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**We pray for our Earth, wounded by our greed.** (Source: Kairos Canada) D.P.

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It is time to take action: Our Dr's. are still pressured into providing Abortion and act upon request and or suggestions by others to provide Euthanasia. So much has been written about this subject.

We as Christian Woman of Faith are still trying to sort through all the information, and misinformation. More and more stories are surfacing - physically healthy 23-year-old Belgian woman is seeking, and being considered for Euthanasia for psychiatric reasons. My heart is so sad when I read this. Surly there are other ways to help her wanting to live. Most likely she could be helped with compassion and love and understanding. I do believe we are so bombarded with such issues, we become morally corrupted. A young person I know gave me this info when I asked why she dropped out of medical school. All her life she wanted to be a nurse or a Dr. this is what she told me. "We were told to encourage and participate in the practice of euthanasia for the mentally challenged, mortally ill, lonely and depressed, and many other issues like disabilities. The discussion amongst the other students disgusted her. When she voiced her concerns, she was ridiculed, "go with the times" they told her. There were a few who felt also how wrong this is, but kept quiet, not wanting to make waves. What happened to Human Dignity? What happened to professional ethics? Thou shall not kill...

It is enough: Older seniors are being made to feel they are a burden to society. They are the ones who contributed to our amazing country. They are the ones who instilled in us to be courteous and polite. What went wrong, where did we fail. How can we fix it. The young teens are blaming us for climate warming, too much garbage. Yet they all want each year a new laptop-, cell-phone and many other things. Yes we are wrong; because we give into their wants we drive them to school, when they easily could walk. Yes, we need to look into how best to preserve our planet; we need to practice sound stewardship taking care of our common home. It can start with you and me. One at a time it is better than waiting for others to make the first step.

**Lets talk about Bill C-262 again:** This bill was last introduced 42 Parliament, 1<sup>st</sup> session, which ended in September 2019; Status 3<sup>rd</sup> reading (Senate ), as of June 11, 2019; This bill did not become law. The enactment requires the Government of Canada to take measures necessary to ensure that the law of Canada is in harmony with the United Nations. Declaring the rights of Indigenous Peoples. All sorts of info is available at LEGISinfo, provided by the Library of Parliament. Everyone can also read the full text of the bill.

Until next time: Blessings to you and your family.

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