



# THE MAD MACHINE

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**NEVER BEFORE IN OUR  
MODERN TIMES HAVE  
PRESSURES HIT INDIVIDUALS  
LIKE NOW! ...**

**WILL THEY GET BETTER?**

**ARE YOU KIDDING?**

**YOU DIDN'T HAVE  
TO ANSWER LIKE  
THAT!**



**NOW I'LL HAVE TO  
TAKE ANOTHER  
TRANQUILIZER!**

I'VE HAD IT!... EVERYTHING IS CAVING IN  
ON ME... I'M GOING TO SEE MY SHRINK!

YOU CAN'T!... HE'S  
SEEING HIS  
SHRINK TODAY!



THE SPIRIT OF FEAR AND UNCERTAINTY IS SPREADING EVERYWHERE.

THE AVERAGE THINKING MAN IS WORRIED, CONFUSED AND SECRETLY FRIGHTENED AND SO HE RELIES ON THE EXPERTS TO MAKE DECISIONS.

THE ONLY WAY TO STOP INFLATION  
IS CUT TAXES!



THE SOLUTION IS SIMPLE...  
INCREASE TAXES AND  
INFLATION WILL STOP!



COULD IT BE THE EXPERTS HAVE THE SAME PROBLEMS?

# PEOPLE NEED SOMETHING TO HANG ON TO...

MY DOCTOR IS THE ONE  
WHO KEPT ME GOING...



HE TREATED MY LIVER  
CONDITION FOR 15 YEARS.  
YESTERDAY I FOUND OUT  
I HAVE TWO ULCERS AND  
A *PERFECT* LIVER...  
COULD HE HAVE MADE  
A MISTAKE ?

IN TIMES LIKE THESE,  
THE *ONLY* ANSWER  
TO OUR PROBLEMS...



... IS BLACK STRAP  
MOLASSES!

GOLD AND SILVER COINS  
ARE YOUR *ONLY* SECURITY!



THEY WERE MINE UNTIL  
I WAS ROBBED!

WHERE'S THE REAL ANSWER?

# NEW MARRIAGE PROBLEMS ARE PLAGUING THE HOME.

IN SOME PLACES, ONE IN TWO  
MARRIAGES END IN DIVORCE.

I'M HAPPY TO SAY WE DON'T  
HAVE THAT PROBLEM.



MY HUSBAND RAN OFF WITH  
SOMEONE ELSE !

THAT'S  
TERRIBLE...  
WHO IS  
SHE ?

IT WASN'T A "SHE"... IT WAS  
A "HE"!

EVEN THE WORLD OF FINANCE IS UNSTABLE.

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# VON KOFFENHEIM

I DON'T KNOW WHICH WAY TO TURN.  
THINGS ARE IN SUCH A MESS!



WHY DON'T YOU GO  
SEE VON KOFFENHEIMER?



EXPERTS PREDICT A WORLD-WIDE DEPRESSION.

# SOBERSIDES SANITARIUM

LOOK AT IT THIS WAY, DAD...  
THEY GUARANTEE TO CURE  
ANY ALCOHOL PROBLEM.



YOU'LL LIKE IT HERE, MR. SMITH!

OH...I'M NOT  
THE PATIENT...

MY SON IS!

IT'S BEEN REPORTED THAT ALCOHOLISM IS NOW HITTING  
DOWN TO THE NINE THROUGH TWELVE YEAR OLDS.

# MASSIVE ARMS RACE CONTINUES.

THE LAST THING WE WANT IS  
A FIGHT!



EVEN IF IT MEANS GOING  
TO WAR TO GET IT!



CRIME IS AN INCREASING PROBLEM.

FOR THIS HORRIBLE CRIME...I  
SENTENCE YOU TO 75 YEARS OF  
HARD LABOR!



SIX MONTHS LATER.

REMEMBER THAT KILLER YOUR  
TESTIMONY PUT AWAY FOR 75  
YEARS?

UH...YES!

HE'S JUST BEEN PAROLED....WE  
HAVE A BODYGUARD SERVICE....  
ARE YOU INTERESTED?

