

From: S.V

I first met Art in 1970. As you might know I was meeting John Lennon in London. He was with Art. I asked who Art was and John said to me “**That man saved my bloody life.**” Coming From John Lennon you don’t forget those things.

From: A.L

No one can deny the enormous contribution he has made in the field of health and only future years will make evident the true relevance and transcendence of his discoveries.

From: J.S

Dr. Janov was a true and unique gift to our broken world. May he rest in peace.

From: M. A., PhD, BSc

Arthur was a great scientist, psychologist, author and a memorable human being. His death is sad but his work and writing led the field. He will be sadly missed,

From: M.P

Love and prayers... Peaceful journey, my friend.

From: R.O.

Unforgettable Art. Always on my mind. Bless your hearts. Bless you Art for all you have given us.

From: M.S.

We will all shed many tears before we can let this wonderful man fade in our daily meditations, and he will always be

there as a friend in our minds until we too pass from this world. He was and is my light in my darkest times. He was a friend to all and in the hearts of many, in this sense, he will live perhaps to the death of this planet and perhaps beyond.

From: S.G

Dr. Janov was an accomplished, great man. He will be missed for sure.

From: P.P

My deepest condolences to you at this profoundly sad time. Mere words cannot express the sadness of your loss; and of those of us who knew Art and benefited from his lifelong work and compassion.

From: M.M

My sympathy and condolences in Art's passing. He helped me beyond my ability to repay.

From: Jp D.

An exceptional man is gone...

From: F.L

I am so so sorry!

From: S.V

Oh, what a great loss! He did such fascinating research in life before birth and more.

From: S.M

Rest in peace Genius

From: B & V

Dr. Janov's Primal therapy and Books make our life soooooo much better! And we are so thankful to him! Rest in Peace Arthur Janov!

From: L.Q

I am so sorry. My most sincere condolences.

From: V.S

Man with such a huge compassion...

From: S.J

Please accept my condolence. Dr. Janov will be greatly missed.

From: W.S , Pretoria, South America

Dr. Janov has played a tremendous part in my life...and his passing has upset me a lot today. I just want to pay tribute to him for his incredible contribution to people around the globe.

From: A.L

No one can deny the enormous contribution he has made in the field of health and only future years will make evident the true relevance and transcendence of his discoveries.

Much of the blame for the delay in psychology that we have suffered in the last 50 years, lays on his colleagues, who have responded with pride and disagreements with him.

I am so grateful to him and I wish from the heart to rest in peace.

From: J.L

Art's writings that brought me into therapy have turned around my life by 180 degrees.

I will be indebted to him until my dying day for his perseverance about telling the truth about us humans - In his words, '**What makes us humans**'.

As Art said himself it 'has been a miracle' how much I AND my life has changed since I have entered the Primal Center. Back then I reminded him of his own words ' Primal Therapy seems miraculous, but it is no miracle - it is science at work!'

From: E.K:

We all know the great life work that saved so many people's life. Unfortunately I never met him, but I know what Primal Therapy did for me.

Rest In Peace Arthur Janov.

From: K.B

My heart is so saddened to hear of Arts death whose life and work greatly impacted my life and still does.

From: I.V

A simple truth, a simple beauty of the heart, a teaching, a healing ... What else? A conscious gratitude.

From: E.D

Arthur Janov was a Truly Great man.

From: D.P, Manalapan, NJ

I am overwhelmed with sadness to hear this news. I did

therapy back in the 1970's. I have no doubt that the therapy saved my life. I will be grateful to Art forever.

From: F.

Ohhhhhhh no no no.

My love to all of you.

My Rock and who I turned to for guidance wisdom & hope no longer with us...A sane man leaving us in a crazy world...

Dr. Janov has accomplished more than any other human being on earth. He will be sorely missed. I miss you Art.

From: E.P

With deep sorrow I want to express my condolences to Dr. Janov's wife, children, friends, colleagues, and associates.

From: I.K

So sorry! A great man, who changed and revolutionized mankind. He reached deep into my soul and changed me for the better in every way. Thank you Art. You saved my life.

From: G.P

He gave so much

He taught us so much

We loved him so much

Goodbye Art!

From: W.P

At 66 my deep primal in the last month has brought to me the knowledge that the power of my emotional connection to my Father created my need to believe in God.

From: J.S

I am truly saddened by this news. Dr. Janov was a true and

unique gift to our broken world. May he rest in peace.

From: G.W.

My heart is so saddened to hear of Art's death, whose life and work greatly impacted my life and still does.

From: S.C

Did Primal in 70'S. VERY GRATEFUL .

From: G.S

We can take some solace in that Dr. Janov has left us all a great legacy of work, theory, science, books, and men and women who have been helped enormously.

We can only hope that someday he will receive the recognition, credit, and appreciation that he really deserves. Those of us who are personally familiar with the real feeling results of his Primal Therapy know that, without exaggeration, his name should be recorded in science history with those of Darwin, Freud, the Curies, Newton and Galileo. Sadly, during his life, he never received the recognition he deserved.

