

## **Subject: A brains costing.**

**Finally, the doctor came in looking tired and somber. "I'm afraid I'm the bearer of bad news," he said as he surveyed the worried faces.**

**"The only hope left for your loved one at this time is a brain transplant.**

**It's an experimental procedure, very risky, but it is the only hope.**

**Insurance will cover the procedure, but you will have to pay for the BRAIN.**

**The family members sat silent as they absorbed the news. After a time, someone asked, "How much will a brain cost?"**

**The doctor quickly responded, "\$5,000 for a Democrat's brain; \$200 for a Republican's brain."**

**The moment turned awkward. Some of the Democrats actually had to try not to smile, avoiding eye contact with the Republicans.**

**A man unable to control his curiosity, finally blurted out the question everyone wanted to ask, "Why is the Democrat's brain so much more than a Republican's brain?"**

**The doctor smiled at the childish innocence and explained to the entire group, "It's just standard pricing procedure. We have to price the Republicans' brains a lot lower because they're used."**