Doctor of Miracles

Part 3

Fibromyalgia, Meniere's, Vertigo, Multiple Systems Failure

What Annette has Suffered, from the Age of 12 until Middle Age Dr. Gilbert Jaudy, DC, DACNB, FACFN, FABVR, FABCDD Interview with Dr. Jaudy's patient by Mike Bundrant - Healthy Times Newspaper

When Annette received her initial exam from Dr. Jaudy, he asked her what she expected from treatment. "I just want some quality of life because right now I have none," was her reply.

"That sounds like the right attitude," said Dr. Jaudy, "because I can't restore all that has gone wrong. I can, however, help you improve so that you feel your life is worth living again.

"Even with his precaution, it was a tremendous promise, as Annette's health had descended below what most people are capable of comprehending. It began at the age of 12 when a fellow student in sciencelab kicked her stool out from under her. She landed directly on her tailbone, like an arrow, and broke her back. The impact completely severed her tailbone from her spine and proceeded upwards like a chain reaction, leaving her with several herniated discs.

Doctors resorted to a radical surgery that permanently removed her tailbone, however Annette's problems had only begun. The damage to her back, and therefore her nervous system, led to complications that Annette could have never imagined. By age 16 arthritis had settled into her entire spine, leaving her in chronic pain. Her primary care doctor, who referred her to a neurologist for treatment, diagnosed her with lupus and fibromyalgia at age 21. Through her 20's she experienced menstrual abnormalities, which lead to infertility. At 29 she was diagnosed with ovarian and tubal cancer, which required surgery and chemotherapy. She was told that not having a tailbone, the cap on the spine, would create a series of health issues to last a lifetime.

Annette also developed Meniere's disease, in which the inner ear retains water creating dizziness, nausea, vomiting; people become immobilized and are basically disabled by Meniere's. She spent four years in bed, unable to function without extreme vertigo that caused her to fall or run into walls. Her two mini strokes only added to the misery and fear.

At age 42, Annette knew she wouldn't make it to 50 and wasn't sure she wanted to. She was on 17 different medications for pain and other symptoms. Along with the meds came depression, anxiety and chronic migraines. She had no equilibrium and couldn't drive or go out alone, as she would get lost and couldn't remember where she lived. She couldn't travel with her husband because any change in elevation would make her ill. Annette described herself as a walking health hazard, in chronic and unbearable pain, never knowing when nausea would overtake her, unable to participate in domestic life.

After reading one of Dr. Jaudy's articles in Healthy Times, her husband begged her to see him for an evaluation. Annette refused, jaded from years of ineffective treatment. At length she agreed to be driven to his office and try "no more than five sessions. "You never know which decision will forever alter the course of your life. For Annette, the time. had finally come. As the publisher of Healthy Times, I openly disclose that Dr. Jaudy is my advertising client. I have also seen him for treatment personally and with very promising results. Some readers may claim a conflict of interest. which L will not contest. Nevertheless, I am here to report Annette's treatment experience in her own words, as told to me (and recorded) over the telephone:

After two weeks I was completely better, happy, and able to talk in complete sentences with complete thoughts; where I wasn't able to before. Dr. Jaudy said that the left side of my brain had just completely shut down. I was operating from the right side of my brain, which was reacting emotionally and irrationally.

At this point my symptoms are so manageable that I don't take one medication. I was on medications for migraine prevention, anti-anxiety, the whole gamut of medications for all the diseases I had. Within three days I was off all of them with no side effects. I don't even take medicine to fall asleep anymore because I had suffered from sleep disorders and sleep deprivation. I don't have any of that anymore.

I still have some lower back pain at times and some neck pain. The inner ear disease can last seven to ten years, so I still have some trouble, but I don't have the vertigo anymore. The worse thing I get now is an ear ache or some tinnitus. Those are usually the last things to go away in the recovery from that disease. I can work and earn money, drive a car and take care of my family. I can travel with my husband, too. We've been to Chicago and New Jersey, among other places. Basically, I have my life back.

One day the world will know a lot more about the science behind Functional Neurology, Dr. Jaudy's area of expertise and practice. For now, he works away in his Palm Desert office, quietly earning his position in the lives of a lucky few - the Doctor, of Miracles.

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