

Medical Science vs Pseudo-science

recently, many of our coreligionists, here and in Europe, died of cancer.

Since then, many have asked my opinion on various treatments advertised on the net.

Our aging, the appearance of various aches and pains, the loss of physical and mental alertness, and even more, being notified of a cancer diagnosis can place us not only in a state of emotional shock and stress, but also in a vulnerability state and in a potential "prey" position regarding quackery and merchants of all kinds.

It would be unfortunate to lose our rationality, our logic and our scientific outlook by the effect of this emotional state; the very same that made us question deism and evolutionism and lead us to recognize the scientific origins of the creation of life on earth.

I don't pretend to know everything and to be omniscient; I don't have the knowledge of the Elohim. What I have is my 20 years of practicing medicine, in

direct contact with sick people among which many died before my eyes while others lived. What I also have is my years of experience within the Raelian population in which I have seen and experienced several trends of miracle cures.

My goal here is certainly not to convince you of anything. I cannot do that. Especially not to pontificate, everyone is free to choose.

My only objective is to give you guidelines and basic principles that can help you get a clearer picture.

For more than 20 years, many of you have experienced these trends, not only intellectually but also, for some, into your flesh and blood.



Whether we talk of fad diets Montignac type, or pregnancy hormone (HCG), or miracles treatment with vitamin B17, MMS, oxygen water that penetrates the skin, stem cells, cannabis oil ... all claim to bring us new energy, youth and healing. And yet, we saw our loved ones die despite taking one or the other of these miracle treatments : Yvon, Claude, Anne ... and we will see more.

Almost all of these miracle cures spread on a similar pattern.

1.) Affirmation of a discovery or a prohibited treatment that heals EVERYTHING. Always a SENSATIONAL statement.

2.) Conspiracy from pharmaceutical firms with the complicity of the medical world to hide this miracle

treatment in order not to lose a financial monopoly power.

3.) An authority is used to support the assertions. An intellectual expert: doctor, biologist, chemist and even ... engineer. These same authorities are often the martyrs of the system. They often, for doctors, lost their right to practice, or been accused of illegal practice of medicine. Giving even more weight to the conspiracy theory.

4.) Scientific language is used, with a few studies to support the claims in order to "sell " the miracle treatment.

Here is a very concrete example:

<http://www.newsrescue.com/secret-uncovered-cancer-not-disease-business/#axzz4Lwu1YeOU>

1.) Sensational affirmation:

Cancer consists of only a deficiency of vitamin B17. It is nothing else.

2.) Conspiracy:

You might not believe this but cancer is not a disease; it is a business.

3.) Miracle treatment:

Since cancer is only a deficiency of vitamin B17, eating 15 to 20 pieces of apricot stone/nucleus (fruit stone) everyday is enough.

Eat wheat bud (wheat sprouts). Wheat bud is a miraculous anti-cancer medicine. It is a rich source of

liquid oxygen and the strongest anti-cancer matter named laetrile. This matter is present in the fruit stone of apple and is the extracted form of vitamin B17 (Amygdalin).

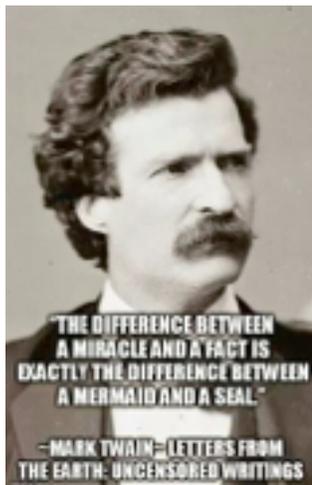
4.) Argumentation from an authority:

Dr. Harold W. Manner, in a book named "Death of Cancer" has stated that the success of cancer treatment with laetrile is as high as above 90%.

I have often said and I now will repeat:

1.) With our actual scientific knowledge, there is no miracle treatment; we don't have the scientific level of the Elohim.

2.) An argument from an authority and/or the opinion of a scientist are not scientific facts.



3.) If the assertions are sensational, there is often no fact to support these assertions.

4.) Always ask yourself what one is trying to sell you.

5.) If one day a pharmaceutical firm discovers a cure for all cancers, they will not hide it, they would sell the cure and become the richest company in the world.

For several years, with the help of Daniel Chabot, I tried to educate Raelians about pseudoscience.

I am always amazed to see so many still falling for it.

I concluded, with time, that belief in miracle cures was just that: a belief. It's impossible with sensible arguments, based on common sense and current science, to convince anyone. Even if I bring plenty of verifiable and compelling arguments, if a person believes in miracles, nothing will do.

Please don't get me wrong. I am not saying there is no financial interest at stake. I am not saying there are no sensational discoveries to come. I am only saying there is quackery that uses a pseudo-scientific language and uses people's belief system in miracles to deceive them and make money on their back.

Everyone has the freedom to choose their path in terms of health. For my part, even though imperfect, I choose medical science and I try to share it with anyone asking me for advice and... without financial gain.

All is in the Messages and it's so simple: no special diet, fasting 24 hours a week, meditate every day, don't get drunk, don't smoke, don't use drugs ... everything is in The Keys.

Like you, I'm getting older and I could possibly suffer from cancer one day. I then will choose science to help me.

My religion is science, not pseudoscience!

LOVE.Marc



