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2026 SYMPOSIUM

PD vs HD

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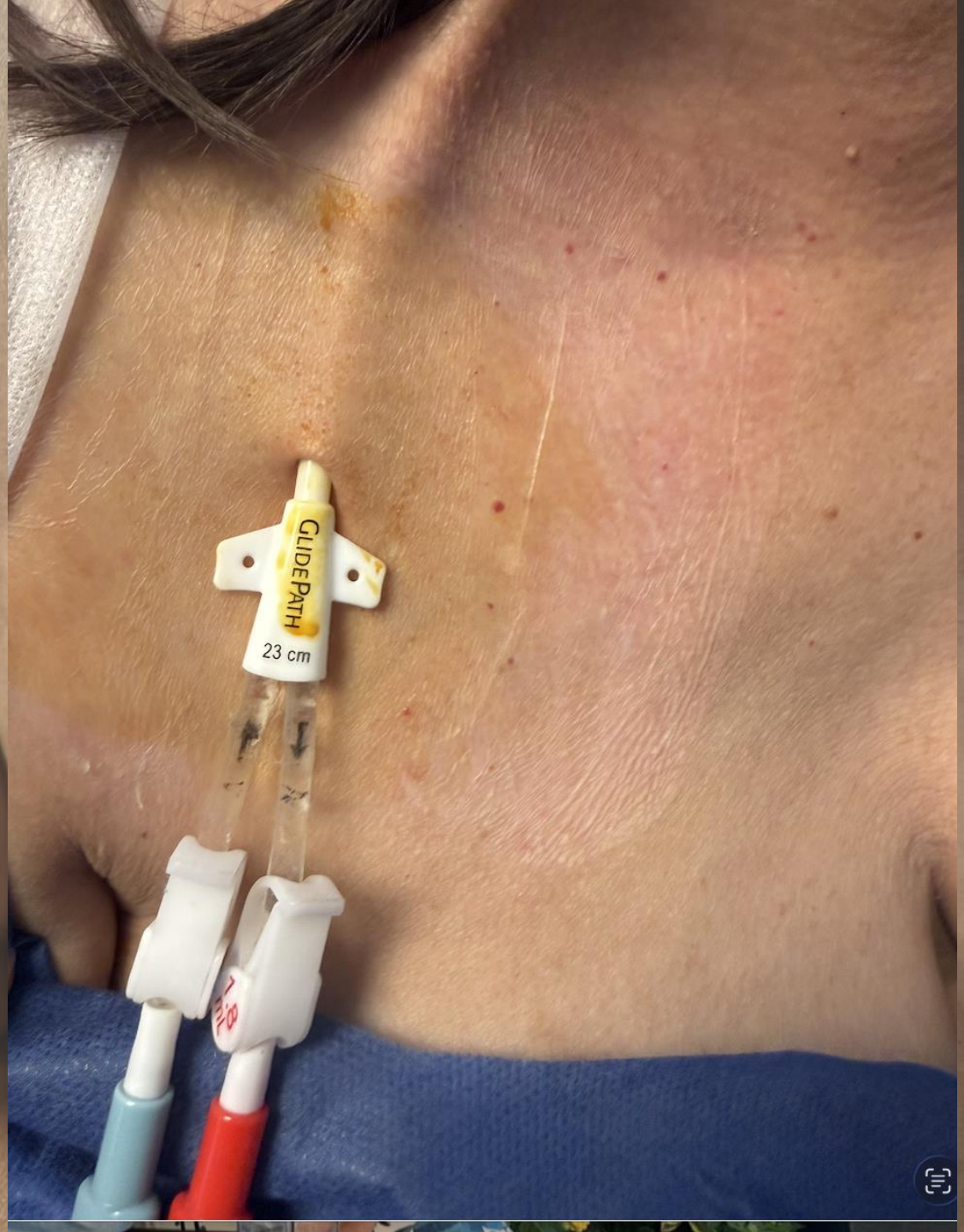



