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*The Fall Issue:
Answers and Emotional Support While Caring for an Elder*

News And Articles »

Top Tips for Family Caregivers: September 2015

Do you know how to handle a stubborn loved one who is still trying to drive? See what words of wisdom our members have shared with each other this month on this topic and others. [More »](#)

Getting Outdoors This Fall With Limited Mobility

The dog days of summer are finally fading away, and it's a perfect time to get your loved one outside to enjoy the fresh fall air. Make it happen with these tips. [More »](#)

Shades of Sundowner's Syndrome

The leaves will soon be changing, and caregivers might be experiencing some behavioral changes in their loved ones with Alzheimer's and dementia as well. Learn how to handle these transformations so you can enjoy the season. [More »](#)

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Community Questions And Answers »

Q: My Dad has no funds but needs to move closer to me, immediately. Any advice?

My Dad was recently declared fully disabled, he has had depression for years and needs to move closer to me.

Q: How can I determine if Hospice is right for him?

Severe stroke, paralyzed on right side, and memory probs but NO diagnosis of Alzheimer's. He can't walk anymore....not without a lot of assistance.

Q: Can I be held legally responsible for injuries if something happened to my Mom in my absence?

No matter what I say, she will not go to give me a break.

Q: Can I be named as my parent's POA without my consent?

I do not want to be involved in their financial schemes or scams. The most recent being that she, (mother) wants my husband to sign a form for my Dad's Medicaid...

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