From: A.R

Thank you Art for your life long work, for your contribution, for your clever mind, for your willingness to respond to your calling and for your Love for humans.

From: J.W

I'm devastated with the news. I cannot imagine how heartbreaking this for you. I wish I could say more than I am so, sorry, and that my heart goes out to you. Be certain that

Art's life goes on in all of us whom he helped.

I am so sorry for your loss of such a truly Great Man!

From: M.A., PhD, BSc, BACP. UK

Arthur Janov was an inspiring brilliant psychologist whose work is slowly being recognized as prophetic. Recent findings on the role of cytokines and their influence on the brain in many ways reflect Janov's views.

From: P.D.

I will always see Dr. Janov as a '***bright spark of human genius***' and feel honored to have been so deeply touched by his brilliance!

I really admired and firmly supported his relentless, committed life long **truth finding** to shed light on the fundamental biological causes of the unconscious psychological and emotional sickness that blights, restrains and is ultimately destroying humanity, our precious wildlife and wondrous planet.

He leaves a truly remarkable legacy of having helped **thousands of vulnerable, severely traumatized people feel**, integrate and **heal** the deep-seated, repressed pain memories from childhood as well as change the disease-inducing genetic markers laid down during womb life and past down from previous generations.

This has allowed their mental illnesses and neuroses to fall away, so they can reclaim their humanity and start to express their glorious perfection and brilliance into the world from a firm foundation of a healthy, balanced and free

flowing psycho-emotional system.

Dr. Janov deep love for humanity was reflected in his huge back catalogue of precious, well researched and argued psychological and medical writings; and the millions of dollars invested into neurological and biological research.

For over 50 years, he was persistent in trying to open the eyes of an extremely sick species and cut through their near blanket denial of the terribly debilitating health repercussions in adulthood of the trauma every child experiences from not getting their critical, time dependent developmental needs met.

I will always be grateful for how Dr. Janov's ground breaking findings and valuable contributions have resonated deeply with me and provided great succour, support and reassurance to help with the grieving of and healing from my own brutal, abusive and loveless childhood.

From: N& J L

We were both very sorry to hear of Art's death. We both received a lot of help from Primal Therapy.

From: D.R

I share your sadness. I am sure without Art's gift of a life's work I would be dead. Yours in gratitude.

From: B.C

My heart goes out to you at this most difficult of times as well. Know that there are others who have expressed desire to support you and your efforts to continue this work. He was your life partner in addition to the work you achieved

together.

From: R.N

My wife and I started in January 1997 at the center. Primal Therapy gave us our lives back properly, and I would like to have told Art that.

I hope that the community over there will be able to offer a fitting send off for Art: I know that anyone who met him, or was touched by the therapy, will never forget him and what he offered the world.

From: W.J

Art's death was a great loss to me. You knew him much better than I and all I can do is to acknowledge the grief you must be feeling.

From: B.W

The world lost one of the greatest psychologists of the past century, Dr. Arthur Janov, originator of primal therapy and Director of the Janov Primal Center in Santa Monica, California.

I first “met” Janov on the front cover of his groundbreaking book, *The Primal Scream* (1970). I was 21 and deeply troubled and there he was with his dark eyes, handsome face, and curly hair, looking totally relaxed, promising hope. I had heard he had treated John Lennon and Yoko, and Lennon’s primal album was one of the most gut wrenching pieces of music that I had ever heard.

My best memory was introducing Art to Jaak Panksepp, another giant in the field of affective neuroscience. Panksepp immediately recognized the logic of primal therapy – that

early life trauma can have lifelong consequences – as he had observed himself in his animal studies. Although the two never went on to collaborate (sadly), Panksepp was profoundly affected by primal and went on to talk about it in conferences and in his books. After being ignored by almost every scientist Art reached out to, this was a real bonus for him. Art and Panksepp stayed in touch over the years, right up to the Panksepp's untimely death earlier this year (April 18).

Dear Art, rest in peace my friend. You have done more for me than you can imagine, and continue to do so through your books. Thank you.

From: S.B

I have just read the news today October 20th. This is something I have been dreading so much! I have just bought his new book, which is so brilliant. Art Janov, what a wonderful genius. I have been saving for the therapy for years and hoped I could one day meet him. I see him as a true savior of mankind. The human race has got somehow lost, with parents lacking in the natural instincts which even animals possess in being able to love and care for their children. Art recognized the truth and knew the way free. Perhaps the only one who has. What a great and original mind he had and with a big heart. Thank you Dr. Janov. You have influenced my whole life more than anyone else and you will never be forgotten ever.

From: G.B

Dear Art, I owe you so much. I will promote your legacy as best I can. May I be lucky enough to live to see the day it

finally breaks through.

From: E.O

I will remember him as that great man he was. If anybody influenced my life it was him. His way of teaching opened me up to the truth inside of me and my life finally became a meaning. Thank you Art.

From: S.H

It is wonderful that Art touched and helped so many, me included.

