Week of Jan 4, 2016	Market Notes
Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks Corporate Bonds Managed Global Stocks S&P 500 OTC	Sell Dec 16 In, May 2012 Sell Dec 16 Sell Dec 16 Sell Dec 16

Trading curbs in China overnight. We knew last night today wouldn't be fun (well, we knew in Dec). China with "splashy infrastructure projects, commercial and residential construction that spawns unproductive and redundant factories, ghost cities and unneeded roads, bridges an airports. But they do consume! Meanwhile back in US, rates are increasing and unknowns in Middle East continue to drag down oil prices. Since Dec 16, Dow is down 4%, S&P 500 down 3%, Nasdaq down 3%.

On tap this week:

Jan 5: Stats: Dec vehicle sales; Earnings: Eli Lily

Jan 6: Stats: Mortgage apps PMI factory orders Earnings: Monsanto

Jan 7: Stats: Oil inventories, FoMC min Earnings: Walgreens, KB home, Bed Bath, Ruby Tuesday Container Store, WD-40

Jan 8: Stats: Non-farm payroll, unemployment, wholesale trade; Earnings: Acuity Brands

Week of Jan 11, 2016	Market Notes
Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks	Sell Dec 16
Corporate Bonds	In, May 2012
Managed Global Stocks	Sell Dec 16
S&P 500	Sell Dec 16
OTC	Sell Dec 16

China stopped curbs, but that hasn't stopped the plunge in stock prices there. Oil continues to drop, however a glance at oil prices since 1862, oil traded in 1862 at 120/barrel, down to under 20/barrel in 1891, where it fluctuated until 1972. Then up to 100/barrel in 1980, down under 40 from 1986-1999. Finally in 2001 after the 9/11 invasion up to 100. Now down to \$31/barrel. Oil price volatility is not new

On tap this week:

Jan 12: Stats: JOLTS,; Earnings: CSX, Progress software

Jan 13: Stats: Oil inventories, Fed budget, beige book Earnings: infosys

Jan 14: Stats: Initial climes, import prices Earnings: JP Morgan, Intel, First Republic, Shaw

Jan 15: Stats: retail sales, PPI, Ind Prod, consumer sentiment, business inventories; Earnings: BlackRock, Citi, US Banc, WFC, PNC, Fastenal

Week of Jan 19, 2016	Market Notes
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Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks	Sell Dec 16
Corporate Bonds	In, May 2012
Managed Global Stocks	Sell Dec 16
S&P 500	Sell Dec 16
OTC	Sell Dec 16

China reported slowest GDP since 1990, so we are slugging through their economic slowdown. The strong US dollar is nice, unless you are counting on international sales (which Apple is, now Netflix too). Heard a new term: FANG. Stocks of Facebook, Amazon, Netflix and Google. Companies with excessive P/Es.

On tap this week:

Jan 19: Stats: Earnings: Delta eBay, Morgan Stanley

Jan 20: Stats CPI, Housing starts Earnings: Goldman, TD Ameritrade, Raymond Jones Jan 21: Stats: Jobless claims, Philly survey, Oil invent, money supply Earnings: ACP, Starbucks, Intuitive Surgical, Southwest Air, Schlumberger

Jan 22: Stats: Manu PMI, Exist home sales, leading ind, Oil rig count Earnings: GE, Kansas City southern, SunTrust, Legg Mason, SAP

Week of Jan 25, 2016 Market Notes

Current indicators St	atus
Corporate BondsInManaged Global StocksSeS&P 500Se	ell Dec 16 , May 2012 ell Dec 16 ell Dec 16 ell Dec 16

This stock market is like the old childrens' game, 1 step forward, 3 steps backward. Not easy to make money. Look at all the earnings this week!

On tap this week:

Jan 26: Stats: Case-Shiller home prices, PMI, Consumer confidence Earnings: 3M, Dupont, J&J, P&G, Corning, Freeport, Lockeet, Apple, AT&T, Cap One Jan 27: Stats Mortgage aps, new home sales, Oil Inv FOMC statement Earnings: Biogen, Boeing, Chrysler, Novartis, United Tech, Anthem, Paypal, Qualcomm, Juniper Net, Lam, TI, San Disk

Jan 28: Stats: Initial claims, Durable goods, Pending home sales, Nat Gas inv **Earnings:** Abbott Las, Alibaba, Bristol Myers, Cat, Deutsche, Eli, Ford, Harley-David Hershey, Time, Amazon, Micro, Visa, West Digital

Jan 29: Stats: Real GDP, Chi OMI, consumer sentiment Earnings: AbbVie, Chevron, Colgate, Honda, Honeywell, MasterCard

Week of Feb 1, 2016	Market Notes
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Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks	Sell Dec 16
Corporate Bonds	In, May 2012
Managed Global Stocks	Sell Dec 16
S&P 500	Sell Dec 16
OTC	Sell Dec 16

Sorry late Notes this week, Market Notes editor got the worst of what's going around. Antibiotics and BACK!

