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# U.S. Inflation Caused Algeria, Tunisia, Egypt, and Libya Unrest

BY NIA WWW.INFLATION.US

The National Inflation Association (NIA) announced in its November 5th, 2010, food price projection report that food inflation would take over as America's biggest crisis in calendar year 2011, surpassing the mortgage crisis and high unemployment, which were the top economic concerns of Americans in 2010. NIA's food price projection report received worldwide media attention including being featured by Glenn Beck on the FOX News Network. NIA's prediction about food inflation was strongly reiterated by NIA's President Gerard Adams on November 12th when he was a guest on the FOX Business Network. NIA then included this prediction as one of its 'Top 10 Predictions for 2011' released on January 4th, 2011. We are less than two months into 2011 and already massive food inflation is beginning to affect American citizens in a major way, but not the way most people expected.

NIA first warned about food inflation in our October 30th, 2009, article entitled, 'U.S. Inflation to Appear Next in Food and Agriculture'. In this article, NIA said, "Prices are rising all around us, yet agricultural commodities have for the most part been left behind and remain at historically depressed levels. Fundamentals for agriculture are improving on a daily basis. A worldwide shortage of farmers combined with food inventories falling to record lows is setting up the perfect storm for an explosion in agriculture prices." From the release of this article on October 30th, 2009, to their highs this month, we have seen an explosion in agriculture futures with wheat gaining 52%, cotton gaining 177%, corn gaining 72%, soybeans gaining 49%, coffee gaining 86%, orange juice gaining 37%, and sugar gaining 86%.

Although the U.S. is largely self-sufficient when it comes to the production of food, oil is a very important commodity used in agriculture production and the U.S. needs to import most of its oil. With oil prices soaring through the roof, Arab nations are getting their revenge on the U.S. for the food inflation they are suffering from. Oil is the second largest expense that affects retail prices of food in our supermarkets after the cost of agricultural commodities. The reason a 50% increase or more in nearly all agricultural commodities hasn't caused food prices in U.S. supermarkets to rise by 50% or more in recent months, is because Americans have been blessed with cheap oil. The surging price of oil means that America's food infla-

tion crisis is now imminent.

All American citizens need to be ready for nationwide civil unrest, rioting, looting, and protesting later this year, even worse than what is occurring in Arab nations. The Arab world will survive this crisis because they have oil reserves that they can export to Asian countries when the U.S. can no longer afford to import oil. However, America's survival is dependent on the world's confidence in a piece of paper that has no intrinsic value and is being debased as fast as humanly possible.

Our good friend Gerald Celente first forecast the current North African crisis in an article he wrote in his autumn 'Trends Journal' entitled 'Off With Their Heads 2.0'. In fact, Celente wrote another article just days before the riots in Tunisia entitled 'Youth of the World Unite', which accurately predicted with precise details the deadly riots we now are seeing in Arab nations. Celente will be a guest in NIA's upcoming must see documentary about the U.S. college bubble that is getting ready to collapse.

As accurate as Celente was about the North African crisis, we believe even he was surprised by just how fast the upheaval took place. Absolutely nobody in the mainstream media saw this crisis coming at any time during the recent weeks and months leading up to it. It is shocking just how quickly Egypt went from having peaceful times to their President being forced to resign from office. There were absolutely no warning signs in the weeks leading up to the Egypt unrest. NIA expects U.S. hyperinflation to break out in exactly the same fashion. The only warning signs to prepare for hyperinflation will be the warning signs that are already here today. Americans need to learn how to recognize them for what they truly are, and that is why NIA is here. Please trust us that by the time it becomes obvious to the average American that hyperinflation is right around the corner, there will be no time to prepare.

You can read this article in it's entirety at: [inflation.us/algeriatunisiaegyptlibyaunrest.html](http://inflation.us/algeriatunisiaegyptlibyaunrest.html)

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When the Thunder basketball team swept into Oklahoma City it was prime time news. Most "Okies" quickly came to appreciate Oklahoma and all it has to offer. Please note, I said "most" of them.

After their first storm season in Oklahoma, I found there was a certain degree of fear that seemed to accompany all storms, even weather events that were not actually storms. Our weather is spectacular. However, the beauty and fierceness of our storms make for great television video and it's shown around the country and around the world. So, they all had heard about or had seen video of our weather.

Finally, it came to pass that the wife and two children of a highly placed Thunder executive came to News 9 to discuss severe storms. I explained that tornadoes have a life cycle.

They form, then mature and subsequently dissipate. Some last a matter of seconds while others last much longer, but all flow through that cycle and most twisters originate from thunderstorms. With a look of relief and excitement on her face, the lady exclaimed "You mean they don't just jump out of the sky and get you?"

No, they don't, and the good thing about tornadoes is that we usually know where they are, where they are going and what time they will arrive. That says to you, monitor a television station and stick with it. If you flip channels you may miss vital information.

A safe room, basement or cellar provides excellent shelter. Otherwise, go to a small room in the center of your home preferably a closet or bathroom. Wrap up in blankets and pillows and get down on the floor. If possible, wear shatter resistant goggles and a helmet. And yes, keep your shoes on.