Dr. HOHMANN
IS SUPERMAN
SAVING DIALYSIS FISTULAS ONE AT A TIME!
DH
MEANWHILE, IN THE VEIN...
NO FLOW TODAY!
CLOG!
IN A FLASH...
NOT ON MY WATCH!
WHOOSH!
THROMBECTOMY VISION!
BYE-BYE, CLOT!
ZAP!
FISTULA: OPEN AND FLOWING!
GOOD FLOW
ANOTHER FISTULA SAVED. MISSION CONTINUES.
EVERY ARM. EVERY PATIENT. EVERY TIME.
THE KIDNEYS COUNT ON ME.

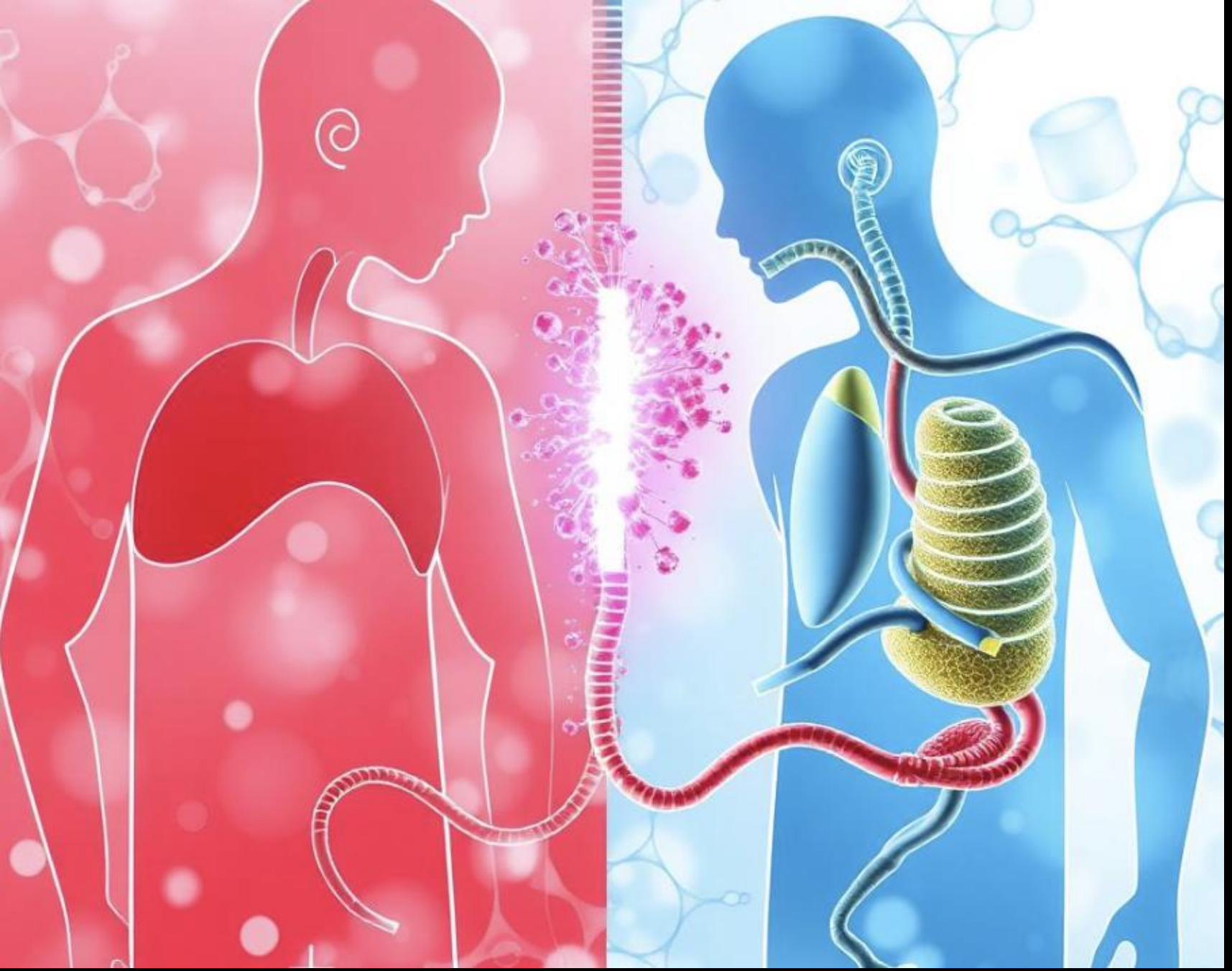


GLIDEP





GLIDEPATH
23 cm





HD v PD

What would you choose?

Dialogue

Rule #1: No one wants to be on dialysis
Rule #2: There is no perfect dialysis access



Hemodialysis

- 300cc/minute – Coke can worth of blood
- There is no perfect – there are advantages and disadvantages
