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EDITOR'S NOTE

After reviewing my almost 40 years of surgical practice and collect of some very rare and exceptional cases I and my colleagues from 13 countries decided to share with you these interesting cases from our own experience and practice. Nothing stands out so conspicuously, or remains so firmly fixed in our memory, as non-standard and atypical situations in which we found ourselves by chance asking sometimes ourselves: "Why did I get involved in this operation?" or "Why did I become a surgeon?". Surely you remember the old surgical aphorism, that: "Good surgical judgment comes from experience and experience comes from poor surgical judgment". So, join us in this journey through the surgical forest, remembering also another aphorism, that the more complex the case - the more experience is needed.

This is not a conventional book, given some limitations, of course, we have not covered all aspects and problems of surgery – even huge monographs and giant textbooks will not be enough for this.

We just offer you the factual material in a concise form understandable and useful from a practical point of view to all surgeons and clinicians without cumbersome text and numerous details like the tables, guidelines, protocols, discussions and recommendations. Just a brief description of our approach: what and how we have performed in each particular case and leave you the choice to do the same or different and may be better.

Many surgeons at heart remain the fans of the impression of a faint case and believe that the case is as proven as the statistics. I would like to express special gratitude to my colleagues for supporting my idea of writing this book in this version and for providing their very interesting clinical cases.

We hope that this book will help you broaden your surgical horizons and ultimately better and more effectively perform the job to which you have devoted yourself, namely: to serve surgery and save the lives of patients. As noted by Dr. Schein and al., "We have to look death in the eye and avert it - this is our main task as surgeons". In this case, we will consider our goal achieved and mission accomplished.

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FOREWORD

What do you need to look for and find when you are in search of a book on Surgery?

The first element in the quest is to consider the editor who has constructed the topics, sought out authors, and compiled the book into a readable and cohesive whole. In this volume, we cannot ask for better than Merab Kiladze. He is an expert not only in his field but also in communicating his knowledge.

He has a series of authors on the breadth of the field of surgery from their individual expert perspectives. The list of authors is a team of contributors from whom we will learn the details of the expanding clinical practice of surgery.

The length and breadth of the field are carried through more than 100 surgical case reports from different fields of surgery: Penetrating cardiac injury, Esophagectomy, Diaphragmatic hernia, Small bowel bleeding, Hepatic haemangioma, Splenectomy, Peptic ulcers, and Cases of percutaneous management of varied pathologies.

This wonderful compilation of knowledge will remind those of us in the field how far we have travelled and surprised us with facts we are less familiar with. It will take the reader who is unfamiliar with modern surgery through the details of how much we have advanced.

This book edited by a world expert will be an indispensable tool for the new generation involved in surgery.

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