



Item: Fast Lane News #18 in 2025 (Issue #270 WOW since 2020), on Saturday May 3rd 2025. I'm writing from our office in Oldsmar, FL along the sandy shores of Tampa Bay & the sunny Gulf of America
To: Our Fast Lane Travel Family in Australia, Canada, Dubai, Europe, Iceland, Israel, Japan, New Zealand, Singapore, South Africa, and the USA!



Subjects: Our **NEW** German Office; Packing for Europe; **TRIP OF THE Week:** Come to the **Moonshine** Festival with us - **DON'T MISS It please** My Final Thoughts: I miss the Hollywood Squares.

I. Fast Lane's New Office in Germany. Thomas Hoeferlin, now spelled correctly in German, Höferlin, has been working with and for Fast Lane Travel, Inc. for over 20 years now. His family lives in in Germany. In fact, his son, Fabian, has been one of our driving guides on multiple trips. His daughter is a renowned pianist, and they have visited the US multiple times. Thomas, wanted to be nearer to his roots and, thus, this month moved back to Germany. I will see him on May 7th at FRA when I arrive. It's a good move for Fast Lane to have Thomas in the local time zone in Germany. Thus, he can, much more effectively, make all local arrangements for our tours, plus PORSCHE Deliveries' hotel reservations and driving routes plus custom trips requests we get every month. **Willkommen zu Hause Thomas!**





II. Packing: Everyone has packed for trips. However, when I head to Europe, I not only pack my normal stuff we all bring, but also must bring the various good night notes and gifts, a supply of electric adaptors and other trips related items. I travel with 6 or 7 suitcases with all the customers' goodies. The fun part is always when I land in Germany. Customs Officer: "Was sind in diesen Koffer drinnen? Haben sie etwas zu deklarieren?" That's why I put a customs letter into each suitcase explaining:

An die: Sehr geehrten Deutsche Zoll Beamten und Zoll Behörde:

Diese im Koffer befindlichen Gegenstände, Hemden, Kappen und andere Reise Gegenstände gehören den Teilnehmern der 2025 **PORSCHE Club von America** Mitglieder **PORSCHE** Reise nach **Stuttgart**. Jeden Abend und speziell vor dem **PORSCHE Fabriksbesuch** und der Auto Abholung bekommen die Teilnehmer ihre Sachen für die sie schon bezahlt haben und daher die ihnen schon gehören. Diese Gegenstände werden NICHT nach Europa importiert, wurden von den Kunden vorbezahlt und werden von den Gästen individuell, nach ihrer Europareise, mit ihren Autos wieder nach USA zurückgenommen. Herzlichen Dank.

It's definitely advantageous to be fluent in German. Of course I do even better in 3 Austrian Dialects: Pfiat Di = Good Bye in Austrian (literally may God guard you).'

What the letter basically says: The enclosed objects and clothing belong to the participants of the 2025 PORSCHE Club of America members trip to Stuttgart. The guests **have already paid for these items and, thus, they are their property.** They receive their various items and shirts in Germany each evening and especially the evening prior to the **PORSCHE Factory visit and picking up their cars.** These items, which have been paid for by the customers, are **NOT** being imported into Europe but will be returned to the U.S. along with their respective cars by the customers individually, to whom they belong, after their two-week travels in Europe. Thank you very much. Peter Sontag

When conducting tours, other than paying for excess luggage, we face obstacles, like customs, that most people haven't thought of. This is what my room looks like, after I arrive– including stuff we store in Germany.



III. TRIP OF THE Week: The **2025 USA Moonshine Festival Driving Tour.** **Please go to** our website for details and great pictures: <https://fastlanetravel.com/2025-moonshine-rally/> We have conducted multiple luxury fall tours in Georgia and the Carolinas. You are driving your own car – whatever make – and enjoy a relaxing, fun and luxurious trip in the US. You'll make new friends, bring old friends and you don't have to think about hotels, routes, dining, and logistics – we do it all for you

IV. My Final Thoughts: I really miss Hollywood Squares:

The show ran 15 years from 1966 to 1981. These great questions and answers are from the days when the "Hollywood Squares" game show responses were spontaneous and clever. Peter Marshall was the host asking the questions, of course.

Q. If you're going to make a parachute jump, at least how high should you be?

A. Charley Weaver: Three days of steady drinking should do it.

Q. True or False, a pea can last as long as 5,000 years.

A. George Gobel: Boy, it sure seems that way sometimes.

Q. According to Cosmopolitan, if you meet a stranger at a party and you think that he is attractive, is it okay to come out and ask him if he's married?

