

Truth Seekers

SHORTS



STRANGE STORIES
INSURANCE COMPANY
MAKES ME PUKE



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00:00:01,250 --> 00:00:09,830

[Music]

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00:00:14,310 --> 00:00:12,390

greetings and salutations friends i'm

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00:00:16,790 --> 00:00:14,320

stephen campion and you're watching

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00:00:18,790 --> 00:00:16,800

strange stories have you ever needed a

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00:00:20,710 --> 00:00:18,800

medical procedure but been turned down

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00:00:22,870 --> 00:00:20,720

by your insurance company even after

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00:00:24,070 --> 00:00:22,880

your doctor said that you needed that

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00:00:26,150 --> 00:00:24,080

procedure

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00:00:28,470 --> 00:00:26,160

it's all too common in the united states

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00:00:30,470 --> 00:00:28,480

of america and some people from outside

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00:00:32,549 --> 00:00:30,480

of the united states may be surprised to

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00:00:35,430 --> 00:00:32,559

learn that it's not our doctors here in

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00:00:37,990 --> 00:00:35,440

the united states who decide if we are

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00:00:39,590 --> 00:00:38,000

allowed to have medical procedures we

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00:00:41,990 --> 00:00:39,600

need but rather

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00:00:43,430 --> 00:00:42,000

our medical insurance companies who make

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00:00:45,430 --> 00:00:43,440

that decision

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00:00:47,110 --> 00:00:45,440

one woman in indianapolis needed a

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00:00:49,510 --> 00:00:47,120

medical procedure

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00:00:51,990 --> 00:00:49,520

you see for the past three years she has

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00:00:53,229 --> 00:00:52,000

been struggling with a stomach disorder

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00:00:54,790 --> 00:00:53,239

called

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00:00:56,630 --> 00:00:54,800

gastroparesis

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00:00:59,110 --> 00:00:56,640

and this stomach disorder causes her to

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00:01:01,349 --> 00:00:59,120

vomit almost everything she eats

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00:01:03,910 --> 00:01:01,359

her insurance company denied her

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00:01:06,710 --> 00:01:03,920

coverage for this procedure

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00:01:09,270 --> 00:01:06,720

apparently miss honig was not willing to

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00:01:11,670 --> 00:01:09,280

accept this denial and good for her she

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00:01:13,750 --> 00:01:11,680

stood up for her rights it should be her

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00:01:16,950 --> 00:01:13,760

and her doctor who decide what medical

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00:01:19,190 --> 00:01:16,960

procedures she gets not a greedy

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00:01:20,789 --> 00:01:19,200

insurance company so after she was

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00:01:23,030 --> 00:01:20,799

denied coverage for the medical

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00:01:24,390 --> 00:01:23,040

procedure that she desperately needed

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00:01:27,109 --> 00:01:24,400

she had enough

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00:01:30,310 --> 00:01:27,119

she went to their indianapolis indiana

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00:01:33,350 --> 00:01:30,320

headquarters she went to their corporate

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00:01:38,830 --> 00:01:33,360

offices what happened next was beautiful

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00:01:44,310 --> 00:01:40,630

uh an employee bench

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00:01:44,320 --> 00:02:00,720

let's go girls

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00:02:00,730 --> 00:02:18,550

[Music]

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00:02:23,830 --> 00:02:20,869

well no one will take my letter but they

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00:02:27,190 --> 00:02:23,840

said that i could mail it and leave it

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00:02:34,630 --> 00:02:27,200

with like uh any relevant documentation

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00:02:39,830 --> 00:02:36,630

oh okay

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00:02:44,869 --> 00:02:42,309

dear anthem blue cross blue shield thank

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00:02:47,270 --> 00:02:44,879

you so much for your quick response of

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00:02:49,110 --> 00:02:47,280

calling the cops on me it was such a

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00:02:51,110 --> 00:02:49,120

lovely surprise to get a visit from two

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00:02:53,190 --> 00:02:51,120
men armed with guns and batons in my own

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00:02:54,790 --> 00:02:53,200
home it's nice to know that even if you

53
00:02:59,670 --> 00:02:54,800
won't give me the healthcare i need you

54
00:03:04,869 --> 00:03:01,910
anthem had around 40 million members as

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00:03:06,550 --> 00:03:04,879
of 2018 making it one of the leading

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00:03:08,630 --> 00:03:06,560
insurance companies

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00:03:13,030 --> 00:03:08,640
the annual revenue of anthem

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00:03:15,430 --> 00:03:13,040
incorporated in 2020 was around 122

59
00:03:18,149 --> 00:03:15,440
billion dollars and has doubled in the

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00:03:21,830 --> 00:03:18,159
past eight years

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00:03:24,550 --> 00:03:21,840
one may ask themselves how can a 122

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00:03:25,589 --> 00:03:24,560
billion dollar company control