  - Catheter – easy, fast, ready to go; infection, stenosis, pain to have on chest
  - AVF – nothing artificial, lasts longest, most resistant to infection; most difficult to get up and running, plant 10 only 6 grow on their own, 2 month waiting time
  - AVG – ready to be used soon, easy to access, clots but easy to clean out, artificial so infection an issue



Problems?





Peritoneal Dialysis

ADVANTAGES
Do it yourself
Do it at home
Do it every night

DISADVANTAGES
Do it yourself
Do it at home
Do it every night







Roles

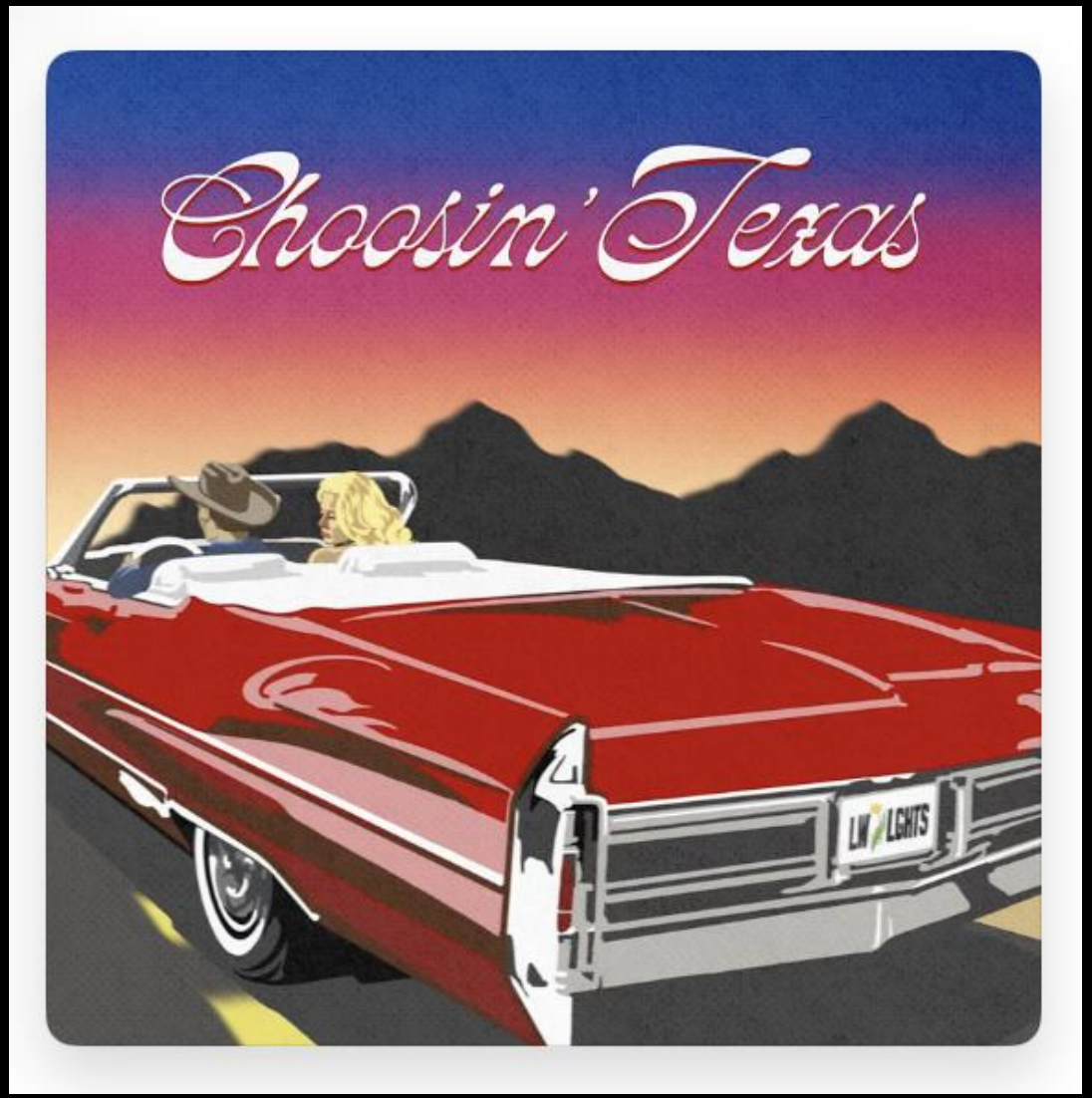
- Water Company
- Plumber
- Customer Service