Well, here's some index data:	DJ Ind	S&P 500	Nasdaq
Dec 31	17, 425	2,043	5,007
Feb 4	16,416	1,915	4,509
Diff	-1,009 (-6%)	-98 (-5%)	-498 (-11%)
On tap this week:			

Feb 5: Stats: Employment, consumer credit, Earnings: Moody's, Toyota, Weyerhaeuser after hours, LinkedIn – down 29% after hours

Week of Feb 8, 2016 Market Notes

Status
Sell Dec 16
In, May 2012
Sell Dec 16
Sell Dec 16
Sell Dec 16

Asian markets closed today, hooray! But open tomorrow doesn't look good A enlightening explanation of nations (trade surplus) for the oil price decline in Barrons this week a must read. Many nations are being forced to liquidate stock and bond holdings to raise funds, which has had the effect of lowering asset prices. Welcome to the reverse of surplus~

Well, here's some index data

Date	DJ Ind	S&P 500	Nasdaq
Dec 31	17, 425	2,043	5,007
Feb 8	16, 027	1843	4,283
Diff	-1,398 (-9%)	- 200(-11%)	-724 (-17%)

On tap this week:

Feb 9: Stats: Wholesale trade, JOLTS, Earnings: Wendy's, Disney, Western Union, solar cty, Coke, Viacom

Feb 10: Stats: Yellen testifies, Fed Budget, Earnings: Time, Cisco, Tesla, Twitter, Zynga

Feb 11: Stats: Initial Claims Earnings: Pepsi, Kellogg, Groupln, CBS, KKR, AIG

Feb 12: Stats: Retail sales, consumer senti, Bus inventories, Earnings: Red Robin

Week of Feb 16, 2016 Market Notes

Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks	Sell Dec 16
Corporate Bonds	In, May 2012
Managed Global Stocks	Sell Dec 16
S&P 500	Sell Dec 16
OTC	Sell Dec 16

Well, here's se	ome index data		
Date	DJ Ind	S&P 500	Nasdaq
Dec 16	17, 749	2,073	5,071
Feb 18	16, 413	1,917	4,487
Diff	-1,336 (-8%)	-156 (-8%)	-584 (-12%)

We remain significantly ahead of the underlying indices. Leave it Apple's balance sheet to take on cell phone privacy issues!

Left this week:

Feb 19: Stats: CPI, Oil rig count, Earnings: Deere, Cabot Oil & Gas, Allianz

Week of Feb 22, 2016 Market Notes

Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks	Sell Dec 16
Corporate Bonds	In, May 2012
Managed Global Stocks	Sell Dec 16
S&P 500	Sell Dec 16
OTC	Sell Dec 16

Well, here's some index data

Date	DJ Ind	S&P 500	Nasdaq
Dec 16	17, 749	2,073	5,071
Feb 16	16, 413	1,917	4,487
Feb 22	16,431	1,921	4,503
Diff	-1,336 (-8%)	-156 (-8%)	-584 (-12%)

Indices are largely unchanged from last Tuesday.

CNBC has an interesting item about oil at these levels. Saudi Arabia is on a crash course for bankruptcy at under \$30/barrel. Libya need oil at \$269/barrel to balance it's budget. Venezuela not fairing much better. Of course they're looking at price freeze, but higher than here. It's probably going to continue to drive stocks.

Left this week:

Feb 24: Stats: New home sales, **Earnings**: Feb 25: States: Jan Durable Goods Feb 26: Stats: Q4 GDP, Jan Personal Income, Jan consumption, Mich Sentiment

Week of Feb 29, 2016 Market Notes

Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks	Sell Dec 16
Corporate Bonds	In, May 2012
Managed Global Stocks	Sell Dec 16
S&P 500	Sell Dec 16
OTC	Sell Dec 16

Well, here's some index data

Date	DJ Ind	S&P 500	Nasdaq
Dec 16	17, 749	2,073	5,071
Feb 29	16, 516	1,923	4,557
Diff	-1,233 (-7%)	-150 (-8%)	-514 (-11%)

Be another 4 years to post market notes with this date!

Indices are largely unchanged from last week, but ending numbers today represent the first 3 month losing streak sing 2011!

Super Tuesday for voters tomorrow

Left this week:

Mar 1: Stats: Feb vehicle sales, Manu PMI, Earnings: Barclays, Kate Spade, Medtronic, Ross

Mar 2: Stats: Mort apps, Oil invent Beige book; Earnings: Costco, Abercrombie Mar 3: Stats: Initial Claims, productivity, PMI Natl gas Earnings: Barns & Noble, Ciena, Mar 4: Stats: Employment, Intl trade Earnings: Staples, WPP group

Week of Mar 7, 2016 Market Notes

Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks	Buy Mar 3
Corporate Bonds	In, May 2012
Managed Global Stocks	Sell Dec 16
S&P 500	Buy Mar 3
OTC	Buy Mar 3

Well, here's some index data

Date	DJ Ind	S&P 500	Nasdaq
Dec 16	17, 749	2,073	5,071
Mar 3	16, 943	1,993	4,707
Diff	-806(-5%)	-80(-4%)	-364 (-8%)

Bought in on March 3, saved investors between 5-8 %. What's changed? Denouncement of Republican frontrunner by 2 GOP big shots, ongoing investigation into Demo front runner's e-mail server and her socialist rival's plan to raise taxes and siphon \$15 trillion from taxpayers over next decade. All good! Left this week:

Mar 8: Stats: NFIB survey, Earnings: Mar 9: Stats: Mort apps, Wholesale trade; Earnings: Mar 10: Stats: Initial Claims, Federal Budget Earnings: Mar 11: Stats: Import prices Earnings:

Week of Mar 14, 2016	Market Notes

Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks	Buy Mar 3
Corporate Bonds	In, May 2012
Managed Global Stocks	Sell Dec 16
S&P 500	Buy Mar 3
OTC	Buy Mar 3

Well, here's se	ome index data		
Date	DJ Ind	S&P 500	Nasdaq
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Mar 3	16,943	1,993	4,707
Mar 14	17,229	2,019	4,750
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Bought in on March 3, saved investors between 5-8 % and now making money!

