Study Shows Pharmaceutical Ads Make People Want Prescriptions

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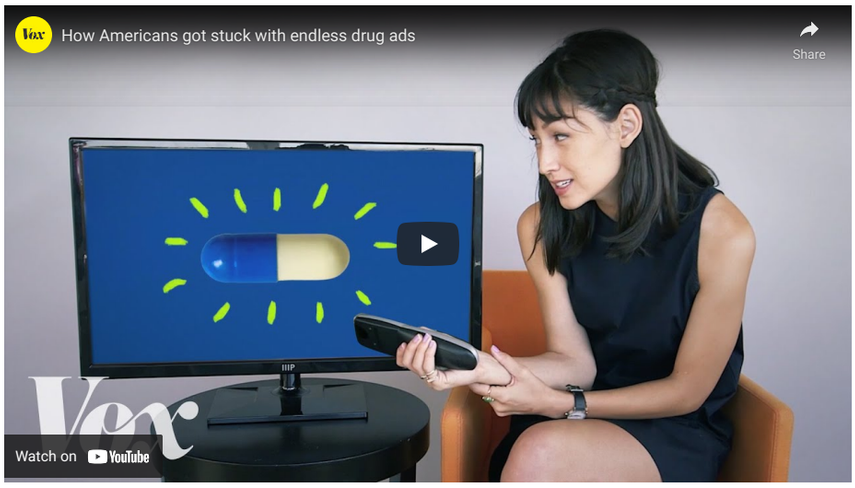

STORY AT-A-GLANCE

- Research from health care advertising technology company DeepIntent revealed that 27% of people spoke to their doctor about a medical treatment after they learned about it from an ad
- Earlier data found that "pharmaceutical ads can empower patients to take a more active role in researching treatments" and "advertising influences patients' decision to follow through in taking drugs prescribed by their doctors"
- The most common action that people take after viewing a drug ad is to conduct research, and this research becomes the most important factor in medication adherence — even more than the person's own previous experience taking the drug
- Marketers intend to use increasingly targeted ads via your smart TV, cellphone and desktop computer to increase drug sales even more
- DeepIntent CEO Chris Paquette said in a news release, "We have evidence that more relevant advertising drives real results for our clients"

Television advertisements for prescription drugs are illegal in virtually every country on the planet — but not in the U.S., where 80 such ads air, on average, every hour on Americans' televisions.[1] "Ask your doctor," the narrators tell viewers, urging them to bring up the latest name-brand drugs at their next physician's visit.

Prior to the 1980s, these types of direct-to-consumer (DTC) ads were unheard of,[2] even in the U.S., but within a few decades they became among the most common public health messages seen by Americans.

This marketing shift turned out to be incredibly lucrative for Big Pharma, but its effects on public health — and individual health — are highly questionable, as the ads continue to drive consumers to request drugs from their doctors,[3] whether they need them or not.

FDA's Loose Guidelines Paved the Way for TV Drug Ads

Before the 1980s, pharmaceutical companies marketed directly to doctors, instead of to patients. Drug industry executives even told Congress at the time that they believed directly advertising drugs to consumers was not "in the public health interest" and "cannot safely be accomplished."[4]

A cultural shift soon emerged, however, to empower patients to be more involved in their own health care, instead of solely listening to their doctors. Advertisers jumped on the trend but, still, drug advertisements to consumers only appeared in print ads, including in magazines, but not on TV.

This was due to the U.S. FDA's requirements to include all drug risks and side effects in the ads, which could be done on pages of print but was much more difficult to accomplish on TV or radio commercials.

A strange loophole existed, however, which allowed drug ads to run without stating the risks and side effects, as long as it also didn't mention the disease the drug was intended to treat.[5] This is highly likely related to the industry finally capturing the federal regulatory agencies responsible for protecting the public.

Not surprisingly, this led to confusion, prompting a loosened requirement from the FDA in 1997, which stated that ads only had to include the drug's "major" side effects and refer viewers to a source where they could find the rest.

Even if viewers do end up seeking out the full list of side effects, the info seldom scares patients away. Everything is designed to make you tune out the risks and view the drug in a desirable light, from actors who use an appealing voice tone to beautiful images and music choices.

The removal of the requirement to list all drug side effects in ads paved the way for on-air drug ads, and the rest is history. By 2004, annual spending on drug advertisements quadrupled,[6] making name-brand drugs like Lipitor, Lunesta, Xanax and Ambien household names.

Patient Requests Have 'Profound' Effect on Doctors

By 2003, U.S. DTC advertising of prescription drugs had reached $3.2 billion.[7] For comparison, it reached $6.58 billion in 2020, excluding social media.[8] The profound way it influenced patients was recognized from the start, with critics stating that the ads led to over-prescribing of "unnecessary, expensive and potentially harmful medications."[9]

By 2005, a randomized controlled trial had been published in JAMA to determine the influence of patients' requests for directly advertised drugs, in this case antidepressants.[10] Patient actors visited physicians, describing symptoms of depression in half of the visits and in the other half stating "they were feeling down," a description of an adjustment disorder that doesn't typically require immediate drug treatment.[11]

In some of the visits, the patients mentioned seeing a commercial for the antidepressant Paxil, while in others they didn't mention any medications. Patients who mentioned Paxil were more likely to be referred for a mental health consultation and receive a prescription for an antidepressant, whether they were describing symptoms of depression or simply "feeling down."

According to study author Dr. Richard Kravitz, "For us, it typified the double-edged sword which direct-to-consumer advertising represents."[12] Prescribing rates for the drugs were highest when patients made general requests for medications — 76% of such visits resulted in a prescription, compared with 31% of those in which the patient made no medication request.[13]

Targeted Smart TV Drug Ads Increase Drug Sales

DTC drug ads are getting "smarter" as the years go by, and now marketers are using targeted ads driven by your viewing habits, which are streamed directly to you via your smart TV. DeepIntent, a health care advertising technology company "built to influence patient health and business outcomes,"[14] conducted research on consumer behaviors and ad-supported content.

The majority of "connected TV" (CTV), or smart TV, viewers (64%) said they would rather watch ads than pay more to view the content. DeepIntent surveyed 2,900 U.S. adults on self-reported viewing habits and compared it to data gleaned using "automated content recognition (ACR) technology," which was developed in partnership with LG Ads Solutions, a provider of native ads to LG smart TVs along with "audience targeting data."[15]

Their first finding was that while many people believe they're watching TV via cable or satellite box, most are actually streaming the content via their smart TV — "meaning that more than half of viewers may be watching CTV content without even realizing it," DeepIntent explained.[16]

The implication is that they have a greater number of viewers than previously realized to target with their ad campaigns, via not only smart TVs but other devices like your desktop computer and smartphone. According to DeepIntent, doing so is known to influence patient outcomes:[17]

> *"DeepIntent … announced its complete integration with LG Ads Solutions' real-time ACR data repository covering more than 30 million LG smart TVs in the United States. DeepIntent is the first and only demand side platform (DSP) with this capability, offering healthcare marketers unparalleled targeting capabilities for all digital formats, including CTV, desktop, and mobile.*
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> *'For too long, healthcare marketers have struggled to reach relevant audiences at scale. By combining the targeting power of CTV with ACR data, DeepIntent's patented technology optimizes campaign audience quality and script performance in real-time,' said DeepIntent Senior Vice President of Analytics John Mangano. 'Consumer research has proven that this combination influences patient outcomes.'"*

