

MORNING WATCH

or the week of June 6 ,2021

(WE ALL NEED TO TAKE HEED OF THIS STORY.)

“As a Man thinketh in his heart,

So is He” Psalm 146

If you think you can OR If you think you can't =You're right both times.

This morning watch may seem contrary to what you normally expect to read--but if you benefit from the story, there is the good.

When Boonie and I first moved to Columbus, we found ourselves living in the same apartment building as one of his best friends from kindergarten! (Rosie was such a sweet thing, and it was no surprise that she and Boonie had become such fast friends.) However, Rosie tended to only see the downside of every situation. She was married to a great guy and very quickly into their marriage they were blessed with several children. Rosie never missed a Mass or a Holy Day, but seemingly, she never found “The Good News” in any of it. For instance, Rosie would say to me, “Oh, Janny, one of my kids has a cold-I know he will give it to the next one and then on and on till it's back to start all over again.”

Rosie actually had what most of us only dream of having, but she was quick always to see disaster ahead.

Well, both of our families moved on, but we kind of kept in touch. Sadly, Rosie's husband passed away at a very young age, leaving her with, I think six children to raise by herself. Rosie and her kids moved back to Greenfield, and some forty years later, so did we.

Boonie and I were so sad to learn that Rosie had Alzheimer's. She did not live long after that.

She had it all and never knew it. So very sad.

“As a man (or woman) thinketh”-----