Left this week:

Mar 15: Stats: PPI, Retail sales, business inv, Housing market Earnings: DSW, Oracle Mar 16: Stats: Ind production, CPI; Earnings: Cheetah, Mobile, Guess, Herman miller Mar 17: Stats: Jobless claims, Philly Leading indicators Earnings: Michael Cos, Lands End

Mar 18: Stats: Quadruple Witching!! Earnings: Tiffany

Week of Mar 21, 2016	Market Notes
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Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks	Buy Mar 3
Corporate Bonds	In, May 2012
Managed Global Stocks	Sell Dec 16
S&P 500	Buy Mar 3
OTC	Buy Mar 3

Well, here's se	ome index data		
Date	DJ Ind	S&P 500	Nasdaq
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Mar 3	16,943	1,993	4,707
Mar 14	17,623	2,051	4,808

Interesting take on the minimum wage in this week's Barron's. CFO's polled said if wages are hiked to \$15/hour, 41% will do layoffs, 66% will cut benefits and 49% will raise prices. Other unintended consequences: more robots and those will be permanent.

Left this week:

Mar 22: Stats: Home price index, fed manu ind Earnings: Nike, Red Hat, Krispy Kreme Mar 23: Stats: New home sales, oil invent, mortgage apps Earnings: General Mills, KB homes

Mar 24: Stats: Jobless claims, durable goods, OMI Earnings: Winnebago, Game Stop Mar 25: Stats: 4th qtr GDP, Corp profits Earnings: Markets closed for Good Friday!

Week of Mar 29, 2016 Market Notes

Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks	Buy Mar 3
Corporate Bonds	In, May 2012
Managed Global Stocks	Sell Dec 16
S&P 500	Buy Mar 3
OTC	Buy Mar 3

Well, here's se	ome index data		
Date	DJ Ind	S&P 500	Nasdaq
Mar 3	16, 943	1,993	4,707
Mar 28	17, 535	2,037	4,766

Looks like DOJ is dropping their suit against Apple. DOJ claims its because they can now get into the San Bernandino iphone. Couldn't be DOJ doesn't want to set precident??

Left this week:

Mar 29: Stats: Consumer confidence Earnings: Mar 30: Stats: ADP employment Earnings: Mar 31: Stats: Jobless claims, durable goods, OMI Earnings: Apr 1: Stats: Employment, Manu OMI, Construction spending, Consumer sentiment Earnings:

Week of April 4, 2016	Market Notes
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Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks	Buy Mar 3
Corporate Bonds	In, May 2012
Managed Global Stocks	Sell Dec 16
S&P 500	Buy Mar 3
OTC	Buy Mar 3

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Date	DJ Ind	S&P 500	Nasdaq
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Mar 3	16, 943	1,993	4,707
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April 4	17, 737	2,066	4,891

Barron's endorced Kasich this week, and between his thoughtful finance positions and 1,000 times the class of either other Republican and that statistically he could beat Clinton, we kinda get this. Meanwhile we've made money the first quarter, not something you can say about the indexes in this country!

Left this week:

Apri 5: Stats: trade deficit, ISM Jolts Earnings: Walgreens, Pershing
April 6: Stats: Oil inventories Earnings: Monsanto, Apollo Ed, Bed bath & Beyond
Aprl 7: Stats: Jobless claims, consumer credit Earnings: CarMax, Rite Aid, WD-40
April 8: Stats: Wholesale trade Earnings:

Week of April 11, 2016 Market Notes

Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks	Buy Mar 3
Corporate Bonds	In, May 2012
Managed Global Stocks	Sell Dec 16
S&P 500	Buy Mar 3
OTC	Buy Mar 3

Well, here's	s some index d	ata	
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Mar 3	16, 943	1,993	4,707
April 4	17, 556	2,041	4,831
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Markets down a bit last week, we'll let you know if we sell

Left this week:

Apri 12: Stats: import pries, Fed budget Earnings: CSX
April 13: Stats: Retail sales, Beige book Earnings: JP Morgan, Pier 1, Kinder Morgan
Aprl 14: Stats: Jobless claimsCPI Earnings: Bof A, Wells, First Rep, Advance Miro, Delta, Shaw, Freeport-McMoran
April 15: Stats: Tax day Earnings: Citigroup, Schwab

Week of April 18, 2016 Market Notes

Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks	Buy Mar 3
Corporate Bonds	In, May 2012
Managed Global Stocks	Sell Dec 16
S&P 500	Buy Mar 3
OTC	Buy Mar 3

Well, here's	some index d	ata	
Date	DJ Ind	S&P 500	Nasdaq
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Mar 3	16, 943	1,993	4,707
April 18	18,004	2,094	4,960
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Markets up, interest rates down. Like zero, so risk on again

Left this week:

