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By the time of his fatal overdose at 18, he was a shadow of the date is Oct. 2, 2012. He was struck by how many athletes he saw at such a small facility. “Hockey, football, lacrosse,” he says, “[Heroin is] a big thing in sports.”

How big is difficult to say. “This should be on people’s research agenda,” Veliz says, lamenting the lack of because this is
Run your fingers through my soul.
Feel what I feel,
Believe what I believe,
Perceive as I perceive,
Look, experience, and for once;
Just once, understand.......
The drug twists your brain so fast, so quick, you don’t even know that you are slowly losing your soul....
Where do we go from here?

• Pain killers aren’t the devil.
• Educate yourself, your kids, and your athletes.
• Knowledge is power.
• Ask for a non-opioid pain medicine.
• Know the warning signs.
• Don’t judge and don’t think it can’t happen to you.
• If you suspect someone is addicted, talk to them and try to get them help.
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