27% Asked Their Doctor About a Drug From an Ad

DeepIntent's research findings revealed that 30% of people said pharmaceutical ads provide helpful information to someone in their household, and 27% spoke to their doctor about a medical treatment after they learned about it from an ad.[18]

The findings support earlier data from the company, which found that "pharmaceutical ads can empower patients to take a more active role in researching treatments" and "advertising influences patients' decision to follow through in taking drugs prescribed by their doctors."[19]

The most common action that people take after viewing a drug ad is to conduct research, and this research becomes the most important factor in medication adherence — even more than the person's own previous experience taking the drug. They intend to use targeted ads to increase drug sales even more. DeepIntent CEO Chris Paquette said in a news release, "We have evidence that more relevant advertising drives real results for our clients."[20]

Through their partnership with LG Ads Solutions, DeepIntent is using native ads to drive more sales. Another tactic is native content, also known as sponsored content or branded content, which is written by marketers but passes as real journalism. The sponsored content is a media response to banner ads that are widely ignored, ad blocking technology and readers' almost universal dislike of pop-ups and screen takeovers.

It also fills webpages without the need to pay writers — instead, sponsors pay the media on whose site or in whose publication the content appears. Some of the content is innocuous and even amusing, but other native content like "Could Statins Cut Alzheimer's Risk?" found on WebMD[21] or

"How Testosterone Benefits Your Body" is unabashed Pharma marketing masquerading as unbiased information.

Limitless Lobbying, Advertising Budgets

The marketing of prescription drugs, health services, laboratory tests and even disease awareness is big business in the U.S., and spending has been on a steady uphill climb since 1997. That year, spending on medical marketing was $17.7 billion, which rose to $29.9 billion in 2016.[22]

DTC spending increased the most rapidly, from 11.9% of total spending to 32%. DTC prescription drug ads accounted for $6 billion in spending alone in 2016, which amounted to 4.6 million ads, including 663,000 television commercials, mostly for high-cost biologics and cancer immunotherapies.

Disease awareness campaigns are another type of marketing campaign run by pharmaceutical companies geared at diseases treated by their drugs. Such campaigns rose in numbers from 44 in 1997 to 401 in 2016, with spending increasing from $177 million to $430 million over the same period.

DTC marketing for health services also rose from $542 million to $2.9 billion, with spending increases particularly notable for hospitals, dental centers, cancer centers, mental health and addiction clinics and medical services, such as home health care.[23]

Aside from DTC advertising, Big Pharma is still marketing directly to health professionals — an area that accounted for the most professional spending, according to a JAMA study on medical marketing in the U.S.[24]

"Pharmaceutical marketing to health professionals accounted for most spending and remains high even with new policies to limit industry influence," the researchers, from The Dartmouth Institute's Center for Medicine in the Media, noted. "Despite the increase in marketing over 20 years, regulatory oversight remains limited."[25]

Annual lobbying on pharmaceuticals and health products has been on the rise since 2013,[26] and in 2021 the pharmaceutical industry was the top lobbying group in Washington, spending far more than any other industry — $356.6 million.[27] Among their top priorities in 2019 was fiercely opposing a bill that would reduce drug costs,[28] and, another eye-opening statistic — nearly 60% of Big Pharma's lobbyists are former government employees.[29]

So, when you see an advertisement for a drug on TV or your computer, resist the urge to believe that it's there to help you and see it for what it really is — a marketing tactic with the sole purpose of increasing sales for the drug industry.

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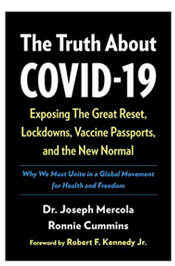

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This link is an EXCELLENT read!!! A doctor who posted this information between him and several nurses who have documented the vaccine fraud going on world wide, and he explains why so many medical professionals have been duped into believing the lie. This link is eye opening, jaw-dropping, and I highly recommend that everyone take a few minutes to see what nurses and doctors on the inside have been witnessing and discussing for several years now. 2ndsmartestguyintheworld.substack.com/p/nursing-reports-from-the-front..

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This is Pierre Kory's posting! The same FLCCC emergency doctor who testified in front of the US Congress last year asking for early treatment and ivermectin.

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Kitera
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This link is worth taking the time to read I don't understand which site she was posting one but it would appear there is some way to join

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mirandola
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"A cultural shift soon emerged, however, to empower patients to be more involved in their own health care, instead of solely listening to their doctors." OH GOOD! So how about if patients are informed by TV ads about *The truth!* with herbs and supplements, to the same effect? I hope the day comes, and soon, that natural medicine is the front burner medicine, and that mainstream "medications" take a dive because of the harsh side effects, becoming back burner medicine used sparingly and very cautiously, only as needed. Look no further than here for seizures, coma, liver tumors, death...all as side effects!

Safe, effective? Oh my. https://www.drugs.com And then they call the naturopaths the quacks, while stifling the free information highway about natural remedies and allowing BigPharma to claim that word "cure" while naturopaths and manufacturers of natural supplements, may not.....the truth is that it's the natural supplements and herbs that truly do the healing, and mainstream "medication" bandaids symptoms while illness spirals out of control. Nice combination eh? Talk about asymptomatic carriers.....

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Yes, thank you, saying it better than I was trying to express.

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jamNjim
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There are some adds appearing on Fox News that promotes supplements. I've never been persuaded by any add. I do find one rather interesting. "Balance of Nature" (BON) makes a supplement based on freeze dried vegetables. I never heard of it until my mother-in-law came down from S. Korea for vacation about 10 years ago. She was taking it because she was so old and small she couldn't eat enough whole foods to stay in good health. She swore by BON! My wife started buying it and sending it to her via air mail because it was way cheaper here than in S. Korea. Then about 4 or so years ago Fox News started running adds on it. Neither my wife or I have ever tried it, but I can't say I never will. I would rather freeze dry my own veggies for long term storage and use that as my supplements.

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brianallen1
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I always have closed captioning on the tv. When commercials begin, I mute the sound. If you read all the side effects without the glitz and glamour of the distractions, you would never consider asking a doctor for their poison. But add the distractions of music, animated rainbow unicorns and flying pigs the people can't wait for the doctor's office to open in the morning.

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grulla
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Another example of TV pharma ads appearing to delve into the alternatives that we read so much about here on Mercola, is the GOLO weight reducing med/supp that emphasizes "insulin resistance" that Dr.M. as well as "jNj", and others have emphasized so much about over the past few years. But GOLO's ingredients might be yet another issue??? https://www.golo.com/

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Lee1959
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How true. Back in pioneer days most families had herb gardens and were well versed in natural paths to healing. It has all been lost (purposely). A "pill for an ill" has taken over our collective mentalities. There is no way I am getting rid of my books on foraging, shrooming, and American Indian remedies!

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har1272
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jamNjim, the thing I question about those BON pills are the source. Are they organic veg/fruits or freeze dried pesticide/GMO veg/fruits? The ads don't say, so I am assuming they are the pesticide/GMO.

