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For those of you attending the conference, have a safe journey to and from Orlando. Those who have chosen to stay home, keep warm and I hope to see you in March at the Midwest Golf House in Lemont.



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