

# Jupiter

Gateway to Vascular Health

# Insights

Challenging  
The Dogma

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# [100세 쇼크 극복인가 재앙인가] '현대판 불로초(장수 약물)' 실마리는 잡았다

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항생제 '덱슨' 장기복용 한센병 남자 환자들, 평균보다 7~8세 장수  
장수 효과 검증과정 필요... 5~6년 후 결론 나올 듯

필자가 이 약물의 효과를 발견한 것은 우연한 계기였다. 몇년 전 한센병 환자들이 모여 사는 [전남 소록도](#)를 방문했다가 머리를 때리는 듯한 발견을 하게 됐다. 70~80세 되는 한센병 환자들이 이상하다 싶은 정도로 젊게 보이는 것이었다. 기력들도 좋았다.

## '장수 약물' 후보들

레스베라트롤(식물이 해충에 저항하는 성분)

탈락

효과가 일관되게 나오지 않음

심바스타틴(콜레스테롤 강하제)

탈락 임박

효과 불확실

라파마이신(면역억제제·항암제 성분)

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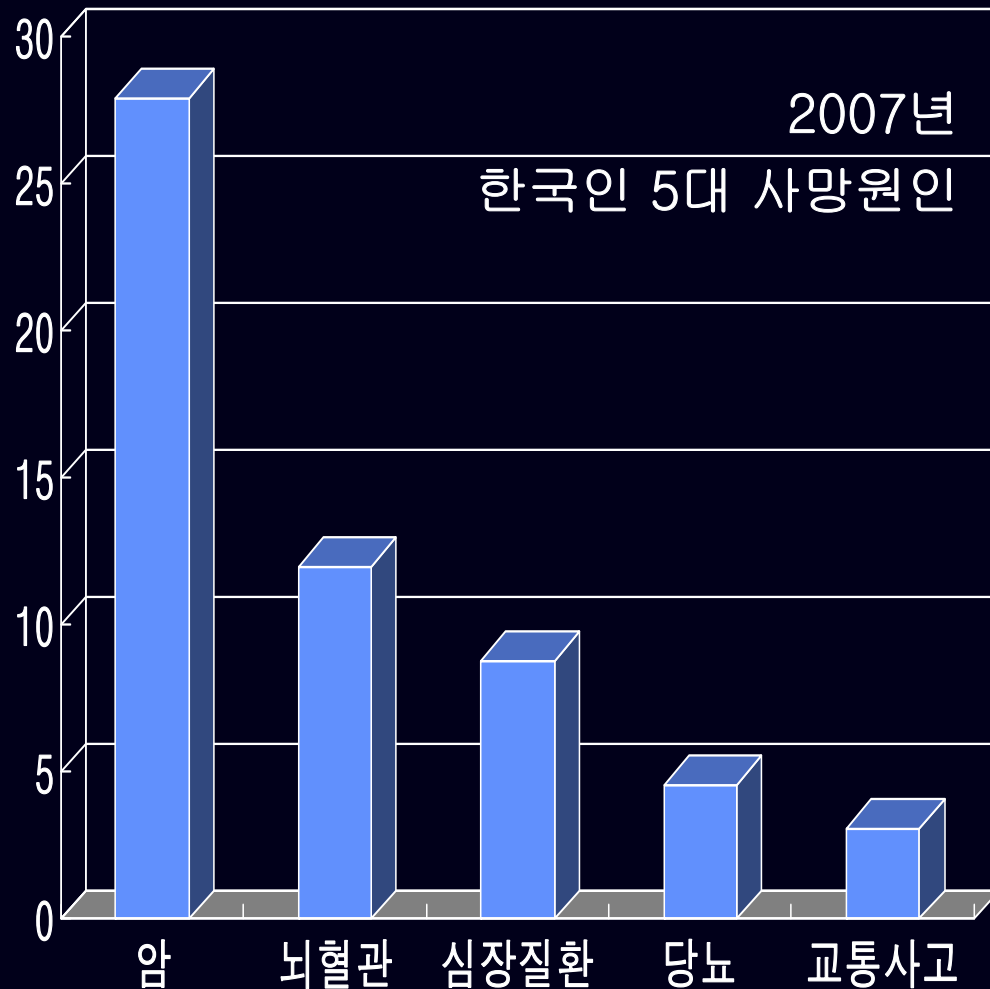
동물실험에서 수명 최대 38% 연장

덱슨(한센병 치료 항생제)

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# Causes of Death Worldwide, 2007



## Top 10 Causes of Death - US

1. Diseases of Heart 28.5%
  2. Malignant Neoplasms (cancer) 22.8%
  3. Cerebrovascular Diseases (stroke) 6.7%
  4. Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases 5.1%
  5. Accidents 4.4%
    - Motor Vehicle Traffic Accidents (41% of all accidents)
    - Poisoning (16% of all accidents)
    - Fall (15% of all accidents)
  6. Diabetes Mellitus 3.0%
  7. Influenza and Pneumonia 2.7%
  8. Alzheimer's Disease 2.4%
  9. Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome and Nephrosis (kidney diseases) 1.7%
  10. Septicemia (blood poisoning) 1.4%
- All Others 21.4%

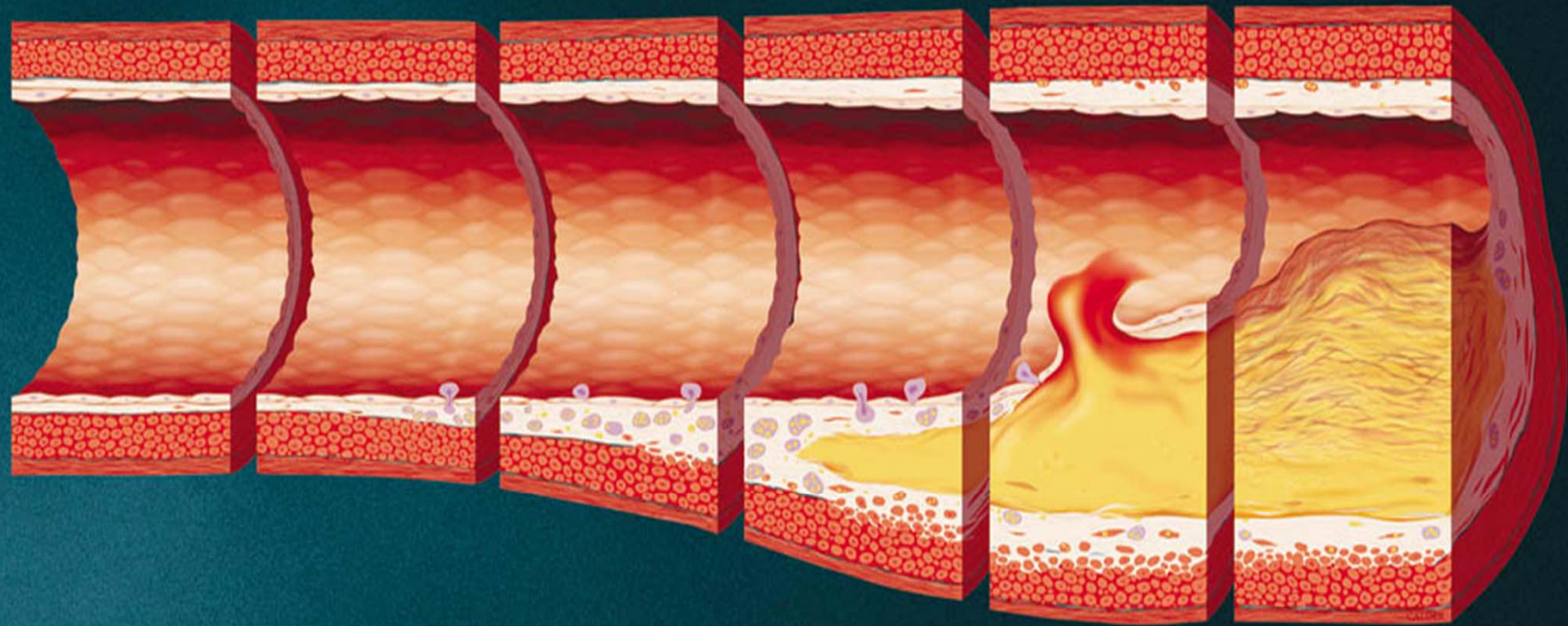
Not just a condition found  
in modern humans

RESEARCH LETTER

Computed Tomographic Assessment of  
Atherosclerosis in Ancient Egyptian Mummies

JAMA®

2009;302(19):2091-2094

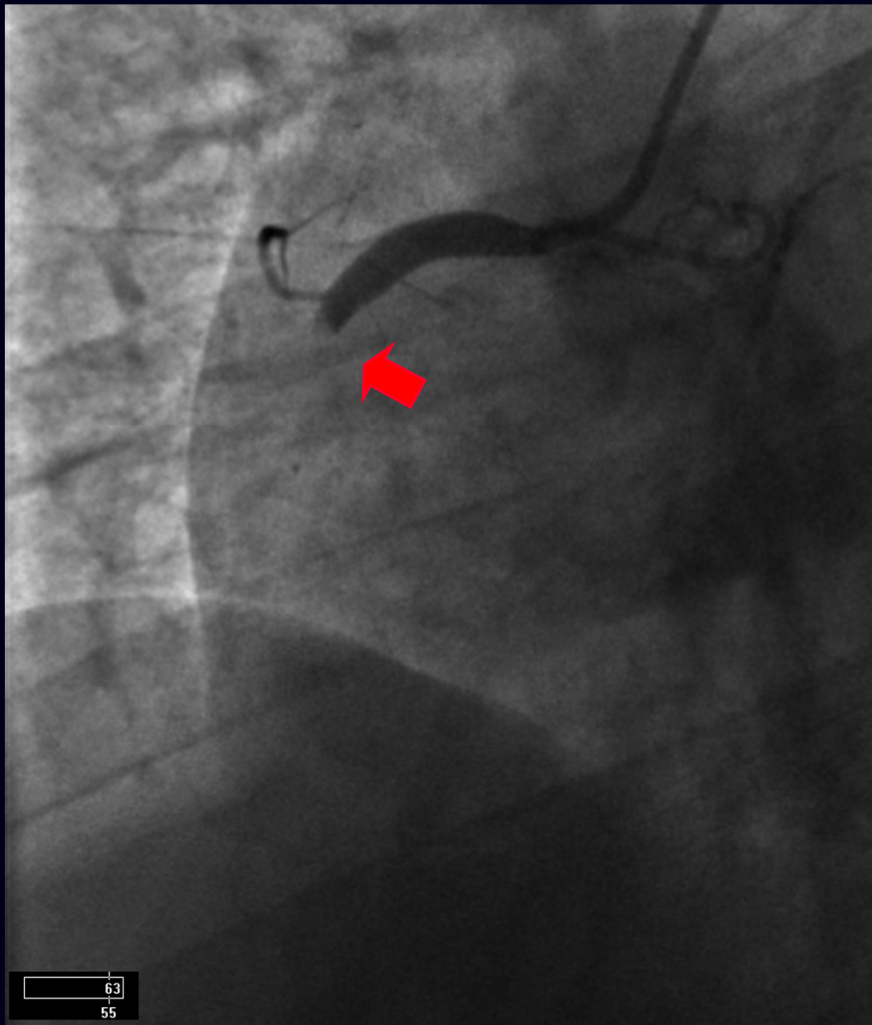


Abscess rupture: natural drainage?

