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Subject: Moving During a Pandemic

Back in the Fall, my sister and mother told Rick and me that they were going to build a house 1.4 miles from our house, and I was so excited.

Well, they moved into their new house yesterday. No one expected that they would have to move during a pandemic. How do you keep an 85-year-old safe during a move from Littleton to Lancaster during a pandemic, especially after breaking her wrist and having surgery on March 11th?

Well, my sister is a planner and she planned the move very well!! We all practiced social distancing, which is very difficult as you all know!

My mother is doing well and so excited to be in Lancaster. I know it is because she will be so close to her favorite older daughter, ME!

The backyard will be very entertaining for her since it backs up to conservation land. A month or so ago, I had a confrontation with the many turkeys that live behind the house. I was driving over to check the progress so I could report to my sister and the turkeys were in the road blocking my car. I stopped but they didn't move. I eventually beeped my horn. They did not like that at all. There were two of them that turned and headed towards the front of my car basically yelling at me. I really thought they were going to do damage to my hood! They finally moved across the street and I was able to drive.

Did you know they like to fly and hang out in the trees? I didn't know that until I saw at least 20 turkeys in the trees near my sister's house. I always wondered where the turkeys go. For a while in late winter/early spring, you see them everywhere and then it seems you don't see them at all. Maybe we should look up to find them!



There are also deer and bobcat near them. This will be fun for them to see all of the wildlife from the safety of their back porch, which is high off the ground!

Today, my sister was still moving some things from Littleton and my mother was home alone in Lancaster. I walked to the house and brought her lunch. That was pretty awesome. I couldn't do that when they lived 35 minutes away.

I attached two pictures of those stubborn turkeys and I had to add the latest picture of my grandson!

Stay safe and healthy! Janet

