

## **FAMILY REUNION**

I remember the week-end we were in Virginia for the annual family reunion. We arrived at the motel late Friday afternoon. After checking in, we took a quick nap that turned out to be four hours. When we awakened, we were hungry and ready for a good supper. Being away from home, we did not think we would run into anyone we knew so we decided not to dress up in our Sunday clothes. We had a delicious meal of steak, potatoes and tossed salad, and then we were ready for a walk. As we were walking out the door, who do we run in to but our cousins from Texas. They, too, had thought they would not meet anyone they knew so they did not dress up. We all laughed and then went our separate ways.

During the luncheon Saturday, we continued to converse with the Texas cousins about last night and had a real good time. After lunch and the program, we returned to the motel in time to watch the Kentucky Derby. Then supper and back to the motel to pack our bags for the return trip home Sunday morning.

Daddy had fallen asleep around 10:30 P.M. but during the local news and commercials, Mother and I saw where "Sister Act" was going to be shown at the end of the news. Since we had not seen the movie, Mother and I decided to sit up and watch it. We thoroughly enjoyed the movie but it was not over until 1:00 A.M. We had not anticipated the movie being that long. Daddy awakened bright and early Sunday morning, and after getting dressed he awakened Mother and then me. We both said to leave us alone but he kept after us until we finally got up. After we explained to him what we had done the night before, he said it was our own fault and he had no sympathy for us. He then turned to me and winked!

We had breakfast, checked out, and then headed to Tennessee. I drove all the way while Mother slept and Daddy navigated from the back seat. Once home and unpacked, I turned on the television. After I saw a commercial, I called home to tell Mother to be sure to turn on the television at 9:00 P.M. Yes, it was the movie "Sister Act."