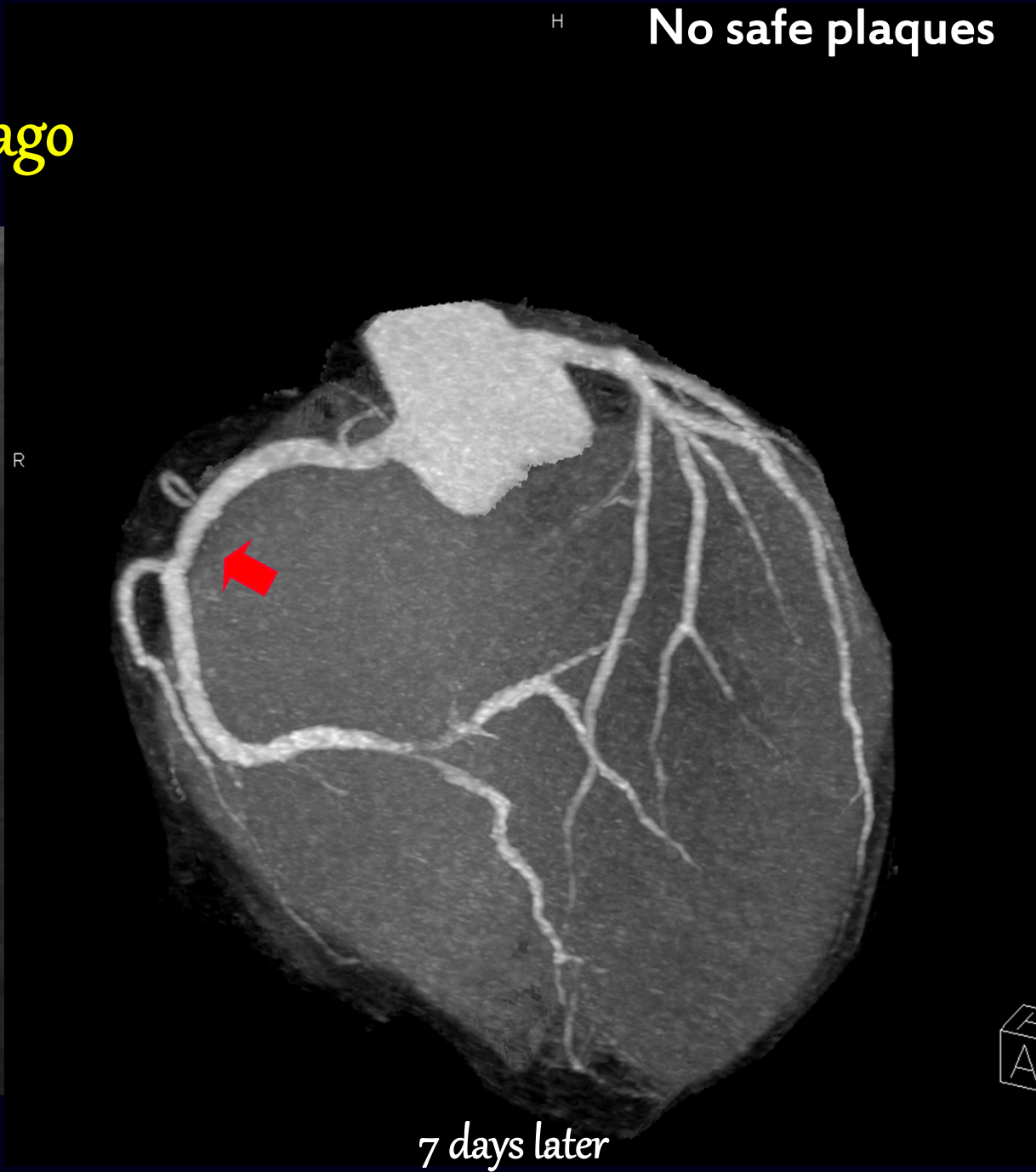


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Prolonged chest chain, 7 days ago



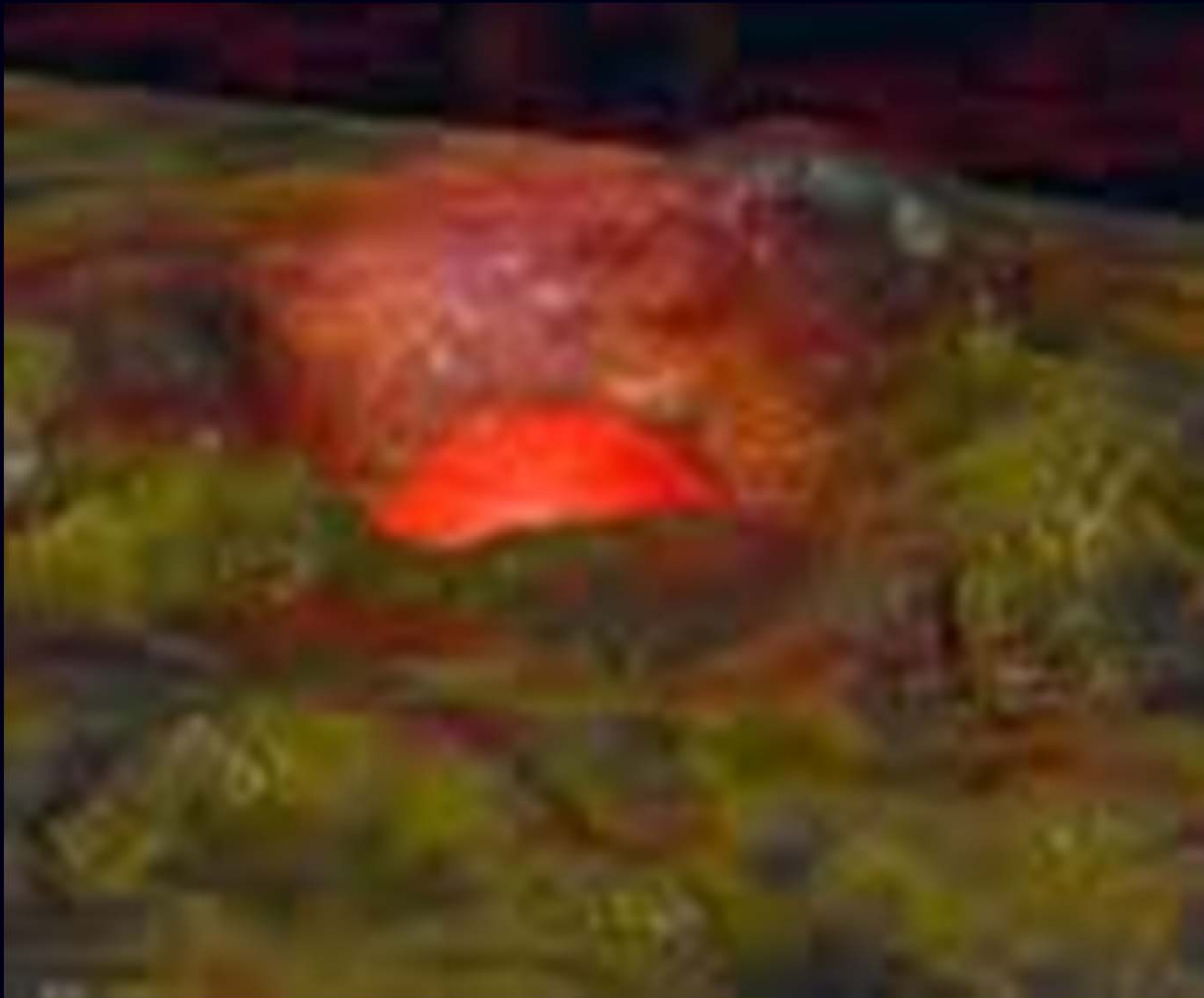
3 day later



7 days later

# Look at **Yellow Stone**

If VP can be detected accurately and effective therapeutic intervention initiated, many CV events can be prevented.



- Vulnerable plaques**
- uncertain future events
  - silent plaque rupture
  - not interchangeable among vascular beds
  - no safe plaque!

將欲弱之 必姑強之  
將欲去之 必姑與之

Thinking the unthinkable.

