

A TYPICAL DAY IN A TAXI DRIVER'S LIFE (August 23, 2022)

1200 noon Treasure Shop Parking Lot, Castlegar, B.C.

I am on my job, serving as Taxi Driver / Chauffeur for Marilyn Verigin. Her "multi-stop trip" into Castlegar, today.

First stop is the Treasure Shop. She has a liking for this store as it gathers donations of clothing, basically, and houseware that are priced and sold to the public. My understanding is that the net proceeds go to the hospital Auxiliary. I also understand that the operation is entirely by volunteers.

Apparently, there are a few more stops that are on Marilyn's list today. I am promised a "free lunch" for my efforts, but we will see.

Our senior's life can be whatever we make of it. Shopping is still a great pleasure for Marilyn. I never really get a charge out of it and just wait in the car.

Sometimes I play Sudoku. Other times I have a nap. This time am jotting my thoughts

I found a shady spot on the North side of the Bowling Alley, next to the Treasure Shop. It is still cool here as the day warms up.

There is great number of customers in the shop.

12:50

We have been at Dollarama for some time now. I did take a nap as again, we were on the North side of the store.

Looks like many Shoppers taking advantage of the relatively "cheap" prices.

A young mother with two girls and a boy, all under 8 just walked in. I am sure there will be an "adventure" for mommy once in.

The seniors are mostly still wearing their masks from the Covid era.

Another stop at the Shopper's Drug Mart for our "crutches".

14:00

Just "arrived" at the A & W with the gift card that our children gave us for our two birthdays in August.

Now we are on our way to Canadian Tire for some "necessary stuff" (We have a gift card here as well)

Getting hotter by the minute!

I hope this is our last stop so that we can go back to our A/C house. We are so fortunate with Marilyn.

Parking Lot is half full.

It is heating up in the car!

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