

FIBROMYALGIA TESTIMONIAL

I'm from Johnstown, PA. I'm 58 years old and an owner of a sign business. I'm involved in all aspects of the business, including sales, pricing, invoicing, and the actual construction and installation of the signs. My job involves speaking with the customers as well as constructing their signs.

In February of 2007, I began to have headaches. As the days progressed, I began having the headaches daily, along with inner ear pain. I tried heavy doses of aspirin to relieve the headaches, but the pain was still there. I began to see Neurologists, who were treating me with different "migraine" medications, some medications up to 6 tablets a day. These medications not only did not relieve my headaches, but they made my mind very foggy and I had difficulty concentrating. I had been on different medications for 3 years with no relief, so I discontinued seeing these Neurologists and lived with the pain. The pain on a scale of 1 to 10 was fast approaching the 8-9 range.

During the course of these 3-4 years, I tried massage therapy, acupuncture, had my eyes checked, went to ear specialists, had occipital nerve blocks, Botox injections, and had approximately 10-20 MRI's and cat scans, which showed some deterioration in my upper neck discs. Some doctors reading the scans said they saw the deterioration, it could be affecting and causing my headaches, but there was nothing that could be done for the deterioration in this area of my neck. It was not an operable area.

From February 2007 until July 2011, I had a very hard time trying to keep my business going and enjoying life in general. My business suffered because I had much trouble concentrating, so it was hard for me to converse with customers on the phone. I had to write their conversations down as they talked, because after I hung up the phone, I would forget what they said. Customers would talk to me face-to-face and they would sometimes ask me question and I couldn't answer them because my mind was so foggy and my head hurt. The labor end of the business was hard as my head constantly hurt during installations. My business is next to my home, so I would go to the house about 5 times during the day to just rest from fighting the pain, and at 4:00 p.m. I would quit work and lie on the couch until it was time to go to bed. I was just exhausted at the end of the day. On weekends I would lie on the couch all weekend because of the pain, and I did not want to do simple things, like eat out, go anywhere or visit family and friends.

In July of 2011, I was given the name of Dr. Corcetti from a patient of his and a friend of mine. We emailed Dr. Corcetti and asked him "What could he do for me that I hadn't already tried with other doctors?" (being frustrated for so many years and with so many doctors and no relief). He replied "Let me try to help you." We went for a complimentary visit on July 31, 2011. After 5 minutes my headache was gone. Dr. Corcetti had the technique that relieved the pain in both my head and ears. The relief was an answer to many years of prayer.

I have been seeing Dr. Corcetti since July to continue treatments to relieve pressure in my head as well as feeling better and having better posture. My wife can see the pain-free expression on my face now – I'm so much more relaxed. I now feel like doing a full day's work and am confident with speaking with the customers again. I feel like I have my life back again. ~ B. C.