

From: **Rachel Mastrogiacom** <truejoyhappens@gmail.com>
Date: Mon, Sep 16, 2024 at 10:31 AM
Subject: SCOOP
To: <matt.murray@washpost.com>

Mr. Murray,

When you were the editor-in-chief of *The Wall Street Journal*, you published an article by Matthew Schmitz, "[Stopping the Priests Who Prey on Adults](#)," which addressed my satanic ritual abuse at the hands of San Diego priest, Father Jacob Bertrand. The article called attention to how the felonious assault was covered up by then-Bishop Robert McElroy. Had it not been for your coverage of the rape and cover-up, I fear Father Bertrand might still be in ministry today and posing a threat to other women.

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Because Cardinal McElroy is rumored to replace Cardinal Wilton Gregory, I thought you might wish to break this story knowing how the Vatican does not want to repeat the mistake it made when they appointed "[maverick" Archbishop Diarmuid Martin to be the Archbishop of Dublin](#)". Instead of covering up the abuse he described during a "[60 Minutes" interview](#)", Martin released some [80,000 archdiocesan documents to the Murphy Commission](#) which revealed how his predecessors had been covering up sex abuse in Ireland for decades. As a result, Pope Francis, who himself was reported to have covered up thousands of [abuse cases in Argentina](#), never made Martin a Cardinal and learned to always replace a prelate who covers up abuse with someone who has a record of doing the same.

In light of the number of alleged predator priests like [Adam Park](#), [Carter Griffin](#), and others who are still in active ministry within the Washington Archdiocese, many religious journalists from around the country believe that McElroy who [covered up for the predator who raped me](#) will soon be sent to replace Gregory who has already submitted his resignation to the pope.

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Please let me know if you would like to report on our "Open Letter" video and the [over 150 predator bishops](#) and abusive priests like [Father Marko Rupnik](#) that Pope Francis refuses to discipline. If Lisa and I don't hear back from you soon, we will reach out to other media sources. You may wish to consider the impact the reporting of our story could have like the *Los Angeles Times* reported how Polish media sources were instrumental in halting the installation of complicit [Archbishop Stanisław Wielgus in Warsaw](#).

Sincerely,

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From: **Rachel Mastrogiacomo** <truejoyhappens@gmail.com>
Date: Thu, Sep 19, 2024 at 3:32 PM
Subject: SCOOP
To: <mrezendes@ap.org>

Dear Mr. Rezendes,

Lisa Roers was satanically ritually abused by a priest of the Omaha Archdiocese when she was 9-11 years old. I was satanically abused by a priest of the San Diego Diocese when I was 24 years old. While Lisa's abuse was covered up by Archbishops Elden Curtiss and George Lucas, my abuser was protected by then-Bishop Robert McElroy as reported in the [Wall Street Journal](#). Like abuse survivors from Oceania who recently wrote an "[Open Letter](#)" to Pope Francis, Lisa and I composed the following video containing our Open Letters which we have entitled, "[The Prayer of the Prey](#)." Although the video has not yet been made public, you can access it online at:

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The reason I am writing to you is because I learned that when you were on the Spotlight Team of *The Boston Globe*, you befriended the late [Richard Sipe whose 2016 report about ex-Cardinal Theodore McCarrick to then-Bishop Robert McElroy](#) was also dismissed as "unsubstantiated." If Richard Sipe were alive today, I think you would agree that he would be upset not only to learn that McElroy was made a cardinal, but that he is also being rumored to replace Cardinal Wilton Gregory in Washington or Cardinal Timothy Dolan in New York.

McElroy's transfer to either archdiocese makes sense when you consider how the Vatican does not want to repeat the mistake it made when they appointed "maverick" [Archbishop Diarmuid Martin](#) to be the Archbishop of Dublin. Instead of covering up the abuse he described during a "[60 Minutes](#)" [interview](#), Martin released some [80,000 chancery documents to the Murphy Commission](#) which revealed how his predecessors had been covering up sex abuse in Ireland for decades. As a result, Pope Francis, who himself was reported to have covered up numerous [abuse cases in Argentina](#), never made Martin a Cardinal and learned to always replace a prelate who covers up abuse with someone who has a record of doing the same.

Please let me know if you would like once again to address the sexual abuse and the cover-ups that Richard Sipe dedicated his life to exposing by writing about our "Open Letter" video and the over [150 predator bishops](#) and abusive priests like [Father Marko Rupnik](#) that Pope Francis refuses to discipline. If Lisa and I don't hear back from you, we will reach out to other media sources. Your editors may wish to consider the impact the reporting of our story could have like AP investigative journalists, Monika Scislowska and Maria Sanminiatelli, reported how the media were instrumental in halting the installation of complicit [Archbishop Stanisław Wielgus](#) in Warsaw.

