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IF I COULD INVENT SOMETHING

About two billion, two hundred million people suffer from vision impairment and roughly one million people are permanently blind. Additionally, the World Health Organization concluded on the fact that about fifty-five percent of blind people have been provided with treatment. What about the blind people left? How do they feel? What do they see or not see? Will they live on the verge of loneliness and eradication of self-worth?

Well, after some research has been conducted, I am now convinced that the visually impaired are prone and very much exposed to isolation, and difficulty in cooking, reading, navigating, and other recreational activities which eventually leads to frustration, depression and anxiety.

In addition, the optic nerve is the part of the body (brain) that sends visual messages to the brain to aid sight. Majority of the vision-impaired people are suffering from cataracts or failure of the optic nerves. When the optic nerve fails to send messages to the brain, it leads to a complete blackout of the eye.

Moreover, I often question: Are scientists trying to hold a patient's sight? Yes, they are also working on the process of eliminating blindness, the only means they seem to be inquiring about is the use of stem cells which have been an option since the late ninety’s till this day, but no sign of improvement seems to be present.

Possibly in the future, I’ll love and opt to invent an optic nerve camera. Since the optic nerve fails to process information to the brain, the artificially programmed device will do the job of the natural nerves and aid sight.

The possible use of artificially programmed optic nerves has not been suspected, suggested, or even proposed by any scientist. For this reason, I would love to invent an optic nerve camera to encourage the blind and enable them to have hope in regaining their sight.

I want to make people happy and reduce the rate of depression and anxiety. The invention of this device will make them seem, feel, and become independent and also make use of their talents and reduce the rate of being a liability to their friends and family.

Most importantly, I aspire to invent the optic nerve camera because it will aid the sight of many people, it will enable them to show their potential and contribute to their nations, as well as the world’s development.

Furthermore, this can be achieved if I choose to study optics as a course in a tertiary institution and remain a focused scientist. I will develop the device and ensure it has no disadvantages or effects on the earth, body and environment.

In conclusion, if I am to invent something, it would be the optic nerve camera because it will take the grin off a lot of people’s faces, it will create hope for those who seem hopeless and show that, in a disability, there’s a hidden ability.