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Dordee
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YES! YES! If i have to tell, ask my dr about a medication, it is time to look for another dr. This says i don't trust your advice. All of the "medicines" they offer for my diabetes, arthritis can cause liver, kidney damage, cancer, especially naming Lymphoma which i had in 2000, courtesy of Monsanto. Drs said after 4 chemos failed I had 3 months. I did my research, found Dr Mercola, other naturopaths, did a lot of praying, had lots of prayer from others and by end of 2001 was in remission. DO NOT CARE TO REPEAT 2000! Big Pharma does not claim to cure any disease, just manage the symptoms.

Nature can cure, I am living proof. God said He gave us what we need, we just have to seek it and use it. He led me to Mercola and those who seek out the cures He gave us. I am glad they encourage patients to ask questions, seek control of their own lives, health. But when you ask questions be prepared to be meet a stone wall of resistance. I asked my heart dr why not turmerick instead of aspirin which causes excessive bleeding, ulcers, etc. We know aspirin works so why study anything else. I stopped aspirin, now use turmerick, no longer worry about sudden nosebleeds with blood dripping on my clothes etc.

Symptoms of ulcer no longer there. Also stopped Crestor as I am on keto. Stopped metformin, started herbal for blood sugar control. Several months, sugar staying at 160 and lower. It goes up to 210 or so for a bit after eating a meal or having ice cream, but drops back down. Now I am free of their "medicines". The herbs have had NO side effects like metformin does. Another problems with teir Pills, they are working on including nanos so can track in the pills. My only concern now is I have a pacemaker, can they send a massive surge to it and stop my heart? Should i have it removed? Will any dr remove it?

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Krofter
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Well said mirandola. There is also that little thing about how patents allow big pharma to corner markets and make tremendous profits. Take away those protections, allow the same level of advertising for all of our favorite alternatives and watch big pharma shrivel up and die a slow death.

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Cabochon
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Keeping the box in the off position has financial, cognitive, physical, political, metabolic and lifestyle advantages. Ten reasons for switching off:-(1) Save money in UK licence fees, use it to join a sports club. (2) Avoid mass formation psychosis from fake “news” (aka lies) about non-existent pandemics. Cutting off the source of indoctrination prevents indoctrination - a no brainer, forgive the pun. (3) Advertising - meaningless if no-one is listening. (4) The screen is a political tool misused by media. If you do not know about a “pandemic”, face coverings, dangerous injections, you unlikely to comply with these arrangements. (5) Cognitive faculties improve by learning new skills, doing your own research i.e. brain training not brain washing.

(6) TV is a substitute parent to those suffering loneliness and isolation. The antidote is to seek out new interests and connect with the world outside. Your government or you media boss is not your parent. Grow up! (7) Screen watching is physical inaction, sitting disease and muscle atrophy BDNF (brain derived neurotrophic factor) by moving helps maintain cognitive function. (8) The box is a communication barrier, decreases sharing of ideas/experiences. We used to play board games , read, or just have a chat before TV took over family life.(9) Time is precious. You are wasting time imprisoned by a noisy machine that stops you living life more pro-actively. (10) TV separates you from real life. Try one month without it and note how your health in all these categories improves.

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otis101
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Yes to all of the above. I tossed my tv 53 years ago.

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mirandola
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When we were kids growing up, our parents busted both tv’s on purpose. That was when we got our family life back, said our parents. Here in the USA, I am appalled, and shocked, by the high level drama/adrenalin and violence on TV. I would never let my kids watch it.

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nothingsound
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My daughter-in-love and son limit the tv their son sees and are very particular with what he watches. He can watch roughly 30 minutes a day that’s it. He is outside most of time running around, getting dirty, playing makeup games and chasing the dogs. Or his mother takes out on a long walks in the woods to explore. It’s wonderful. But this past she has had to take part in training on line (she works from home) and needed time to do it. They are not in the situation where they can afford a sitter for $10 an hour, so their son sat in front of the tv somewhat more and his attitude and obedience went down the hill extremely fast. If I lived closer than ten hours, I would help. Alas. But she is stunningly amazed at how fast tv effects children and so many parents do not see this. He is now on a detox

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Better yet, unplug it.

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Randyfast
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The Boob Tube is nothing more than a brainwashing, conditioning and indoctrination device! SMART TVs for Stupid People!

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axkershaw

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Cabochon: Yes. If you watch infants, most barely notice the TV or any screen until about the age of 2. All screens are two dimensional and only engage the senses of sight and sound. Infants are busy integrating all five senses. They need touch, taste and smell to operate in the three dimensional, tactile, smelly, tasty world. That three dimensional integration slows but never stops. Screens make us all less engaged in the world (stupider). I write that as I sit in front of a screen that occupies way too much of my time.

An objective analysis might even say I was addicted. Help!! I hope I am still alive when the next really big coronal mass ejection happens. All electronics will be destroyed. A small CME, solar storm, recently knocked 40 SpaceX satellites out of commission. Poor, poor Elon. I told my young daughters that when they had kids, I was going to take the TV away until the kids were ten. My grandson is now 22. He is autistic so has had TV all day as a baby sitter. So sad. It seems like a self perpetuating system.

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Lee1959

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I will take that advice, but, uh, I really like "Yellowstone." After we are done bingeing on that, along with other shows like "Breaking Bad" and "Better call Saul" and earlier, "Lost," I will take my sabbath from TV:) Before we brought our old TV up to the cabin, we actually played games and played instruments and sang. And it was GREAT. But now we veg in front of the TV. Not good.

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RedRavenSounds

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Otis, do remember Frank Zappa's little ditty about the lobotomy box? "I'm the slime.... coming out of your TV set".... And Georgie (Mr. Carlin, Rest in peace" said it as ONLY George could.

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Dordee

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I like some of the older reruns, shows that had morals, common sense, etc. No "news" or indoctrination. At 81, i need activity , healthy thoughts , not mindless noise of car chases, explicit sex scenes found in the newer shows. I have to get my C,D, etc out on my deck while watering my turmeric, ginger, lemongrass, green onions, green beans, etc. watching a jumping spider hunting on my sanseveria. Scratching Clyde's (cougar)belly when he comes up to visit. I live in the woods so lots of wildlife to watch. Little brown bats in a cave near me so no mosquitos to bug me plus lemongrass keeps them at bay. Nature is so calming, relaxing.

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ReluctantWarrior

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Look, I am not a Doctor and I am not going to tell people what to do with their own medical care but I consider myself fortunate that at 67 I do not take any prescription drugs or over the counter medications. Just listening to these big pharma adds creeps me out. The side effect alone should scare most people away. If you need a doctor for some condition I recommend seeing a holistic doctor and taking natural medicines.

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Dordee

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I just got rid of metformin, crestor and aspirin. Expecting my drs to refuse to treat me, looking for holistic dr near me. I am 81, be 82 in November. I grew up on a farm, drank raw milk , palyed with the frm animals, in the dirt, gathered blackberries, ate mostof them before got home to wash them. People are too germophobic today, can't build a strong immune system that way.

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Longrunner
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I especially like the side effect that's the same thing you're taking the drug to treat. Such as suicidal thoughts for depression meds. I've seen many others. And how how about death as a side effect. Is that a loophole for a death from drug lawsuit?

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therealjones
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That always cracks me up!