Apri 19: Stats: Housing starts Earnings: GS, J&J,UnitedHealth, Harlet-Davidson, KC Southern, TD Amertrade, Yahoo, Intuitive Surgical
April 20: Stats: Existing home sales Earnings AmExp,Coke,Abbott Labs, Mattel, Qualcomm, Las Vegas Sands, Yum,Canadian Pacific, Illinois Tool
Aprl 21: Stats: Initial claims, Philly Earnings: Google,Microsoft, GM, Visa, starbucks, Mellon Bank, Southwest, ETrade, Boston beer
April 22: Stats: Manu PMI Earnings: Ge, Honeywell, McDonalds, Kimberly Clark

Week of April 25, 2016 Market Notes

Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks	Buy Mar 3
Corporate Bonds	In, May 2012
Managed Global Stocks	Sell Dec 16
S&P 500	Buy Mar 3
OTC	Buy Mar 3

Well, here's s	some index dat	a	
Date	DJ Ind	S&P 500	Nasdaq
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Mar 3	16,943	1,993	4,707
April 25	17,977	2,087	4,895
April 23	17,977	2,007	4,095

Apple announces earnings tomorrow. No one is very excited, but we are!

Left this week:

Apri 26: Stats: March durable goods, Consimer onf Earnings: Aapl, AT&T
April 27: Stats: Earnings Comcast, Facebook
Aprl 28: Stats: Q1 GDP Earnings: Mastercard, Ford, Amazon, Gilead, Dow CHem
April 29: Stats: Personal income consumption, Mich Sentiment Earnings: Chevron,

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Week of May 9, 2016 Market Notes

Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks	Buy Mar 3
Corporate Bonds	In, May 2012
Managed Global Stocks	Sell Dec 16
S&P 500	Buy Mar 3
OTC	Buy Mar 3

Well, here's s	ome index data	1	
Date	DJ Ind	S&P 500	Nasdaq
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Mar 3	16,943	1,993	4,707
May 9	17,705	2,058	4,750

Markets have been dropping and we are approaching the inevitable sell.

Left this week:

May 10: Stats: March wholesale Earnings:
May 11: Stats: Earnings
May 12: Stats Fed districts speak Earnings:
May 13: Stats: Employment, Consumer credit Earnings: Cigna, Madison Square Garden, Berkshire Hathaway

Week of May 16, 2016 Market Notes

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Well, here's some index data, check out our sell! Today was Apple and Oil				
Date	DJ Ind	S&P 500	Nasdaq	
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Mar 10	17,928	2,084	4,809	
May 13	17,535	2,046	4,717	
May 16	17, 710	2,066	4,775	

Its hard to sell into an up day in the market, takes counter-intuitive discipline. Which if you would like to have that for your clients, go to <u>www.econ101.com</u> and download a client agreement, or call us for power point presentation.

Left this week:

May 16: Stats: COI, housing starts, building permits, ind production Earnings: Home depot, Red Robin, Vodafone, Children's Place

May 17: Stats:FOMC minutes **Earnings:** Target, Lowes, SAB Miller, Cisco, Hormel, Staples, Salesforce, Analog, Burberry, Take two interactive

May 18: Stats Jobless, Philly fed Earnings: Walmart, App Materials, Dicks sporting, Autodesk, Advanced Auto, Ross, Mentor Graphics

May 19: Stats: Existing home sales Earnings: Campbell Soup, Deere, Foot locker

Week of May 31, 2016 Ma

Market Notes

Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks	Buy May 25, 2016
Corporate Bonds	In, May 2012
Managed Global Stocks	In May 25, 2016
S&P 500/OTC	ion May 25, 2016

Well, here's some index data, check out our sell! Today was midday recovery				
Date	DJ Ind	S&P 500	Nasdaq	
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Mar 10	17,928	2,084	4,809	
May 25	17,851	2,090	4,894	
May 31	17, 787	2,096	4,948	

And buy into a declining market, takes counter-intuitive discipline. Which if you would like to have that for your clients, go to <u>www.econ101.com</u> and download a client agreement, or call us for power point presentation.

Left this week:

June 1: Stats: Manu PMI, ISM, Beige book Earnings:
June 2: Stats: ECU rate, Initial claims, oil inventories Earnings:
June 3: Stats Employment report, Services PMI, Factory orders, Rig Count Earnings:

Week of June 6, 2016		Market Notes	
Current indicators Managed US Stocks Corporate Bonds Managed Global Stocks S&P 500/OTC		Status Buy May 25 In, May 2012 Buy May 25 Buy May 25	
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	DJIA	SP 500	Nasdaq
May 25	17,735	2,078	4,968
June 6	17,920	2,109	4,894

Buying into a down market, takes counter-intuitive discipline. Which if you would like to have that for your clients, go to <u>www.econ101.com</u> and download a client agreement, or call us for power point presentation.

