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Hello everyone! Today is a very special day in my family. I am so proud to be Margaret Moynihan’s daughter every day of my life, but when I see this turnout to celebrate her years of service, I am beyond moved. As many of you know, my mother is a vital, interested, interesting woman and a devoted employee. At a time in society when others may question loyalty and skills, Margaret Moynihan has proven her mettle for more than thirty years… at one place of employment… this company. That really says something about her as a woman, and you, collectively as a company, so at the same time as we recognize Margaret’s achievements, I would also like to acknowledge all of you for your support, enthusiasm and partnership in making three decades of service so memorable and precious.

When Greta Garbo announced her retirement in 1946, she very simply said, “I have made enough faces.” (**Wait for the laugh**). I know that my mother absolutely **LOVES** the work she has been doing here and I know with her determination and enthusiasm, she will find the way to “make more faces” through the next stages of her life. But let’s take a look back on her tenure here at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.