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Thread: [Ever notice how fast a whole year disappears once October hits?](#)

jasonust - October 16, 2025, 8:27 am

It's like the second Halloween decorations show up, time just folds in half. One moment it's pumpkin spice, next thing you know it's fireworks and "see you next year."

Every year I tell myself I'll slow down and actually enjoy it — but between work, deadlines, and random chaos, it's like the last quarter of the year just speedruns itself.

Anyone else feel that weird acceleration the closer it gets to the holidays?
Or is that just adult life sneaking up with a timer none of us agreed to?

Charlie Sheen - October 16, 2025, 8:31 am

I was thinking about that yesterday. I feel like it was just a few weeks ago I was putting up decorations last year.

aj33b9009 - October 16, 2025, 9:29 am

The year goes by so fast

DAL-SHA - October 16, 2025, 11:27 am

or me : its when May arrives , the year starts getting faster sadly ..

Hackers - October 16, 2025, 11:31 am

Heh, time flies when you're having fun they say.

There are also entire conspiracy theories designed around the concept of time moving quicker than in the past.

I don't buy into these, but they're interesting to say the least.

Time is a cool thing.

I think people have been saying it flies for a long time. The US' first real penny specifically mentions it

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Fugio_cent

Love the Fugio cent for a number of reasons :)

Time flies & we are all one

My wife and I looked back at our long engagement like holy shit, how did time go so quickly?
Almost a decade together now.

Deany - October 16, 2025, 4:51 pm

It's the demons speeding up time again

RangoWorld - October 17, 2025, 12:41 am

Yea. I still remember the last October very clearly.

Eran - October 17, 2025, 4:21 am

Definitely. Same feeling for summer, it feels like I was sunbathing and partying in July like 2 weeks

ago. :/

B3A - *October 17, 2025, 7:22 am*

october is the friday in months

sharn - *October 19, 2025, 10:03 am*

Totally, time flies once October arrives.

The end of the year is closer than it feels.