Left this week:

June 7: Stats: Productivity, Cons credit Earnings:

June 8: Stats: JOLTS Earnings:

June 9: Stats Initial claims, Wholesale trade Earnings:

June 10: Stats: Consumer sentiment, federal budget Earnings:

Week of Ju	ne 13, 2016	Ma	arket Notes
Current indicators Managed US Stocks Corporate Bonds Managed Global Stocks S&P 500/OTC		Status Buy May 25 In, May 2012 Buy May 25 Buy May 25	
May 25 June 13	DJIA 17,735 17,732	SP 500 2,078 2,079	Nasdaq 4,968 4,848

Well, a sell in here will be a zero gain zero lost trade. Maybe a pop before we get a sell? Talk all over about negative interest rates. Hope banks don't start charging for interest bearing accounts. #Mattressreconsidered. Yes! Follow us on twitter! @maiahermesecon

Left this week:

June 14: Stats: FOMC meeting begins, Retial sails, import priced Business inventories Earnings:

June 15: Stats: May PPI, Ind production, FOMC statement Earnings:

June 16: Stats Initial claims, Current account Earnings:

June 17: Stats: Housing starts, building permits Earnings:

Week of June 20, 2016	Market Notes

Current indicators		Status	
Managed US Stocks		Buy May 25	
Corporate Bonds		In, May 2012	
Managed Global Stocks		Buy May 25	
S&P 500/OTC		Buy May 25	
	DJIA	SP 500	Nasdaq
May 25	17,735	2,078	4,968
June 20	17,804	2,083	4,837

Brexit or not? Looks like markets prefer no changes, clearing discounting that. Follow us on twitter! @maiahermesecon

Left this week:

June 21: Stats: Earnings: FedEx.Adobe, Lennar, La-Z-Boy, Carnival June 22: Stats: Exist home sales, Earnings: H&M, B,B & Beyond, Red Hat, Winnebago

June 23: Stats May: leading indictors, new home sales, durable goods **Earnings:** Accenture, Comm Metals, Sonic

June 24: Stats Consumer sentiment Earnings: Blackberry

Week of June 27, 2016		Market Notes	
Current indicators Managed US Stocks Corporate Bonds Managed Global Stocks S&P 500/OTC		Status Sell June 22 In, May 2012 Sell June 22 Sell June 22	
May 25 June 22	DJIA 17,735 17,780	SP 500 2,078 2,085	Nasdaq 4,968 4,833

Brexit!! Yes we got an Equity sell before the Brexit vote. We got a sell before 9/11 also, and how? Because European markets were volatile before both of these, and our models picked up that and generated a sell. Follow us on twitter! @maiahermesecon

Left this week:

June 28: Stats: Case-Shiller, Cons conf Earnings: Carnival, Barnes & Noble June 29: Stats: Personal income, consumer spending, Earnings: Monsanto, G Mills June 30: Stats Jobless claims Earnings: Paychex, Micron July 1: Stats Vehicle sales, construction spending Earnings:

Week of July 5, 2016	Market Notes
Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks	Sell June 22
Corporate Bonds	In, May 2012
Managed Global Stocks	Sell June 22

	DJIA	SP 500	Nasdaq
May 25	17,735	2,078	4,968
July 5	17,840	2,088	4,832

Brexit!! Nice recovery although today is the hangover. We'll be buying in here this week is the guess. Not a big week for earnings or justice. Hillary is getting off easy.

Sell June 22

Left this week:

S&P 500/OTC

July 6: Stats: May Factory orders Earnings: International Speedway

July 7: Stats: Intl trade, PMI, ISM, FOMC Earnings: Greenbrier

July 8: Stats Initial claims Earnings:

July 9: Stats Employment, consumer credit Earnings:

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Week of July 18, 2016	Market Notes
Current indicators	Status
Managed US Stocks	Buy July 14
Corporate Bonds	In, May 2012
Managed Global Stocks	Buy July 14
S&P 500/OTC	Buy July 14

	DJIA	SP 500	Nasdaq
May 25	17,735	2,078	4,968
July 5	17,840	2,088	4,832

We're back in! Watching RNC, no news there. Lots of earnings!

Left this week:

July 19: Stats: Housing starts Earnings: Goldman, J&J, Novartis, Phil Morris,

Comerica, TD Ameritrade, WW Grainer, Microsoft

July 20: Stats: Oil Inv. Mortgage Apps Earnings: Abbott Labs, Halliburton, Morgan Stanley, SAP, C Pacific, M&T Bank, AmExp, eBay,Intel, Qually, Core Labs, Sallie Mae July 21: Stats Jobless claims, Existing home sales, leading indicators Earnings: Biogen, Daimer, GM, Roche, Travelers, Bank of NY Blackstone, Dominos, AT&T, Starbucks, Visa, Cap One, Chipolte, E-Trade, Advanced Micro

July 22: Stats PMI Mft index, Oil rig Earnings: GE, Honewell, Amer Air, Moody's Black & Decker

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Week of August 1, 2016		Ma	arket Notes
Current indicators Managed US Stocks Corporate Bonds Managed Global Stocks S&P 500/OTC		Status Buy July 14 In, May 2012 Buy July 14 Buy July 14	
May 25 July 14 Aug 1	DJIA 17,735 18,414 18,434	SP 500 2,078 2,157 2,170	Nasdaq 4,968 5,041 5,184

We're back in, but equity models are deteriorating. Demos keep pointing to Wall Street as result of successful Obama economics. Fact: artificial low interest rates cause risk on! Left this week:

Aug 2: Stats: Personal income Earnings: Procter & Gamble, Pfizer, Honda, AIG, CVS, Aetna, Archer Daniels, Seagate, Royal Caribbean, Avon, Fitbit, Steve Madden, La Quinta Aug 3: Stats: PMI Earnings: Time Warner, Tesla, Allstate, Marathon Oil, Kate Spade, Oxy, Tesoro, MetLife, 3D systems, Humana, HollyFrontier

