Toomey Family Quotes of the Year 2021

Ronan (4 years old):

- 1) "I think I need to warm you down."
- 2) "Mommy, where are your testicles?"
- 3) "The poop says, 'I need to get by!"" Context: Being potty trained.
- 4) "I know I'm safe, I'm with Daddy!"

Nathaniel (5 years old):

- 1) "In the panda sanctuary where the pandas live you have to wear a panda costume, so the pandas see you as one of the pandas."
- 2) "I hate my tummy. It has too many songs in it."
- 3) "Please bless that I can get lots of tickles from Mom and Dad because I love tickles." Context: Nathaniel, during prayer. Mom and Dad promptly tickled him after prayer.
- 4) "I have cute power. It gets me money a lot!"

 Context: Nathaniel talking about getting a penny from Grandpa.
- 5) "We're going to the Toomey restaurant. That's a kind of house that we stay at until we go to the store."

Heather:

1) "You know, I can see myself being a purple platypus."

Context: Heather thinking about transforming into a purple platypus, like Perry, in her Phineas and Ferb fan fiction.

- 2) "No, I was pointing at YOU when I was laughing."
- 3) "It's not as fun hitting inanimate objects."
- 4) [In a threatening tone, followed a crazed laugh] "Keep laughing. I'll find your face." Context: Heather, wearing red glasses, in a dim room, trying to find Holly's face with her hands.
- 5) "I'd say, 'Get behind me Satan,' but I want banana bread."

 Context: Heather said when tempted with fresh banana bread vs. her strict diet.

6) "You're not a gas-bag, you're a child of God."

Context: Heather, to someone having terrible gas.

7) "Sorry, I don't mean to laugh at your belches."

8) "He's a bit of a wimp, but he's a responsible wimp. Quote of the Year!"

Context: Heather, about the actor who plays Gus on Psych.

Jonathan:

1) "I'm not even jiggling you. Shut-up."

Context: Jonathan had been rough housing with Roxy. When he began to just pet her, she started groaning as if she was hurting. So, Jonathan jokingly said this to her.

2) "The only thing protecting us was the roaches."

Context: Jonathan, explaining a mission experience with bedbugs.

3) "I used to go there all the time. But then they started taking my money... in exchange for items."

Context: Jonathan, on Bath and Body Works

4) "I'd tickle you, but it seems less appropriate than punching you in the stomach."

Context: Jonathan to Heather. He playfully Slow-Mo Heather in the stomach with his fist. Then said this.

5) "Oh yah, I didn't think about that before I threw it at your face."

Context: Jonathan to Harold.

6) "BUFFALO!! ... or is that a rock?"

Context: Jonathan, at dusk in Yellowstone. It was a boulder in the river.

David:

1) "So that's what poop looks like when it screams."

Context: David, about a new poop emoji.

2) "The sandwich is running away."

Context: David, when Nathaniel and Ronan got out of a foam-bread sandwich they'd made and ran off.

Julie Ann:

1) "Don't put your head in the toilet!"

Context: Julie Ann to Ronan.

2) "Get the book out of your pants!"

Context: Julie Ann to Nathaniel or Ronan.

3) "Someday we'll get you a sonic screwdriver, but right now you need to eat."

4) "But what does my eyeball taste like? I can't lick it!"

Harold:

- 1) "Roxy bring me the ball! You're not the ball. Bring me the ball!"
- 2) "I've always dreamed of doing a marathon on a unicycle."
- 3) "Every time I see a unicorn, I think 'mmm broccoli'."
- 4) "I think you're really special. Can I pick your nose?"

Context: Jonathan said, "You can pick your friends and you can pick your nose, but you can't pick your friend's nose unless they're special." Then Dad said...

Holly:

1) "If you ever want to cry to someone, call ______, because s/he always thought his/her nose was too big."

Context: Holly to Heather when Heather was bemoaning having what she considers a man's nose.

2) "Oh, that's not a chicken; that's a man praying."

Context: Holly miss-seeing a picture.

- 3) "Her life was centered on Christ, but at that time my life was centered on getting home fast."

 Context: Holly about a friend getting prompted to avoid a crash, and Holly retelling how she got in a crash years ago despite a prompting because her life was not centered on Christ.
- 4) "Okay, quit kicking me; I'm trying to find my ancestors."

Context: Holly to our dog Roxy.

- 5) "I should bend over more often; it makes me belch."
- 6) "You don't have to be peed on to be part of the pack."

Context: Holly, to Roxy, after Jonathan washed the pee smell off Roxy's head from one of the other dogs, and her expression was as if she'd been rejected.

Honorary quote:

"I've never been called a cow in such a polite way before."

Context: Katie, Andrew's girlfriend, while playing a game with the family.