Holiday Greetings Everyone!

2020! The year of Covid! Who would have thought that this was going to be a year of reflections, revelations, losses and discoveries!

Mom and Pop, I know you are grateful for me coming back home and taking over your basement. I couldn’t bear to be far away from you, without a job. I knew you will worry sick about me, and that would not have been good especially for your heart, Mom. Together, we made so many memories this year: all three of us huddled together around the dinner table, in complete silence, chewing in unison. Just like the good ol’ times!

I know, Aunt Patty, that you had high hopes for me to get married this year, but I got really good at baking bread! I am sure this new skill will enhance my chances of attracting and securing someone really soon. That is why instead of a regular Christmas photo, I included pictures of my precious, little bread loaves. Aren’t they so adorable?

I also discovered that if I start drinking wine at noon, the day passed by so quickly that sometimes I did not know which day it was, which prompted me to invent a new game. It is called “ Do You Know the Day?” I played it mostly by myself, and for every wrong answer, I would punish myself with a new glass of wine. Let’s just say that sometimes it was hard to win because some days were just too hard to remember.

But, let me ring in to my biggest accomplishment this year: I finished Netflix!!!!!!! Grandpa Neil would have been so proud of me had Covid not taken him. But, I know he was watching me watching Netflix, and his heart was beaming with glee!

That is all everyone! I didn’t take any vacations; I didn’t go out; I lost my job, but I am healthy; I appreciate the quiet moments with my folks, and I use Zoom and wine more than ever.

P.S. Not to be a Debbie Downer, but Santa might be in quarantine, too, so little cousins Cindy and Doug, no Santa for you this year!