

# Envisioning Life After Cancer

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Twist Out Cancer







# The Decline

Viral Meningitis

Difficulty breathing

Pinched Nerve

You.Have.Cancer



# Cancer & the Holidays

- Getting sick over the holidays meant it was virtually impossible to be seen right away by a team of doctors that needed to weigh in on my case.
- Thank G-d for Bonnie Rochman



Dear Dr. Woodruff:

My name is Jenna Benn and I am a friend of Bonnie's. It is my understanding Bonnie reached out to you yesterday regarding my situation. I was diagnosed with lymphoma two days ago and they believe that I have Hodgkins. I wont have final results until after my Pet Scan and biopsy which is taking place on January 3rd. It is my understanding that treatment is going to move very quickly, and I want to make sure my fertility is also being taken seriously in this whole process. I would very much like to have a family one day so I would like to learn more about my options and get the ball rolling.

I was hoping to setup an appointment this week to figure out what my next steps are.

Thank you so much for responding to Bonnie and for all of your help.



Hi Jenna! Glad you are getting in tomorrow. Stay in touch and don't hesitate to reach out for anything else. We are all on your team!!! Tkw.



- Enter Kristin Smith-my guru, my guide-my call for help.



Envisioning life after cancer-  
ultimately saved my life.







# Realizations

Fighting a rare type of cancer, as a young adult- throws your hopes and dreams into a state of delirium. As my experiences became distilled into a series of cherished moments- time was no longer my own. My life as I knew it was on hold.



When we don't speak about what's hard we feel

Shame

It was the shame that tried to paralyze me but instead  
inspired me.





The more I shared, the more the world opened up.





