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I am a married woman coming up to my 68th birthday in August .

I have been diagnosed with various syndromes such as

Reynard's

Sjrogens

Scleroderma

Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy

One of these illnesses ,or perhaps a combination of them will indeed

Result in what could well be a very miserable death.

I must for my dignity and for the beautiful family around me have the choice of a "good death " as the term of euthanasia suggests .

I have always worked hard and loved hard ie my children and husband . I cannot become a pathetic shadow of myself I had made this decision within weeks of these diagnosis 's .

I am very lucid in my thoughts on this matter and I ask the powers that be to legislate to enable myself and other poor souls who are facing such a dilemma to maintain our dignity and not be turned into something I have never been helpless in pain and pathetic

Kind regards mother of 3 grandmother of 6