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during the slow painful suffering of my very loved grandfather who died of cancer, I felt such trauma of and sadness even today many years later, In the way he "suffered" during his lengthy duration before he finally died. this year my only close love within my world -my little dog "Saki", as I live alone my "Saki" was the love of my life. However he became ill and the vet advised that my dog/best friend "ever" needed to put out of his suffering. This was proceeded immediately, As I held him lovingly in my arms "traumatic" for me to accept my loss, I also knew this was the kindest for my dog. His death was swift and peaceful for us both. I remembered the difference in how my granddad had to die. NOT such a gift of kindness in his leaving my world as my precious "Saki." I believe without any questions or doubt that when I have to decide to end my life I would hope that I could end my life as my Saki," to be given that same human kindness. Most humans do not want to leave our world on this planet. But if we knew when the time had was over for any quality of life "again,"that we could have that personal option to end it by our own given choice, by one sedation, not weeks of a given to help? us enduring the legal palliative "suicide" as I viewed /view it to be. A sedative given during the starvation and dehydration style until we die IF we knew we didn't have to end our then our future lives in that legal way, then we could soar ahead in our lives without dwelling on how we have to end it by the cruel method. We then could seize our every day as we age without the fear about our end. I intensely hope that changes of this legal law that prevents us all from having our basic human rights hopefully in my life time aged 63yrs and mindful towards "ahead" aging years medical issues.also for all those now who so desperately need a change, so they can make the best of their lives "whatever" their enduring? to have the peace within them that Australian have a human spirit of human rights for us all. thank you Kamini woods.

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