

Sisters and Brothers,

Greetings from the southern part of our fair state. I hope everyone is well. The pandemic continues to dominate our thoughts as we learn to function within the prescribed guidelines. Someone once said something to the effect that the only constant in our lives is change. I do believe that “constant” is being demonstrated – “change”.

Changes in our lives often brings uncertainty, apprehension and indecision. Whether by Devine intervention, guidance from family and friends or just pure dumb luck, we have been given access to the tools and lessons needed to weather these events. We honor fidelity within our society. We demonstrate constancy in the pursuit of right. We are loyal to those dear to us. We trust in a supreme being to guide us through the storm. We have learned to love our neighbor. We are members of the Order of The Eastern Star. We shall endure and this too shall pass.

And, speaking of change, my monthly budget has had to undergo a drastic overhaul. My gas allowance has gone to zero! The same for entertainment and clothing. However, my food bill is over \$2,700.00!! Apparently, I am going to have to realize that “take out” should not be “take in”.

Sincerely, your brother,

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