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Dordee
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It pays to listen closely to these ads. I can take something for diabetes, but it causes kidney damage, possible heart attacks strokes. I will die my own way if you please. If not death, blindness, becoming dependent on their system, nursing homes to live if that is what you want. I chose to take herbs and now am free of metformin, insulin, blood sugar consistantly at 160 and below. Occassionaly if eat too much rice, it goes up but not for long. However, it is not FDA approved so drs say it does not work. Then you have chemicals used on food crops that cuse lymphoma, diabetes, insulin resistance, Parkinsons. They are still on the shelves in WalMart, etc. I had lymphoma rhanks to Monsanto in 2000, switched to organic, lots of prayer. Did not die in 3 months like they said.

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ReluctantWarrior
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Yes...that is considered to be a legal loophole but I know of examples where the court did not agree and gave out big awards the the surviving family.

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forbiddenhealing
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Advertising is very expensive, I figure there must be huge profit margins...so follow the money....Still it's good to stay abreast of the programming so many succumb to and bet their lives on...and understand where government propaganda is leading. One must discriminate real content from lying influences on all screens and radio. Ask yourself why these messages were concocted and broadcast? To ignore media maybe blissful yet there is legitimate programming in actual event reporting, weather, sciences, cooking, travel and entertaining cartoons and movies.

It's also interesting to note the most important information media leaves out and the common propaganda techniques used....just laugh when they try to scare you or sell impossible technologies. Today there is a shitstorm of conflicting information which provides only mind-crippling contradictions... making judgement impossible for the public. Yup, the truth is out there, but not for those who just wanna believe. I love to point out a few fallacies to young folks who have yet to develop immunity to the constant clever cunning corruption of the slimers designing reality.

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therealjones
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Don't forget sports, that mostly what I watch.

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Emilyette
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When I see an ad for drugs I read all the side effects and think to myself...the side effects are worse than the original problem!!!

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There are more med commercials than programing, (actually it is all programing.) It's not just the commercials, its tonight's program is brought to you by Monopoly Inc Pharma, In most 'local news's there are canned shill pieces generated by Monopoly Inc Pharma. Various clips have been made showing the same content chattered by local newscasters all reading from the same script or what is no less than a free commercial provided by Monopoly Pharma as health information pieces. The claim "pharmaceutical ads can empower patients to take a more active role in researching treatments," is a clever way to shut out any competition possibly providing us with healthier or better alternatives for us personally or the public in general.

This is the fine-tuned, ramped up on steroids Rockefeller huckster messaging. When it has been done in all of one hundred years, they have demonized simple folk remedy's & pushed the other side of their efforts pushing dis-ease enhancing empty of nutrition monopoly factory food products creating a dis-ease foundation for their med's. How can the public take a more active role when the efforts of Doc & others are actively attacked, content scrubbed out existence? If Spy TV, whoops, Smart TV can shovel micro-managed ads specifically towards us, what's to say your news, your programs can't or are already doing the same? Keeping us in the dark & feeding us Bull Spit.

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mirandola

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I can't believe how widespread the ads are. In magazines having nothing to do with health, there come the BigpHARMa ads! in gardening magazines, travel magazines, this, that, the other....it's everywhere! Watch a sports game on TV, there they are again. See a Youtube, ditto....blech. It is so infiltrated, so invasive! So annoying!

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Right? Non-stop super saturation, yet how many super toxic products have argued for years commercials have little impact on people's behavior or habits? When was the last time anyone can remember when a Predator Monopoly ever let go of one penny unless they got a quarter back from it? It's always it's the individual's personal bad choice responsible, yet many commercials are aimed at children not of age to make personal choices. Setting up a future customer to replace those they have lost from their toxic product.

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Dordee

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I have a 90's RCA, it isn't smart, just works.Never had a service call on it either!

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Kat3040

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Not in my house! I've been on to the pharmaceutical money scams for decades. The first thing doctors learn in Med school is " a cured patient is a lost customer". People need to wake up. They only care about the money and some, (Not all) doctors don't give a rip. They're good little lemmings. Many of the meds cause very destructive side effects.

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Really!

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Kat3040 - Thank you for stating perfectly the current status quo of most, not all, doctors.

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brianallen1
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What's funny but not funny is attorneys were also never allowed to advertise. Not even in print. Now the 2 biggest advertisers are pharmaceuticals and attorneys to collect damages from the drug companies.

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Not just to collect from drug companies, but their own client. They do not represent you for nothing.

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Pete.Smith
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The Crimes of the Pharmaceutical Industry dailysceptic.org/2022/06/14/the-crimes-of-the-pharmaceutical-industry/ Fraud and Deception are Widespread. The industry has a long history of exaggerating the benefits of its drugs, understating the downsides and hiding negative results. A recent study showed that in the real world, medicines tend to be four times more harmful than the manufacturers claim. Adverse effects hospitalise a quarter of a million people in the U.K. and 2 million in the U.S. each year. There were 55,000 deaths from the pain-relief drug Vioxx, but the data were withheld by the manufacturer, Merck. Large numbers of heart attacks, strokes and deaths were caused by the diabetes drug, Avandia.

The pharmaceutical industry spends more than any other industry on lobbying the U.S. Government, spending $280 million in 2018. Fraud and bribery, what is the difference with organised crime like the Mafia? Why nobody goes to jail? Could it be because many former members of the U.S. Congress have taken jobs as lobbyists for the pharmaceutical industry? The flu drug, Tamiflu, had minimal value, but massive stockpiles were purchased against H1N1 influenza in 2009 due to misleading research data and corporate lobbying. The manufacturer, Roche, withheld data to mislead everyone. This should be considered a serious crime, but is not actually illegal. What is wrong with thia system? The system itself is sick!!!!.

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Pete.Smith you said it correctly! Hiding negatives, right you are! I was at a doctor/researcher's lecture, who spoke of a certain pharmaceutical drug said to help with osteoporosis. Don't take this prescription drug sitting down, don't lie down, only stand up to take it, say the instructions. Further, if anybody develops the side effect of painful or difficult swallowing, then.....well, in the drug "Studies" said the doctor-researcher, the patients who developed this side effect, stemming from a HOLE IN THE ESOPHAGUS!, were lumped into the "pre-existing conditions" category, and the drug came out looking squeaky clean.

The FDA knew this, said the doctor-researcher, and the FDA looked the other way, approving the drug. Further, said the doctor, the drug barely even works as intended! Oh such safe and effective "medications" eh? The doctor added that the manufacturer said that if people don't develop side effects, then the drug isn't even working! Such healing eh? In God we trust (Americans will understand that hint, it is printed on our dollar bills), in bigpHARMa we trust.....

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nothingsound
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Mirandola, I have a friend who suffered from the effects of the drug you are speaking about. Most of these drugs do the same. She was speaking to her pharmacist, and guess what? The pharmacist said to purchase Tums with calcium and take four a day spaced out and this will help. Can you believe that? Thank goodness for some pharmacists who first will do not harmoh wait I thought that was the doctor's place to practice

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marypatfitz
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Well... I suffered from severe migraines for 30+ years. Like 5-7 days twice a month severe. Back in the day there wasn't much to do. I tried changing my eating plan, no wheat no dairy for 3-4 months. Made the migraines worse. The only med I could get was Tylenol 3. I'd take one with aspirin and a laxative, and would get some relief. When imitrex was advertised, I asked my doctor if we could try that. It didn't work. Some time later zomig came out and I asked about that. This did work. Ultimately, after menopause the headaches went away. Apparently a hormone issue. I do agree that these ads could be detrimental and undermine the doctor patient relationship. It can make us think "this pill will work" and I don't have to do anything else. I believe that healthy lifestyle is so important and comes first.

