

# Miracle: Amazing Recovery After Quadriplegic Spinal Cord Injury

From A Hospital Bed to An Active, Vibrant Lifestyle

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## *For Immediate Release:*

One year ago, John Roderick (aka Rod) chose to put his full-time career on hold to start writing his book, capturing the story of his tragic accident.

Mornings and afternoons are filled with sessions talking into a voice recorder, editing, recalling all the gritty details of the accident and the months that followed. In the evenings and nights, Rod pushes on the gas pedal and turns up the radio for his Lyft & Uber passengers: a menial task for most, but a miracle for Roderick.

Roderick is launching a Kickstarter campaign to complete and then publish an incredible story of hope and unbelievable recovery from a devastating accident that left him quadriplegic. The campaign starts Monday, November 21st at 12:01am with over 2,000 friends, colleagues and family cheering him on.

In 2009, Roderick was lying in a hospital bed receiving the news that he would never again have control of his body. Today, he is walking and DRIVING, living a vibrant life. Driving for Lyft & Uber has given him the incredible opportunity to meet people and share his heart-warming story and gain significant momentum for his effort to write and to publish his story.

## **Kickstarter Goal: \$10,000**

**“ONE COULD NEVER BE READY FOR THIS! One second I was riding a bike. The next, I became a quadriplegic. Walk with me as I write my story!”**

“In 2009, a life changing event found its way into my world. I was involved in a severe mountain bike accident. I fractured my C4 & 5 vertebrae and was left a quadriplegic. Within the first few minutes after the accident, the reality of what had happened grabbed me. I had been longing for ‘stillness’ and now my wish had been granted. I WAS STILL, oh, I was very STILL! So still that I couldn’t move a single muscle below my neck. My tragedy could’ve been just that, a sad tragic event. But these past few years, I’ve learned that my tragedy has become a doorway to a world full of miracles, joy, hope, recovery, and healing. I want to share my experiences with the world in the hope that people will find the strength to make it through their own ‘tragedy’.



WALK WITH ME AS I WRITE THE STORY OF AN 'UNEXPLAINABLE' RECOVERY!"

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