PD – the good, the bad and the meeh

- **Good candidates**: No previous abdominal surgery, good eyesight, motivated, **main goal** is to stay at home

- **Bad candidates**: previous bowel obstructions, issues with home life, ostomies, previous peritonitis

- **Meeh**: significant previous abdominal surgery, cannot do themselves but have family member that can, previous peritonitis episodes with PD



Choosin' Texas - Single

Ella Langley

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Growin' Up and Gettin' Old

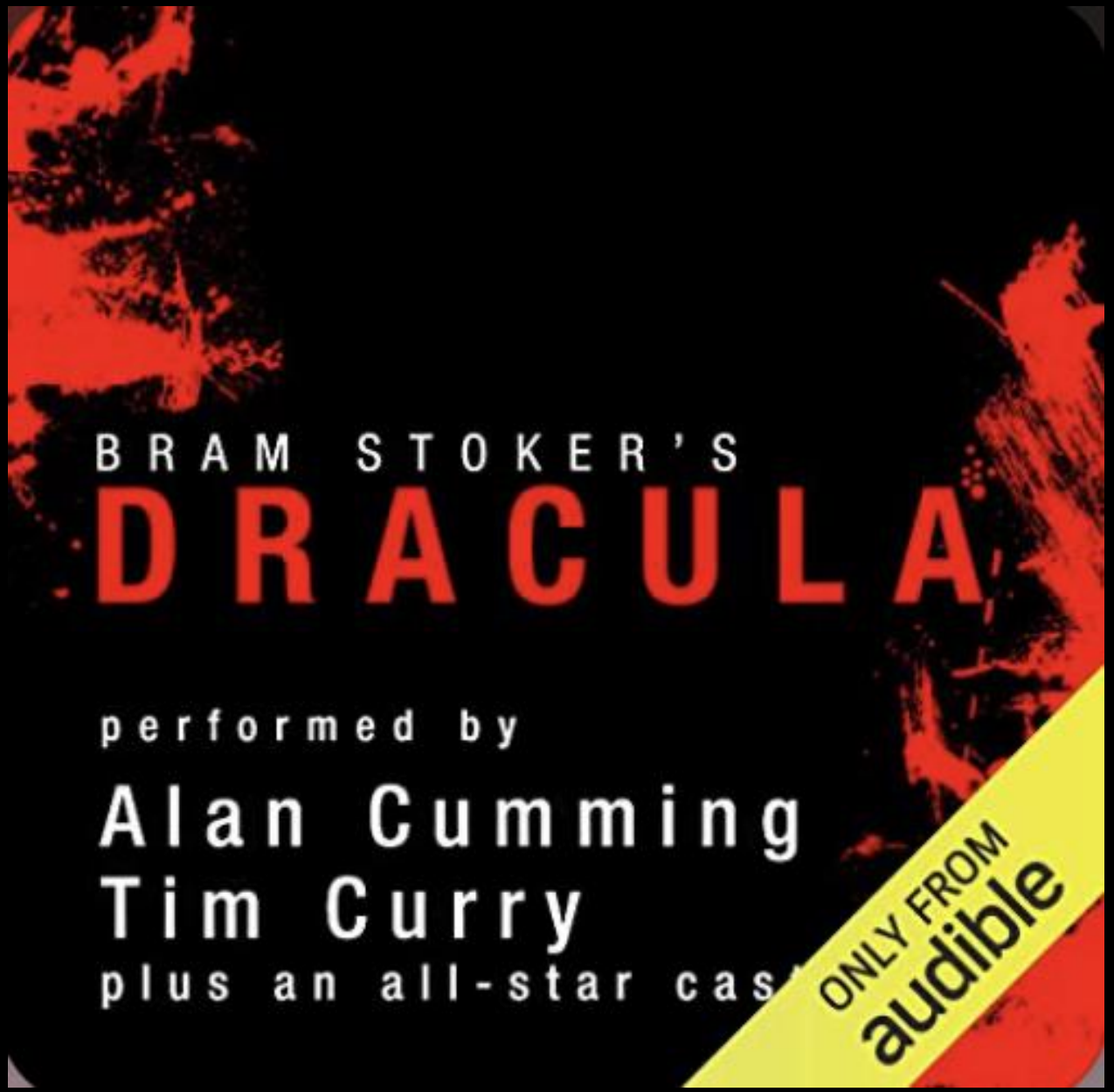
Luke Combs — Gettin' Old

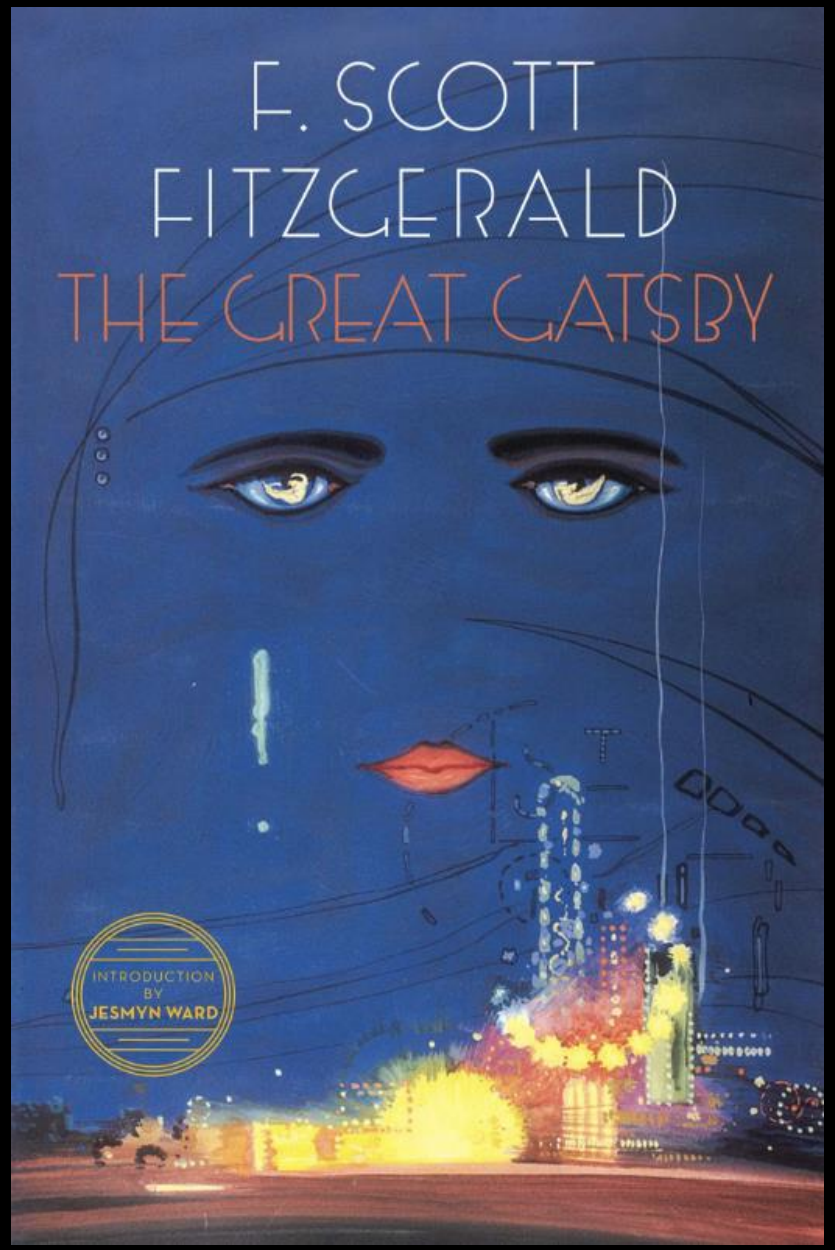
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But I can still raise hell all night with the boys when I want to