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yes, and unfortu7nately, your doctor didn't know anything about what hormones can do, and how to tackle that as a potential issue for your health. Also, no looking into alternative remedies or even nutrition. I guess drug companies know that they can exploit this gap in doctors' knowledge of health.

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sch3627

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Get rid of television and your life will be better.

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axkershaw

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What's the big deal? Lying, cheating, wheeling and dealing is all protected under the First Amendment. You know Congress shall make no law? And we all know that Corporations are people as was intended by the people who wrote and confirmed the Constitution. Many of Americas most prominent and influential families built their fortunes on drugs. The Delanos, as in FDR, before they became banksters, made their fortune in the opium trade. As did Forbes, as in John Forbes Kerry, and the Brown family as in Brown University and Providence Bank and rum and slave trading.

Besides the advertising media had to have something to replace all the tobacco ads they lost. Even opium, petroleum and alcohol entails risk and work. Banking doesn't. You get institutionally protected counterfeiting, fraud and theft. Quite a deal and it carries none of the risk of plantations. When slaves revolt, they can be unreasonable. When drug addicts revolt, they just go to sleep. Sick populations do not have the energy or resources to revolt.

Perhaps that is why Mercola is seen as such a threat. When banks fail the government rescues them. It is for the good of the nation. If the money creation through debt at interest system is bypassed by anyone such as Lincoln with the Greenback and JFK with silver certificates they conveniently end up dead and those ideas are buried by the Johnsons. Coincidences I am sure. If you haven't noticed Drugs and banking are siblings that protect each other and keep the 99% enslaved.

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A direct bullseye hit.

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mkhart

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From the first time I saw one of the commercials, I've always thought the pharmaceutical 'informational' ads were reckless. I saw/see them for what they are--drug peddling. I know there's a good portion of health professionals who feel the same way. And with so many doctors who are controlled by Big Pharma now, I'm sure this drug peddling is paying off. With all of the side effects from those drugs that are causing MORE health issues, they'll be able to sell more to combat those side effects. Do we have figures on the percentage of ads that are pharmaceutical or medical-based? I think I'll start calling the television media 'Big Pharma TV'.

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Do you remember the Steppenwolf song "GD the pusher man" - Thats all big pharma is - they are the pusher man. They wear suits and don't hang out on street corners, and they hang out on a TV set - - but they push every nasty drug they can come up with - some are opioids, some experimental mRNA genetic wrecking machines - - just like the street pushers, most are worse. And Frank Zappa did a song called "I'm the Slime (coming out of your TV set). This is absolute evil and they are coming for the children. GD the PUSHER MAN!!!! God Bless you and your family, stay strong.

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Dordee
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A dr I was going to in St Louis, retired because of that and paperwork created by government. I asked him one day why drs seem to push pills. He said one reason, patients say I hurt, give me a pill to make it go away, not what do i need to cut out of my diet, exercise do I need to do to correct it. Secondly, he was offered all expenses paid vacation for his family of 6 for 2 weeks in the Bahamas. All he had to do was write X number prescriptions for Prozac. All drug companies do this. How many drs are strong enough to refuse free trips, etc? Then, if they cannot buy you, they intimidate you with threats of loss of license, income. And then some drs are just too stupid to see the wrong of it all.

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When had aortic valve replaced, was in room with lady had heart transplant. She was on drugs to keep her body from rejecting the new heart and then more drugs to reverse the side effects of them. Altogether she was on over 40 drugs, constantly in and out of hospital, could not attend family gatherings least she get an infection because all the drugs had wreaked her immune system. This is life??? I was not offered any drugs for rejection. If thought I would need all that , would not have had the valve installed. Choose TAVR procedure as would only keep me in hospital 3 days. I was driving in 1 week. had too much to do, could afford toevery 5 minutes there is at least one. Next is insurance commercials of all kinds. Whoops! Forgot lawyers saying "Did you take this drug, use this chemcal, work around this product? We can get you lots of money!!" Of course they forget to say how much they will taske out of your payoff as their fee.

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Ultron8
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Another reason not too see any MD's. Medical schools have become the training ground by which they learn about prescribing medication, not necessarily practicing medicine. Many of these so called medications are approved via fraudulent data, which in many cases the FDA is not allowed to see. There are so many cases of drugs implicated in hundreds of thousands of deaths, still being prescribed. For example the Opiates, oxycontin, etc. Then there are the so called antibiotics like Cipro, that destroy mitochondria, and leave many victims totally bed ridden, the antidepressants that trigger mania. Psychiatric medications that have been fined billions of dollars in other countries still being prescribed here.

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tallulah3
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May cause death. Hmmm, What are people thinking? It's poison

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davidle
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Always listen to possible side effects and ask yourself, "Do I really want to take this?" Normally they will say in the ad, if you are allergic to the drug, discontinue usage. How do you know you are allergic unless you take the drug? Duh? You normally have to pay more for them to pay for the advertising.

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Dordee
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YES!!!!! The allergy question comes to my mind. Does my dr know if i am allergic to anyof the ingredients? Wouldn't he have to test for reactions to these drugs? And why do they often hire sports figures, celebrities to do the ads. Same applies to insurance, health, car and house. Joe Nameth must have gotten a bundle for his medicare commercial, now they can't afford to hire anyne else. I called to tell them I hate hearing him every five minutes. The lady said you are among thousands to call for same thing.

And all of these insurance companies are not offering something not offered before if you qualify, just a come on to get you to call and get hooked into changing your carrier. Colonial Penn does not tell you that if you die before their waiting period, they do not pay out. I called Missouri dept of ins. they said CP can write policies in Missouri if they will pay minimum of 50% policy value if you die before beginning of 3 years.Same in New Jersey. they do not lie, just omit the truth.

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DrLizbeth
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Once upon a time when I was in medical practice before retiring in 2006, the Leftist Commies were anti-Big Pharma, anti-DTC ads, anti-drug logo freebies, anti-feeding busy doctors with free pizza for lunch and, in fact the Commies pushed generics over some "safer" brand name drugs, e.g., brand name Dilantin was superior to generic Phenytoin for seizures (just the opposite of Fauci's strong opposition to cheap generic HCQ for treatment of Covid and instead forced people to die waiting for his newly minted vax and Remdesivir). The collusion of Big Pharma with Big Government Medical Bureaucracy is a 180 degree turn.

The Leftist Commie goal used to be to bring down high health care costs; now they are all for crony capitalism as long as they do the bidding of the Fascist Government and the Fascist Government bureaucrats who get their take of the profits and patents for themselves and their little government fiefdoms. The Leftist Commie goal is now Fascist Medical Tyranny with unabashed collusion with Big Pharma and loss of scientific freedom, debate and medical practitioner independence .

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cat86887
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The commercials do list a lot of really bad side effects, so I shudder to think what is not mentioned! My husband and I laugh and laugh and say 'Yeah, let's get some of that.' I can't understand how people can find these drugs appealing!

