

## Drawing Patients Closer

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It happened on a Sunday.  
I have a very bad time with Sundays.

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Speaker:

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I don't have a sense of humor either.  
Maybe it's because I'm such a complainer,  
and that gets on my nerves, too.

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Speaker:

Younger doctors seem to be in such a hurry.  
I had one doctor  
used to have to chase him,  
grab on to his white coat.  
Flittin' up and down the hall.  
You want to ask him somethin',  
you have to run him down.

I exercise.

I got things to do.  
I got popsickle sticks  
I make things out of.

My sister walked the crap out of me.

I was eleven pounds when I was born,  
and I've never had a small day in my life.

Whenever I get the urge to exercise,  
I just lie down till the feeling goes away.

Twenty years ago I belonged  
to President & First Lady Fitness Centers  
when there were fat people there  
tryin' to help theyselves.

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Today you go in there  
and it's a bunch o' skinny people showin' off.  
Makes you wanna throw up.

How'd I lose so much weight?  
Well, I lost my dad.

My father's suicide turned me into a dreamer.  
He was a marine biologist,  
and he once took me deep sea fishing.  
The death of someone I knew I could never be.  
It left a lot of dreams.

You want to take my blood pressure?  
You going to give it back?

That doctor, he save' my husband.  
Well, besides God.

I sure feel better since the doctors took me off all them milligrams.

I don't see why they have to have all those syllables  
just to say one word.

I caught an allergy to perfume.  
I thought it was that haze that come up.

15 years without an orgasm, a climax.  
That's not normal, is it?  
I want a man.  
I don't want a Minnie Mouse.  
My husband and I don't have sex no more.  
He's impudent.

I was goin' to ask you  
was I able for sex?  
Used to wake up every mornin'  
just like a iron pipe.  
So I want the Cialis.  
TV say Cialis last 36 hours,  
Viagra kill you.  
Buddy o' mine,  
preacher,  
took one, didn't do nothin'.  
Fool took another...  
and BAM!!

My doctor listens real well.  
She doesn't have no opinions about nothin'.  
She was tryin' to help me with my angry stuff.  
I'm not going to explain my situation to different doctors.  
I just have to get a positive doctor.  
If you're not going to do anything about it,  
then why keep talkin' about it?  
You already got nerves going to the stress clinic,  
and that makes it worse.

Sung:  
I'm disability from depression.  
Make beds and clean up.  
I be 49 Sunday.  
I stopped workin' after my daughter died.  
I take care of her little boy.

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She was 22.

I saw her eyes were getting yellow one day.

Roasted liver, they said.

She was no drinker that I know of.

I get depressed sometimes.

Today my son's birthday.

He's 31.

He's not living.

He's deceased, too.

He was around some friend's house.

Old gun went off.

Bled inside to death and passed.

Them only two kids I had

'cause I had a hysterectomy.

I had a husband died of brain cancer right behind that.

That's why I get sad.

I was going to make him a cake.

Celebrate with his name on it.

Speaker:

These sunspots made my cellphone go haywire.

Maybe that's why my brother's going coo-coo.

He can't sleep.

He can't breathe.

He had took six Prozac in one day

'cause he couldn't sleep.

I think he's worrying about dyin' too much.

My father said I'm not going to permit mother

to ever go to a nursing home.

Never come out of one of them alive.

I said, "Dad, you don't come out of life alive."

So now she's at home

with 24-hour nurses and all that,

but she doesn't know she's home.

Oh, I'm SO glad you took a seat, doctor.

I've got such a HORRID story to tell you.

My cats almost made my Mom cat litter.

You know she died last month,

and I had her cremated.

I had the urn

up on the coffee table,

and I had the lid open,

'cause Mom don't like to be closed in.

well, I come home from work wednesday,

and the cats were clawin'

at the plastic bag with Mom's ashes.

Five more minutes

and my cats wouldda made my Mom cat litter.

How's my husband?

Oh, I hate that s.o.b.

26 years, all his mess.

Day we got married

he went home to his mama's,

and I didn't hear from him for three days.

Is that physical or mental?

It's mental, to me.

when I got pregnant,

he went to his mama's.

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When I gave birth to my daughter,  
he went out to his mama's  
and went to bed.  
It's been that way from the "I do's" on.

I bought a juicer.  
I eat plenty of juice,  
only I put vodka in it.

Sometimes when you got a cold,  
you take a drink to go to sleep.  
But when you wake up,  
you got a cold and a hangover both.

I'm doin' pretty good...

Sung:  
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Speaker:  
recovering from my daughter's death.

Sung:  
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My youngest daughter was killed last month...

Speaker:  
in an auto accident

Sung:  
on a two-lane road in Pecos, Texas.

Speaker:  
Foggy morning and this truck  
didn't see 'em till he was right up on 'em.

I'm doin' okay  
as long as I don't think about  
how broken she was.

Sung:  
We had an open casket  
'casue her husband wanted that.  
It's really hard.  
I thought losin' your spouse  
was the worst thing you could go through,  
but this's worse.  
All the family was in the car...

Speaker:  
and they've got survivor's guilt.

Sung:  
You know, you're not supposed to walk away  
from an accident  
in which your mother died.

the oldest one's 14.  
Too old too cry.  
the youngest one's eight.  
If he doesn't think about it,  
he thinks it'll go away.  
The third one, 10,

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saw her die.

Speaker:

He's the only one who was awake.  
talking to her at the time.  
The others were asleep.

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Brake tracks 300 feet.

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