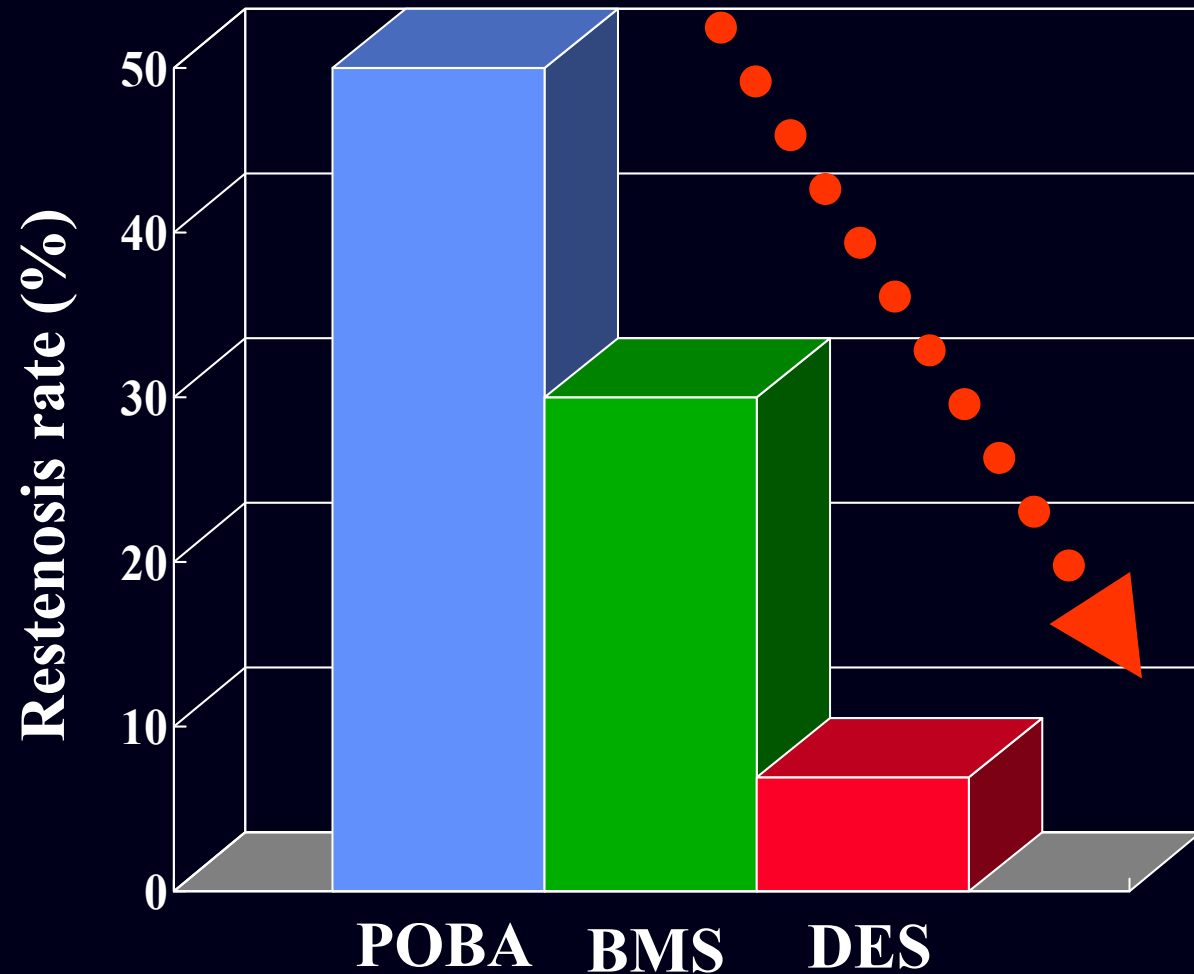
# Quantum Advance!

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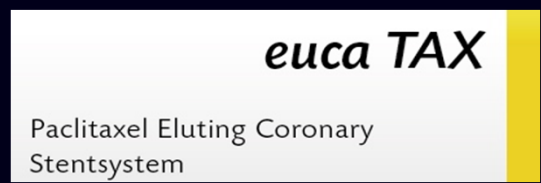
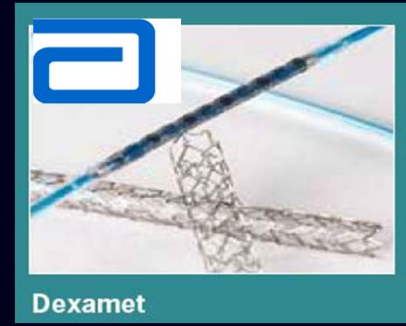
POBA (1977)

BMS (1986)

DES (1999)

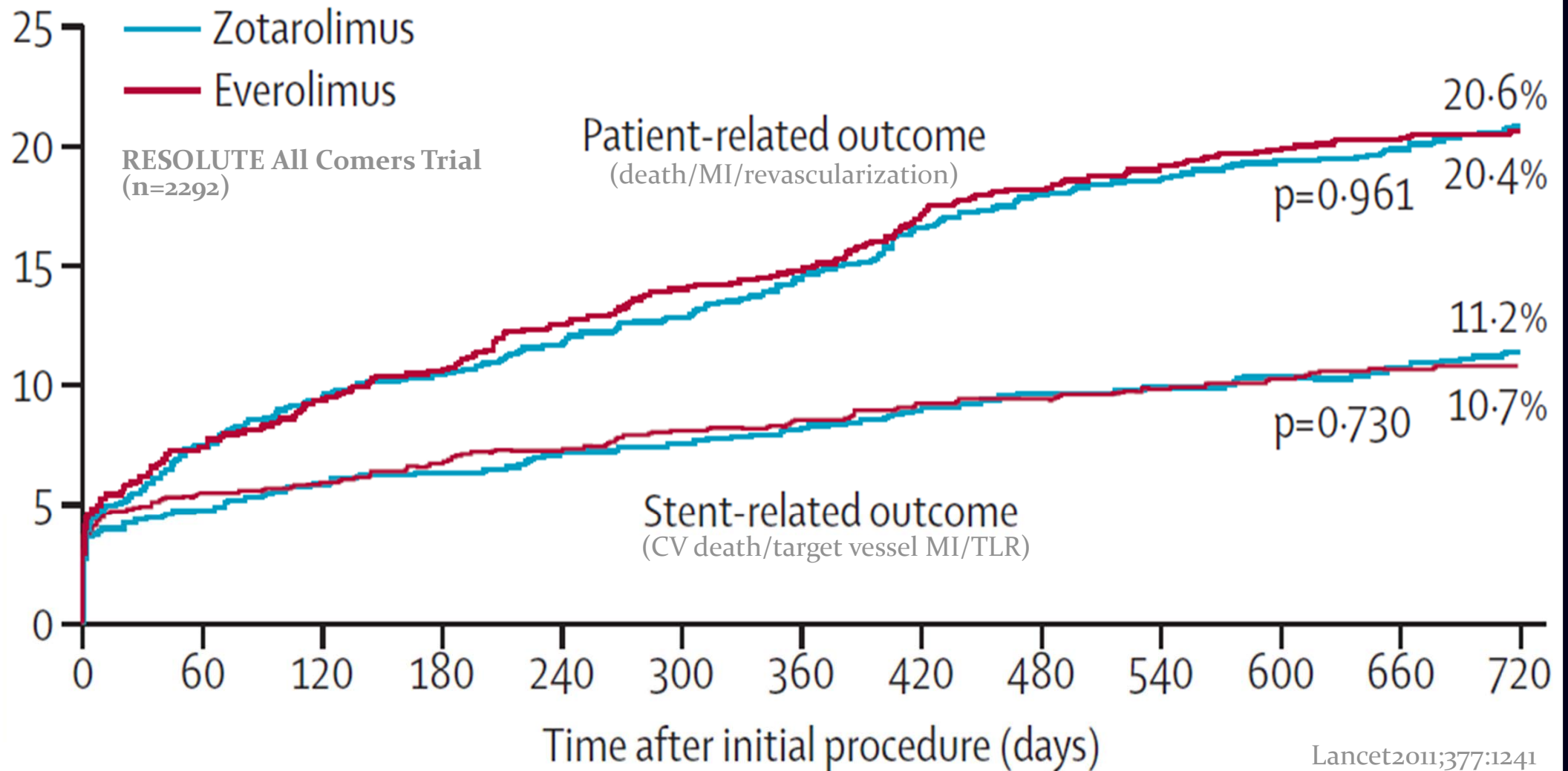


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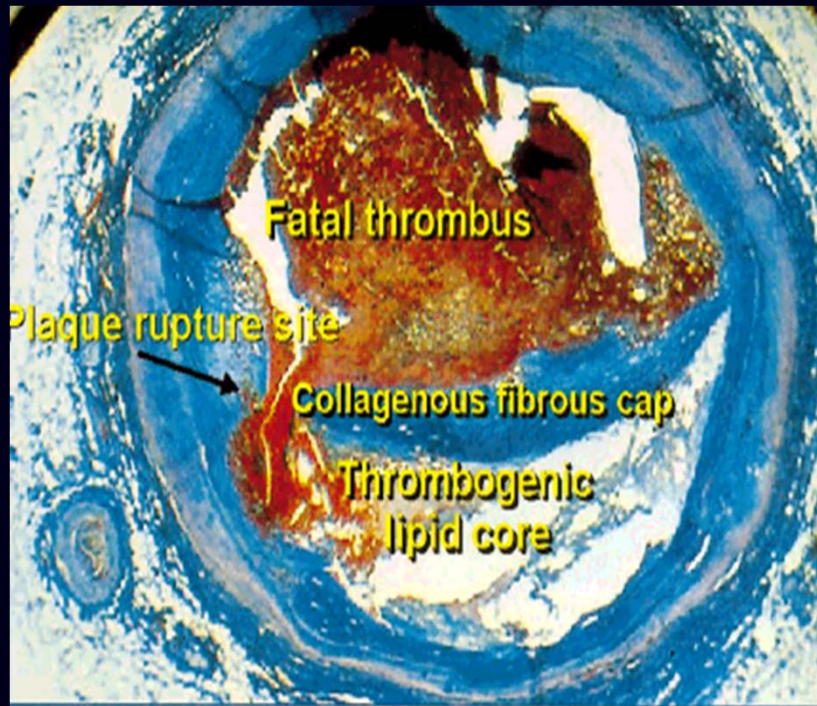