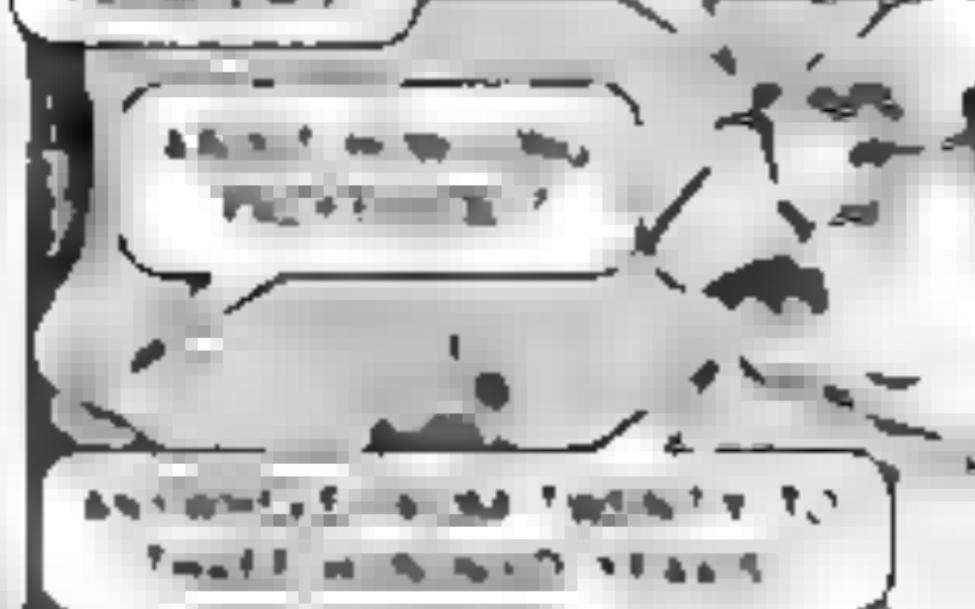
DOES CRIME REALLY PAY?...CHECK WITH THE MAFIA.

## WHAT ABOUT THE GREAT GOD MAMLUK?

PERHAPS HE WAS A FOLLY  
A DREAM OF THE PAST  
PERHAPS A DREAM OF THE FUTURE  
BUT IT IS A DREAM



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QUESTIONS TO THINK THAT YOU MIGHT ASK

**IT SEEMS PEOPLE CAN'T STAND THIS RAT RACE...  
THE THREAT OF WAR...SKYROCKETING PRICES  
ALONG WITH MASSIVE FAMINES ON THE HORIZON,  
JUST BECOMES TOO MUCH FOR MANY PEOPLE.**

THIS LITTLE MOTHER IS  
ABOUT TO CRACK UP.

THEY GAVE ME MY TWO WEEKS  
NOTICE!

CAN'T YOU PAY  
YOUR BILLS?

MAMA HE'S HITTING ME.

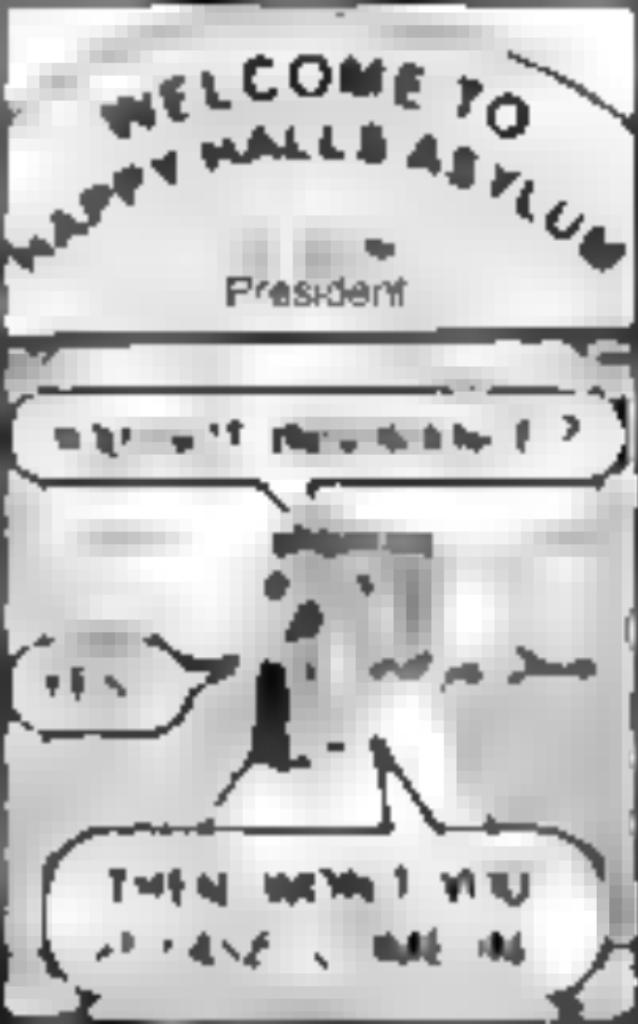
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IT'S ALL OVER! I'M GOING  
BANANAS!

HELP  
ME  
SOMEBODY!

WAHAAA!

WHERE DOES SHE GET HELP?  
THIS TRAGEDY IS VERY COMMON.  
HOW DOES SOCIETY HANDLE IT?



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THESE TWO PAGES OF COMPASSION IN THE MESSAGES  
SHOULD BE TAKEN AS A CALL TO ACTION

DR HYDE I DID A HORRIBLE  
THING! HOW DO I GET IT OUT  
OF MY MIND? THIS SIN IS  
EATING ME UP!

COME, COME  
SIN IS OUTMODED!



THE SOLUTION IS SIMPLE BLAME  
IT ON YOUR MOTHER!

WHERE'S DR HYDE? HE'S LATE!



MY.. WHAT A STRANGE  
ENDING FOR THE HAPPY  
HALLS NO. 1 PROBLEM  
SOLVER. HUMMMMMI

Let's start by defining what we mean  
by **classical** and **modern** music.

