AGING: A Duet For two readers. Include the references.

VERNA'S COMMENTS: The main reason I can face aging as I do, is that I know FOR SURE that death will not end my life. God gave me ETERNAL life when I believed in him and in Jesus Christ, my Lord, and this life CANNOT end! However, it continues in a different realm, the Better Place that gives comfort to many on earth. Remember that our life on earth is temporary, and may be full of trouble and sorrow, as Moses said in Psalm 90, but our life with God is permanent, and contains no troubles or sorrows of any kind! Be encouraged!

- 1 Isaiah 46:4 Even to your old age and gray hairs I am he, I am he who will sustain you. I have made you and I will carry you; I will sustain you and I will rescue you.
- 2 Proverbs 16:31 Gray hair is a crown of splendor; it is attained by a righteous life.
- 1 Leviticus 19:32 Rise in the presence of the aged, show respect for the elderly.
- 2 Job 32:7 Age should speak; advanced years should teach wisdom.
- 1 Isaiah 46:3-4 I have created you and cared for you since you were born. I will be your God through all your lifetime, Yes, even when your hair is white with age. I made you and I will care for you.
- 2 Psalm 143:5 I remember the days of old; I meditate on all your works; I muse on the work of your hands.
- 1 Deuteronomy 32:7 Remember the days of old, consider the years of many generations.
- 2 Job 12:10,12 In his hand is the life of every creature and the breath of all people. Is not wisdom found among the aged? Does not long life bring understanding?
- 1 Psalm 71:17-18 Since my youth, O God, you have taught me, and to this day I declare your marvelous deeds. Even when I am old and gray, do not forsake me, O God, till I declare your power to the next generation, your might to all who are to come.
- 2 Deuteronomy 31:8 The Lord himself goes before you and will be with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you.
- 1 & 2 Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged.

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