Aug 4: Stats Initial claims, Factory orders Earnings: Kraft, LinkedIn, Toyota, Siemens, Alcatel-Lucent, SeaWorld, Time, Motorola, El Polly, Zynga

Aug 5: Stats Employment, Intl trade, Consumer credit Earnings: Weyerhaeuser, Alliancz, Virgin, Libery Interactive

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Week of August 8, 2016		Ma	arket Notes
Current indicators Managed US Stocks Corporate Bonds Managed Global Stocks S&P 500/OTC		Status Sell Aug 4 In, May 2012 Sell Aug 4 Aug 4	
May 25 July 14 Aug 4	DJIA 17,735 18,414 18,351	SP 500 2,078 2,157 2,163	Nasdaq 4,968 5,041 5,158

We're out, and we'll see. Just enjoy the tax plans out of DNC & RNC. Sad sad Aug 9: Stats: Productivity, wholesale trade Earnings: Disney, Solar City, Nowegian Cruise, Red Robin, Mylan Labs, Yelp, Scripps Network

Aug 10: Stats: Jolts, Fed Budget Earnings: Michael Kors, Ralph Lauren, Wendys, Shake Shack, Flowers Foods, Blue Buffalo

Aug 11: Stats Initial claims, Import prices Earnings: Alibaba, Macys, Kohl's, Nordstrom, Planet Fitness

Aug 12: Stats Retail Sales, PPI, Consumer sent, Business Inventories Earnings:

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	DJIA	SP 500	Nasdaq Status
May 25	17,735	2,078	4,877 Buy
June 22	17,832	2,089	4,846 Sell
July 14	18,414	2,157	5,041 Buy
Aug 4	18,351	2,163	5,158 Sell
Aug 15	18,588	2,190	5,242 Buy

Partially back in equities. Many times at market peaks/troughs, models get rapid exchanges, so we're cautious. Vacation time, and markets are increasing on low rates again. Markets tend to like incumbent political parties, so there's your Wall Street bet! 92% of S&p 500 stocks have reported earnings

Coming up:

Aug 16: Stats: CPI, housing starts, Ind Production Earnings: HD, Dicks' Sporting, Urban Outfitters, Popeyes, TJX, Advance Auto

Aug 17: Stats: FOMC minutes Earnings: Target, Staples, Lowes, Cisco, American Outfitters

Aug 18: Stats Initial claims, Philly Fed Earnings: WalMart, Applied Materials, Gap, Ross, Nestle, Hormel

Aug 19: Stats Earnings: Deere, Estee Lauder, Foot Locker, Madison Sq Garden

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June 22	17,832	2,089	4,846 Sell
July 14	18,414	2,157	5,041 Buy
Aug 4	18,351	2,163	5,158 Sell
Aug 22	18,529	2,182	5,244 Buy

Partially back in equities. Why? Nasdaq just made its eight straight week increase! Coming up:

Aug 23: Stats: New home sales, Earnings: Bank of Montreal, Best Buy, Toll Bros, Smucker, Intuit

Aug 24: Stats: Manufacturing PMI, Existing home sales Earnings: HP, Royal Bank of Canada, Williams Sonoma

Aug 25: Stats Initial claims, Durable goods Earnings: Burlington Stores, dollar Gen, Dollard tress, Michaels, Autodesk

Aug 26: Stats Real GDP Q2, Intl trade, Services PMi, consumer sentiment Earnings: Big lots

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Merrill lynch says Wall Street is pricing a Clinton landslide, Republican House and no changes to economic policy, i.e. low rates. There are unexpected consequences to low rates, among them Corporate debt has risen to historic levels, consumers continue to loan to corps, most notably through High Yield Bond fund purchases. Last debt bubble: housing

Coming up:

Aug 30: Stats: S&P home prices, consumer confidence **Earnings:** Abercrombie&Fitch, Palo Alto Networks, H&R block, DSW

Aug 31: Stats: Chicago PMI, Pending home sales Earnings: Salesforce.com, Chicos, Nat'l Bank of Greece, Shoe Carnival

Sep 1: Stats Aug car sale, Initial job claims, Manu PMI **Earnings:** Campbell Soup, Broadcom, Lululemom athletica, Lands End, Smith & Wesson

Sep 2: Stats August Employment, trade deficit, Factory orders Earnings:

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Week of September 6, 2016

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Sep 2	18, 491	2,179	5,249 Sell

We do tend to get a lot of exchanges at market peaks and troughs. Apple fighting the Irish and new iphone out tomorrow, hardly any hype. Unless your screens' cracked, you ain't gonna buy it. Nasdaq makes new all time high!

Coming up:

Sep 7: Stats: JOLTS, Beige book Earnings: New iphone

Sep 8: Stats: Initial claims, Consumer credit Earnings:

Sep 9: Stats Wholesale numbers Earnings:

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Week of September 12, 2016

Market Notes

	DJIA	SP 500	Nasdaq Status
Sep 2	18, 491	2,179	5,249 Sell
Sep 9	18,085	2,117	5,124 Buy
Sep 12	18,325	2,159	5,211

Nice trade last Friday. Mainly we bought DIA ETFs, great ETF to trade. Highly liquid, pays a divvy.