Lay that hammer down to see how fast she'll go

But these days I hang my hat on what I won't do


BRAM STOKER'S
DRACULA
performed by
Alan Cumming
Tim Curry
plus an all-star cas
ONLY FROM
audible


F. SCOTT
FITZGERALD
THE GREAT GATSBY
INTRODUCTION
BY
JESMYN WARD

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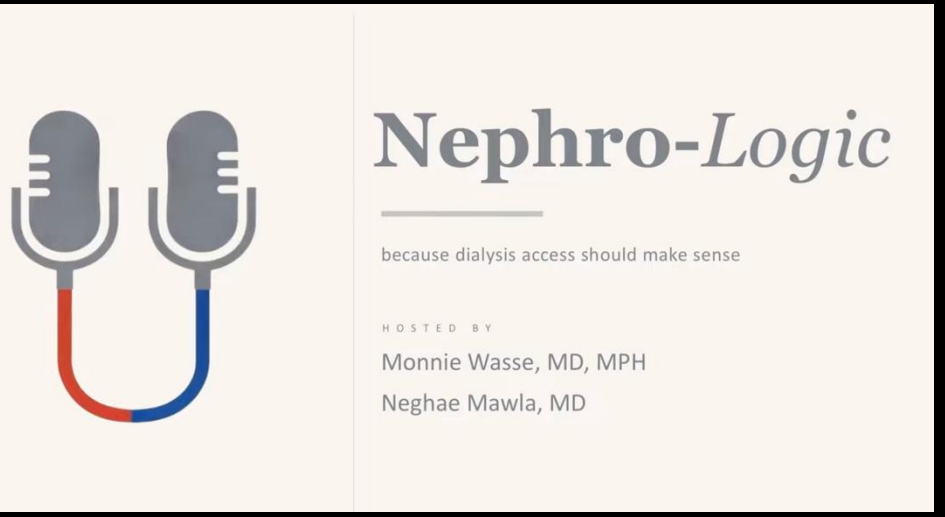


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OVERVIEW

What if we told you that the most important company in US healthcare was run from a farm in rural Wisconsin? And that farm contained the world's largest subterranean auditorium, as well as Disneyland—style replicas of Hogwarts and the Emerald City? What if we told you that the person who started, runs and owns this establishment has legally ensured that it will never be sold, never go public and never acquire another company? And that this person, Judy Faulkner, is also likely the wealthiest and most successful self-made woman in history?

Good times!


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