Joey Rose’s life was hindered by the small annoyances that came with wearing glasses and contacts. “As a young child, I lost my glasses frequently. If they weren’t lost, they were bent or scratched. I had to wear clip-on sunglasses, which makes the glasses even heavier. They’re also easy to lose.” Contact lenses proved more problematic for Rose. “I suffered several eye infections because of eye allergies.”

At age 32, with 20/200 vision, and after considering corrective surgery for years, Rose decided to investigate LASIK surgery. “Corrective surgeries were a mystery to me. It seemed like a miracle that someone would be able to see perfectly without glasses or contacts.” Rose developed some questions while researching the surgery. “I was concerned with recovery time, success rate and the chance of vision regression.”

Rose found his answers when a former co-worker recommended John Conklin, MD, at UK Refractive Surgery Service. “I was happy with the consultation process. Dr. Conklin is very friendly and knowledgeable in his field. He and his staff made me feel comfortable every step of the way.”

Following the surgery, Rose’s life has changed dramatically. “I’m a lot more carefree now.” Eliminating the stress of glasses and contact lenses is an improvement he would recommend to others. “Consider the cost an investment in yourself. You won’t be sorry.”

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