Coming up:

Sep 13: Stats: Fed budget Earnings:

Sep 14: Stats: Initial claims, Retail sales, Philly Fed Business inventories Earnings:

Sep 15: Stats CPI, Consumer sentiment Earnings:

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Sep 2	18,491	2,179	5,249 Sell
Sep 9	18,085	2,117	5,125 Buy
Sep 19	18,120	2,139	5,235 In the market

Coming up:

Sep 20: Stats: FOMC mtg begins. Housing starts, building permits Earnings: Lennar, FedEx, KB Homes, Adobe

Sep 21: Stats: Earnings: General Mills, Red Hat, CarMax, Bed Bath & Beyond

Sep 22: Stats Initial claims, Home prices, existing home sales, leading index Earnings: AutoZone, Rite Aid

Sep 23: Stats: Philly Fed, Manu PMI, Earnings: FInish Line

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	DJIA	SP 500	Nasdaq Status
Sep 2	18, 491	2,179	5,249 Sell
Sep 9	18,120	2,139	5,235 Buy
Sep 26	18,094	2,146	5,257

Markets seem to want Team Clinton, and that is no longer a sure thing. Tune in to tonight; arguments, maybe a debate will come out!

Coming up:

Sep 27: Stats: Case-Shiller home prices, Services PMI, Consumer conf, **Earnings**: Nike, Markit, FactSet

Sep 28: Stats: Durable goods Earnings: Paychex, Blackberry, Pier 1, Actuant Sep 29: Stats Philly Fed, Initial Claims, GDP, Pending home Earnings: PepsiCo. Costco, Accenture

Sep 30: Stats: Personal Income, Chicago PMI ,Consumer Sentiment Earnings: McCornick, Container Store

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Sep 2	18, 491	2,179	5,249 Sell
Sep 9	18,120	2,139	5,235 Buy
Oct 3	18,253	2,161	5,300

Can Trump turn around the election at this point? Or with 3 am tweets insulting Miss Universe? Me thinks he could heed advise from Bill Clinton's advisor, Jim Carvel's platform, "It's the economy"

Coming up:

Oct 4: Stats: Fed speakers from Richmond & Chicago Earnings: Darden, Micron Oct 5: Stats: Trade deficit, PMI, ISM non-manu, Factory orders Earnings: Yum, Constellation Brands, Monsanto

Oct 6: Stats Jobless claims **Earnings:** Helen of Troy, Ruby Tuesday **Oct 7: Stats:** Employment, Wholesale trade, consumer credit **Earnings:**

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Sep 9	18,120	2,139	5,235 Buy
Oct 10	18,329	2,163	5,328

What a world! Now Hillary's facebook followers are campaigning that Bill isn't running. Somehow we don't see Bill sitting still and select China patterns

Coming up:

Oct 11: Stats: NFIB Survey Earnings: Alcoa, Fastenal

Oct 12: Stats: JOLTS, Fed minutes Earnings: CSX

Oct 13: Stats Jobless claims, Import prices, Fed budget **Earnings:** Marriott, Winnebago, First Republic Bank

Oct 14: Stats: Retail sales, PPI, Consumer Sentiment, Biz inventories **Earnings:** Citigroup, JPMorgan, Chase, WFC, PNC, Infosys, commerce Bancshares

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Week of October 17, 2016

Market Notes

	DJIA	SP 500	Nasdaq Status
Sep 2	18, 491	2,179	5,249 Sell
Sep 9	18,120	2,139	5,235 Buy
Oct 17	18,086	2,126	5,199

We are entering fall earnings seasons. Netflix announced great earnings after the bell Monday.

Earnings and Economic Statistics coming up this week:

Oct 18: Stats: Sept CPI (Consumer Price Index) **Earnings:** Goldman Sachs, Blackrock, J&J, United Health, Philip Morris, Dominos Pizza, Harley-Davidson, Intel, Yahoo, Intuitive Surgical

Oct 19: Stats: Housing Starts **Earnings**: AmExp, Morgan Stanley, US Bancorp, Abbott Labs, Halliburton, Tupperware, Can-Pac Railroad, Northern Trust

Oct 20: Stats: Initial Jobless claims, Existing home sales **Earnings:** Microsoft, Verizon, Travelers, Union Pacific, Walgreens, Alliance, Amer Air, Advanced Micro

Oct 21: Stats: Earnings: Daimler, General Electric, Honeywell, McDonalds, Manpower

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Sep 2	18, 491	2,179	5,249 Sell
Sep 9	18,120	2,139	5,235 Buy
Oct 18	18,161	2,139	5,243 Sell

Earnings continue. Apple after the bell Tuesday.

Earnings and Economic Statistics coming up this week:

Oct 25: Stats: Consumer Confidence Earnings: 3M, Caterpiller, DuPont, Eli Lilly Chrysler, GM, Merck, TD Ameritrade, Apple, AT&T, Chipolte, Capital One Oct 26: Stats: Trade deficit, New Home Sales Earnings: Coke, Comcast, Glaxo, Gen Dynamics, Samsung, Tesla, TI, Newmont Mining, Public Storage, VMware, Groupon Oct 27: Stats: Jobless claims, Pending home sales, Durable Goods Earnings: Barclays, Bristol-Myers, Colgate, Dow Chem, Dr Pepper, Google, Amazon, Baidu, Amgen Oct 28: Stats: Consumer Sentiment, Q3 GDP Earnings: Chevron, Exxon, Xerox, Phillips 66, Legg Mason

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We haven't been buying 100% of investors' portfolios this past quarter, as markets are at their highs. Still upside but a lot more downside. We're still making money!