Classical music is often referred to as "art music". It is usually composed by a single person, and it is often performed by a single person or a small group of people. It is typically written down on musical notation, and it is often performed on a piano or a violin.



Modern music is often referred to as "pop music". It is usually composed by a group of people, and it is often performed by a large group of people. It is typically recorded on a digital audio workstation, and it is often performed on a synthesizer or a drum machine.



GOD HAS MADE MANY GREAT PROMISES TO ME AND HE CAN'T TELL A LIE.

WHEN I RECEIVED JESUS AS MY LORD I BECAME GOD'S PROPERTY



EXCUSE ME, BUT THAT DOES SOUND A LITTLE FOOLISH !

THE BIBLE SAYS \* THE PREACHING OF THE CROSS IS TO THEM THAT PERISH FOOLISHNESS.



DO YOU REALLY THINK THIS JESUS CAN HELP YOU ?

LET ME SHARE WHAT HE'S DONE!

JESUS IS GOD ALMIGHTY! . . .

- HE \*CREATED THE UN-VERSE AND EVERYTHING IN THIS WORLD!
- IN THE OLD TESTAMENT <sup>\*\*</sup>HE FED BETWEEN TWO AND THREE MILLION JEWS FOR FORTY YEARS IN THE DESERT
- IN THE NEW TESTAMENT HE FED THE 5000 WITH 5 LOAVES OF BREAD AND 2 FISHES. HE HEALED THE PEOPLE WITH LEPROSY. HE SPOKE TO A STORM AND IT STOPPED...OH, YES, I THINK HE CAN TAKE CARE OF ME!



THE BIG PROBLEM WAS HOW TO GET SOMEONE AS WICKED AS US  
INTO HEAVEN!

SO IT WAS DECIDED THAT GOD THE SON WOULD LEAVE HEAVEN AND BE  
BORN A MAN...\*WITHOUT SIN!



I DIDN'T KNOW THAT!

AND SO THE GREATEST SINGLE ACT OF LOVE THAT THE WORLD  
HAS EVER SEEN TOOK PLACE!

WHEN GOD ALMIGHTY POURED OUT  
HIS BLOOD FOR YOUR SINS. Rev. 1:5-6



"For God so loved the world,  
that he gave his only begotten  
Son, that whosoever believeth in  
him should not perish, but have  
everlasting life." John 3:16

JESUS IS YOUR ONLY HOPE...  
HE'S THE ONLY WAY  
TO HEAVEN. Col. 1:27

BUT... THERE MUST  
BE SOME OTHER  
WAY!



Nope! Jesus said... "I am the way, the  
truth, and the life; no man cometh  
unto the Father, but by me." John 14:6

MY GUILT FEELINGS ARE GONE WITH  
MY SINS..."GOD PROMISES NEVER TO  
REMEMBER THEM AGAIN.



I HAVE ETERNAL LIFE AND WILL  
REIGN WITH CHRIST THROUGHOUT  
ETERNITY...NOW, I CALL THAT....  
REAL GOOD THERAPY !

YOU CAN'T MAKE IT BY YOURSELF  
...THE WORLD IS GOING MAD.

JESUS SAID TO THOSE WHO LOVE HIM...

\* "Come unto me, all ye that labor and are  
heavy laden, and I will give you rest".  
Matt. 11:28

\* "I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee."  
Heb. 13:5

\* "... I am with you always, even unto the end of  
the world. Amen." Matt. 28:20

\* "Let not your heart be troubled; ye believe in  
God, believe also in me. In my Father's house  
are many mansions; if it were not so, I would  
have told you. I go to prepare a place for you.  
And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will  
come again, and receive you unto myself, that  
where I am, there ye may be also." John 14:1-3

# THE BIBLE SAYS THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY TO HEAVEN!

Jesus said, "I am the way, the truth, and the life; no man cometh unto the Father, but by me." John 14:6

## NOBODY ELSE CAN SAVE YOU. TRUST JESUS TODAY!

"That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved." Rom. 10:9

1. Admit you are a sinner. See Romans 3:10
2. Be willing to turn from sin (repent). See Acts 17:30
3. Believe that Jesus Christ died for you, was buried and rose from the dead. See Rom. 10:9-10
4. Through prayer, invite Jesus into your heart to become your personal Saviour. See Rom. 10:13

## WHAT TO PRAY

Dear God, I am a sinner and need forgiveness. I believe that Jesus Christ shed His precious blood and died for my sin. I am willing to turn from sin. I now invite Christ to come into my heart as my personal Saviour.

If you trusted Jesus as your Saviour, you have just begun a wonderful new life with Him. Now:

1. Read your Bible (KJV) every day to get to know Jesus Christ better.
2. Talk to God in prayer every day.
3. Be baptized, worship, fellowship, and serve with other Christians in a church where Christ is preached and the Bible is the final authority.
4. Tell others about Jesus Christ.

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