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## Her Old Rosary

The once-faceted beads, worn smooth, tangle in gnarled hands. Worries, or prayers, depending on the day, thread through arthritic fingers that count Hail Marys instead of sheep, hoping for sleep, certain this vigilance has some part in keeping the world properly spinning.

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