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Subject: Coyote Cojones

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Folks,

I was eating dinner alone tonight. (No, my wife hasn't been reading the IDL newsgroup. Some kind of school function.) Anyway, I'm playing tennis later and I was thinking about my sad lot in life. One of the tennis teams I play on was pretty successful last year, and came within a victory, our only loss, of going to the National tournament. As a reward for such stellar play, a bunch of us got moved up a division so we are now lumped in with the 25-year-old ex-college players. What I'm sayin' is, this year is not going to be nearly as much fun for a bunch of guys pushing 60 as last year was. :-(

So, I'm thinking about this, and all of a sudden I'm thinking about yesterday morning on the rush-hour drive to Boulder. One of Coyote's wild relatives wanted to cross the highway at that particular time of day. Why, I have NO idea! But he did. So he just put his head down and ran as fast as he could through five lanes of traffic. Didn't once look to the left or right.

You've got to admire someone who can do something like that. It takes a lot of cojones, or something.

Anyway, I thought that was something you IDL newsgroup types would be interested in. I'm sure there is a lesson in there somewhere about programming. ;-)

Cheers,

David

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Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

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