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The same way other types of junkies who either pop pills or shove a dirty needle in their arm (vs. a clean needle full of mRNA poison) can find appealing. yes - I am calling the needle obsessed mRNA junkies..... junkies. They need their fix - and go to their pusher - the guy in a clean white coat that call themselves "doctors". It doesn't matter if its a pusher in the back alley or a "doctor" in a fancy office - a pusher is a pusher. And as Steppenwolf sang "God D*mn the Pusher man!" God Bless and keep you and your family.

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Because they say they give fast relief, enable you to have fun, go, do whatever you want to do. You do not have to stop eating, doing whatever is causing the problem. Just keep on doing as you are doing. I needed to stop grains, gluten, eating too much. If a cup of beans tasted good, eat a whole large bowl. Get a big, bigger,biggest hamburger and fries, soda. I went keto, organic. went from 295 to 150. Blood sugar now down, joints hurt less, general health is so much better. Pills did not do it, proper diet, herbs and prayer did.

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jamNjim
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The adds that crack me up the most are the ones claiming to increase libido or alleviate "E.D." symptoms and they always have these young athletic types doing the acting. Most of these people needing drugs to improve their sex life need them because they are already taking other prescription drugs that dramatically impair sex drive and/or cause ED like most drugs used to treat depression.

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rrealrose
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Like statins? one of the worst, most prescribed drug of all time.

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Yes, and/or they carry their cell phone in their pocket and probably live close to a cell tower. A six year study of the hormone levels in a population that lived within 500 meters of a newly erected cell tower found that of the eight hormones measured, 7 declined over time. Those included thyroid, estrogen and testosterone. The one that did not decline and actually went up was prolactin. The logical conclusion is that, over time, the tower will be the only erection in the neighborhood. The women won't mind. Their libidos will be shot too. There is a bright side to the fact that cell radiation slows, distorts and kills sperm. That explains the decline in teenage pregnancies better than abstinence training. If you have teenage daughters be sure and encourage their boyfriends to carry their cell phones in their pockets.

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Pappioso
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I have two things to say. 1. How anyone could run after these drugs after hearing some of the devastating side effects is beyond me. 2. As far as the drug companies: The love of money is the root of all kinds of evil and they will answer one day

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DebbyW
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A friend of mine has rheumatoid arthritis. She has a monthly infusion. One of the side effects is death, but to her, she'd rather die than be confined to a wheelchair and in severe pain. She tried a naturopathic doctor first, and he prescribed lots of natural supplements, but it didn't help her. Of course, she's the one who's been pushing me from the beginning to get the Covid shot. She's gotten hers and been boosted once, and thinks I'm crazy for not getting it. I've had Covid and Omicron and recovered fine. She's lucky that she hasn't caught it yet. I worry about how it will affect her.

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Actually their worship of money power is a FALSE idol and we all know how cranky that makes the Lord. In fact it pisses the Lord off so much its number one and two on the sh*t parade (Ten Commandments) God Bless

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efs8045
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There's a reason it is called the boob tube - mindless.

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Raythe4th
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m.youtube.com/watch Television watching NEWS believers!!!

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brianallen1

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Ray, video is totally epic. All must watch.

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Alldogsgotoheaven

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When most of their advertising revenue comes from big pharma then why would we expect the networks to be honest about other things like covid that affect their major clients. Pharmaceuatical companies advertising on tv is a no-win situation for anyone except them and the television networks. It is especially a no-win situation for the American public. Why people cannot see this, without being told, is astonishing.

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jud547

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We don't have that in the UK, I think it is illegal.

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dealt7faux12

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It is illegal in the UK. It's only legal in the US and in NZ.

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Palazzolo

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"The doctor of the future will give no medication, but will interest his patients in the care of the human frame, diet and in the cause and prevention of disease. " Thomas A. Edison

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lemon.basil

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The coercion is real. This has crossed my mind when ads pop up, how many people will go seek the meds, BUT, my first thought is always; they forgot to mention it will probably kill you before the problem does. I find myself looking these pharma drugs up and making a note how many different ones pop up in an evening while watching a movie. Not to mention how controlling f-b is which makes my blood boil. I have kept it for grand babies pics as they are estranged from me otherwise. Snake venom has been utilized far longer than most realize.

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They can advertise as much as they want, I do not trust any of them.

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lilitu_adamah
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What is the best ? To be lost in the night of truths served by the sleeping ones, or to be lost in the night of your own absolute certainties ? :))

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Ingab51
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In my local paper (The Daily Republic - 5 June 2022), there was a long article about the effects of 'Long Covid' on seniors. One of the affected people interviewed (Richard Gard) is apparently on 22 medications..!!!, can't work any more and can apparently only walk for 10 minutes on level ground. I had to read the bit about the number of medications more than once. I'm surprised this chap is still alive and even remotely functioning. Beyond disgusting and definitely yet another reason to avoid doctors at all costs..... Here's the link in case anyone is interested in reading the entire article: www.dailyrepublic.com/all-dr-news/wires/features/living/thats-just-par..

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I've always cracked up, in the days when I used to watch regular TV, hearing the drug commercial touting the drug's ability to "clear your skin", then mentioning such possible side effects as "death", etc,, wondering if other people pick up on the irony. I have never owned a smart tv, and never will; it's like using windows 10 and expecting to have privacy.....

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Krofter
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It's all part of the larger tyrannical game plan. secularheretic.substack.com/p/bilderberg-is-back-as-ugly-as-ever?s=r

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aclark
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There's an ad on TV now advertising a drug for bipolar disorder. It seems like they run it every 30 minutes and I'm so tired of it I could scream!

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tireguy
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One of the biggest losses to American society from the capture of mainstream media by the drug mafia is the loss of investigative journalism. As long as direct to consumer advertising continues there will never be media investigations into the criminal activity of the drug mafia, as in the 1979 60 Minutes report on the 1976 Swine Flu Vaccine. A recent exception was the industry-FDA created OxyContin genocide, perhaps reported when several state AG's filed lawsuits and criminal charges against Purdue Pharma and the Sacklers.

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Jackaroni
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What about the drug ads that don't bother to mention what the function that particular drug is? Is one expected to go to their Doctor and ask "Hey, Doc, do I have any conditions that I should be taking this drug for?" Turns out that the only function of that drug is to make money.

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TRitchie
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Ah, yes. This was one of the reasons why I stopped watching television for about eight years. Now that I'm living with my mother-in-law who can't live without her cable, I still avoid the television because of those annoying commercials. After this whole C-19 fiasco with the modified injection, I really loathe these commercials targeting children. Best thing for all of us is to dump the television altogether. It's not a benefit, it's just garbage at this point.

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Itsitsivas
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The ads are a health hazard simply for the reason that mentioning sickness over and over, and listening to lists of disgusting side effects, especially at dinnertime, is mentally terrible for our health as a society.

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No surprise here, and those are in fact amongst the most dangerous drugs. Such a sly tactic as many will see these ads and not bother to change their lifestyle habits, but rather go to the doctor and give that job to them. Helpful information, do they listen to all of the side effects after they tell you it may help with depression, but it can give you suicidal thoughts, or it can increase your risk of certain cancers. Disgusting the lengths these drug companies will go to for a buck. Pharma lobbyists are former government employees, the revolving door Dr. M

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Just think: Doctors, nurses, and other "health" practitioners also watch the ads... I remember when selling drugs was considered a crime...