# PCI/CABG I Fixed You?



Think outside the lumen

# Heart Attack and Brain Attack

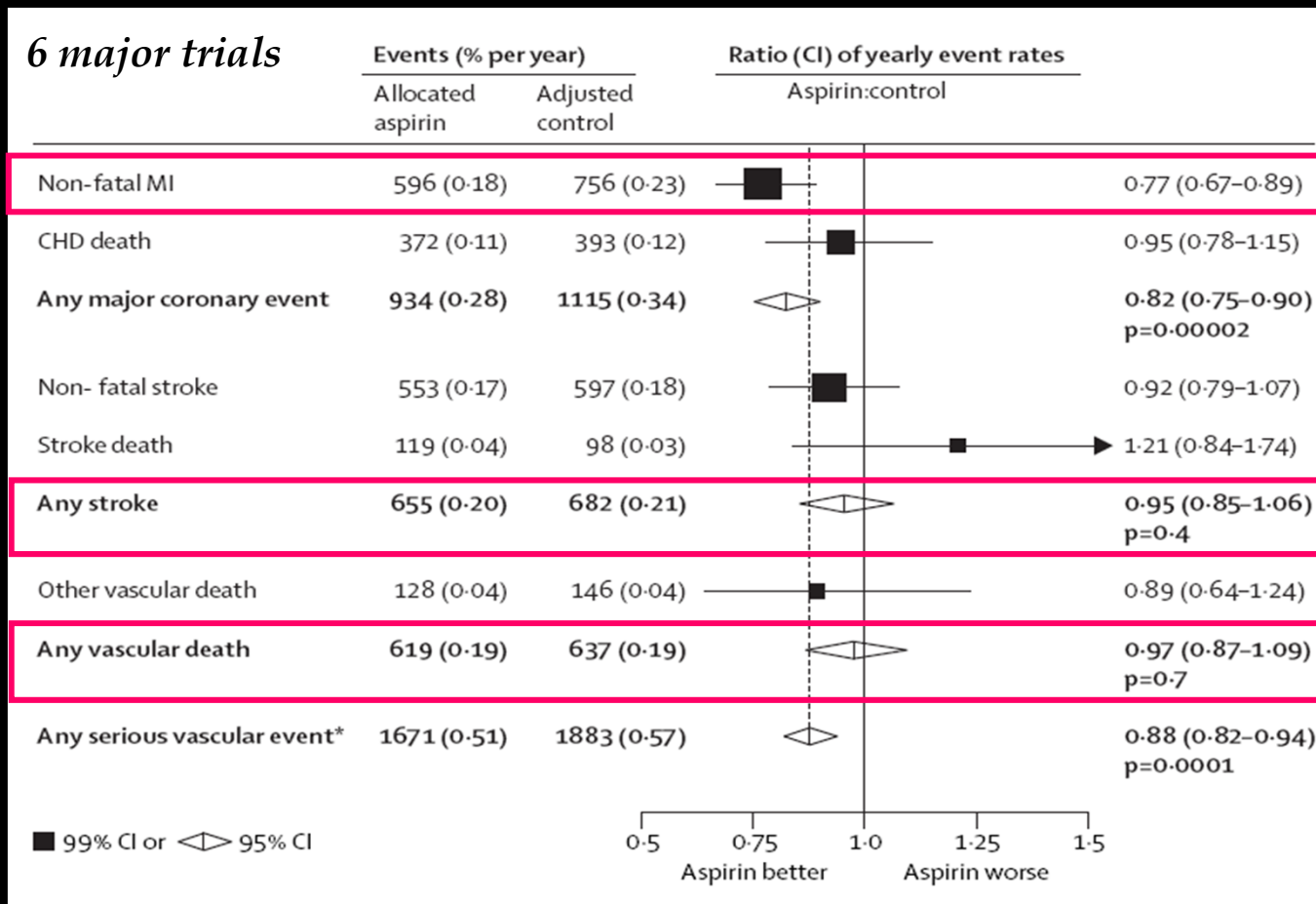


## “Axis of Evil”

- Arterial wall side
  - LDL cholesterol
  - inflammation
- Arterial lumen side
  - platelet
  - coagulation

# Aspirin Individualised Approach in Primary Prevention

Aspirin's Myth  
Bleeding Tax !



Antithrombotic Trialists' Collaboration  
*Lancet* 2009;373:1849

- Primary endpoints - all negative

- ICH 32%↑ (1.0-1.75)

- Major extracranial bleeding 54%↑ (1.3-1.82)

0.06% /y ↓ CV outcome  
0.03% /y ↑ major bleed

**NICE guideline:** Aspirin is not licensed for the primary prevention of vascular events. If aspirin is used in primary prevention, the balance of benefits & risks should be considered for each individual.

Wide Use  
Little Evidence

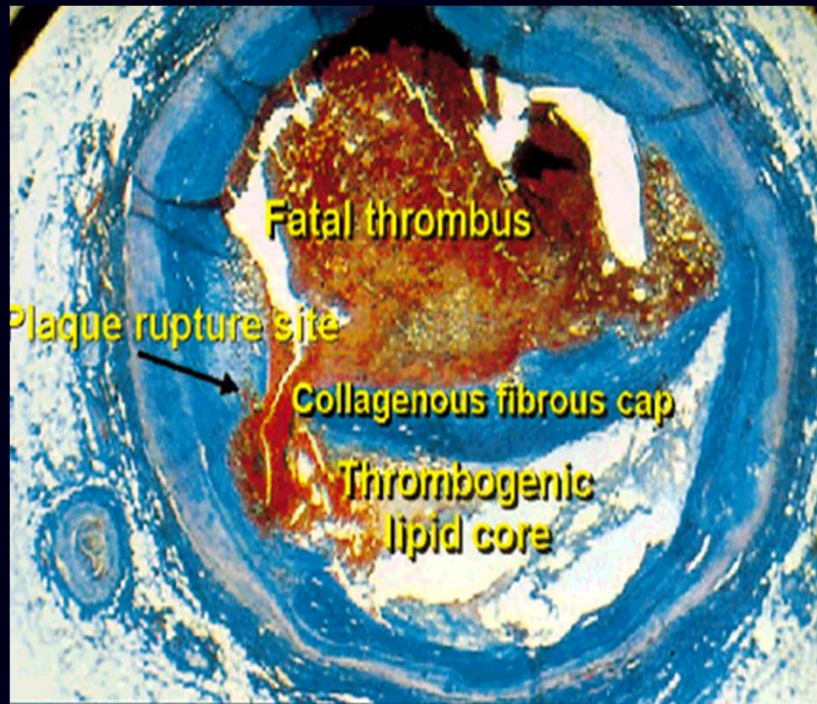
# Aspirin ad Infinitum for Prevention: Really Works?

FDA has not approved aspirin for use in primary prevention.

International guidelines have started to recommend withdrawal of aspirin.



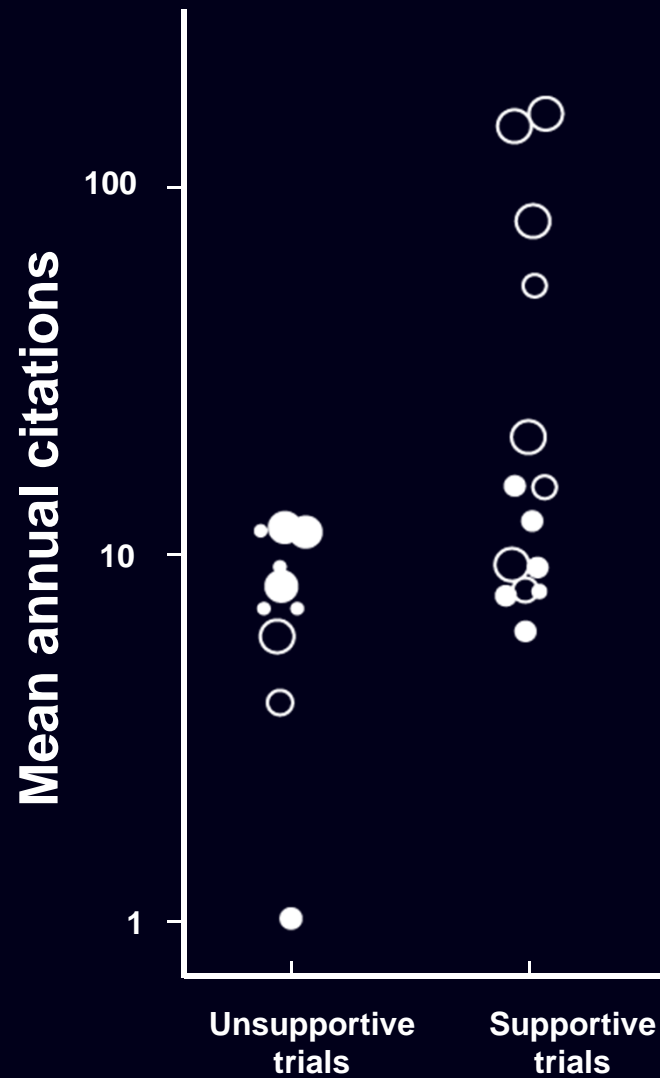
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*The initial road to cholesterol treatments was rather bumpy.*



## Cholesterol Lowering Trials before Statin Era

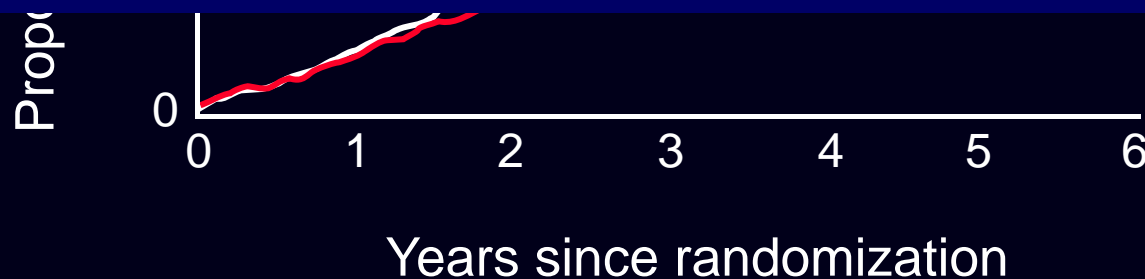
**Lowering serum cholesterol concentrations does not reduce mortality and is unlikely to prevent coronary heart disease.**

