Chairman Thompson and Committee Members,

My name is Peggy Springer, first of all thank you for allowing me to speak on behalf of my husband and to hopefully help this Bill get passed.

My husband's name is John Springer. In November of 2021 he got sick with Covid. Mild symptoms. My husband died December 2nd 2021. The censorship of Doctors trying to share important life-saving medications and early treatment information, along with the censorship of the FLCCC protocol and censorship of the deadly effects of Remdesivir, along with other black box deadly medications, my husband lost his life to the deadly hospital protocol.

My husband was healthy and strong and was not that sick, but because information was kept from us, his life was taken. Sadly, because of this censorship many have lost loved ones. Because of censorship of information, they empowered the hospital which lead to his death.

Censorship has damaged trust in our health care system. Had we known then, what we know now, my husband would still be here. Because doctors and information that would have helped him were silenced, my world and our children's world suffered a tremendous loss.

Thank you for your time.