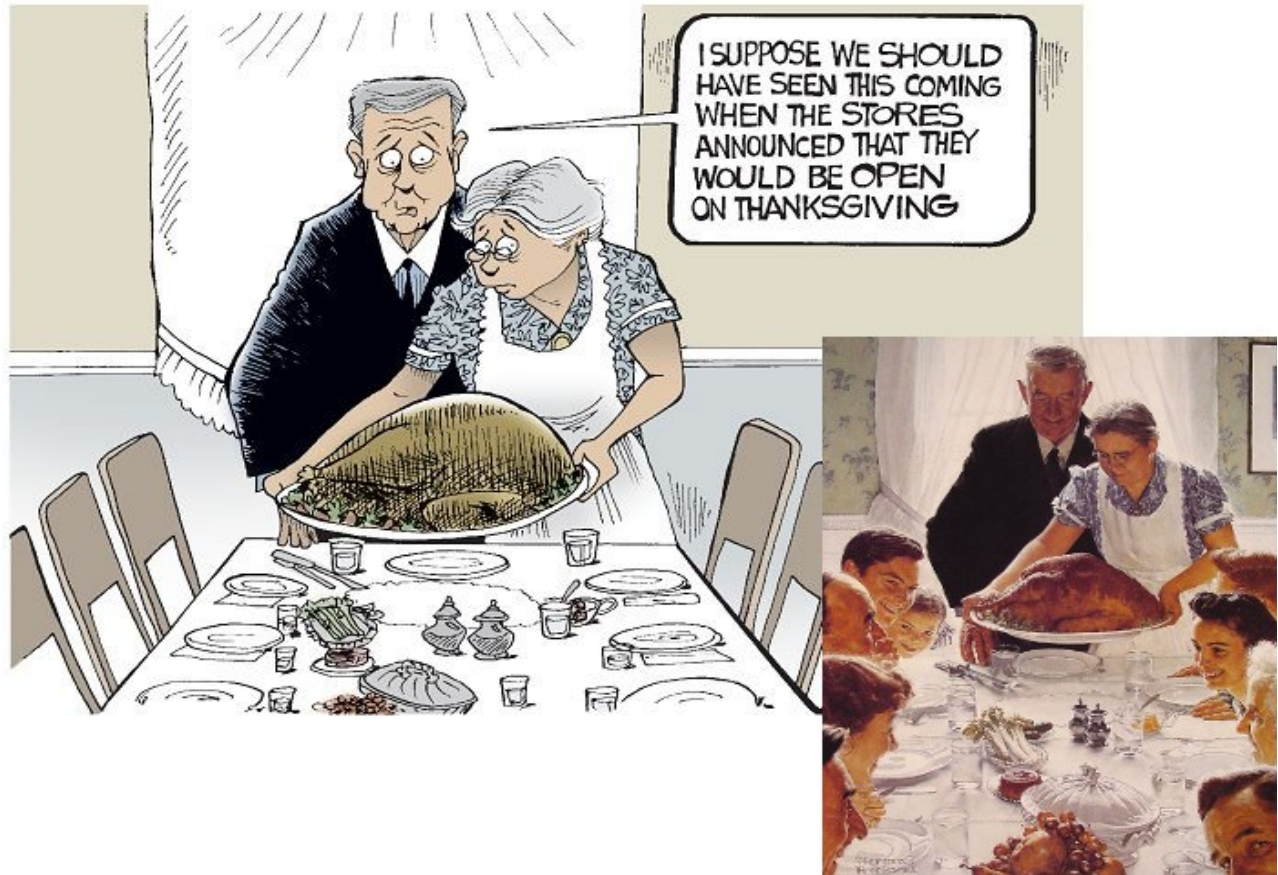


Cartoons for the Classroom

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Cartoon by Randy Bish, Pittsburgh Tribune-Review, Courtesy of AAEC / Painting by Norman Rockwell

Borrowing a classic for a new message

Between the lines

"Pretty soon we will be having 'Black Friday' the day after Halloween." - Robert Antall, retail consultant.

http://www.cleveland.com/business/index.ssf/2013/10/does_macys_opening_on_thanksgi.html

Additional resources

More by Randy Bish

<http://editorialcartoonists.com/cartoon/browse.cfm/BishR>

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Talking Points

1. Cartoonist Randy Bish borrows one of the most iconic Thanksgiving images to comment about what trend?
2. Compare the cartoon to Norman Rockwell's painting. How closely does Bish's cartoon follow the painting?
3. The Rockwell painting is entitled "Freedom from Want." When was it painted and what was its original purpose?
4. What title would you give to the Bish cartoon?
5. What thoughts and feelings about Thanksgiving does Rockwell's painting evoke? Are they realistic?
6. Try to find other cartoons, parodies or ads that have borrowed from this Rockwell painting.