

Primitive_Toilet_Paper_2003.txt

Steve wrote:

> A wash cloth and soapy water?
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Clipper Ordiway wrote:

> > In the show that ran last year called "Frontier House", one of the
> families had a row of nails in their outhouse. On each nail was a piece of
> cloth hanging. Each member had their own nail and piece of cloth. They used
> their own cloth to wipe with. Of course, each member was responsible for
> cleaning and caring for his/her own cloth.
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Hi! Not too good with this email/discussion group thing but thought someone might like to know Re: "MOSS" Sphagnum should be avoided for this it is known to carry a bacteria {maybe fungus?} that can cause some nasty skin problems in the sensitive. I gathered moss for awhile and had no problem on hands butt is another subject.

Sam Kephart <samuel.kephart@v...>

I'm sorry It was late ,I meant you can use moss as toilet paper Sam

I believe that I have to respond to this, before it gets out of hand, and I strongly believe that Steve Ferguson did not mean to insult anybody, I am not an Arab nor am I a Moslem, but where I came from South East Asia, we always use our left hand, water and soap, we never ever use toilet paper, in the third world countries they can not afford to buy those expensive toilet paper, we never extend our left hand for greetings nor for receiving anything, if you receive a letter delivered by the mailman with your left hand, it is considered a big insult.

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Well there are always poison ivy leaves..... just kidding. The Romans used sponges.

If you are Arab, you use your left hand. I would stick to sponges.

SteveF

Leigh Ann wrote:

>This may sound ridiculous...but I'm going to ask anyway. During "Little House on

>the Prairie" how did they handle the TP situation...we won't even have corn cobs and

>after the initial 2 year's supply runs out, what then? No Sunday Times, no corn

>cobs, perhaps no leaves...what???

>I'm certain you free thinkers out there will have a solution to this one. Laying in a 20

>year supply of TP can be rather space consuming...and we really need to think

>LONG TERM.

>I plan on getting Baby Wipes for personal hygiene for the first year or so...perhaps

>only bathing once a week. Am I on the wrong track? But I don't believe hygiene has

>been addressed or has it and I missed out?

>Mahalo,

>Leigh Ann