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I just checked out that *Punk'd* with Pink on it. She had these tight white jeans on . . . and I swear you could see the bulge in her or his pants.

I really found myself rooting for Annika Sorenstam this weekend.

I really liked that TV show *Lucky* with John Corbett until he mucked 4 kings to chase down a chick. Let me tell you straight . . . my son could be tied to a railroad track with a train bearing down on him and I would still play the kings.

Not that I feel sorry for anyone that's eighteen with a \$100 Million Nike contract, but you get the feeling that if LeBron James averages 35 points and 10 assists it'll still be a let down. Has there ever been more pressure on a kid? . . . maybe Tiger Woods . . . that turned out okay . . . we'll see.

Bob Hope turned 100. You know he doesn't look a day over 130.

Ben Wallace. I love Ben Wallace. A couple of interesting thoughts on Ben Wallace, during the playoffs he had like 21 points and the announcers made the comment that this was his first game of the season that was over 20 points. I guess his previous season high was 17. 17! This from the starting center on the Eastern Conference All-Stars. Amazing. you would think that with 82 games you would just happen to get 20, especially with all the offensive rebounds and 'put backs' Big Ben gets. Which basically means that he makes the All-Star team by being a freakin' defensive, shot-blocking, rebounding monster.

The second thing . . . I happened to catch some of 'Inside Stuff' (or something like that) with Summer Sanders and she was working out with Ben Wallace and he made the comment that he was only 6'5", then when you see him next to Summer . . . he's not very tall. This is the two-time NBA Defensive Player of the Year and the starting *Center* on the Eastern Conference All-Stars.

You gotta love a guy like that.

Until Next Time . . .

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