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I am 61 years old. I have had a debilitating anxiety disorder since the age of 18 and have been on medication so I could work, go to the grocery store and live outside my home. At 50 years old I injured my back causing chronic pain. I was sent to a pain management doctor and was given morphine and oxycontin along with various other medications for the pain. For 4 years I have been on those serious meds. Laws changed regarding opioids. I would need to make a choice of either pain meds or anxiety meds. I chose the anxiety meds and went cold turkey off the pain meds. I suffered physically until the meds were out of my system. Now I was bedridden with pain. In 2017 I started Kratom for pain and anxiety. Not only is my pain less than it was on the meds but I have reduced my anxiety meds. This Kratom has been a lifesaver in my life. It allows me to live a more productive life. My doctors are aware that I take it and are pleased with the results they have seen. If you take this away, then it will put me back in the bed and I will be there until I die. It has saved me. Thank you for listening.

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