## Turn-in Old Homework & Pick-up New Homework

Projects: Get Going!

Why Do Normal Distributions Appear?

## Innocent Men and Women on Death Row

- There are **3,269** inmates on death row.
- Over **1,900** inmates once on death row are no longer there. (All by either death by natural causes or suicide, resentencing, or retrial.)
- However, there have been only 74 death-row inmates released since 1973 after evidence exonerating them had been found. Furthermore, 25 of these acquittals have occurred since 1993. Average time from erroneous conviction to release for these former prisoners: Six and one-half years.

## Reasonable Doubt

• Reasonable doubt is that doubt engendered by an investigation of all the proof in the case and an inability, after such investigation, to let the mind rest easily as to the certainty of guilt. Reasonable doubt does not mean a captious, possible or imaginary doubt. Absolute certainty of guilt is not demanded by the law to convict of any criminal charge, but moral certainty is required, and this certainty is required as to every proposition of proof requisite to constitute the offense.