



## ***Inside the mind of the dog... (noble or ignoble?) and the satisfactory resolution of a case of Lyssin***

That the dog is 'man's best friend' is a delusion borne out in the materia medica profile of *Lac caninum* and the vernacular involving the use of the word 'dog' in every-day expression. When examined critically, there's no denying its fallen state, and this is consistent with Clarke's observation that the aetiology is: A/F a fall.

A deeper degenerative picture emerges in the materia medica of *Lyssin*, the nosode of the rabid dog, and its long-standing clinical history of success in restoring a variety of manic states.

The profile of *Lac lupinum*, on the other hand, is that of a noble, instinctive animal; resourceful, resilient, alert and living in harmony with its surroundings as the apex predator in its usual habitat.

We witness a shift, as expressed throughout the case in the patient's artwork, from the *Lyssin* picture through that of a *Lac lupinum* picture to that of *Lac humanum* when wholeness is restored, and the patient then has both a human mind and a human voice.

