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Over the years there are few people that I have ever told, "I miss you."

This is because I just assumed a presence even when there was an absence of parents, family, friends but a few times in my life I experienced the loss that was aching and soul wrenching and the only thing I could say was, "I miss you."

It is a raw feeling, to be sure, it humbled me to say it that is for sure, but I knew that it was the only things to be said as it is now, I miss you. On this first weekend "distanced," that raw feeling becomes specific by the second if I do not settle and still my anxiety driven mind.

Julian of Norwich a 14<sup>th</sup> century woman who lived in a church in England (a story too long to tell here but trust me) is famous for her quote, "["All shall be well, and all shall be well and all manner of thing shall be well."](#)

But I find this one to be good to think about, too, "[God loved us before he made us; and his love has never diminished and never shall."](#)