

## AN ACCOUNTANT GIVES HIGH MARKS

### MAURICE GLAZER'S STORY

Most people agree it takes considerable brain-power to work as an accountant.

A visit to see his sister in Las Vegas back in August of 2012 turned out to be an unlucky one for now nearly 74-year-old Maurice Glazer. A full-service accountant in otherwise good health, he suffered a seizure and was rushed to a local hospital where they recommended surgery.

"There was no way in hell I was going to have surgery at that hospital in Vegas; I'd had other family members die there." So, his wife got him dressed and they headed back to Dallas.

That June, Glazer was scheduled for brain surgery in August of 2013 with a different surgeon. Then in July, he suffered yet another seizure—that time hitting his head. The next thing Glazer knew, he was at Medical City Hospital in Dallas.

"As fate had it, Dr. McGowan showed up at the emergency room," says Glazer. Dr. McGowan impressed Glazer's wife with the way he handled himself. "My wife is very intuitive," Glazer says. Dr. McGowan also impressed Glazer with his straightforward demeanor.

Glazer's trust in his new surgeon was so committed, he allowed Dr. McGowan to place him under an eight-day medically induced coma (according to Glazer, he was given the same medication that turned lethal for Michael Jackson), before the roughly six-hour surgery to remove the benign brain tumor.

Seven days after having surgery, Glazer was walking. Within two weeks, he was back to work. And he's still singing Dr. McGowan's praises. "He's straightforward and takes action, but he's also comforting, and just an unbelievable guy."

Now, nearly seven months after the surgery Glazer hasn't suffered further seizures. Meanwhile, he says you can't even tell he had brain surgery, except that his face looks a little tighter, like he had a facelift.

Looks like Glazer's luck turned around.

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