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Dear Andrea,

Back in 1989 I was diagnosed with a condition called Crohn's disease. I had never heard of it or any idea what it was, but at the time I was suffering with constant diarrhoea, chronic pain, loss of blood to name but a few. I went from a healthy nine stone, to a worrying seven stone in a very short space of time.

I was unable to eat many foods that I had usually enjoyed over the years, because everything I ate was going straight through me. It seemed like I was constantly on the lavatory, in terrible chronic pain and feeling very sick. This would happen every time I ate. So I spent the majority of my day on the toilet.

Once I was diagnosed, I was put on a number of medications. Some of which worsened my condition:

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Sulphasalazine	(these particular drugs
Mesalazine	(were prescribed over
Asacol	(a period of 10 years
Azathioprin	(

I was also prescribed steroids and liquid enemas over a period of 13 years which resulted in weight gain and various other problems.

When I was prescribed with Azathioprin five years ago, I was told it was a wonder drug, and I would be feeling much better in around Six months from taking it. Unfortunately, I became very ill and was admitted to hospital. I was put on a drip for a week to give my body a rest as it couldn't cope with the stress.

I was then diagnosed with an ulcer in my stomach as a direct result of the **azathioprin**. Fortunately, the **specialists** caught it in time and treated it with "more drugs".

I have had to undergo many Endoscopies over the years to check for cancerous cells (Polyps), and various blood tests to ensure that my kidneys are not under any that due to the endless drug treatments.

In 1996, after another Endoscopie, I was told that I was not suffering from Crohn's Disease, it was Ulcerative Colitis. The left side of the Colon was three quarters affected with inflamed ulcers.

To bring you up to, in February 2005 I had another Endoscopy which revealed that the left side of the Colon was the same, **but**, there was microscopic evidence that the right side of the Colon was becoming inflamed.

I was advised to carry on with my usual medication, **Pentasa Mesalazine** and I would be screened every two years for cancerous cells or bowel cancer because I have been a patient under hospital care for more than fifteen years.

My brother told me about a product, **Aloe Vera Juice**, from a company called **Forever Living Products**. He advised me to try it, as it was a natural product and there were no additives etc. and may help. I had tried many products over the years but to no avail. So I thought, I've got nothing to lose, and started drinking the juice in March of this year. I have now been taking the juice for almost four months, once in the morning, half an hour before eating.

I cannot express how thrilled and relieved I am to inform you that I have not suffered any attacks since taking the **Aloe Vera Juice**. I have also changed my diet and cut out all red meats which I feel worsened my condition.

I will continue with the **Aloe Vera Juice** as long as it is working. And I am proof that it is working. I have a new lease of life and do not worry about having a day trip out with my children, just in case I have an attack. I have also enrolled myself at college for a gardening course.

So, a **BIG THANK YOU to Forever Living Products**.

I hope my story will perhaps help others to give it a try.

Paula.