

Lists impossible for my folks and brother

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[Note: My parents and brother George died in a car accident in 1978. I often think of them when I think about new ideas, words, people and products.]

Things my parents and brother never heard of:

- Cloning
- Face transplant
- Embryonic stem cells
- Cholesterol
- IPods
- CDs
- VCRs
- TV screens bigger than 24"
- Cell phones
- Sex scandal in the Roman Catholic Church
- 9-11 Twin Towers attack
- Hurricane Katrina
- Global warming
- Hybrid cars

Things my parents and brother never had:

- A microwave oven

Things my parents and brother never saw:

- A computer
- Grey hair on my head
- Grey hair on Mike's head
- The face of Charlie older than two years of age
- The face of Brian older than two months of age
- Anna's face
- All the other grandchildren's faces
- The first great-grandchild's face
- For George, his own body and face growing up
- For Mum and Pop, their own bodies and faces growing old