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## Twister

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## When you are locked inside your body, what can set you free?

**dystonia (dis-to ni-ah)** a neurological disorder that forces your muscles into abnormal often painful movement or postures. It can cause your body to twist.

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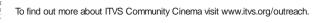
TWISTED tells the stories of people who live with dystonia, a neurological disorder that forces your muscles to twist into abnormal, often painful, movements or postures. Pat Brogan, a basketball coach and triathlete who developed dystonia after a bike accident; Shari Tritt, whose dystonia affects her whole body, and Remy Campbell, an artist who gambled on a radical form of brain surgery—and won. Together, these individuals try to answer the question, when you are trapped inside your body, what will set you free?

TWISTED WILL AIR NATIONALLY ON THE EMMY AWARD-WINNING PBS SERIES, INDEPENDENT LENS ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 30, 2007 AT 10 PM. CHECK LOCAL LISTINGS.

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