# TWIST OUT CANCER

SHARE.CONNECT.HEAL







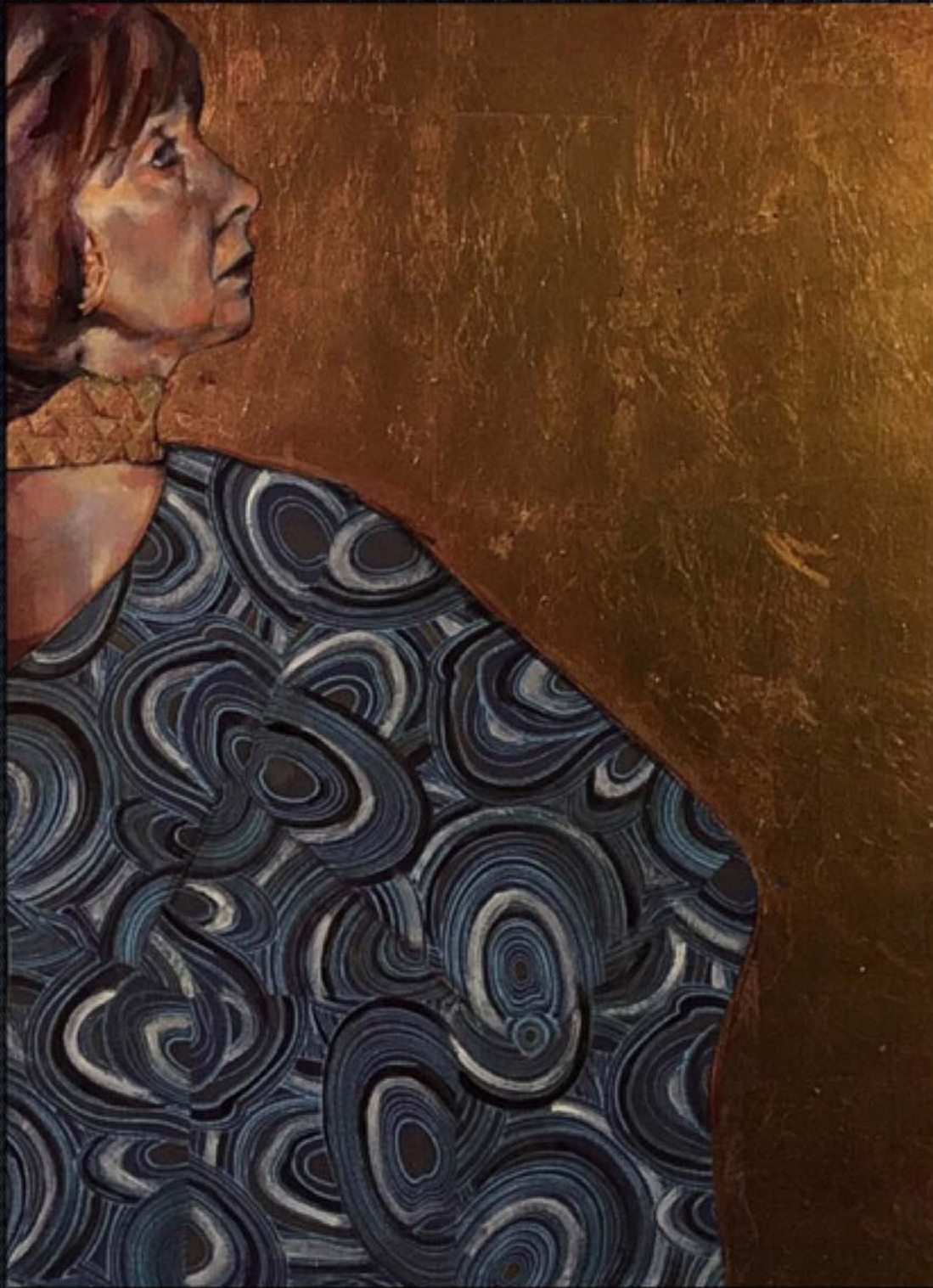


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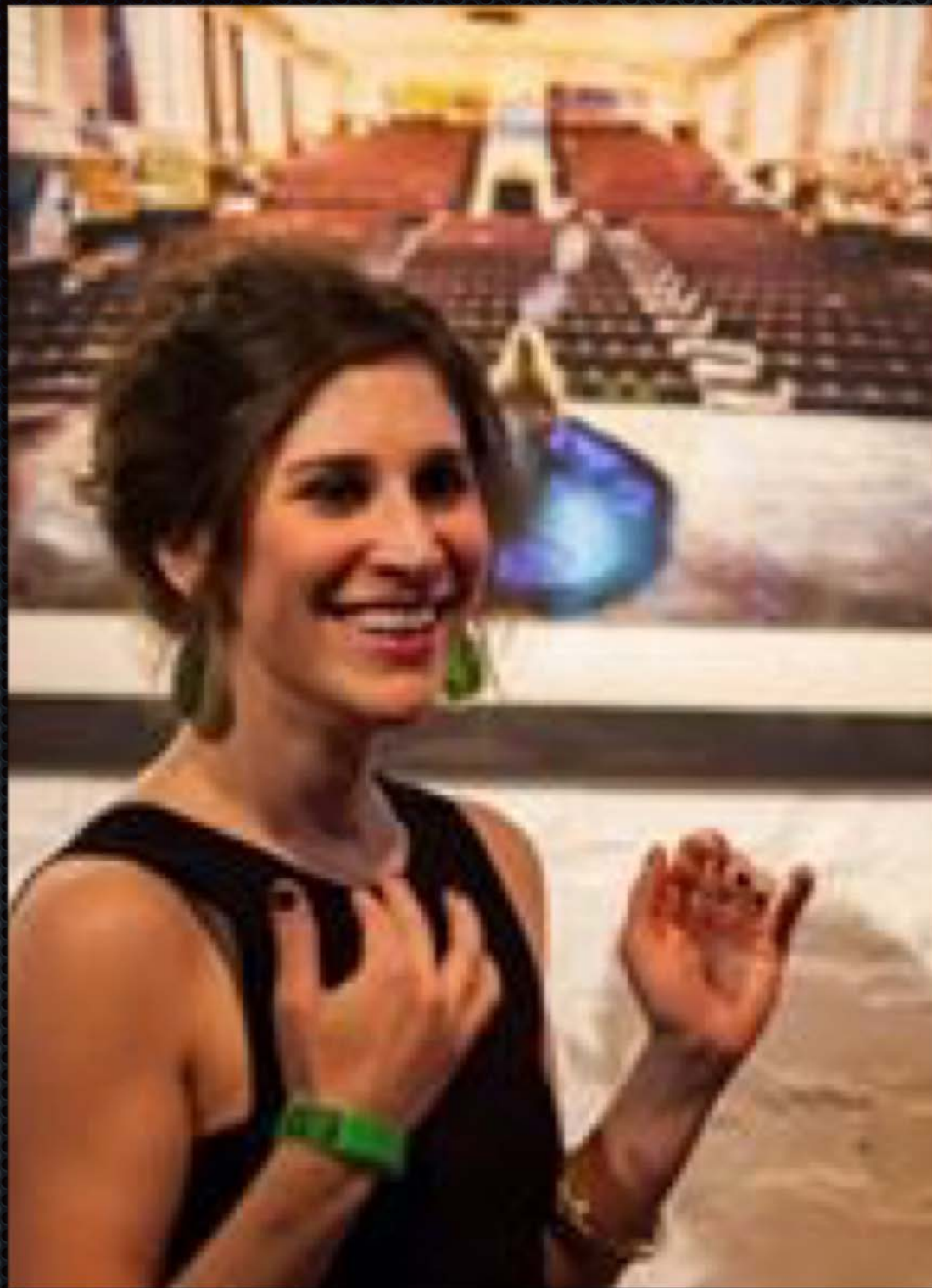














Sometimes Dreams Can and Do Happen.







# Miscarriage :A Mixed Blessing















Our Tiny Little Miracle



Oh the places you'll go.





Questions ?