"Holy Christopher"

"Get it out of your system."

"Get that out of your head."

"Don't come unglued."

"...do mankind a service."

"Your head is too busy."

"This is none too good."

"I have my doubts." (Scotch: Eh hay meh doots.)

"Live dangerously."

"That's not such a sharp idea."

"You're a real citizen."

"Right you are."

"Not bad."

No crap?/No bee ess?

Hold your breath until you turn blue.

you drew the short straw.

"(You need to be)careful where you park your conscience."

"That's all she wrote."

"You better take it a little bit easy." (to rowdy customer)

"There are no flies on that."

"Don't be a plague of locusts."

Don't tear your hair out.

Great, great, great.

Ditto, kiddo

Can't win them all.

Cripes. Let's don't get carried away.

Ye gods. It depends.

Blazes

Just don't push it.

What's the story?

the weather on the moon

bank night (Sat. night)

Still teetering and tottering.
Tom

Don't go hog wild.
How about that

"Don't wrinkle your brain about it." ball of worms

"Forget it, kid."

"Yeah, right. Let's all sing "Bringing in the Sheaves.""

"Don't make trouble." "Don't give me aggravation, okay?"

"I can see that."

"Run that by me again?"

"Old enough to know better and too young to resist."

"Not in front of the kid."

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"Don't get constipated about it."

kid slang:

Out of sight!
Great

Don't flip, but...

Fine!

Yay! Boo.

weenie

simp

Way out(?)

shmook

Right on.

How about that.

Later, gator.

I flipped over that./ Don't flip (, but...

Can't win them all.
"Lovely," he growled.

"Some people."

"You're giving a good imitation of it."

"Don't get your nose out of joint."
"Hey, close your mouth unless you want to catch flies."

My boggled expression wasn't going away that easily.
Tom

There's no justice.
Where's the fairness in that?
What good is that?
Don't stretch the facts to fit the situation.
I growled, "Let's give it the old once-over."
They love accents, and after seeing a syrupy Southern movie (Tammy? Song of South?), or overhearing someone in oilfield crew or missile site crew, they practice Appalachian drawl:

"Gonna put my vee-hickle in the grudge."

"Let's do it now rat now." (right now)

"Rat chewer." (Right you are.)

"Wants a tar, ain't fit."
Tom, early on: There's not a snowball's chance in Hell of that.
A couple of subsequent times, he says: Not a snowball's chance.
Tom

That's not such a sharp idea.
A time recaptured (this way)...
Rusty

thinks of people as voices
Tom/lingo

Put your head to work.
Don't strain your brain.
sparrowhead

a bucket of puppies/a sack of kittens
Don't you just wish...
An answer that didn't even start toward the truth.

Making sure the horse hadn't quit the country.

I believe television has got just a hell of a lot to answer for.

Both of us now moping along like sorrow's orphans.

I began to dread the way this was trending.

For as far as I'm concerned, Montana without its mountain ranges would just be Nebraska stretched north.
I'd been literary for maybe three minutes . . . .

Mom gave me her look that said, you had better produce some fast truth.

My mother took a breath which probably used up half the air in the kitchen.

It is no new thought to say that life goes on. Yet that's where it does go.

I'll admit to you, it made my heart turn around and face north.

Leaping onto a running steer has about as much to do with actual cattle ranching as the wearing of turquoise belt buckles.
I would be more enthusiastic about the machine era if the stuff healed itself instead of requiring all the damn repair it does.

Lord, what a wilderness is the thicket of family.

Plead is not a word I am ashamed of, under the circumstances.
Ride... (Marich lingo)
2 - you know that? (esp. also use: You know what?
4 - I mean, what is this, suicide by boredom?
4 - I don't see how
5 - it's not a deal
6 - (jibe), I said, I guess it'd be
8 - (jibe), why not
11 - Hi, how many days...
12 - What, did you...
13 - Listen, I just ...
   - (jibe) danglebob
   - Big fun
   - How about if...
   - ... okay?
15 - (joke) Rainjade
   - (joke) don't think I didn't...
16. - it can tell by looking (saying over her nights)
   - God, I can't wait to get going on...
   - lunch faces
17. - (Rick) don't stand. (Ed adds: Do not stand that old crap...)  
18. - (Riley), maybe ever:
   - Motherhead
20. - (Rick) Yoyo.
22. - Shove it.
23. - (Rick) - oh, sure -
24. - You've got to be hustling (Ed: Oh: out of your shell) (...tiring mind)
26. - Samebrain
   - perfectly dumb - an idea
30. - So...
   - Don't peak
   - Tsk.
34. - elbow grease
Ride... (Mariah reigns)

