November 2011 Experiment: Predict Your Expenses For The Next Month

The purpose of this experiment is to see how your spending expectations compare to your actual expenditures At the beginning of the month, you'll fill out this form.   During the month, you track your actual expenses.   At the end of the month, we'll analyze the results.

By filling out this form, you allow me permission to share the results in aggregate form.   No personally identifying information will be shared.

* Required

How much money will you spend on Housing in November? *

Housing includes mortgage, rent, escrow, homeowner's insurance, maintenance, etc.

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How much will you spend on Food in November? *

Food includes groceries, dining out, etc.

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How much will you spend on Transportation in November? *

Transportation includes car payment, public transportation, gas, car repairs, registration fees, etc.

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How much money will you spend on Debt in November? *

Debt includes credit card interest and fees, student loans, or other personal loans.

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How much money will you spend on Utilities in November? *

Utilities include electricity, gas, water, heating oil, cable tv, internet, telephone, cell phones, etc.

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How much money will you spend on Personal in November? *

Personal includes health insurance, medical expenses, clothing, personal care, entertainment, etc.

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How much money will you spend TOTAL in November? *

Instead of asking for "Other", enter your expected total expenses for the entire month. Exclude savings items including 401k, IRA, and other savings accounts.

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