Lot of Earnings and Economic Statistics coming up this week:

Nov 1: Stats: Manufacturing PMI, ISM, Construction spending Earnings: BP, Royal Dutch, Coach, Coors, Sony, Coors, Gilead, Etsy, US Steel, Owens
Nov 2: Stats: FOMC statement Earnings: Facebook Qualcomm, MetLife, Yelp, Fox, Kate spade, La Quinta, Red Robin, LOL Financial
Nov 3: Stats: Jobless claims, Productivity, Factory orders Earnings: Kraft, CBS, Starbucks, LV Sands, Cigna, Hyatt, Weight watchers, El Pollo Loco
Nov 4: Stats: Employment rpt, Intl trade Earnings: Humana Duke, Madison Square Garden, Shutterstock, Regeneration

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Nov 7	18,259	2,131	5,166

Wall Street seems to like a Clinton victory; in spite of the anti-wall street tax proposals by Clinton. More likely: Wall Street likes that after the FBI probe, there will be a Republican Congress. Which will be favorable to taxes and the stock market. Gridlock remains!

Notice where we are from Oct 18 sell! Earnings and Economic Statistics coming up

Nov 8: Stats: Election Earnings: Toyota, Johnson Controls, TripAdvisor, SeaWorld Nov 9: Stats: Wholesale trade Earnings: Burberry, Viacom, Wendy's, Dish Networks, Container Store. SunLife Financial, Norwegian Cruise Nov 10: Stats: Johless claims, Federal Budget Farnings: Dispay, Michael Kors

Nov 10: Stats: Jobless claims, Federal Budget Earnings: Disney, Michael Kors, Nordstrom, Kohls, Macy's Manulife, Ralph Lauren

Nov 11: Stats: Veterans day, bond market closed Earnings: JC Penney, Allianz

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Sep 9	18,120	2,139	5,235 Buy
Oct 18	18,161	2,139	5,243 Sell
Nov 10	18,259	2,167	5,208 Buy
Nov 21	18,956	2,198	5,368

Now Wall Street likes Republican pic of those fly-over states. At least it looks like a good employment atmosphere for infrastructure jobs. Tech, not so good. Remember Steve Jobs told Obama years ago: those jobs aren't coming back. We'll see if Trump makes them.

Our buy looks good. Happy Thanksgiving!

Nov 22: Stats: Existing home sales Earnings: none

Nov 23: Stats: New home sales, consumer sentiment, jobless claims Earnings:

Nov 24: Stats: US markets closed

Nov 25: Stats: trade deficit

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Nov 28	19,097	2,201	5,368

Stock market slowing down, oil takes a front row. Our buy looks good. Happy Thanksgiving!

Nov 29: Stats: Real GDP, home prices, consumer confidence Earnings: Tiffiany, Autodesk

Nov 30: Stats: Peersonal income, pending home sales, beige book Earnings: Am Eagle Out fitters, La-Z0Boy, Guess

Dec 1: Stats: Initial jobless claims, Construction spending, **Earnings:** Dollar, Lands End, Kroger, Smith & Wesson

Dec 2: Stats: Employent rpt Earnings: Big Lots

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Week of December 5, 2016

Market Notes

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Sep 9	18,120	2,139	5,235 Buy
Oct 18	18,161	2,139	5,243 Sell
Nov 10	18,259	2,167	5,208 Buy large cap
Dec 1	19,191	2,191	5,251 Buy OTC
Dec 5	19,244	2,204	5,308

Indexes continue to rip-roar since election. OTC buy was later but still great December generally good for stocks

Dec 6: Stats: Productivity, Factory Orders **Earnings:** Toll Brothers, Oxford Ind, Bank of Montreal

Dec 7: Stats: JOLTS, Consumer credit **Earnings**: Costco, Lululemon, Athletica, H&R **Dec 8: Stats**: Intial claims, **Earnings**: Sears, Broadcom, RH, Ciena

Dec 9: Stats: Consumer sentiment, Wholesale trade **Earnings:** Vail Resorts

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Week of December 12, 2016

Market Notes

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Oct 18	18,161	2,139	5,243 Sell
Nov 10	18,259	2,167	5,208 Buy large cap
Dec 1	19,191	2,191	5,251 Buy OTC
Dec 12	19,796	2,256	5,412 edging toward equity sell

Our model is edging, and nice profit if we sell! Governing through twitter is a suboptimal approach..

Dec 13: Stats: Fed meeting begins, Intl Trade, productivity Earnings:
Dec 7: Stats: Import prices, FOMC decision Earnings:
Dec 8: Stats: Initial claims, CPI, Philly fed survey, Manufacturing PMI, Earnings:
Dec 9: Stats: Housing starts Earnings:

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Week of December 27, 2016

Market Notes

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Oct 18	18,161	2,139	5,243 Sell
Nov 10	18,259	2,167	5,208 Buy large cap
Dec 1	19,191	2,191	5,251 Buy OTC
Dec 28	19,833	2,249	5,438 lil market that could

Even with the last two trading days, we're still up from buy. Newsletter editor out for surgery, back Jan 3

Meanwhile:

Dec 29: Stats: Initial claims, International trade, Earnings: Dec 30: Stats: Chicago PMI Earnings:

Happy New year!

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