**Quantum advance**  
in atherosclerosis

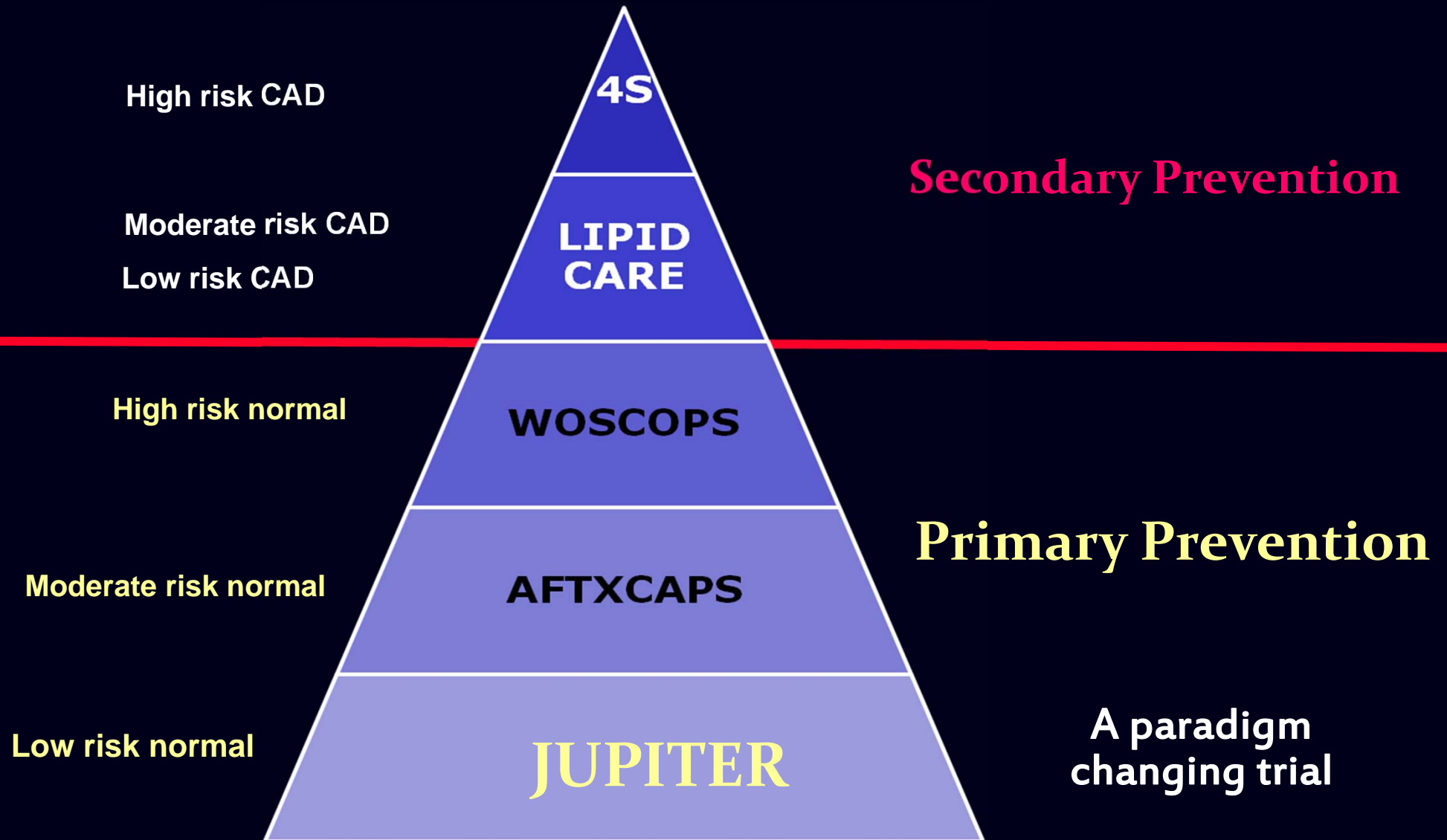
**Revolution**  
**Pre-S & S Era 4S**

**Statins**

**Miracle drug!**  
**Best selling product**



# Landmark Statin Trials





A home run  
for the public health?

# JUPITER TRIAL

Sunrise for Crestor



Congraturation on a great success  
of the JUPITER trial !

JUPITER 지구지킴이

A Failed Star for Earth Protection

# *Inside* JUPITER

## STUDY POPULATION

As described in detail elsewhere,<sup>17,18</sup> men 50 years of age or older and women 60 years of age or older were eligible for the trial if they did not have a history of cardiovascular disease and if, at the initial screening visit, they had an LDL cholesterol level of less than 130 mg per deciliter (3.4 mmol per liter) and a high-sensitivity C-reactive protein level of 2.0 mg per liter or more. Other require-

**N=17,802**

**1.9 years follow-up**

**Rosuvastatin 20mg/d  
Vs. Placebo**

**“seemingly healthy people”**  
normal LDL-C & high CRP

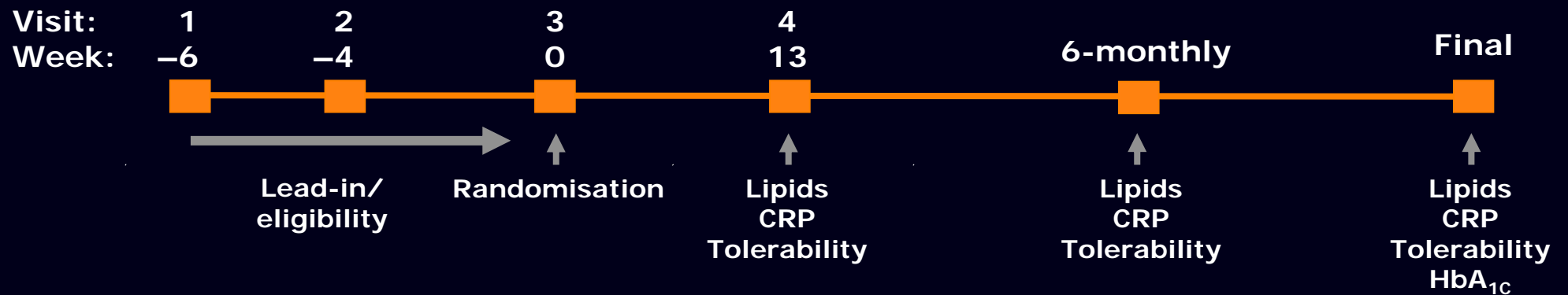
# Study Design

No history of CAD  
men  $\geq 50$  yrs  
women  $\geq 60$  yrs  
LDL-C  $< 130$  mg/dL  
CRP  $\geq 2.0$  mg/L

Placebo  
run-in

Rosuvastatin 20 mg (n=8901)

Placebo (n=8901)



Median follow-up 1.9 years

CAD=coronary artery disease; LDL-C=low-density lipoprotein cholesterol; CRP=C-reactive protein; HbA<sub>1c</sub>=glycated haemoglobin

# Baseline Characteristics<sup>\*</sup>

	Rosuvastatin n=8901	Placebo n=8901
Age (years)	66 (60-71)	66 (60-71)
Male sex (%)	61.5	62.1
Race (%)		
White	71.4	71.1
Black	12.4	12.6
Hispanic	12.6	12.8
Other	3.6	3.5
BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )	28.3 (25.3-32.0)	28.4 (25.3-32.0)
Systolic BP (mmHg)	134 (124-145)	134 (124-145)
Diastolic BP (mmHg)	80 (75-87)	80 (75-87)

<sup>\*</sup>All values are median (interquartile range) or N (%).



# Baseline Laboratory Parameters<sup>\*</sup>

	Rosuvastatin n=8901	Placebo n=8901
Total cholesterol (mg/dL)	186 (168-200)	185 (169-199)
LDL cholesterol (mg/dL)	108 (94-119)	108 (94-119)
HDL cholesterol (mg/dL)	49 (40-60)	49 (40-60)
Triglycerides (mg/dL)	118 (85-169)	118 (86-169)
hsCRP (mg/L)	4.2 (2.8-7.1)	4.3 (2.8-7.2)
Glucose (mg/dL)	94 (87-102)	94 (88-102)
HbA <sub>1c</sub> (%)	5.7 (5.4-5.9)	5.7 (5.5-5.9)
Glomerular filtration rate, (ml/min/1.73m <sup>2</sup> )	73.3 (64.6-83.7)	73.6 (64.6-84.1)

For hsCRP, values are the average of the values obtained at two screening and visits

\*All values are median (interquartile range) or N (%).

# Medical History

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Medical History	Rosuvastatin n=8901	Placebo n=8901
Current smoker (%)	15.7	16.0
Family history CHD <sup>†</sup> (%)	11.2	11.8
Metabolic syndrome <sup>‡</sup> (%)	41.0	41.8
Aspirin use (%)	16.6	16.6

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<sup>†</sup>Family history of premature CHD defined as first degree relative with CHD at age < 55 yrs (male), < 65 yrs (female); <sup>‡</sup> Metabolic syndrome defined according to consensus criteria of AHA/NHLBI

# JUPITER Population Compared With Previous Trials

	AFCAPS	WOSCOPS	JUPITER
Patients, n	6,605	6,595	17,802
% male, n	85	100	62
Duration, years	5.2	4.9	1.9
Diabetes, %	6	1	0
Baseline lipids, mg/dL*			
total cholesterol	221	272	183
LDL-C	150	192	104
HDL-C	36–40	44	51
triglycerides	158	164	138
hsCRP, mg/L	0.2	NA	4.3
Statin	Lovastatin 20–40 mg	Pravastatin 40 mg	Rosuvastatin 20 mg

CVD=cardiovascular disease; CHD=coronary heart disease; LDL-C=low-density lipoprotein cholesterol; HDL-C=high-density lipoprotein cholesterol; hsCRP=high sensitivity C-reactive protein; \*Baseline lipid levels are mean values.

Ridker PM *et al.* *Am J Cardiol* 2007; **100**: 1659–1664

Ridker PM *et al.* *N Engl J Med* 2001; **344**: 1959–65

**Flying to**  
**JUPITER**

A home run  
for the public health?

LDL 50%↓  
CRP 37%↓

**No doubt, it is definitively positive!**

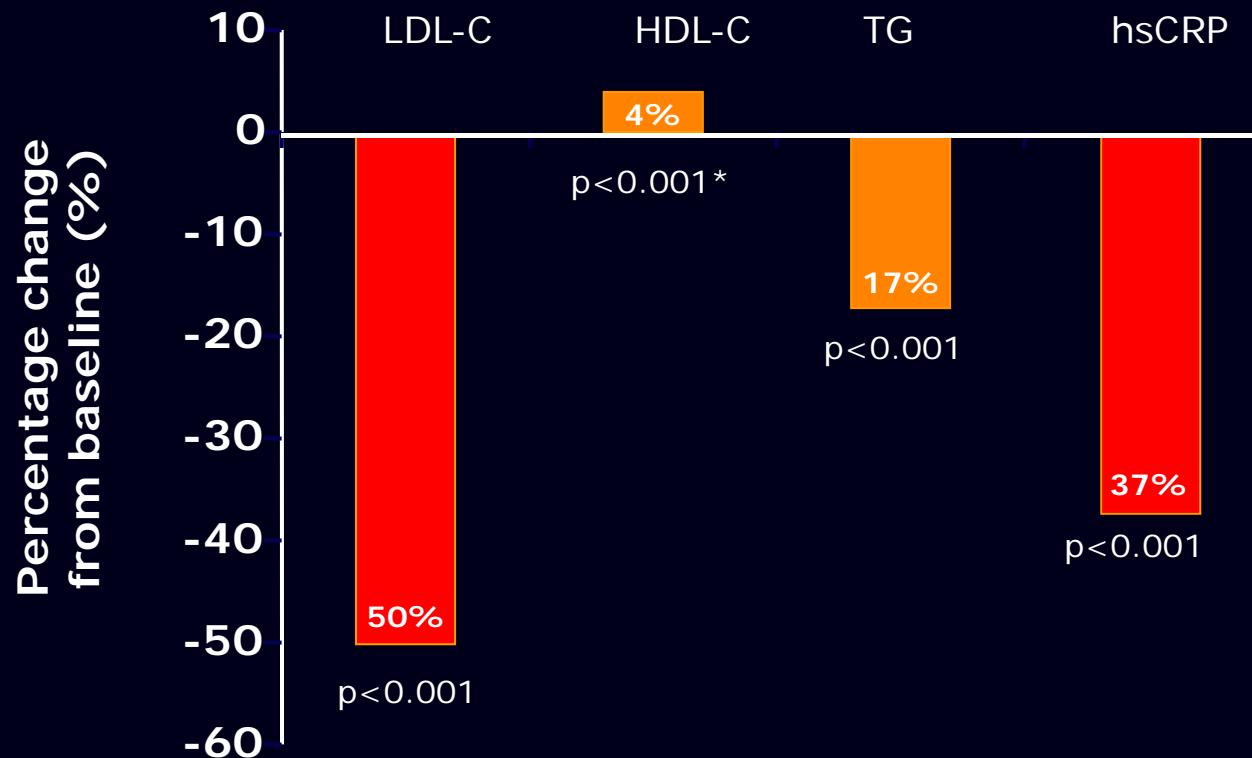
**Dramatic reductions in odds ratio for acute vascular events were seen across all subgroups of patients in the JUPITER trial.**

