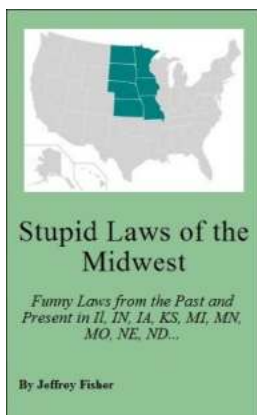


# Funny Laws From The Past And Present In Illinois Indiana Iowa Kansas Michigan

Have you ever wondered about the strange laws that exist in our society? Over the years, numerous laws have been passed that are bizarre and sometimes downright hilarious. In this article, we will take a closer look at some of the funniest laws from the past and present in Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas and Michigan.

## Illinois

1. In Illinois, you may be fined if you fall asleep in a cheese factory. Yes, you read that right. Falling asleep while surrounded by cheese can cost you some serious cash.
2. Did you know that it is illegal to wear a hat that obstructs people's view in a theater in Illinois? The lawmakers must have had a strong dislike for oversized cowboy hats!



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3. If you happen to be in Illinois and you decide to give a dog whiskey, be prepared to face the consequences. It is against the law to give dogs whiskey. Apparently, the lawmakers in Illinois care about the well-being of canines!

## **Indiana**

1. In Indiana, it is illegal to catch a fish using your bare hands. So, next time you're planning on going fishing, make sure to bring your trusty fishing rod!

2. Calling someone a "gypsy" is considered a racial slur and is banned in Indiana. The lawmakers took a stand against derogatory language and practices.

3. If you're planning on attending a public event in Indiana, remember that it is against the law to attend while smelling "offensive." It's always good to remember to wear deodorant!

## **Iowa**

1. In Iowa, it is illegal for a man with a mustache to kiss a woman in public. Apparently, the lawmakers had something against mustaches!

2. It is against the law to throw a brick onto a highway in Iowa. It makes you wonder how prevalent brick-throwing incidents were for them to pass such a specific law!

3. If you're planning on stealing someone's hotel soap in Iowa, be aware that it is illegal to do so. Stealing soap can get you into serious trouble!

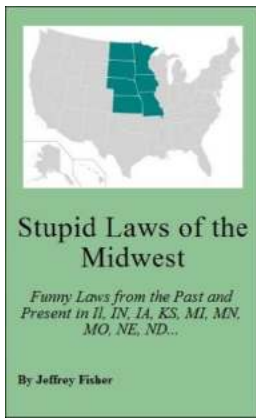
## **Kansas**

1. Did you know that in Kansas, you are not allowed to drive a buffalo through a street? It seems the lawmakers were envisioning some wild west scenario involving buffalos!
2. It is illegal to serve wine in teacups in Kansas. Looks like the Kansas lawmakers wanted to make sure people were using the appropriate glassware for their beverages!
3. If you plan on wearing a bulletproof vest while committing a crime, think again. In Kansas, it is illegal to commit a crime while wearing a bulletproof vest. The lawmakers wanted to make it harder for criminals to protect themselves!

## **Michigan**

1. In Michigan, it is illegal to tie an alligator to a fire hydrant. One can only imagine the chaos that would ensue if this bizarre act were allowed!
2. It is against the law to serenade your girlfriend in Michigan. Sorry romantics, but singing your heart out in public is a no-no!
3. Did you know that in Michigan, it is illegal to paint sparrows to sell them as parakeets? The lawmakers wanted to protect potential bird buyers from purchasing the wrong species, apparently!

These are just a few examples of the humorous and absurd laws that have been passed in Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, and Michigan. Laws like these may seem nonsensical today, but they offer a peek into the historical and cultural context in which they were created. So, the next time you find yourself in one of these states, make sure to familiarize yourself with their unique laws, and maybe even have a laugh!



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Enjoy this collection of funny, stupid and often bizarre laws from the Midwest. This includes the states of Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota and Wisconsin,. This collection includes a selection of both past and current laws.

Below is a sample law from each state:

Illinois: Bowling has been banned in Evanston.

Indiana: It is against the law to dye a baby chick.

Iowa: Kisses that last longer than five minutes are illegal.

Kansas: Snowball fights are illegal in Topeka.

Michigan: Sleeping in bathtubs is illegal in Detroit.

Minnesota: Sleeping in the nude is illegal.

Missouri: Worrying squirrels is a crime in Excelsior Springs.

Montana: It is against the law for married women to go fishing alone on a Sunday.

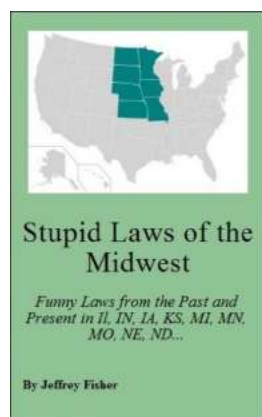
Nebraska: Sneezing during a church service is illegal in the City of Omaha.

North Dakota: Being rude while in a church, is against the law.

Ohio: Allowing any type of fowl into a bakery, is a crime.

South Dakota: It is against the law to hunt with a raptor.

Wisconsin: Catnapping is illegal.



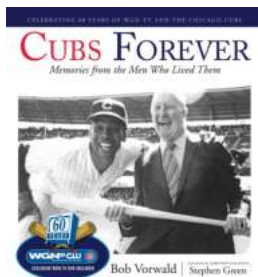
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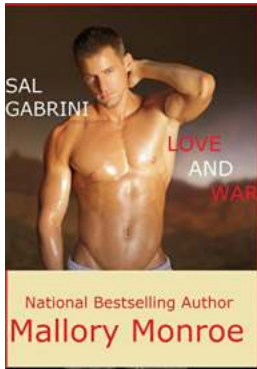
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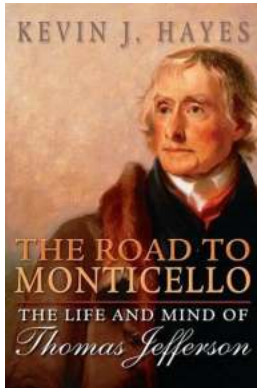
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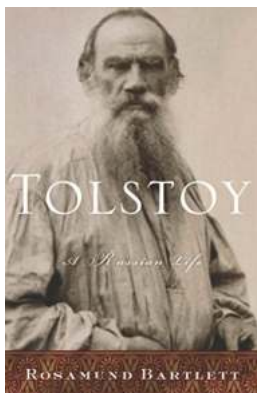
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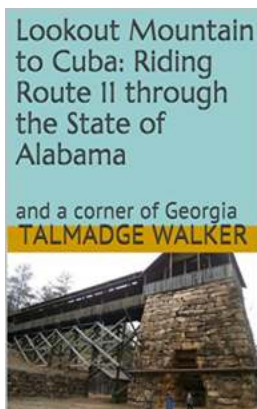
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