

## **Core Lessons with Jon**

Week 5: Understanding the Mind-Body Connection

#### **Visualization & Weight Loss**

- Communicate to your body that you want to be thin
- Reduce stress
- Work through emotional issues
- Heal digestion issues
- Activate the GTGE adaptation



## More Ways to Use Visualization for Weight Loss

- Eliminate junk food cravings
- Create positive habits
- Improve energy & vitality
- Change dysfunctional beliefs
- Increase your intuition and internal guidance
- Manifest success & live the life of your dreams



#### **Eliminate Junk Food Cravings**

- Mind doesn't know the difference between real & imagined experience
- Visualize chocolate cake see what happens
- Imagine a negative experience with chocolate cake – now see what happens
- Do this only after you've made progress turning off the FAT programs



#### **Create Positive Habits**

- Our brains are habit forming machines
- We don't know how to program them
- Once you learn how to program your brain to make positive habits you can create any habit you like
- Quick lesson is brain programming



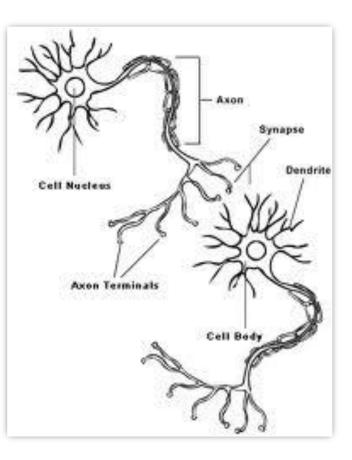
#### We are All Computer Programmers

- Want to tap into the power of your mind?
- You have to first learn how program your body/mind



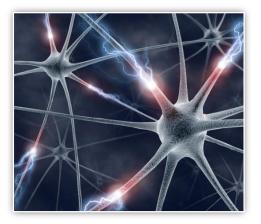
### Language of Your Brain

- Thought / Action
- Impressions
- Associations
- Habits
- Addictions



#### **Brain Cells & Habits**

- First meeting impression
- Second time association
- Third time habit
- Emotional/chemical charge addiction



#### **Brain Cells Are Like People**

- When we meet someone the first time we form an impression
- Second time Acquaintance
- Third Time Friend
- Many times If they satisfy our needs/ create pleasure - Addiction



#### We're Constantly Creating Paths

- Every thought, action, feeling or image you have locks into the brain's program & starts creating a path.
- Known as the Neural Network
- Mirror Neurons: just watching someone else is creating a path



### Visualization Is Like a Bull Dozer

- Trying to create a habit in normal waking state is like walking on a path through the woods – can take months
- When you're in SMART mode you create brain connections very quickly
- Children spend most of their time in SMART mode, which is why they are so impressionable
- It's like using a bull dozer to create the path



### Imagine Any Habit...

- Whatever habit you'd like create, visualize yourself doing the action and it will quickly become a habit
- You are tapping into the bull dozing power of your mind to create positive habits quickly and easily



## Use Visualization to Open Your Energy Channels

- The concept of energy channels in Eastern medicine has been well established
- Our bodies have life force energy that controls, operates and energizes us



## Life Force Energy

- Western medicine rarely gives it credence
- 100,000 reactions happen every second in every cell
- All these reactions have to happen in a coordinated sequence
- It's impossible for our bodies to operate through just electricity and chemicals



### **Understanding Your Energy**

- Discovering our bodies have an electrical impulse
- Connective tissue is actually a semi-conductor for energy
- Bodies run on energy
- Eastern medicine has known this for thousands of years

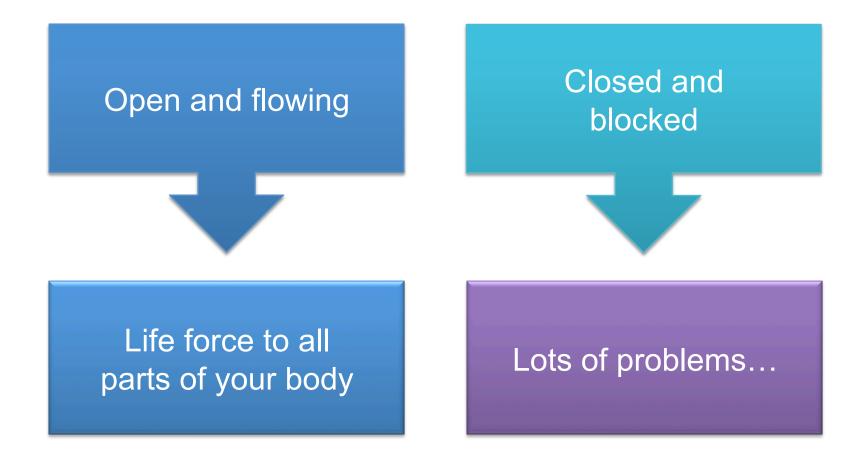


### **Energy Channels**

- Our bodies have energy channels
- Main arteries, blood vessels, veins and capillaries go all over our bodies
- Bring nourishment
- Energy channels allow life force energy to go all through our bodies and energize us