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00:03:29,430 --> 00:03:25,599

what

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00:03:32,470 --> 00:03:29,440

medical services one of their members is

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00:03:34,470 --> 00:03:32,480

allowed to get shouldn't that decision

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00:03:35,589 --> 00:03:34,480

be in the hands of the doctor and the

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00:03:37,430 --> 00:03:35,599

patient

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00:03:39,270 --> 00:03:37,440

but not in our country because here in

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00:03:40,949 --> 00:03:39,280

the united states it's not your doctor

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00:03:42,630 --> 00:03:40,959

and you who decide what medical

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00:03:45,270 --> 00:03:42,640

procedures you need

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00:03:47,589 --> 00:03:45,280

it's a 122 billion dollar greedy

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00:03:51,350 --> 00:03:47,599

insurance company by the way

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00:03:52,630 --> 00:03:51,360

the ceo of anthem health is gail kazaria

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00:03:55,429 --> 00:03:52,640

border

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00:03:58,309 --> 00:03:55,439

who is worth an estimated 50 million

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00:04:01,350 --> 00:03:58,319

dollars and one may ask themselves

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00:04:02,550 --> 00:04:01,360

couldn't this person who is the ceo of

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00:04:04,630 --> 00:04:02,560

the company

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00:04:07,030 --> 00:04:04,640

make the right decision here and allow

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00:04:09,429 --> 00:04:07,040

this person to get the medical treatment

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00:04:12,630 --> 00:04:09,439

that they so desperately need

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00:04:15,750 --> 00:04:12,640

how is it all fair that some woman worth

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00:04:18,469 --> 00:04:15,760

50 million dollars is going to sit in

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00:04:19,990 --> 00:04:18,479

judgment of poor people who need medical

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00:04:22,710 --> 00:04:20,000

treatment

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00:04:25,749 --> 00:04:22,720

this is not fair and this should never

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00:04:28,390 --> 00:04:25,759

be tolerated we should never allow this

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00:04:30,310 --> 00:04:28,400

to happen in our country

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00:04:32,629 --> 00:04:30,320

what kind of a world do we live in where

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00:04:33,990 --> 00:04:32,639

some billion dollar company gets to

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00:04:36,469 --> 00:04:34,000

decide

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00:04:38,790 --> 00:04:36,479

what medical procedures poor people are

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00:04:40,950 --> 00:04:38,800

allowed to get

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00:04:43,189 --> 00:04:40,960

this decision should be in the hands of

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00:04:45,909 --> 00:04:43,199

the patient and the doctor

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00:04:47,350 --> 00:04:45,919

not greedy billion dollar insurance

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00:04:49,909 --> 00:04:47,360

companies

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00:04:52,150 --> 00:04:49,919

if you think it's wrong that a greedy

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00:04:55,670 --> 00:04:52,160

insurance company with an estimated

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00:04:58,950 --> 00:04:55,680

revenue of 144 billion dollars with a

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00:05:02,469 --> 00:04:58,960

ceo of an estimated net worth

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00:05:05,029 --> 00:05:02,479

of 50 million dollars should not be

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00:05:07,029 --> 00:05:05,039

deciding what medical procedures poor

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00:05:08,710 --> 00:05:07,039

people need

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00:05:11,670 --> 00:05:08,720

i think that we should all do something

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00:05:13,590 --> 00:05:11,680

about it and that is to call anthem

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00:05:15,670 --> 00:05:13,600

that's right let's give them a call and

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00:05:16,390 --> 00:05:15,680

let them know what we think the number

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00:05:20,870 --> 00:05:16,400

is

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00:05:26,070 --> 00:05:22,830

and we should all ask to speak to the

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00:05:29,590 --> 00:05:26,080

ceo gail cazaria-bordro

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00:05:32,150 --> 00:05:29,600

ask her if her 144 billion dollar

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00:05:33,909 --> 00:05:32,160

insurance company can't find the money

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00:05:36,870 --> 00:05:33,919

to cover this young lady's medical

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00:05:39,110 --> 00:05:36,880

procedure maybe she could take the money

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00:05:40,230 --> 00:05:39,120

for the procedure this woman needs out

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00:05:42,390 --> 00:05:40,240

of her own

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00:05:46,390 --> 00:05:42,400

50 million dollars

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00:05:48,870 --> 00:05:46,400

the greed of this woman the ceo gail

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00:05:52,070 --> 00:05:48,880

kazaria boudreau and this greedy

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00:05:54,070 --> 00:05:52,080

insurance company is unacceptable let's

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00:05:56,150 --> 00:05:54,080

do something about it call them and let

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00:05:58,150 --> 00:05:56,160

them know what you think until next time

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00:06:01,430 --> 00:05:58,160

friends my name is stephen cambion

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00:06:03,590 --> 00:06:01,440

bringing you another strange story

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00:06:06,550 --> 00:06:03,600

operators are standing by live to take

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00:06:13,029 --> 00:06:06,560

your call this one phone call could

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00:06:19,670 --> 00:06:15,590

pick up the phone and make that call

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00:06:25,029 --> 00:06:21,909

we're only seconds away before the show

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00:06:27,110 --> 00:06:25,039

is over operators are standing by live

132

00:06:28,180 --> 00:06:27,120

pick up the phone and make that call

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00:06:30,629 --> 00:06:28,190

right now