Paraprosdokians are figures of speech where the latter part of a sentence or phrase is a complete surprise or unexpected, also frequently humorous. (Winston Churchill loved them).

- 1. Where there's a will, I want to be in it.
- 2. The last thing I want to do is hurt you... but it's still on my list.
- 3. Since light travels faster than sound, some people appear bright until you hear them speak.
- 4. If I agreed with you, we'd both be wrong.
- 5. We never really grow up -- we only learn how to act in public.
- 6. War does not determine who is right, only who is left.
- 7. Knowledge is knowing a tomato is a fruit. Wisdom is not putting it in a fruit salad.
- 8. To steal ideas from one person is plagiarism. To steal from many is research.
- 9. I didn't say it was your fault, I said I was blaming you.
- 10. In filling out an application, where it says, "In case of emergency, notify..." I answered, "a doctor."
- 11. Women will never be equal to men until they can walk down the street with a bald head and a beer gut, and still think they are sexy.
- 12. You do not need a parachute to skydive. You only need a parachute to skydive twice.
- 13. I used to be indecisive, but now I'm not so sure.
- 14. To be sure of hitting the target, shoot first and call whatever you hit the target.
- 15. Going to church doesn't make you a Christian, any more than standing in a garage makes you a car.
- 16. You're never too old to learn something stupid.
- 17. I'm supposed to respect my elders, but it's getting harder and harder for me to find one now.