From: C.U

This is a shocking piece of news to me. Art is gone!! Sad, so sad. But he left behind a blueprint for the future of mankind. He developed the new psychological thought based on empirical and scientific evidence. He is yet to be discovered. It is only then that the entire humanity will embrace his philosophical thinking in the field of psychology as the viable means of liberating mankind from the prison of pain.

I am glad that I met Art in person at the Primal Center and he gave me, unsolicited and free of charge, a copy of his latest book at the time which he also personally autographed for me. Dr. Arthur Janov made his mark on the sands of time. He will be remembered for the lives he saved through his works and practice in primal therapy, and for the indelible pathway he left behind for the true freedom of mankind.

May Art's very gentle soul rest in perfect peace. He changed my life. He may be gone but he is alive in me, and will always live in me as long as I live.

From: E.M

It is with deep sadness that I hear of Dr. Arthur Janov's passing. I never get to meet him but I do hope I'll be lucky enough to go through Primal Therapy and experience for myself the benefits of his work.

Rest in peace Arthur Janov, you gave the best of yourself.

From: A.S

Art was a great man who has contributed something truly wonderful to humanity.

My thoughts and condolences to all at the center, and especially to France.

Primal therapy has changed my life fundamentally and demonstrably for the better, and many, many other people can say the same. Art lives on in the impact he and his work have had on all of us.

From: M.L

Dr. Janov was a very important role model in my life

From: S.B

I would like to express my deepest sympathy to all of you who are mourning - like myself and all of your patients all over the world - this unique, wonderful, great man. I hope that his sensational discovery will finally get the attention and success that it deserves. He was the most important pioneer in the field of psychological therapy. Dr. Janov lives on in his great work, in his books, in your work now and of course in your and our (the patients') hearts and minds.

I was so lucky to have got the opportunity to meet Dr. Janov personally at the Primal Center, and we talked for some minutes. I will never forget this great moment.

From: D.S

The news really touched my feelings deeply...

Dr Arthur Janov is the greatest psychotherapist and human of our century. His life, work and help for millions of people are greatly appreciated. I have no words to express how much I value Dr. Arthur Janov.

From: C.M

I am experiencing an unspeakable sadness. I would have loved to meet Arthur Janov. I hope his discovery, his wonderful and extraordinary research on life, on how to get well, will go on.

From: N.P

I thank Arthur so deeply for his work and his books and having the opportunity to go through Primal Therapy. No words can describe how much it has helped me and continues to.

From: R.C

Accept my condolences on the death of Arthur Janov, he was a great person, who, as he himself said: "Discovered the source of all the evils and problems of mankind." Arthur Janov - a person who, like many great people, touched the true order of things and the nature of human. Like many great people, he was not heard in his time, and I hope that

his cause will live and someday mankind will understand what he wanted to say and will get a chance to heal. He lived a long and productive life, people like him are born once in thousands of years.

From: S.

I am deeply sorry and saddened to hear of Art's death. Just today I read it on his blog! I expect France and all the staff at the Center are shocked and devastated also. My deepest condolences to all of you there!

He was a great mind and totally revolutionary. What a wonderful man. I longed to meet him one day...

From: J.L

I miss him.

The world Feels empty

From: P.K

I love Primal Therapy and I love Dr. Janov.

From: H.K

Art was a genius and an extraordinary man. You are doing very well also I think. You must have had a rich marriage.

I would like to give you a lot of beautiful flowers, light a candle for Art with you and realize his genius was true.

From: C.B

We have all lost a great man who saved my life.

From: D.K

I experienced real human warmth and caring from Art who took the time to notice and pay attention to me and others, beyond what most people do. For the “great Janov” to see me and tell me his name unpretentiously touched me deeply.

I would borrow from the Gospel of Matthew of all places to further describe my experience: “you are a truthful man, you teach in accordance with the truth. You are not concerned with anyone’s opinion for you do not regard a person’s status.” I say this of Art without any hesitation at all. He was indeed a teacher of the truth.

There is so much more I could say about what I’ve experienced and gained from my direct experience of the man Art Janov himself.

I will be forever grateful for the gift of knowing him.

From: T.K

Art was a very special person in my life. I am glad I read his books and came to Los Angeles. He made a big change in my life and many others. He will remain in my heart forever.

From: G.K

Art was such a wonderful person. What a magnificent life. I have such fond memories of all of us cooking and enjoying life together.

From: L.M

Arthur. Such an extraordinary man. He will always hold a very special place in my heart.

From: P.K

It hurts. As if I lost someone really close, someone I deeply loved. I was hoping he would be with us forever.

From: S.P

Art was such a great voice for all the children in the world.

From: G.K

I had the privilege to meet this unique yet so humble man. His dedication to Primal Therapy always remained absolute. What he has achieved must be preserved for the future not just of humanity but of all sentient beings. Without his discoveries to guide us, humanity will continue to sail on a largely rudderless ship.

And finally, many more people pretty much said the same thing: Thank you Art for our lives and allowing us to love and be loved!