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No Coincidence

Hi

I just thought I should share a miracle that happened in my life the other day. It has to do with listening, and acting upon the uncton you hear in your spirit. (A little background first)

I got my income tax cheque back and deposited in my account, which had \$40.00 in it until payday.

I went to a store and bought a few things totaling \$38.00 and I paid for it on my debit card which I usually do. I very rarely carry more than \$10.00 cash on me.

I decided for no particular reason to go to WalMart and see what I could find, not out of necessity but because I could! I slowly added "stuff" to my cart, but I wasn't feeling well and had to use the washroom (which is very unusual). I puttered here and there, which also is unusual for me as I like to shop quickly.

I had a couple more items then the allowable for the express line, so I stopped at the first checkout line I saw, I usually look for the shortest line, but today I didn't.

There was a lady ahead of me with a full cart, a toddler and another on the way. "I thought this might take some time", but I remained in line. Another check out opened up beside me and the gal asked me if I wanted to go first in line, I declined her offer (how unusual) and the person behind me went.

I stood in line for another 10 minutes, smiling and playing "peek" with the toddler in the cart ahead of me. When it was time for the lady to pay for her purchases, she was \$10 short for her phone card, and was about to return a couple boxes of cereal.

I had this very strong impression that I should pay for her phone card. So I did, with the \$10 cash I had on me, The lady thanked me profusely.

Now when it came time for me to pay my purchases, I swiped my debit card and it was "declined". "WHAT"? I just deposited my cheque! I was embarrassed as I had to leave my cart of goodies

there and I had to find out why I was declined.

As I sat in my car, thinking wrongfully that I had just wasted a whole hour of my time and was totally embarrassed to boot, a very loud thought entered my head. The thought was ----."HOW COME YOU CALL MY BIDDING A WASTE OF TIME" You know you really didn't need anything, yet you went to the store, took your time, was guided to use the washroom which you never do, spent more time than you ever do just gawking around, found the long line you were supposed to be in, declined an easier line, and had the exact amount of money that you were supposed to spend at the store! YOU DID WHAT I MEANT FOR YOU TO DO!

So I thanked the Lord, praised His name, and went home to do more of His Perfect Will.

(Oh ya, the bank said they always hold cheques for one business day when they are deposited at the ATM)