Cute Things From Kids

I get all these email forwards quoting kids and the cute things they say. With 4 kids of my own (ages 10, 6, 4, and 2), I have fodder almost daily for such emails. If only I could remember to write down all the cute things they say...

Here are a few that have stuck in my mind from recent months:

end of april 2010:

5-year-old Sammie — We're in the drive-thru at the ice cream place, and we ask Sammie what she would like. She says "I don't know; I think I have gastritis."

seperate incident:

3-year-old Disney — "Does Santa work at the gas station"

10-13-10 — Disney (a week before her 4th birthday) holds up the snow brush that was in the garage. "Mom, why did you pack a giant toothbrush?"

I'm still smiling about that one!

Brown Hogs

Everybody knows that kids say the darndest things — there was even a tv show or two about the subject. If you go back and watch the Art Linkletter version, you can see him coaching the kids and moving his lips for the kids to see what they were supposed to say. I don't know why they had to do that; kids come up with enough cute stuff on their own. The reason I decided to write this post is because it came to my attention that my 3-year-old daughter Disney calls groundhogs "brown hogs". Just a cute little tidbit I wanted to share, and hey,

she's got a point — the critters are brown! Makes sense to me! \square

Potty Humor

I had to share this funny little story because something our almost 5-year-old daughter Sammie said the other day had my husband and I in stitches. She calls out from the bathroom — "Dad! I have to go poop but I can't... Oh, nevermind!"

Hmmm, now that I'm reading it, it's not quite as funny. I guess you had to hear her little 4-year-old voice call it out. Kids are so adorable with their bluntness. And I'm just glad that Sammie was able to solve her own problem!

KidsSpeak

Kids say the darndest things, as we all know — they even made a tv show about it. Here is a list of some of the cute mispronounciations my kids have made and their ages when they said them.

"ah-cro-poose" said by Sammie, age 3. Translation: octopus

"Taylor lelled at me" said by Sammie, age 4. Translation: lelled = yelled

"Beeber" said by Disney, age 2. Translation: Christopher (her baby brother). This has actually led to Christopher having nicknames of Beeber and Beebs.

"Kipper" said by Disney, age 2. Translation: Christopher. She moved out of the Beeber phase and now calls him Kipper.

"may-sa-peer" said by Sammie, age 3. Translation: disappear

"tormado" said by Sammie, age 4. Translation: tornado. Look closely at how I typed the word — she replaces the "n" with an "m" sound.

"ith ith" said by Taylor, age 1. Translation: kitty.

"diaper call off!" said by Disney, age 2. Translation: Help!
My diaper is falling off!

"gggg" said by Christopher, age 5 months. Translation: various. I just wanted to put his sounds in this list too.