**A degree of efficacy rarely have been seen for any particular therapy in medicine history.**

Steven E. Nissen

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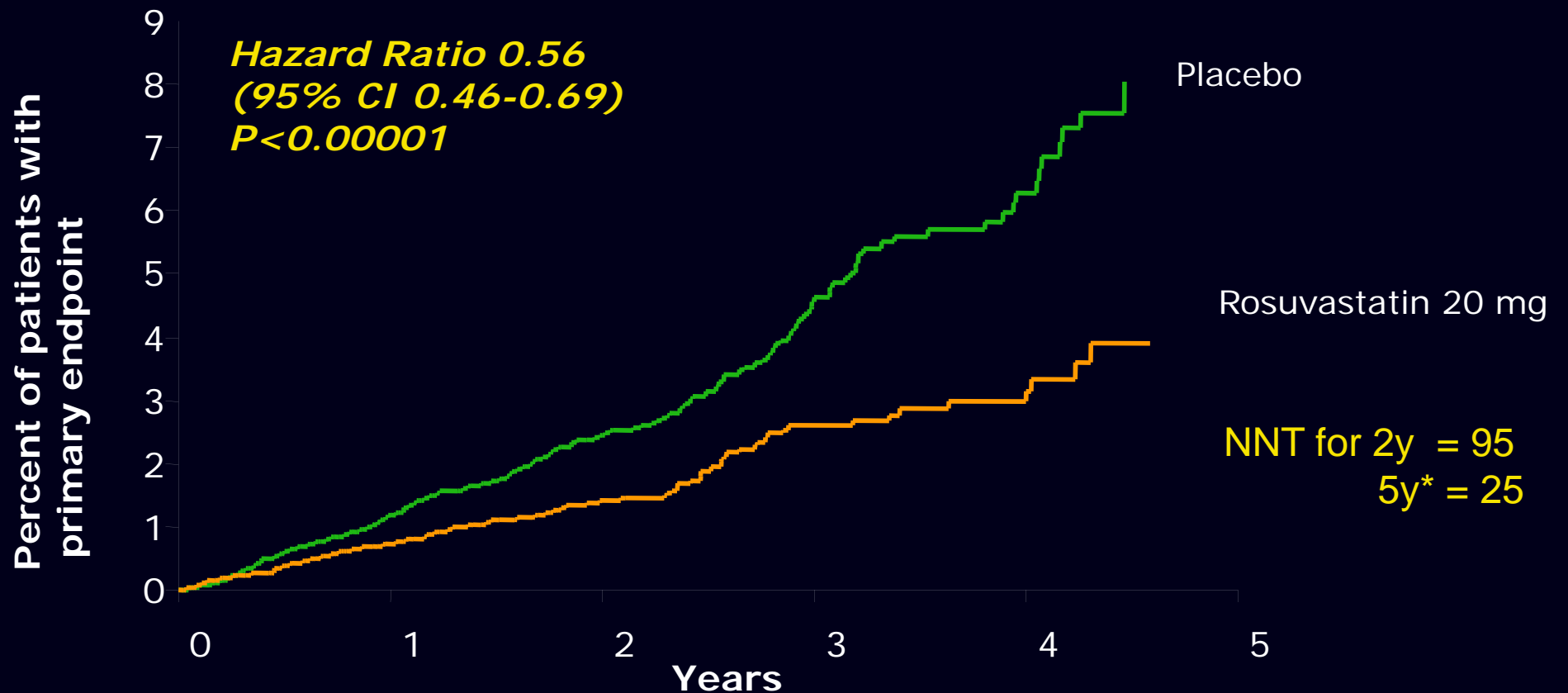
# Effects on LDL-C, HDL-C, TG and hsCRP at 12 months; *Percentage Change Between Rosuvastatin & Placebo*



\*P-value at study completion (48 months) = 0.34

# Primary Endpoint

Time to first occurrence of CV death, non-fatal stroke, non-fatal MI, unstable angina or arterial revascularization



Number at risk

RSV	8901	8412	3893	1353	538	157
Placebo	8901	8353	3872	1333	531	174

\*Extrapolated figure based on Altman and Andersen method

# Primary Endpoint Components

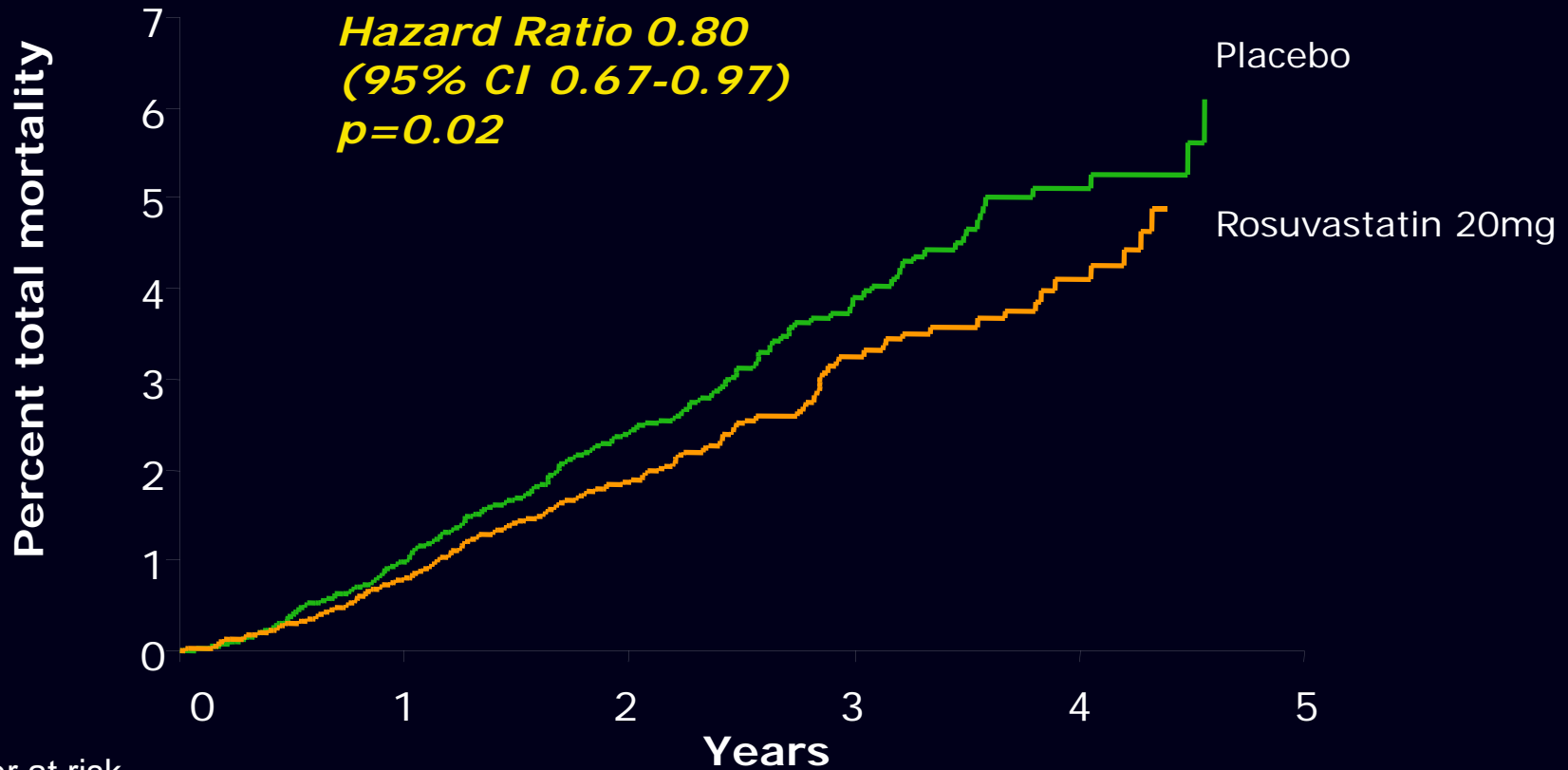
	Placebo [n=8901] n (rate <sup>**</sup> )	Rosuvastatin [n=8901] n (rate <sup>**</sup> )	HR	95% CI	p-value
<b>Primary Endpoint</b> (Time to first occurrence of <i>CV death, MI, stroke, unstable angina, arterial revascularisation</i> )	<b>251</b> (1.36)	<b>142</b> (0.77)	<b>0.56</b>	0.46-0.69	<b>&lt;0.001*</b>
<b>Non-fatal MI</b>	<b>62</b> (0.33)	<b>22</b> (0.12)	<b>0.35</b>	0.22-0.58	<b>&lt;0.001*</b>
<b>Fatal or non-fatal MI</b>	<b>68</b> (0.37)	<b>31</b> (0.17)	<b>0.46</b>	0.30-0.70	<b>0.0002</b>
<b>Non-fatal stroke</b>	<b>58</b> (0.31)	<b>30</b> (0.16)	<b>0.52</b>	0.33-0.80	<b>0.003</b>
<b>Fatal or non-fatal stroke</b>	<b>64</b> (0.34)	<b>33</b> (0.18)	<b>0.52</b>	0.34-0.79	<b>0.002</b>
<b>Arterial Revascularization</b>	<b>131</b> (0.71)	<b>71</b> (0.38)	<b>0.54</b>	0.41-0.72	<b>&lt;0.0001</b>
<b>Unstable angina<sup>†</sup></b>	<b>27</b> (0.14)	<b>16</b> (0.09)	<b>0.59</b>	0.32-1.10	<b>0.09</b>
<b>CV death, stroke, MI</b>	<b>157</b> (0.85)	<b>83</b> (0.45)	<b>0.53</b>	0.40-0.69	<b>&lt;0.001*</b>
<b>Revascularization or unstable angina</b>	<b>143</b> (0.77)	<b>76</b> (0.41)	<b>0.53</b>	0.40-0.70	<b>&lt;0.001*</b>

