PREVIEW - Dr. Jeffry Gerber -

Framingham and the Muddy Waters (Presentation Vail 2016)

So I'd like to begin by introducing you to a couple of people.

So in the middle, of course, that's me

and to the right of the screen is my engineering problem solving friend,

Ivor Cummins, who is here the audience today

and he flew all the way from Ireland

just to make sure that I deliver this information accurately.

And so last summer he convinced us to fly to Chicago

to visit this spry looking physician, Dr. Joseph Kraft.

Dr. Joseph Kraft spent his career as a pathologist studying insulin metabolism and looking for root cause.

And he was also finding that there was a strong connection

between insulin, insulin metabolism,

insulin problems and cardiovascular disease.

And he found that there was such a strong link

that he said that those with cardiovascular disease not identified with diabetes are simply undiagnosed.

And I'd like to explain to you why he said that.

So Dr. Kraft was the chief of the department of pathology and nuclear medicine

for over 35 years at St. Joseph Hospital in Chicago

and during that career he created what is called "The insulin assay".

And he actually did this test in over 16,000 subjects.

That's astounding!

He also did over 3000 autopsies.

Again he was looking at root cause, he collaborated with others

trying to find the link between insulin and cardiovascular disease.