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From: **Rachel Mastrogiacomo** <truejoyhappens@gmail.com>
Date: Tue, Sep 24, 2024 at 4:39 PM
Subject: OPEN LETTER VIDEO TO POPE FRANCIS
To: <Kpoole@nypost.com>

New York Post Editor-in-Chief

Dear Mr. Poole,

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From: **Rachel Mastrogiacomo** <truejoyhappens@gmail.com>
Date: Tue, Sep 24, 2024 at 4:41 PM
Subject: OPEN LETTER VIDEO TO POPE FRANCIS
To: <emma.tucker@wsj.com>

Dear Ms. Tucker,

The Wall Street Journal published an article by Matthew Schmitz, "Stopping the Priests Who Prey on Adults," which addressed my satanic ritual abuse at the hands of San Diego priest, Father Jacob Bertrand. The article called attention to how the felonious assault was covered up by then-Bishop Robert McElroy. Had it not been for WSJ's coverage of the rape and cover-up, I fear Father Bertrand might still be in ministry today and posing a threat to other women.

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From: **Rachel Mastrogiacomo** <truejoyhappens@gmail.com>
Date: Tue, Sep 24, 2024 at 4:44 PM
Subject: OPEN LETTER VIDEO TO POPE FRANCIS
To: <elizabeth.dias@nytimes.com>

Dear Ms. Dias,

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From: **Rachel Mastrogiacomo** <truejoyhappens@gmail.com>
Date: Tue, Sep 24, 2024 at 4:46 PM
Subject: OPEN LETTER VIDEO TO POPE FRANCIS
To: <cdolan@washingtontimes.com>

Dear Mr. Dolan,

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From: **Rachel Mastrogiacomo** <truejoyhappens@gmail.com>
Date: Thu, Sep 26, 2024 at 1:34 PM
Subject: ABUSE SURVIVORS OPEN LETTERS TO POPE FRANCIS
To: <chrisj@timesofsandiego.com>

Dear Mr. Jennewein,

In September of 2018, *The Wall Street Journal* (WSJ) published an article, "[Stopping the Priests Who Prey on Adults](#)," which addressed my satanic ritual abuse at the hands of San Diego priest, Father Jacob Bertrand. What many people unfamiliar with sexual assault fail to recognize is that covering up the crime revictimizes victims which is often far more painful and consequential than the actual abuse. What pains me years after I was abused is not only how then-Bishop Robert McElroy attempted to cover up my felonious criminal rape, but also how now-Cardinal McElroy's criminal omission was never reported. As you may know, "criminal omission" takes place when "someone fails to act when they have a legal duty to do so." McElroy, as Bertrand's supervisor, not only attempted to cover up the crime as reported by the *WSJ*, but he also may be guilty of "criminal omission" by returning Bertrand to ministry after he knew he admitted to having raped me.

I am only one of many women today whose abuse was - or continues to be - covered up by bishops whose criminal omissions go unreported. Lisa Roers, who grew up in Nebraska, was satanically ritually abused by a priest of the Omaha Archdiocese when she was 9-11 years old. Like my abuse that was covered up by McElroy, her abuse was covered up by Omaha Archbishops Elden Curtiss and George Lucas. When I shared with Lisa that McElroy may soon be moved from San Diego to either Washington, D.C. or New York, we decided to send an "Open Letter" video to Pope Francis that we invite you to cover like various U.S. and foreign media sources recently reported on an "[Open Letter](#)" to the pope from abuse survivors in Oceania.

Unlike Father Bertrand who was later removed from ministry, there are a number of alleged predator priests like [Monsignor John Paddack](#), [Monsignor Thomas Derivan](#), [Father Donald Timone](#), [Father George Sears](#), and others who have not been removed from ministry in the New York Archdiocese; as well as Washington priests like [Adam Park](#), [Carter Griffin](#), and others who remain in ministry despite being accused of abuse. Vatican officials do not want to repeat the mistake they made when they appointed "maverick" [Archbishop Diarmuid Martin](#) to be the Archbishop of Dublin. Instead of covering up the abuse he described during a "[60 Minutes](#)" interview, Martin released some [80,000 documents to the Murphy Commission](#) which revealed how his predecessors had been covering up sex abuse in Ireland for decades. As a result, Pope Francis, who himself was reported by French investigative journalist, Martin Boudot, to have covered up thousands of [abuse cases in Argentina](#), never made Archbishop Martin a Cardinal and learned to replace a prelate who covers up abuse with someone who has a record of doing the same. In light of the number of alleged predator priests who continue to pose a clear and present danger to minors and vulnerable adults in New York and Washington, it is understandable why McElroy is rumored as a replacement for Washington Cardinal Wilton Gregory or New York Cardinal Timothy Dolan.

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If you wish to help countless victims of clerical sexual abuse who continue to suffer emotionally, physically, psychologically, and spiritually, Lisa and I hope that you will report on our "Open Letter" and the [over 150 predator bishops](#) and countless predator priests like [Father Marko Rupnik](#) whom we mention in our video that Pope Francis refuses to discipline.

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