\*\* Rates are per 100 person years; † Hospitalisation due to unstable angina; \*Actual p-value was < 0.00001



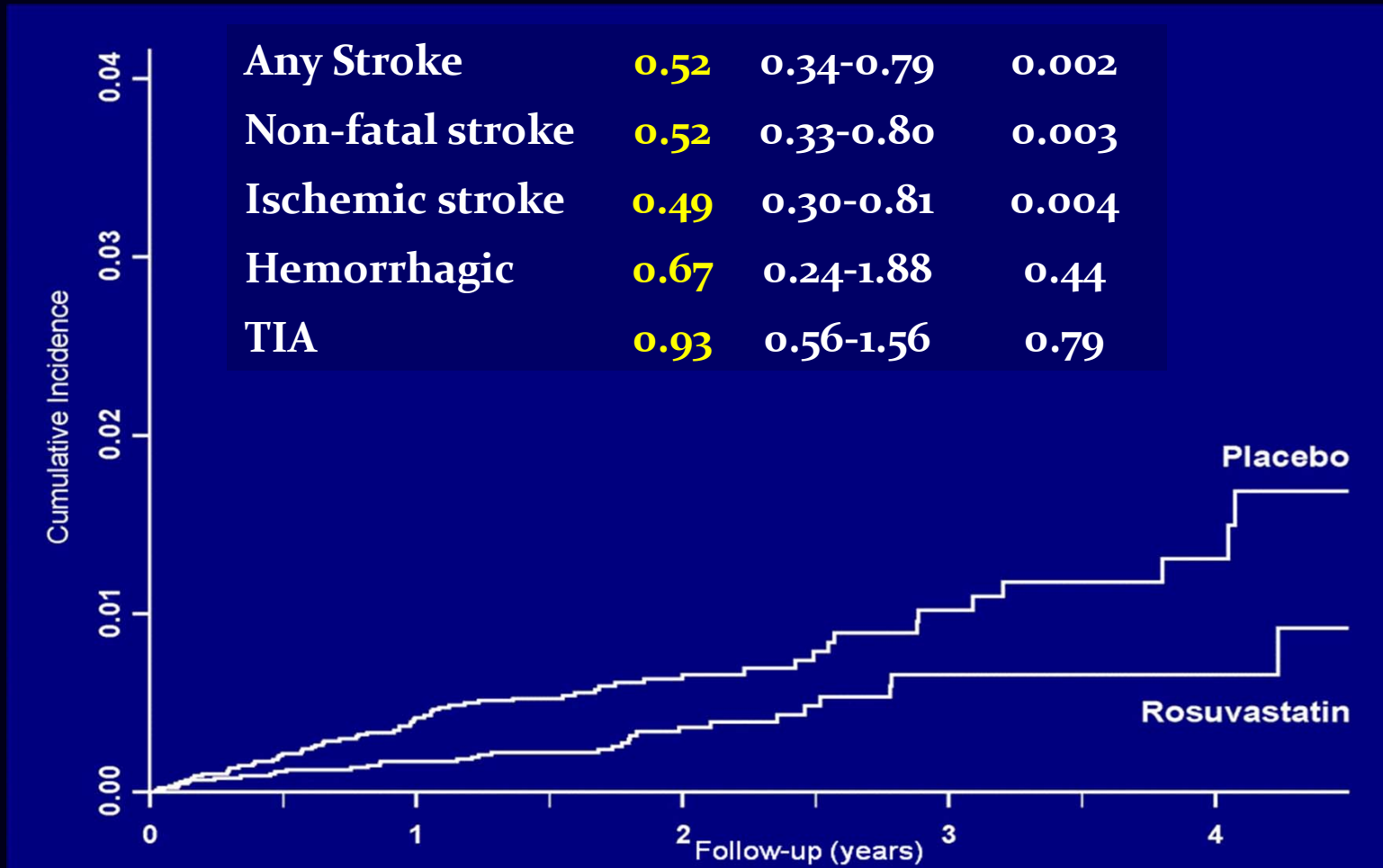
# Total Mortality

Death from any cause



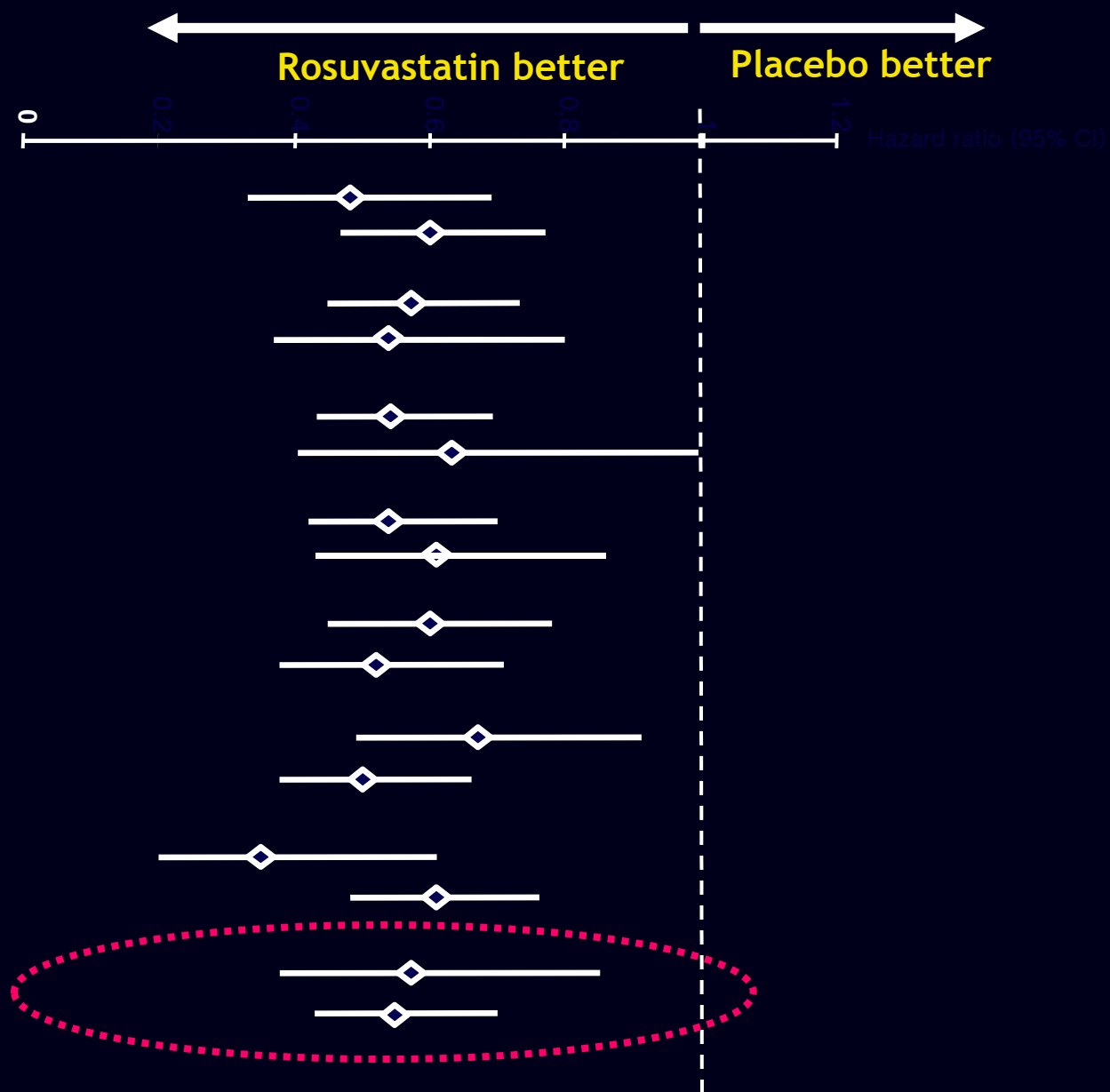
Number at risk		0	1	2	3	4	5
RSV	8901	8787	4312	1602	676	227	
Placebo	8901	8775	4319	1614	681	246	

# Stroke Cumulative Incidence of All Stroke



# Subgroup Analysis

	N	P- value*
<b>Age</b>		0.32
≤ 65 years	8,541	
>65 yrs	9,261	
<b>Gender</b>		0.80
Males	11,001	
<b>Females</b>	<b>6,801</b>	
<b>Race</b>		0.57
White	12,683	
Non-white	5,117	
<b>Hypertension</b>		0.53
Yes	10,208	
No	7,586	
<b>Region</b>		0.51
US or Canada	6,041	
Other	11,761	
<b>Metabolic syndrome</b>		0.14
Yes	7,375	
No	10,296	
<b>Family history of CHD</b>		0.07
Yes	2,045	
No	15,684	
<b>Framingham risk score</b>		0.99
≤10%	8,882	
>10%	8,895	



# Women Subgroup Data

*Primary Endpoint: Time to first occurrence of a CV death, non fatal stroke, non-fatal MI, unstable angina or arterial revascularization*

	<b>Rosuva</b>	<b>Placebo</b>			
	<b>No. (Rate)*</b>	<b>No. (Rate)*</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>95% CI</b>	<b>P Value</b>
<b>Women</b>	<b>39 (0.57)</b>	<b>70 (1.04)</b>	<b>0.54</b>	<b>0.37-0.80</b>	<b>P=0.002</b>
<b>Men</b>	<b>103 (0.88)</b>	<b>181 (1.54)</b>	<b>0.58</b>	<b>0.45-0.73</b>	<b>P&lt;0.0001</b>

