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To My Family of Patients at Accident and Injury,

I want all of you to know how much I have enjoyed working with each and every one of you (minus a couple of course) over the last 38 years. Chiropractic has truly been a vocation that has filled my heart, mostly because of you. Throughout my life I am often asked how I know facts about so many diverse topics. It is because of you and the unique information you have felt so comfortable in sharing with me. You have really helped me round out my life. Thank you.

Some of you may know that in early July I underwent a quadruple bypass surgery. My heart is doing well and I am healing nicely. Unfortunately, a few days after surgery I suffered a stroke that affected my left arm and hand. While it is healing, my hand is far from adequate for any quality adjusting. As such, I believe that it is time for me to retire.

For me, coming to work was a bit like going to the Cheers bar. Everyone knows your name and was (I think) happy to see me. We always seemed able to laugh through the work day, again thanks to you, my family.

The good news for you is that the clinic still has a great staff of doctors! Dr. Clifton, who bought my practice in 2020, has been with me for the last five years and has really taken well to my style of care and communication. Being more recently educated than myself, Dr. C and Dr. Bulmer are continuing to implement new advancements in our profession into their daily work. Of course, Dr. Raymond continues to serve as he always has.

Some of you may not yet know the other doctors in our clinic. I don't want you to allow your spinal, nervous system and overall health to suffer because of this. I trust them completely with my health and you should too. If you would like to get to know them (if you don't already), simply call our office and tell them you got this letter. They would be happy to take the time to get caught up on your health status and provide a great evaluation of your overall function. And always remember: the most effective treatment happens before you are in crisis.

While I am sad to be leaving you, I am happy to be leaving you in good hands.

With love, affection and appreciation, I will miss you.


Joel Vanna