## **Sweet Science**

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All too often I am approached by the broken hearted; in despair and confused. What comfort can I give a child when they ask what happened to their father or mother? How can you console a sister and brother when they have gone through childhood, adolescence and adult hood together? What words can ease the pain of a mother and father who have lost a child. I am ask on a daily basis what can be done or how can I find out what really happened? There are no real answers to that; except fight and don't give up. Bring on that sweet science and fight until you have no fight left and then fight some more.

A accomplished fighter has that sweet science. The fighter is well prepared; they study, train, psyche themselves and blaze out with a mouthpiece and cup. You have to do the same. Remember to watch for rabbit punches, have a good promoter and don't even think of throwing in the towel. Each and every round is an accomplishment, even when the bell saves you. Stay in ring with your cover and footwork but when the opportunity arrives and they are worn down jab them and get that KO.

You will be fighting to find truth and justice. You will be fighting the incident, the employer, the insurance company, the investigators and the lawyers. And then when finished; some will be fighting for new laws and regulations. Finding a battle worth fighting for will not be difficult because just when you think nothing can surprise you, your hit in the face with a new issue, at least new to you. So bring it on, bring on that SWEET SCIENCE!

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