Never take shelter in a structure with a large free span roof like a grocery store. Stay out of halls that open to the outside and, of course, stay away from windows. A vehicle of any type can easily be fatal shelter in a strong tornado. If you see a tornado coming down the road, drive at a ninety degree angle to it, either to the left or right.

You don't need to fear tornadoes, just respect their power and always stay weather aware. And remember, stay with Oklahoma's Own News 9, we'll keep you advised.

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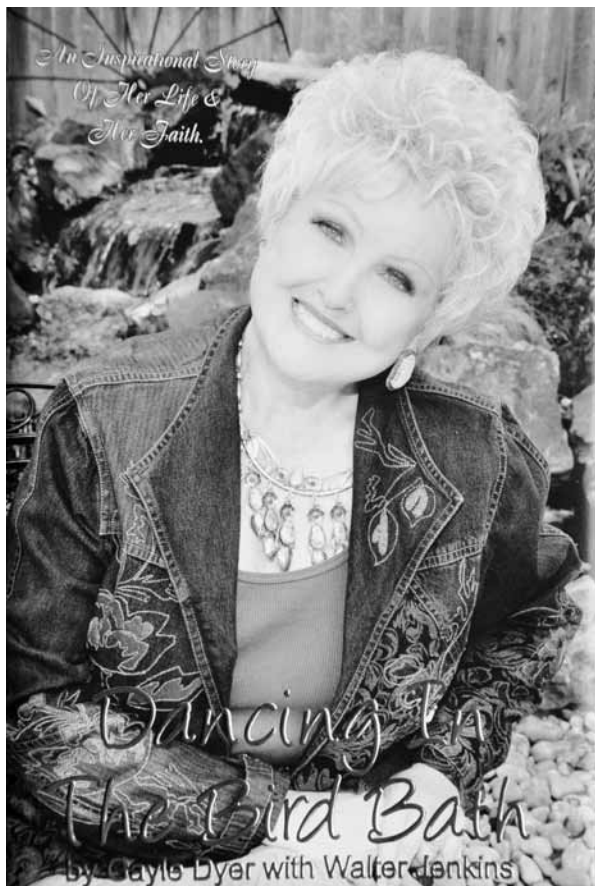
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# Remembering the "Heart" of An Affair of the Heart.

BY PAT VENABLE



On February 8, 2011 Oklahoma lost a treasure with the passing of Gayle Dyer. Thousands of Oklahomans knew her as a cofounder of An Affair of the Heart, but many knew her as a dear friend who is missed terribly, and cannot be replaced. Oklahoma Woman had the privilege of speaking with longtime friend and business partner Linda Jeary.

Linda and Gayle have been friends since they attended kindergarten at Lafayette Grade School in Oklahoma City. When they were in the seventh grade Gayle's family moved to Del City and Linda and Gayle lost contact for 20 years. When they

reconnected Linda said it was as if they never missed a beat, they were still close.

When asked to describe Gayle, Linda replied "Kind, thoughtful, considerate, Handmaiden of the Lord, humble, self taught with God's grace. The thing she loved to do the most was to share the Lord, and that's what she did with me. She introduced me to the Lord when I was 45 years old. She was quite a Christian lady. When I became a Christian she was teaching a singles class after Roy (her first husband) had died. She also began teaching me. When we read scripture it was always with our whole heart."

The first business venture that Linda and Gayle had together was a house cleaning business called Housekeeping with a Heart. Gayle put her whole heart in everything she did, but the primary focus was always the Lord, and how to spread His love. She lived through the heartache of the death of two husbands, but always moved forward. Linda said "Gayle was a lovely lady with an infectious sense of humor. She would never laugh at you, but would laugh with you, and could always laugh at herself. She didn't have a selfish bone in her body, and had a soft sweet way of communicating whatever needed to be said. This morning I saw this scripture, and it fits her so well."

"My prayer is that you may be encouraged in heart, and united in love." Colossians 2:12

Gayle's book "Dancing in the Bird Bath" was released in October of 2010. The book was a labor of love, and is available on the website, [www.gayledyer.com](http://www.gayledyer.com).

Join us in celebrating the Parents Assistance Center (PAC) anniversary...

...35 years of educating parents and strengthening families in the Oklahoma City metro area

Date: ..... Friday, April 29, 2010  
Time: ..... 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.  
Dinner ..... 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.  
Presentation ..... 8:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.  
Announcement of silent auction winners ..... 9:00 p.m.  
Evening ends ..... 9:30 p.m.  
Cash bar and silent auction

Location: Oklahoma History Center ([www.okhistorycenter.org](http://www.okhistorycenter.org))  
800 Nazih Zuhdi Drive (N.E. 23rd and Laird)  
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The 35th Anniversary Celebration will be an evening event benefiting the work of Parents Assistance Center (PAC), beginning at 6:00 p.m. with a cash bar overlooking the scenic Oklahoma State Capital district and a silent auction featuring exciting items up for bid including lovely gift baskets, Thunder tickets, a weekend get-away and more!

