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We have all done some things in the past that we knew we probably shouldn't have. Sometimes we even do it again - because we got away with it....and didn't get hurt.....

- ✓ Leaving a tool on top of the step ladder – then moving the ladder....
- ✓ Not wearing your seatbelt when we take just a quick ride to the store...or using your cell phone while driving..... Or both.....
- ✓ Using a screw driver as a pry bar.... A tool as a hammer – that is not a hammer...
- ✓ Using a chair as a ladder... especially with wheels on it...
- ✓ Stepping on an upside down 5 gallon bucket.....
- ✓ Using a step ladder as an extension ladder...
- ✓ Operating a motorcycle or an ATV without wearing a helmet...
- ✓ Taking the batteries out of a smoke detector because it keeps going off...Placing items on the stairs...
- ✓ Not wearing the proper eye and face protection when operating a weed trimmer, saw, grinder, air chisel, etc.....
- ✓ Not using a ground fault circuit interrupter (G.F.C.I.) outlet because it keeps tripping...
- ✓ Not turning a light on because you think you don't need it...
- ✓ Standing on one of the top two steps of a step ladder...
- ✓ Using electrical powered equipment standing on wet grass without the protection of a G.F.C.I....
- ✓ Reaching your hand into an area that you are unable to see...