\* Rates are per 100 person-years

# Elderly Subgroup Data

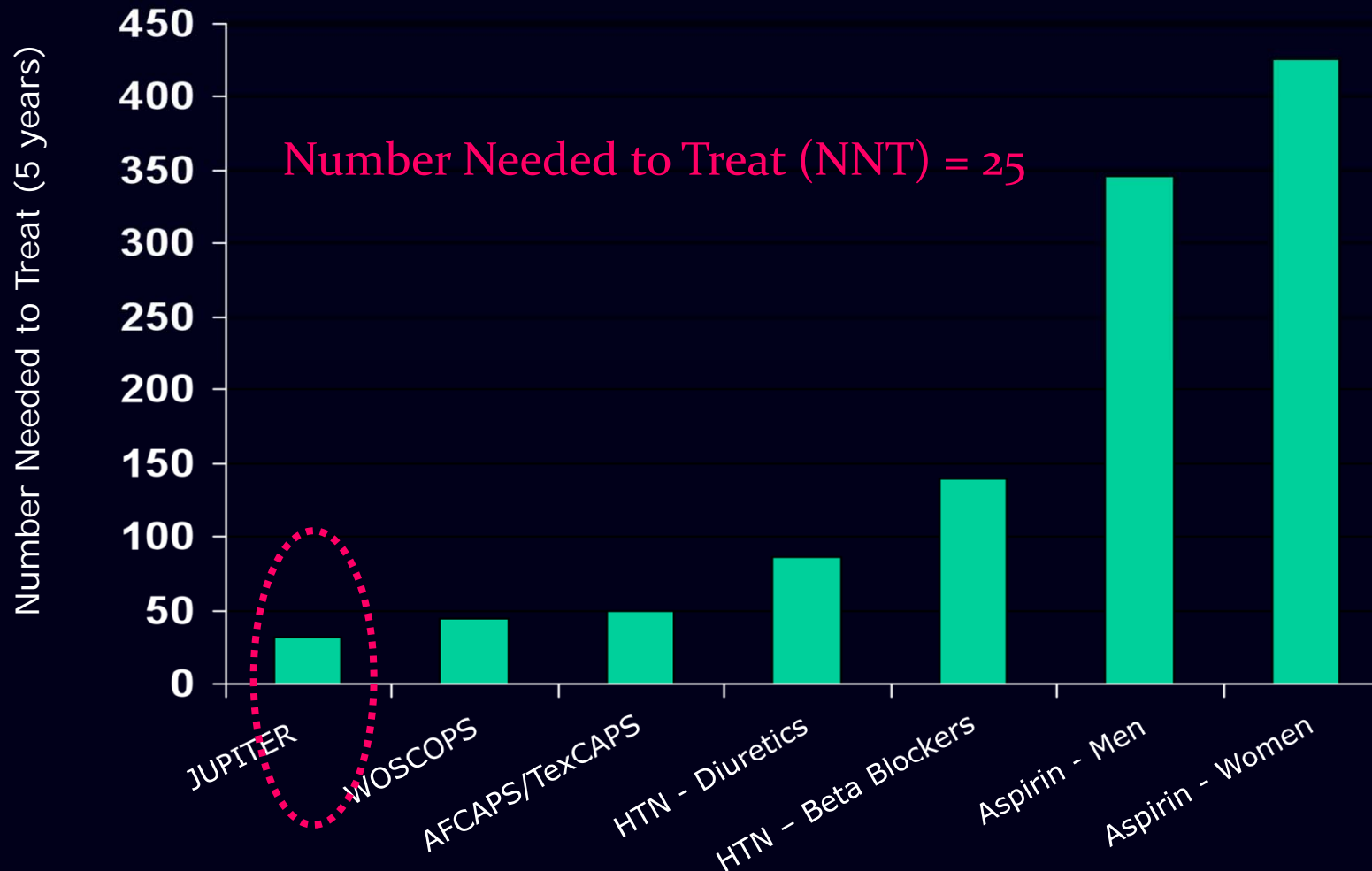
Endpoint	Age	Events	Placebo rate*	HR	95% CI	P-value
<b>Primary endpoint**</b>	≥ 70	194	1.99	0.61	0.46-0.82	<0.001
	< 70	199	1.06	0.51	0.38-0.69	<0.001
Any MI	≥ 70	47	0.50	0.55	0.31-1.00	0.046
	< 70	52	0.30	0.37	0.21-0.69	<0.001
Any stroke	≥ 70	61	0.64	0.55	0.33-0.93	0.023
	< 70	36	0.20	0.45	0.22-0.91	0.020
Revascularisation or Unstable Angina	≥ 70	87	0.95	0.51	0.33-0.80	0.003
	< 70	132	0.69	0.54	0.38-0.77	<0.001
MI/Stroke/CV Death	≥ 70	133	1.36	0.61	0.43-0.86	0.004
	< 70	107	0.60	0.43	0.29-0.65	<0.001
<b>Secondary endpoints:</b>						
Any Death	≥ 70	241	2.04	0.80	0.62-1.04	0.090
	< 70	204	0.86	0.80	0.60-1.05	0.10
VTE	≥ 70	40	0.41	0.59	0.31-1.11	0.096
	< 70	54	0.28	0.55	0.31-0.96	0.031

\* Incidence rates are per 100 person years; \*\*Nonfatal MI, nonfatal stroke, revascularisation, unstable angina, CV death

HR – Hazard Ratio; CI – Confidence Interval

Glynn RJ, Ridker PM. <http://www.escardio.org/congresses/esc-2009/congress-reports/Documents/710007-Glynn-slides.pdf>

# JUPITER: 5-Year NNT Values for Primary Prevention of CVD



## What we learned

J-message 1

Prevention is better than cure  
The earlier, the better

**2007:** The tragic failure of **CORONA**

Ischemic Cardiomyopathy

**2008:** The great success of **JUPITER**  
“Return of the **CRESTOR**”

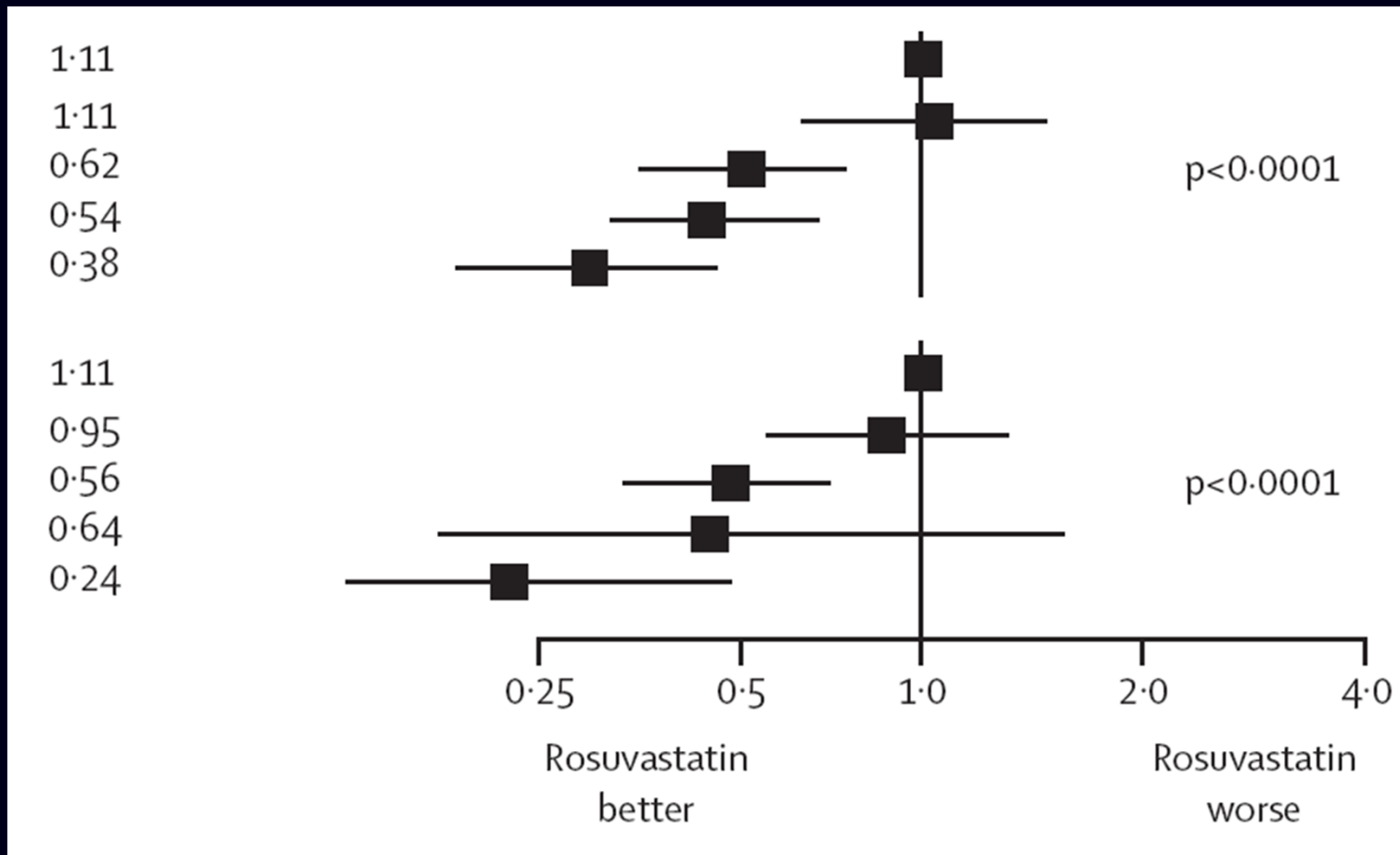


# What we learned

## J-message 2

# Who gets the benefit?

The lower, the better



Placebo

LDL  $\geq 1.8$ , hsCRP  $\geq 2$   
LDL  $< 1.8$ , hsCRP  $\geq 2$   
LDL  $\geq 1.8$ , hsCRP  $< 2$   
LDL  $< 1.8$ , hsCRP  $< 2$

Placebo

LDL  $\geq 1.8$ , hsCRP  $\geq 1$   
LDL  $< 1.8$ , hsCRP  $\geq 1$   
LDL  $\geq 1.8$ , hsCRP  $< 1$   
LDL  $< 1.8$ , hsCRP  $< 1$

# What we learned

## J-message 3

Statins are anti-atherosclerotic drug!

**The stronger, the better**

**From:** Gashi, Tracey A  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 12, 2010 11:46 PM  
**To:** Sohn, Hyung Woon  
**Subject:** RE: Question about JUPITER result (from Korean KOL)

Hi Sohn,

Attached is the data from JUPITER which you requested. This is unpublished data so please quote as data on file.

	RSV N=8901	Placebp=8901	HR (95% CI)	P for interaction
	Number of primary endpoint events			


I hope this answers your KOL query

With best wishes

Tracey

# The Power of Evidence-Based Practice

Take action,  
save lives!

demia.<sup>40</sup> The use of certain cardioprotective medications (e.g., ) has increased over time, and these agents may have beneficial effects beyond their effect on risk factors and may contribute to a lower severity of subsequent cardiac events.<sup>36</sup> Although each of

## **Statin *Message***

**Atherosclerosis will become history!**

**Interventionists/surgeons, get a new day job!**

My Personal Note

← ... born to love statin

People start life with clean arteries,  
live with atherosclerosis and  
die of acute vascular events.

감사합니다.