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brodiebrock12
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The lost ability to use critical thought is astonishing! These false propaganda pharma marketing campaigns have been going on for decades and worse as time has past for sure, but nothing new here other than the increased intensity.

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The ads play on the consumer's emotions too....seniors with their grandchildren...women with breast cancer "I have clarity", etc. The USA has a huge self-esteem problem...healthcare for sale is wrapped around language designed to boost self-esteem, make people feel "seen", courageous, unafraid, etc. As long as a person feels good about herself when receiving the product or service, it doesn't matter the quality, etc. It's sad.

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brianallen1
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USA DOES have self esteem problems. TOO much self esteem. Everything is me, me, me! Self, self, self!. Look at me! Everyone gets a participation trophy. Enough!

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Kitera
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Drug ads are also legal in Canada or they don't filter US crap. I often wondered whether anyone would take the drugs advertised as the other effects seem worse that the original illness.

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reb22656
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Drug ads are legal in the US and New Zealand. It's a disgrace.

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It should be rather obvious by now that the Rockefeller Allopathic medical system that we have in this country is rotten to the core. It's roots are based on Witchcraft and Sorcery, and anyone foolish enough to place their trust in this system, is going to end up just like King Asa. ——————————- And at that time Hanani the seer came to Asa king of Judah, and said unto him, Because thou hast relied on the king of Syria, and not relied on the Lord thy God, therefore is the host of the king of Syria escaped out of thine hand.

For the eyes of the Lord run to and fro throughout the whole earth, to shew himself strong in the behalf of them whose heart is perfect toward him. Herein thou hast done foolishly: therefore from henceforth thou shalt have wars. And Asa in the thirty and ninth year of his reign was diseased in his feet, until his disease was exceeding great: yet in his disease he sought not to the Lord, but to the physicians. And Asa slept with his fathers, and died in the one and fortieth year of his reign. 2 Chronicles 16:7,9,12-13

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Witchcraft? No, that was the accusations thrust on wise women, the herbalists from the middle ages that offten met an unfortunate end when the Inquisition came through town. That little maneuver robbed western humanity of many natural remedies which are only now being more fully investigated. Nope, the root is distilled petroleum products that JD Rockefeller and Andrew Carnegie realized could foist on an unsuspecting populace, and Rockefeller managed to hold a tight reign on for over 100 years. Amazing this sleight of hand trick.

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@Rrealrose, I don't disagree with your assessment, but what I said comes directly from the Bible. I'm talking about the history of Allopathic aka Rockefeller "medicine", not herbs!!! If you look up the word Pharmakeia in Strong's concordance G5331 - and then reference Bible verses that mention this word, you will see! It means to poison, and drugs from a pharmacy. And it specifically mentions witchcraft and sorcery in relation to that word. Here is an example: and the light of a candle shall shine no more at all in thee; and the voice of the bridegroom and of the bride shall be heard no more at all in thee: for thy merchants were the great men of the earth; for by thy sorceries were all nations deceived.

Revelation 18:23 - the word sorceries above is Strong's G5331 - Pharmakeia I believe what's being shown here is the vaccines pushed upon the earth in a deceptive manner by the pharmaceutical industry. And if I am correct about Vatican City being the Whore who rides the beast (I AM), then the pharmaceutical industry stems from the Vatican itself according to the Bible.

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nothingsound

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May be I'm simply smart; but these drug ads turn me off to them especially when one listens to the side effects! Are you kidding? Who the heck wants to even give them a try? And yes, these ads are unethical to a public that knows very little since they want the drug and the side effects! Then who in the hec k trusts any doctor that sent home patients with covid with no protocol what-so-ever? I don't. I won't.

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The problem is the drug users see the side effects and think it will never happen to them. It will always be someone else who will be the unlucky one. News flash! Side effects did used to be rare, but that is ancient history. What was once 1% to 5% chance of a side effect may now be closer to 100%.

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This is a public today that would have flunked every class in elementary school (let alone high school), (As a reference, I graduated HS in 1967 and BSEE in electrical engineering, 1974) from any of the scientific disciplines, to simple math, literature, to history - so they can be told anything, and they are too mind lazy to analyze anything, and even if they wanted to they don't have the mental capacity or (tools) to analyze anything. These unfortunates have been dumbed down to the IQ of fungi - Just where the "rulers" want them. Mike Judge missed the time for "Idiocracy" by 475 years. Its here now. One other example - the "Metaverse" - where both mind and body can be rotted and controlled simultaneously and in record time! Bravo. Brought to you by Brawndo (It has electrolytes). "Uhhhh I like muneeee"

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Red raven, it just irritates me when I give a cashier a $20 bill and 80 cents for a 15.80 purchase explaining I would like a $5 bill for my change and they have to find a manager to make sure I'm not ripping them off!

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doggiemom

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When I still watched TV none of the ads made me want to ask for the stuff. Just the list of possible side effects alone made me ask who would risk taking this stuff? I don't understand with the resource available now a days why people don't do their own research instead of listening to a sales pitch. Even if prescribed something I always research it before I pick it up. Remember what the doctor/PA/NP gives you is just a suggestion, it is up to you if you take it or not. My basic rule is nothing new or experimental and it needs to have been on the market at least 10 years preferably 20 so I can get more information on it before even thinking of taking it. Got messed up with a new drug when I was young and before the internet and learned a hard lesson. I turned of the TV in 2016, boxed it up and it still sits in the top of my closet. One of the best things I have done for me.

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mirandola

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https://www.drugs.com research mainstream drugs and their side effects, better known as extraordinary health damage. Why people druel for this like candy, I have no idea. I can't imagine it. Such programmable non-brains, it makes absolutely no sense to me, it boggles my mind. Yes, do the research, it is a matter of utmost responsibility. And doctors must not listen to pharmaceutlcal salesmen giving their pitch to "Educate" the doctors. Where are our collective brains, society-wide?

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Randyfast

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"This drug may kill you; but ask your doctor if it is right for you"!

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When a doctor decides to prescribe a drug, it is no longer a suggestion. If you don't accept, it goes on your record that you were uncooperative and a "problem" patient. You may even get fired by the drug pusher for being a bad customer who is no longer worth keeping.

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stoneharbor

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Well, I guess it's nice to have an article like this to point out the history and dangers of TV drug ads. I think the usefulness of this article could be mostly to forward it to friends who don't read Dr. Mercola ever, and have no concept of the dangers attendant to all prescribed medication. The result would hopefully be to get yet another regular reader of Dr. Mercola's daily intelligence. And over time, yet more people will learn that medicine is not the way to health. For myself, having no doctor, no health insurance, and no use for medicine whatsoever, the opening claims for the massive effect of TV ads on "people" was amazing and brought on a great laugh.

I just don't believe a regular follower of Dr. Mercola is taken in by TV ads of almost any nature, but especially not by ads for pharmaceuticals. This is great information though for some people. Spread it far and wide if you know souls who are suffering from the concept that there is help on the way from any of these medicines advertised. Usually what I think of when I hear one of these ads is what do I remember of the Naturopathic means for alleviating the symptoms described!