A. Rose Marie: No; wait until morning.

Q. Which of your five senses tends to diminish as you get older?

A. Charley Weaver: My sense of decency.

Q. What are ... "Do It," ... "I Can Help," ... and ... "I Can't Get Enough"?

A. George Gobel: I don't know, but it's coming from the next apartment.

Q. As you grow older, do you tend to gesture more or less with your hands while talking?

A. Rose Marie: You ask me one more growing old question Peter, and I'll give you a gesture you'll never forget.

Q. Paul, why do Hell's Angels wear leather?

A. Paul Lynde: Because chiffon wrinkles too easily.

Q. Charley, you've just decided to grow strawberries. Are you going to get any during the first year?

A. Charley Weaver: Of course not, I'm too busy growing strawberries.

Q. In bowling, what's a perfect score?

A. Rose Marie: Ralph, the pin boy.

Q. It is considered in bad taste to discuss two subjects at nudist camps...One is politics, what is the other?

A. Paul Lynde: Tape measures.

Q. During a tornado, are you safer in the bedroom or in the closet?

A. Rose Marie: Unfortunately, Peter, I'm always safe in the bedroom.

Q. Can boys join the Camp Fire Girls?

A. Marty Allen: Only after lights out.

Q. When you pat a dog on its head he will wag his tail. What will a goose do?

A. Paul Lynde: Make him bark?

Q. If you were pregnant for two years, what would you give birth to?

A. Paul Lynde: Whatever it is, it would never be afraid of the dark.

Q. According to Ann Landers, is there anything wrong with getting into the habit of kissing a lot of people?

A. Charley Weaver: It got me out of the army.

Q. It is the most abused and neglected part of your body, what is it?

A. Paul Lynde: Mine may be abused, but it certainly isn't neglected.

Q. Back in the old days, when Great Grandpa put horseradish on his head, what was he trying to do?

A. George Gobel: Get it in his mouth.

Q. Who stays pregnant for a longer period of time, your wife or your elephant?

A. Paul Lynde: Who told you about my elephant?

Q. When a couple have a baby, who is responsible for its sex?

A. Charley Weaver: I'll lend him the car, the rest is up to him.

Q. Jackie Gleason recently revealed that he firmly believes in them and has actually seen them on at least two occasions. What are they?

A. Charley Weaver: His feet.

Q. According to Ann Landers, what are two things you should never do in bed?

A. Paul Lynde: Point and Laugh

Q. At the end of the movie "The Planet of the Apes," what does Charlton Heston see that makes him realize that he is actually in New York City?

A. Paul Lynde: A Puerto Rican.

Q. In the Arctic, the most fearsome animal is the polar bear. What is the only thing a polar bear is afraid of?

A. Paul Lynde: A lonely Eskimo!

Q. True or false. Experts say there are only seven or eight things in the world dumber than an ant.

A. George Gobel: Yes, and I think I voted for six of them.

Q. In a survey of teenage mothers, most of them said they were listening to this when they got pregnant. What is it?

A. Paul Lynde: A pack of lies.

Q. According to Amy Vanderbilt, what is the maximum length of time you and your fiancé should be engaged?

Q. Rose Marie: Engaged in what?

Q. What do you call a pig that weighs more than 150 pounds?

A. Charley Weaver: A divorcee.

Q. According to police, if you are being molested, other than yelling, "Help!," what is the best thing to scream?

A. Rose Marie: "More!"

Q. You're a 71-year-old man who has lost interest in sex. Does your doctor have anything to help you?

A. Charley Weaver: "No, but his nurse does."

Q. Peter Marshall: It's well known that small amounts of female hormones are found in the male body. Are male hormones ever found in the female body?

A. Paul Lynde: Occasionally.

Q. Peter Marshall: Paul, the Rio Grande River separates Texas and Mexico. What does "Rio Grande" mean in Spanish?

A. Paul Lynde: El Washing Machine.

Q. Peter Marshall: Eva Gabor says she dislikes a particular word because it signals the end of something that started out so beautifully. What word?

A. Paul Lynde: Pregnant.

Q. Peter Marshall: At a recent hearing in New Jersey, opponents of fluorinated water argue that too much fluorine in a person's system can cause an uncontrollable desire for sex?

A. Paul Lynde (shouting): HEY CULLIGAN MAN!

Q. Peter Marshall: Nathan Hale, one of the heroes of the American Revolution, was hung. Why?

A. Paul Lynde: Heredity!

V. SOME MORE OF MY RANDOM HAPPY MEMORIES

Occasionally we award repeat participants, such beautiful photobooks at about \$380 each and send them to you as a



surprise gift. I want you to preserve your trip memories. But, my ulterior motive, is to proselytize your friends and associates to come on a trip with us. **Be a brand ambassador for us!**















Hopefully, we will see you soon on another Fast Lane Travel PORSCHE Trip crafted with fifty years of experience, passion, and affection for our fabulous PORSCHE customers.

On your path to success, remember to always look forward with optimism. May you achieve your goals and find joy. We truly appreciate your business and can't wait to see you on a tour!

Yours truly, Peter