



## The Dog Days of Summer

Greetings,

The hottest days of July and August. The Romans called this period "dies caniculares" or "days of the dog star" because Sirius would appear in the sky just before the sun near the end of July.

We hope you find the time to enjoy these days and soak in as much summer as possible. As the philosopher Sam Keen wisely observed: "Deep summer is when laziness finds respectability."

In this newsletter, since our last video story was so well liked, we share another (just 7 minutes) about how Boeing's struggles may impact your summer travel plans. Also included is an interesting article from the NYT about skyrocketing home insurance prices and the growing cost vs risk disparities, and a piece from the WSJ on today's IRS update clarifying inherited IRA distribution rules. Finally, have you wondered why there are so many grayscale color cars on the road now? It's not because people actually prefer them.

We hope you enjoy. As always, we would love to hear your feedback.

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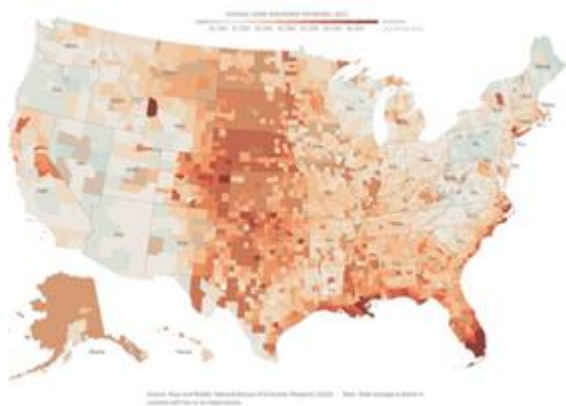
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