#### **Energy Channels**



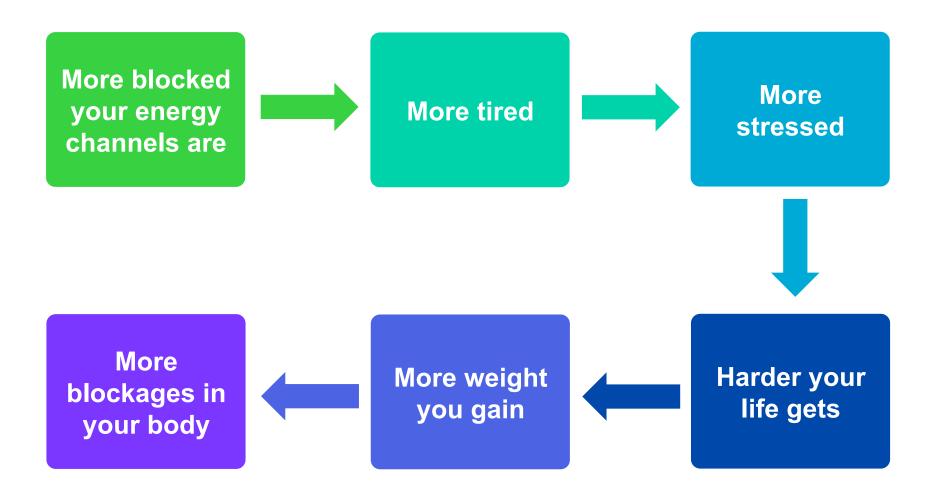
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#### **Blocked Energy Channels**

- Weak, devitalized
- Diseases
- Consistently craving sugar
- More stressed out



#### **Vicious Cycle**



#### **Blocked Energy Channels**

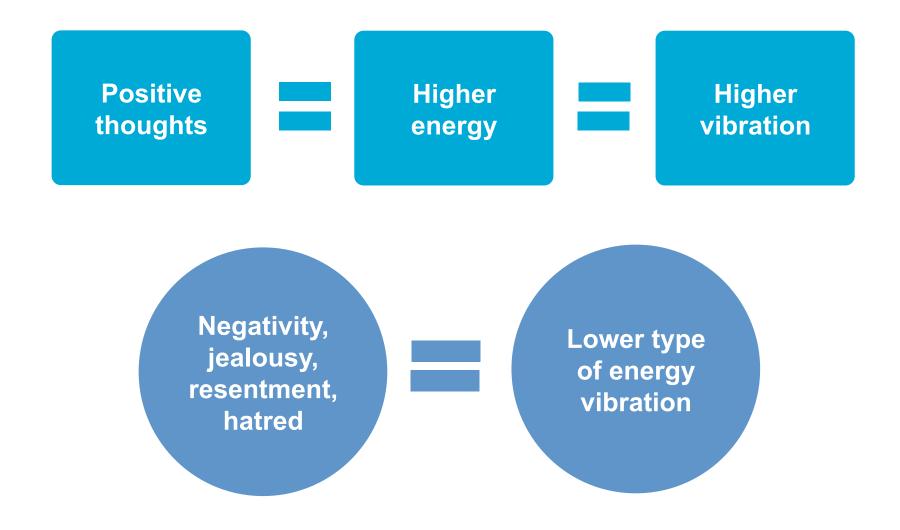
- Means parts of your body are cut off from life force energy
- This means dying, decaying, stagnating energy
- It causes a number of health problems

