

To whomever this is directed to,
I Quote another that has made a submission; Lawrie Daniel.

“Let me tell you, if I owned a dog like me, I would have compassionately and painlessly ended its suffering years ago”.

I understand the MS situation. Our best friend died at 50 after his wife sacrificed her life to help him. The pain he suffered was so unfair as was hers.

It is totally unfair to keep people alive far beyond their ability to even understand that they are alive (as my sister –in- law is at 70 after 10 years of misery for her and her family – early onset dementia) .

Has not recognised anyone or anything for the past 5 years but, has cost her family a fortune to keep. Not only is the sadness of her situation creating extreme depression in her family, it is costing the younger ones any hope of financial help in the future!

I could not think of anything worse than doing that to my family.

I do not want to go through what my parents did . Being kept alive in an peoples home when they had absolutely had enough of the pain and suffering.

I worry that the old aged are part of an industry that will prevent a reasonable attitude to euthanasia.

It seems that people are just like a commercial item. If there is an industry that can use them they are very important . If they are not of any use they are on the streets.

But why we must live regardless of pain and suffering is beyond me.
Surely something sensible can be worked out?

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