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One time I very carefully strapped my baby son into his new baby seat – and forgot to strap the baby seat to the seat of the car! It was just sitting there! One good hit of the brakes and he would've gone flying, seat and all. Somebody was definitely looking out for him.

I also always had the bad habit of locking my keys in the car. For many years, I kept a coat hanger under the hood of my car – it was my "emergency key" and I became very adept at using it to open the door. Then one day I not only locked the keys in, I locked my son in his car seat in there! He kept looking at me & reaching for me, he couldn't figure out why I wouldn't open the door and take him out. Luckily a nice lady in the parking lot offered to go and call the police for help, so I could stay next to the car talking to my son through the window. I don't believe I've ever locked my keys in the car since (knock on wood, of course).

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My son is almost 20 now, but some things you NEVER forget.

"FarAwayDeb"

Now there's a story I can relate to. I locked my son in the car, too, and had to stand there watching him scream until the local police came and got the door open. Fortunately it was cold instead of hot outside that day.

However, unlike you, I've locked my keys in my car once or twice since then, always in the most inconvenient of circumstances! The last time I recall was when I was in my first year of law school and there was