurrection, our salvation and His victory over sin and death.**

DID YOU KNOW?

- The riders for the first Pony Express were paid approximately \$25 a week and carried upwards of 20 pounds of mail.
- Anyone who works for Microsoft is referred to as a 'Softie.'
- The Hershey Company, first produced sweet chocolate as a coating for the Lancaster Caramel Company before creating the iconic Hershey's Milk Chocolate bar.
- The cream inside Twinkies was originally banana flavored. When the government rationed bananas during WWII, Hostess changed the flavor to vanilla.
- In Orthodox and Eastern Catholic Churches, eggs are dyed red to represent the blood of Jesus, before being blessed and distributed to congregants.

... And the Latest from Ambassador

You are invited to join **Core Christianity** host **Adriel Sanchez**, along with Sola Media president Mark Green and executive producer Aaron Simon for a "Meet and Greet" at **NRB 2023** in Orlando, Florida. Enjoy refreshments and fellowship with the Core Christianity team.

Core Christianity Meet and Greet
Tuesday, May 23rd
10:30-Noon
Ambassador's Parlor Suite

RSVP to Charley@ambaa.com if you're planning to join!

Finally, be strong in the Lord and in His mighty power. Put on the full armor of God, so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes.

Ephesians 6:10-11 (NIV)