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We went walking earlier than normal this morning because of the weather forecast of rain. It started to sprinkle after only ten minutes, but we kept going. I am happy we did. This is why they make hoods. If we had turned around, we might not have seen these visions of hope along the way.

The flowers and flowering trees are blooming everywhere. Below is a picture of a rhododendron bush that has a surprise among the flowers if you look closely.

When we got to the reservoir, there was a surprise left on the granite bench that made me smile.



When we got to the Clinton Dam, there was something perched on one of the granite blocks. I wonder how long it took to balance this rock on the edge of one of the massive blocks that the amazing workers built back in the late 1800s and early 1900's.



Here is the second sign from Meadowbrook Orchards:



Tomorrow will be a picture of the 300-piece jigsaw puzzle completed. We are not like awesome Diane who finishes a 1,000-piece puzzle in one weekend!!! I don't know how she does it! I do know she has a great ability to focus.

People are doing hopeful things everywhere. Remember to look for the "awe" moment every day, whatever and wherever it may be!

Stay well.

## **Janet**