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What Is Psychiatry? The Enslavery of a Drug

The practice of Psychiatry has become a million dollar industry, especially in America where secular humanism has its free reign. But how valid is it for us to be taking medications for our mental health? Can an institution infringe upon our minds, the very ocean from which we think? Does a state government have a right by Kendra's Law to force medication on subjects solely because they have had repeated visits to the mental hospital? And does the psychiatric society have any faith at all in a God that can heal and a Jesus Christ that died in the cross to save them from Hell?

I have been working with the psychiatric society all of my adult life., and I am 50 years old. I have taken a variety of medications, including antipsychotics which have cause serious side effects such as the Stephen Johnson's syndrome. But, I have experienced mental illness likewise, and sometimes I have to admit—the mediations actually worked to control my symptoms. Yet, recently, I found that Mr. Guccione had other answers, and I have been reducing my mediations. I no longer take an antipsychotic. And after about 3 weeks since I got out of jail, I have not had a panic attack. Are they gone? Only time can tell.

Jim says I can not have a real gun if I am mentally ill. He says he can do something about my criminal record and my mental health files, and maybe even my probation sentence, but he can not control my symptoms. He says most of my problem was a lack of sleep that resulted from staying up all night and working on my art. He says my drive to fight organized crime has led to most of my falls, and that I should learn to be quiet and do my own business and conduct my commerce as an artist with patience and professionalism. Jim believes I can get off of all my medications and be an asset to society. He says I have to learn not to be violent about things in society that bother me. He says I shouldn't write too much because of my religious standpoints, but he is giving me permission to do investigative work for his newsletter and write a few articles. So, I set out to change the psychiatric society before it enslaves the poor at he expense of psychiatrists and mental health workers

making over \$100,00 a year while their patients endure the torture of antipsychotics.

The goal of a Psychiatrist ought to be to get his patients *off the drugs* as much as possible using placebos and reducing the drugs carefully, considering the side effects and uses of the drugs. He may then leave the patient with Lithium, a naturally occurring salt which I believe Jesus used on the maniac of Gadera. The Lithium can be reduced over time as long as the patient's peers are helpful to his mental illness. In some patients the blood has been effected by apocathary and he may never be able to come down off of the Lithium, and if a bad psychiatrist got ahold of him he may need to continue taking some of the other drugs because his body may have become used to them. The Psychiatrist ought to be sure to carefully question the patient about his side effects and struggle to get him only on Lithium. ■

