February, 2015

37 days, three hours, 29 minutes.

That is how much longer until Spring arrives. As we slog through the rain, fog and wind that comes with February, it seems like it will never arrive.

As I mentioned last month, my husband Kris and I moved recently. I am happy to report we are gradually working through the pile of boxes in the garage. While unpacking I came across an old, threadbare, dare I say antique stuffed bunny.

It was a February evening from the past. I was six years old. My dad was taking me to the school carnival. A rare treat to have a “date with daddy” since I had four other siblings vying for his attention. I don’t remember what the game of skill was but, he won that bunny for me.

I discovered other things in those boxes not quite so heart warming. Birth certificates, car titles, insurance records, etc.

That is why I am sending you this list of the 25 documents we all need to keep in one place. While all 25 items will not apply, I am making it my goal to have those that do gathered in one place by the end of 2015. I invite you to make this your goal too. I will let you know how I am doing.

If you happen upon something heartwarming in your search I would love to hear from you. Contact me at 425.388.9948 or sjohnson@everettcc.edu.

37 days, three hours, 19 minutes...

Personally yours,

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