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katndognco

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I've rarely owned a tv most of my adult life. Recently not since 2010. Taking note from the article. If people see a medical ad then choose to medicate how much more whole food, vitamins, cooking lessons, etc. They are sharing that 27% of the population are easily influenced by ads, so advertise and scoop up those people for their preventive health benefits- Who likes going to a doctor when you have other alternatives?!

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hi Katndognco, you and I are on teh same page! I just posted a similar message. The problem is that natural medicines, naturopaths and manufacturers are all being vilified by the greedy BigPharma and its whores, the FDA, CDC and lawBREAKERs termed lawmakers. BigPharma is allowed to say "cure" but naturopaths, and manufactuers of natural remedies, may not. They were once allowed to use structure/function claims, like saying that a certain supplement supports a certain body system or function, but even that has been penalized.

The attempt is to shut down natural medicine, period, and to have BigPharma have the sole, illegal monopoly and even, at this point, world wide control! Sick people in charge right now, but their true colors are showing and more and more people are going to wake up. Watch and see. It is only a matter of time. Suffering is unfortunately, what is required to break denial...and it will break. Soon. In fact, it has already begun. The Great Wakeup may replace the Great Reset! How about that?

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Remember the "white" coat was a marketing campaign way back when. Follow the science and trust the all knowing Doctor who are for the most part bought and paid for by the pharma-medical admin cartel. Far worse now than ever, but has always been there. Fortunately, there are some very brave and good independent docs seeing this for what it is and having the courage to open independent clinics around the country. Let's hope it continues too

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Just another awesome article from a doctor who has written a substack article on the blatant corruption and wicked doctors/scientists involved in deceiving people worldwide. He shows in this article email exchanges between a Canadian pastor, and one of the doctors in the TOGETHER group, which claim to be the largest placebo based COVID experiment to date. In this email exchange the doctor tells the pastor to "*** off", "to go pray to your stupid god for answers" and ended one email with "Hail Satan".read it for yourself below.this is what we are up against. A bunch of satanic doctors and scientists pushing their Luciferase laced Mrna Gene altering nanotechnology onto the world through deception and coercion. pierrekory.substack.com/.../the-false-sinister-and-duplicitous

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fanofjesus

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you hit on the main problem we citizens are facing, that is, that by now, most of the authorities and professionals on whom we rely are satanists, whose job is to do the exact opposite of what their real job description is. They are tasked with destroying humanity, and are ensconced into every level of every societal institution. Thus, it's rreally a spiritual war.

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And the gullable Sheep believe it all!!

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Study Shows Ads also Make People Want Froot Loops. Eugenics works... and it's OK.

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Is Fauci really "fully vaccinated and double boosted"? Who trusts 'news' from NIH? NIAID Director Fauci Tests Positive for COVID-19 Today, Anthony S. Fauci, M.D., director of the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID), part of the National Institutes of Health, and Chief Medical Advisor to President Biden, tested positive for COVID-19 on a rapid antigen test. He is fully vaccinated and has been boosted twice. He is currently experiencing mild symptoms. Dr. Fauci will isolate and continue to work from his home. He has not recently been in close contact with President Biden or other senior government officials.

Dr. Fauci will follow the COVID-19 guidelines of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and medical advice from his physician and return to the NIH when he tests negative. NIAID conducts and supports research—at NIH, throughout the United States, and worldwide — to study the causes of infectious and immune-mediated diseases, and to develop better means of preventing, diagnosing, and treating these illnesses. News releases, fact sheets and other NIAID-related materials are available on the NIAID website. www.nih.gov/news-events/news-releases/niaid-director-fauci-tests-posit.. NIHTurning Discovery Into Health HA!!

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In other news, a donkey and a pig collided in midair today...

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This country is absolutely consumed by a black, evil, foul ooozing, malignant "thing" Like the Blob from 1955, but much much worse. Every stinking you tube has those crappy ads which I promptly close you tube over. i DO NOT watch MSM TV - I don't even allow "cable" in. I got a TEXT which I replied STOP to from these skum suckers. The only reason I would go to a regular doctor is if I busted my butt on my bike. The Lord is going to put a stop to all of this - soon. God Bless.

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fromseatoshiningsea
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To the best of my knowledge, the drugs typically prescribed for osteoporosis, do not actually build bone. What they do is retain old bone cells, that your body is supposed to eliminate. These bone cells are called osteoclasts. By contrast, the bone-building cells are called osteoblasts. The only bone-building supplement that I am aware of is strontium, though you'd need to do more research on it.

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DebbyW
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I have a friend who took one of the osteoporosis drugs. She's had to have surgery on her jaw to remove dead bone caused by the drug. It's a known side effect. One thing that's helped her regrow bone in her jaw was to have hyperbaric chamber treatments.

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Debby that's awful. Pharma just makes everything worse.

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In other words; Fraud, Lies, Deception and Illusion...nothing new under the sun! Once the WHO take over global "healthcare" and the WEF and the UN take over humanity, will we still be discussing this evil?

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rrealrose
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Randy, This can never happen. Each time I even think about this possibility, imagine the vaccine board of the Gates Foundation running global healthcare for their benefit, of course.

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Randyfast
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The WHO is supposed to finalize the treaty in 2024. The million $$$ question is; will they wait that long? The WHO have essentially been running this Covid Con from the beginning, from behind the scenes. What's to stop them from continuing what they started? Perhaps we'll have a clearer idea after the fall surprise.

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Off topic for today however, these housing market tidbits just showed up this morning on marketwatch: Housing market is cooling as an estimated 25% of home listings cut their asking prices: We're shifting from a real buying frenzy to much more normal conditions' Liquidity is vanishing in this pivotal corner of U.S. housing-finance market as the Fed steps back Some homes in Provo, Utah, drew 50 offers at the peak of housing boom. Economists are now warning of overvalued' p

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You should think what they intend with that move again, because it's not just happening out of the blue. There is always a plan behind as far as I see it, but which one is the question.

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Gotta crystal ball?

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" Economists are now warning of overvalued' p..." As are crypto currency Bitcoins.
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Stage-setting of the fall of the last chosen, steered and controlled dupes of the big fat fake salvation of the builders who've rejected the chief cornerstone. Demoralize, 'expose' selectively, marginalize...promote 'revolution' for the planned & controlled demolition to make place for the planned replacement. Think of it like setting up one well-favored harlot to be disposed of & replaced by another yet more depraved & accomodating....since not all Americans are 'in on it' as the so-called 'fortunate sons'. All of it written & foretold, nothing original....just twisted & reversed to the consumption of those twisted & reversed enough, removed enough from truth and the most high & living God of the Godhead: creator, savior and king who has revealed himself via truth in the creation and conscience (so that men are without excuse) as well as within his given, preserved & quickening written word.

Carry on, 'ladies' and 'gents' and 'whatevers'....truth is still there and judgment is impartial & without preference, salvation obtained by the same unchanging & most holy providential way through the unchanging, most holy.....and only godman....the Lord Jesus Christ of the Godhead.

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I am surprised or not why she doesn't mention, that the Hippocratic Oath was changed in 1961or so, which probably make that god alike only possible. Interesting also that they say to treat diseases instead of to heal them, because they can't heal. Typical rabulistic that is being used. Unclear for the people. The brainwash junk box, better not say what I usually call it, to turn off or better not on in the first place. Same with mainstream newspaper.

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I prefer "Lobotomy box" and newspapers are parakeet cage liners.

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