

DEAR READER,

6-23-19

HEY. I HOPE YOU ARE DOING WELL!

DO TO AN UNEXPECTED EVENT THAT TOOK PLACE I'LL BE WRITING ABOUT SOMEONE ELSE TODAY, OR RATHER, THE MEMORY OF HER.

I WAS LISTENING TO THE NEWS. IT WAS MORE LIKE BACKGROUND NOISE AS I WORKED ON SOMETHING ELSE. BUT THEN I HEARD A FAMILIAR NAME. AND THAT SOMETHING HORRIBLE HAD HAPPENED TO HER.

WOMAN BEGENT TO DEATH IN LAKE COOY! AND HER HANDICAPPED CHILD WAS INVOLVED AS WELL.

I WAS HOPING SO WASN'T HER BUT THE NEWS CONFIRMED SO. AND I FELT THE SORROW WASH OVER ME.

I DON'T KNOW HER AS WELL AS ONE MIGHT KNOW A FRIEND, BUT I KNEW HER WELL ENOUGH TO WANT SOMETHING GOOD FOR HER IN HER LIFE. AND WHAT MORE I HEARD ON THE NEWS MADE ME WANT THAT FOR HER EVEN MORE.

SHE WAS A NURSE HERE ON THE ROW. SHE WAS NICE, KIND, AND HELPFUL. SHE TREATED ME LIKE I WAS A HUMAN BEING. AND I BELIEVE THAT'S HOW SHE WAS WITH EVERYONE.

WHEN WE THINK OF THE KIND OF PERSONALITY A NURSE SHOULD HAVE... SHE HAD SO. SHE CARED ABOUT HER PASSENGERS AND SHE HELPED THEM...  
.... VS.

THIS IS A LOSS, NOT JUST TO US ON THE ROW, BUT TO EVERYONE WHO'S LIFE SHE WAS A PART OF.



I NEVER HEARD ANYTHING BAD SAID ABOUT HER AND BELIEVE ME, WHEN THERES SOMETHING BAD TO BE SAID ABOUT SOMEONE, IT GOES AROUND QUICK!

I WON'T COMMENT ON THE CASE EXCEPT TO SAY THIS. I SAW NOTHING IN HER WORKPLACE PERSONALITY THAT WOULD HINT SHE HAD ANY CAPABILITY OF VIOLENCE.

AS FLAWED AS THE JUSTICE SYSTEM IS IN THIS STATE, IT DOES, FOR THE MOST PART, WORK. SO WE SHOULD ALLOW IT TO DO WHAT IT DOES.

MS. MAUK WAS A KIND AND CARING NURSE. SHE TREATED US LIKE WE WERE HUMANBEINGS. SHE WAS SOFT SPOKEN AND HAD THIS LOOK OF CURIOUSITY IN HER EYES ANYTIME SHE WAS SPOKEN TO. LIKE WHAT ONE HAD TO SAY MATTERED TO HER AND IF SHE COULD HELP, SHE DID.

LET'S REMEMBER HER FOR ALL HER GREAT QUALITIES IN LIFE!

SHE DESERVES TO GO OUT THIS WAY. SHE SHOULD HAVE LIVED UNTILL SHE WAS A HUNDRED, HAD A FULL HEAD OF GRAY HAIR AND GONE TO SLEEP ONE NIGHT AFTER A FULFILLING DAY AND NIGHT PEACE IN HER HEARS. AND SIMPLY MOVED ON WHILE DREAMING OF PUPPES & KITTENS PLAYING TOGETHER...  
... WHO DOESN'T SMILE WHEN THINKING OF HER? 😊

SHE IS A SOUL WORTH REMEMBERING.

UNTILL NEXT TIME.

YOURS TRULY,

DOUG

REST IN PEACE

MS. MAUK