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Could I be the only person left of my generation who is not presently on antidepressants?

I'm not really fat; I just have a slight redistribution problem.

I must say I enjoyed the 20th century much better than this one so far.

I voted for McGovern...and that was in the last election.

"Souls don't mate, *samskaras* do" —Baba Hari Dass

Didn't you have a real ray of hope when the Berlin Wall fell?

With my luck, my 15 minutes of fame will probably be my *last* 15 minutes.

The airline industry just instituted a racial profiling surcharge per ticket.

Thank God for Michael Moore and that there is a Jack Nicholson.

Is Rumi still alive? Because it's apparent to me that he's still making a damn good living as a poet!

I was born a Jew and have explored Hinduism, atheism, agnosticism, Sufism, all sorts of psychologies, therapies, gurus, workshops, trainings (the most absurd being "Beauty, Sexuality and Primal Pain"...in that order!), nutritional pro-

grams, body work programs, and the two bottom lines are, at 55 years of age, that 1) I'm still the same old schmuck, and 2) the true path, the true religion, is the human heart, our collective foreheads pressed to the ground in surrender to this apparent glorious mystery, eyes closed, hanging out with the God within of your choice. That's what really keeps this heart beating, that's what really keeps this breath going in and out.

See *The Bicycle Thief*.

See *Cinema Paradiso* before you go to your next movie.

See *The Seventh Samurai* on the big screen.

This article is starting to sound like one of those *Don't Sweat the Small Stuff* books...I *don't* sweat the small stuff. I'm sweating BIG Stuff. Very Big Stuff.

A Very Different and Alternative Peace Plan for the Holy Land: Sharon, Arafat and Bush should be forced to sit in a circle in the middle of which is a large pile of dead Israeli and Palestinian babies. They should sit in silence for 8 hours witnessing what's before their eyes. If no peace comes as a result of this experience then as far as I'm concerned, Jesus, Moses, Mohammed and THE ONE have "left the building."

May the next issue find us all living on a holy and peaceful planet!!!! I have yet to receive a single e-mail from this column. Won't someone please e-mail me? I promise I won't get back to you: eag@seanet.com