STALKING

She has had a very busy day. It is three in the morning and she cannot fall asleep. She does not stop going around the same matter. Her restlessness is like a tiger prowling, which is approaching, that moves away, that is about to jump on a prey that fears the deadly bite. What will happen on the day that her father, already old, won't be able to take care of the children while she and her husband work till late in order to pay the mortgage, the car loan and everything else? After a strong resping, the snoring stops sounding and she feels a quick approach movement. She closes her eyes, moderates her breathing and pretends to sleep. The beast must be calmed, she has to rest.

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