



# Miracle Win !

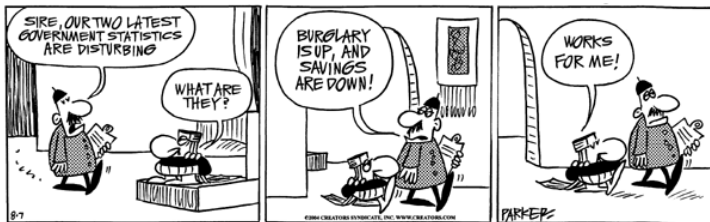
## Controversy clouds victory

In the most spectacular comeback in Joker/Meister history, the once mighty Joker team returned to supremacy by literally snatching victory from the clutches of defeat. The Meister team opened up a huge 4-0 lead and then extended it to 6-2. This looked like a lopsided Meister runaway freight train win. But then the tide began to turn. Meister continually rolled the dice and could not get into the center and then when they finally did, they choked!

Now the Joker had been writing off the game. Paul suggested playing another game. Things looked grim for the beleaguered Joker team. But as the Meister sputtered around trying to get to the center for the kill, the Joker started racking up pie pieces. 6-3, 6-4, 6-5... It all started with the infamous cherub question. Yes, the same controversial question was once again awarded to the Joker. Anyone who can count to 19 can get it right. Yes the answer is on the gameboard. That's just wrong. And it was for a pie piece, which set the Joker off to the races. A series of extremely lucky die rolls combined with the Joker answering questions like a Jeopardy Champion led the Joker to the center for a 7-6 victory.

That was the Joker's greatest victory. But like Roger Maris' home run record of 61\*, yes it will always have the asterisk. A free answer, a free pie square and like and interception in the fourth quarter, it changed everything.

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## Sager and Hinton Vacations collide

In a weird twist of fate, the Hinton's vacation to Portland/Vancouver was scheduled the same week as the Sagers' vacation to Sonoma County.

So the next morning after the big Joker/Meister event... no doubt still buzzing... Frank and Co headed up to Portland, Oregon. They wound up staying in the Heathman Lodge in Vancouver. Frank said it was "nice".

The Hinton's enjoyed spectacular weather and just missed a sizable splash of rain that fell on Friday.

As for the Sagers. They were treated to that good ole' Sonoma County fog bank. It was bloody cold! At Vallejo's Six Flags Marine World they froze their butts off until about 3PM.

Frank and Tami enjoyed the Fabric Depot, a giant fabric warehouse with a selection only reserved for seamstress dreams. Of course Powell's Bookstore was a major attraction for the Hinton family and they nodded with approval after talking about how huge it is.