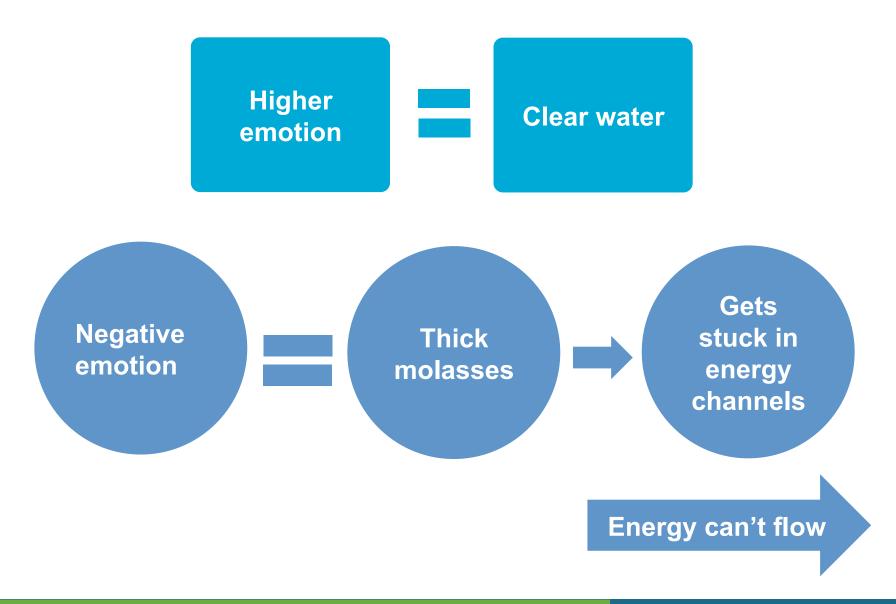


#### What Blocks Channels?

- Negative thoughts
- Fear
- Stress
- Your energy channels constrict when they don't want negative energy to enter







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### **Negative Spiral**

- Chronic state of exhaustion
- More tired, exhausted, blocked, weak, devitalized, stressed out
- Activates your FAT Programs
- Causes junk food cravings
- Makes you heavier



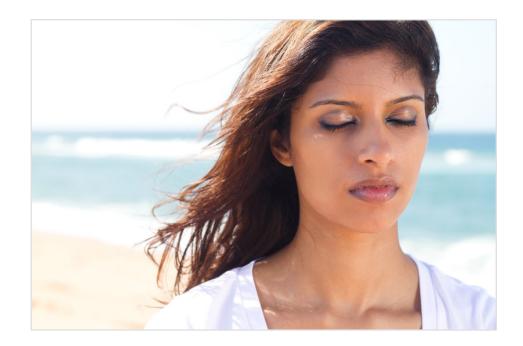
#### **Open Energy Channels = Positive Spiral**

- You have more energy
- You crave less junk food
- Life is less stressful
- You lose weight more easily
- You feel happier
- Positive momentum develops in your life



## **Energy Moves With Mind**

- You can use visualization to open up your energy channels
- White Light Meditation



## Visualization Changes Dysfunctional Beliefs

- Change your beliefs & you change your entire emotional state
- Imagine every cell of your body saying repeating the desired belief



# Weight Loss Is Easy When Your Body Wants To Be Thin

- Old weight loss paradigm = like trying to walk through a sliding glass door
- Turning off your FAT programs = opening the invisible sliding glass door
- Imagine every cell of your body repeating the words – "Weight Loss is easy, effortless & automatic"



## When You Visualize, You Strengthen Intuition

- Muscle that gets stronger and stronger with use
- But, we haven't used it since we were kids...
- Meditation/visualization A path for strengthening intuition
- Will make you feel safer than anything else in the world



## Manifest The Life Of Your Dreams

- Mind: manifesting device
- Tool to create our world
- If you visualize what you want to happen, it will happen
- My own experience w/ visualizing my ideal life
- Abundance Visualization Ocean of Abundance



#### **This Week's Action Steps**

- This week's morning visualization:
  Abundance Visualization
- Do mid-afternoon visualization
- Do evening visualization each night before bed



# **Ongoing Steps**

- Drink 2 glasses of water w/lemon or apple cider vinegar, and probiotic.
- Drink a green juice, upon rising or in late afternoon.
- Eat a great blood sugar balancing breakfast
- Take additional probiotic supplement & digestive enzymes with meals.
- Eat frequent Gabriel Method friendly meals during the day, have an early dinner
- Daily: Take an afternoon stress reduction break/ visualization
- 1 or more times per week: Fit in a yoga, tai chi or meditation class
- Try 10 mins. of Get Thin or Get Eaten exercises 2-3 times per week
- Drink a glass of water before each meal
- Listen to evening visualization



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