Dinner will begin at 7:00 p.m. in a brightly decorated ballroom with information provided at each table on the various programs that PAC provides. Guests will enjoy a delicious three-course meal served by Ned's Catering Company and entertainment. The evening will conclude with a brief history of PAC, along with a tribute to Ann Hardy, our founder, and the introduction of our new logo.

Who will be there:

Business women and men, philanthropic and civic leaders, professionals, other caring people and YOU!

Why:

To experience and learn about the history of Parents Assistance Center, understand the challenges and celebrate the triumphs of families served by Parents Assistance Center.

What is Parents Assistance Center:

Founded in 1976, Parents Assistance Center strengthens families through nurturing parenting classes and compassion workshops, working to prevent child abuse, neglect and

other family violence.

Cost:

Table sponsorship (for 8 people) costs \$1,000.

Individual tickets to the celebration are \$75 each.

For more information, please contact Kathie Sanders at 232-8226 or by email at [ksanders@pacemail.org](mailto:ksanders@pacemail.org).

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# A bit of **HISTORY** about the **Diffie Family...**

BY PAT VENABLE



John Diffie started selling Ford cars & trucks in 1919 in Little Rock, Arkansas. This began the Diffie family's involvement in the automobile business. When Vic, youngest of 8 children was 15, his dad sold the auto business and moved to Oklahoma City and John and Vic started Diffie Motor Company on Northwest

39th Expressway in Oklahoma City in 1954. The Diffie family still operates a pre-owned sales and service from this original location. In 1987, a 2nd location was added at Reno and MacArthur in Oklahoma City. In May of 1991 the Diffies bought the Ford Lincoln Mercury franchise in El Reno, Oklahoma and in 1993 bought the property at Interstate 40 and built the present dealership/showroom. The Diffie family now operates 3 locations and has adequate space with over 1700 feet of frontage along Interstate 40. The location takes in the NW corner of US I-40 and Hwy 81 at Exit 125.

OW: How many of the Diffie family are currently involved in your dealerships?  
VIC: About seventeen... I am the 3rd generation of a family, who by God's goodness chooses to accept the commitment that our Creator made with man to adopt and make us a part of His forever family all by His coalition by sending His Son to redeem and buy us back from the fallen state all of us are born into. We are sinners saved by Grace and we trust it has a life changing affect on our business and personal lives.

My wife & I are blessed to be close to our 4 children, their spouses, 15 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. I love to travel. Swimming & tennis afford physical exercise and it is a real blessing to be involved in church and ministries that gives the opportunity to be involved with those less fortunate.

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An international theatrical sensation, **THE ALUMINUM SHOW** is a unique and energetic experience for the entire family. A stimulating tour de force, **THE ALUMINUM SHOW** combines movement, dance and visual theater. The company breathes life into anything aluminum, animating unique forms with extraordinary dancers, gymnasts and amazing special effects. This is a show where gleaming shapes shimmy, shimmer and shatter audience expectations. Accompanied by dazzling lights and pulsing music, this show cranks up the fun meter to all-out joy!

Ahead of the highly anticipated 2011 U.S. tour, producers have invested an additional \$1,000,000 in **THE ALUMINUM SHOW**, guaranteeing a never-seen-before extravaganza. Following rigorous auditions in New York, 10 outstanding performers were selected to join the show's cast, and together with a fresh script and a long list of world-class creative, management and production personnel, **THE ALUMINUM SHOW** is set for a far more explosive tour this time around.

**THE ALUMINUM SHOW** first arrived to the U.S. with more than 60 performances at the Trump Plaza in Atlantic City. In the second U.S. visit in 2010, the 50-show tour received excellent reviews including "A fascinating, family-friendly, fun and interesting show... incredibly interactive from the front of the theatre all the way to the back... very visual... the energy is amazing... something I've never seen before" (Fox News TV); "**THE ALUMINUM SHOW** does everything you can possibly imagine with its star element... kids will go crazy over this silver-and-black spectacle" (*TheaterMania*); and "**THE ALUMINUM SHOW** certainly makes you take another

er look at everyday, inanimate objects - like aluminum foil - as it brings them to life in this hypnotic performance" (*The Clog*).

The combination of dance, theater and puppetry, spiced with a healthy helping of humor, is the essence of creating this powerful spectacle. **THE ALUMINUM SHOW** uses recovered materials from industrial factories that are re-used to build the set, dress the cast and interact with the audience. Industrial materials are given new and surprising contexts, as they transform into cast members. When visual effects, lighting manipulations and enchanting music are brought together, all senses are on high alert. And with sights and sounds that overcome any language barrier, this family-friendly show provides entertainment for audiences of all ages.

Welcomed by KWTU News 9, **THE ALUMINUM SHOW** comes to Oklahoma City's Civic Center Music Hall April 12<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> for only eight performances. Tickets may be purchased via phone (800) 869-1451, (405) 297-2264, in person at the Civic Center Music Hall Box Office or online at [www.CelebrityAttractions.com](http://www.CelebrityAttractions.com). Groups of 10 or more may call Celebrity Attractions at (800) 869-1451 ext. 220 for a discount.

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