

# “Doctors Killed My Husband Because They Relied On Animal Experiments”

My husband, Robert, was just 44 when he went for a routine life insurance examination, writes Mrs F. He had no symptoms and felt well but his doctor insisted on treating him. He thought the drug was safe because it had been extensively tested on animals. But the drug wasn't safe and Robert died. Unexpected side effects killed him.

Animal experiments are responsible for thousands of deaths every year. Animals are completely different to people. Testing drugs on animals produces misleading information.

Eight year old Samantha loved ballet dancing passionately. She wanted to be a ballet dancer when she grew up. But she never did grow up. Ten days before her ninth birthday she fell ill. Within 48 hours Samantha was dead: killed not by the illness but by the drug she'd been given. Animal tests had not shown the side effect which killed Samantha.

Or consider Bill. Doctors recommended surgery. The surgeon Bill saw wanted to try out a new technique that had been tested on animals. Bill died three days after the operation. He developed problems and complications which had not occurred when the operation had been performed on animals.

All these human tragedies occurred as a direct result of animal experiments. (Identifying facts have been changed to protect the privacy of the families concerned.) It isn't only animals who suffer from animal testing. People suffer too.

Dr Vernon Coleman, a professor and qualified medical doctor, claims that no animal experiment has ever saved a human life, but that animal experiments have resulted in thousands of human deaths.

If you want to know more – and study the evidence for yourself – send off for a free copy of his book *Why Animal Experiments Must Stop*. It is packed with the facts about animal experiments.

The normal price of the book is £9.95 but you can get a free copy by sending a cheque/PO for £2.95 (payable to EMJ Books) to cover PP&H to: Dr Vernon Coleman's Free Animal Experiments Book Offer, Room , PO Box 30, Barnstaple, Devon EX32 9YU. This offer is valid for 30 days.

## **What the papers say about Vernon Coleman**

‘King of the media docs’ *The Independent*

‘...one of our most enlightened, trenchant and sensible dispensers of medical advice’ *The Observer*

‘The man is a national treasure.’ *What Doctors Don't Tell You*

‘The revered guru of medicine’ *Nursing Times*

‘Superstar’ *Independent on Sunday*

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# “Urgent Message To Employees Of Huntingdon Life Sciences”

**From Professor Vernon Coleman MB ChB DSc**

‘As an employee of a company which performs animal experiments you have probably been led to believe that experiments on animals are necessary, useful and of value to human patients.

I don’t believe that this is true.

I believe that experiments on animals are so misleading that they are of no benefit to doctors or patients.

One in six patients in hospital are there because they have been made ill by doctors. Four out of every ten patients who take a drug will suffer from unpleasant and sometimes potentially lethal side effects. Remember that the drugs which cause so many problems were originally tested on animals.

There is no UK or EU law which states that drug companies have to test their drugs on animals. But animal experiments are invaluable for a company preparing to launch a new drug. If a test on animals shows that the drug does not kill then the drug is passed. But if animal tests show that the drug causes problems the tests can be dismissed and ignored on the grounds that animals are different to people. Scores of drugs on the UK market are known to cause cancer or other serious problems when given to animals.

I have debated this subject with some of the world’s leading vivisectionists. And I have won every time. The vivisectionists always lose because the evidence supports my point of view.

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