

Things an Old Person Would Say

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Obituaries aren't as much fun
as they used to be.

I got a real fright when they said:
Make way for the gravy train.

I can't eat ice cream anymore,
either.

I'm finished with chopsticks.
I'm going for the forks.

But
"That part of life I forgot to live?"

That's just not found in the
things-an-old-person-would-say dictionary.