35 - (Jude) Yeah, right, I guess.
37 - (Jude) Ugh, damn it all.
40 - (Jude) Wrong a hundred percent.
41 - (Riley) Just taking some scenery
46 - Zippo. (i.e., zip, zero)
     - Uh, well, it's taking a little time...
     - Is all.
50 - (Jude) Head world on a downhill pull.
51 - Get real.
52 - For all I care.
     - (Riley) My own off-business
56 - (Jude), you bet
57 - Quite the...
62 - (Jude) Hah hah.
     - A screwed monkey.
70 - (Belmo Spenz) No problem.
Ride ... (Marion Lingo/4)
70 - (Riley) hooey.
75 - (M adds Jack's sentence for him) "the sooner, isn't it?"
76 - How's that sound?
    - rather be on your lonesome
78 - (Jack) - talk about a...
79 - will that do?
    - Now then.
    - Say more.
80 - (Jack) Sitting doing nothing
88 - (Jack) something fierce.
89 - real Zamma.
90 - You look kind of under weather.
    - Mmm, not quite.
    - Oh, bone pickin'.
93 - (Jack) - daylong world
94 - shaking her head a millimeter back 6 feet 4 imperatively
    something. No, not now!
Ride ... (Marvin goes/43)
97 - (Jick) I'm not real sure...
98 - (Jick) Damn it, petunia...
101 - Bye.
107 - (Jick) Shavetail
111 - (Jick) space case
    - you don't want to do that.
    - , what do you say.
113 - , why don't you.
    - (Jick) Well, well, well.
116 - Guess what,
124 - I can tell you are:
    - Whoa.
128 - (Jick) Would I do that?
132 - (Jick) Just trying to stay level.
134 - dark.
    - about halfway to...
136 - pearlscant snap button
Ride ... (Marion Burgo/5)

140 - Oh, horse pussy. (jick) (my note: family cursing; even Marcelle said it)

143 - (jick) Whoo, hold on a minute here...

145 - Sort of...

- (jick) watch a little bit out

150 - (jick) I can stand some company...

151 - (jick) I better get at it.

152 - (jick) A mean, ... ?

159 - (jick), Kazingo,

169 - whom, (jick)

173 - Well then now—

182 - (jick) Gooddamn it all to hell anyway,

185 - (jick) Do you.

186 - There now, look at you.

190 - Marion: "Mark me stay w/ a bright stone."

203 - So?

214 - # of Marion's talk: really rare ... etc.

230 - # of Baloney Express continues

235 - ... don't have time for a scavenger hunt
Ritch - (March bogo - 6)
237 - Let me guess.
238 - Thanks a whole hell of a hunch, Daddio.
239 - (Jrick) ...T-totally suited me
273 - tough sucker if a shoot
283 - I suppose really that's why...
284 - Daddio.
285 - (Jrick) This is how she is.
293 - Que Vado, hell
298 - Life is chores
303 - ... worth a damn
Ride... (Marian descriptions)

2 - mane of hair: tawny
3 - snapbutton tongue: colored cow shirt
  - "eye" point in Mariah
  - swinging her hair out her eyes; con. p. 4 left sudden turning way
4 - flash of earrings
  - never starts to listen until you say a thing; 3d time.
5 - camera bag w/ initials burnt in
6 - flecked of hair
5 - kind of crumbly, or maybe turned urine... in her expression
6 -乱象 unplanned house
12 - held herself so straight, as if part of current of her breastbone
  - closed her eyes to kiss
13 - used for: Cleaner
32 - sensed it... before it can get happen
42-3 - steps & calls from "Dick"
  - description of M & here as hides
Ride ... (Marian description)
47 - tracing her trigger finger up 6, dn. cold sweating glass
53 - in that too quiet way
57 - whispering invisible dust off lenses w/ dainty brush
71 - doing cave paintings
77 - her fame erasures
113 - in a ranch kitchen
158 - camera work at center's camp/tee
134 - "reputation for domesticity"
135 - cd: 'want to get off' ranch
143 - prop prop sound to sleep
144 - Egg Mtn
- Teton country; Indian Head Rock
- landmark him of brother like lighthouse
147 - fire boated; griz
148 - Jack: "I don't believe in things going extinct. But that includes me."
148+ - McC family griz episode
148 - M determined to mother every thing
72... (Mariah description/3)

150 - late 8/5 March 10 in quiz incident
- M always edge straight to a nerve
- h in arm of H scolding grownups
151 - H showed only from eyes up as she craned to see over dashboard
- M instant @ right of bean
- L: "Daddy well shoot that bean!"
153 - h hopping up 6 cm to touch fern
- M stoned still but fever-eyed
153 - bean gun: w/ extended magazine holding 7 slugs
154 - R's column, outsize brain - evolutionary angst of a nuclear event
161 - Mariah River: eye rising there in. middles
163 - Sungrass Hills (fern Shelley) - 5 magical aldehyd . .
163 - Easter 2. 1984
169 - Mariah making up contact sheets w/ grease pencil & using a pen
179 - M's cap w/ bill backward @ ch/j, to keep rain out of ears
180 - Jack's WWII wounding
191 - M's really gun in Chinook
194 - Bear's 6/day phone call to Jack
195 - Marcella's funeral Feb. '89; oilspill in March?
Ride... (Marvin dessen - 3)
197 - (fuck) solitude in each of them (Marvin x Riley)
205 - M wr/ an explaw up
224 - (fuck) We are a family that can be kind of still backed.
228 - haana's woodsman, voice
242 - M doing some exercises
255 - Frazier water tower like tiny balloon on a string
253 - Marvin, Jack emotional in Chalaka
306 - 3mo Headshaved Woman
314 - Rennie Buffal Range
315 - Marvin's farewell to Riley
Wouldn't that be plain hell.
Glenn Ford/Henry Fonda movie (The *Rounders*?)

"Whatever pleases you tickles me plumb to death."
"Don't get your nose out of joint."
Tom

"You're slipping."