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# Failed Justice in Print

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The paper version of our online website for prisoners to see that we are here for them

## www.failedjustice.uk

# Welcome to Failed Justice in Print

This is the first edition of Failed Justice in print to let those in prison know they are not alone and to give them an idea of what we are doing to help them.



#### **Have YOUR Story Told.**

We have added an 'uploads' section to the website and an 'Our Stories' section.

So if you want your stories told then get your friend or relative to upload it onto the Failed Justice website and will consider it for inclusion.

Please note it is important that you and any accuser/s remain anonymous, and any description of people or places etc should not in turn identify who your accuser is as they have lifetime anonymity and for us or you to reveal who they are would land us all in court.

Failed Justice is a support site set up to help and support people who've been through and are going through false accusations of rape and sexual assault. We understand that being falsely accused of a sexual offence can have a devastating impact on your personal relationships and professional career, and life as a whole.

We provide the voice to many men & women who have had their whole lives ruined by false accusations and are left to rot in our jails up and down the country. We also campaign to improve the way innocent men are treated by the Police, Crown Prosecution Service and the Prison Service when they are falsely accused.

We want your story to be told. We believe that people accused of sexual offences should be afforded lifelong anonymity in the press and social media unless proven guilty — the same as their accusers. There should be far more prosecutions of the hundreds and possibly thousands of false sexual allegations that are deliberately and maliciously made against innocent people each year. The failure to prosecute these liars not only ruins the lives of innocent people, it undermines the credibility of all of the true allegations of rape.



Above is a screenshot of the website at time of writing.

We have a new easier to remember Domain Name: www.failedjustice.uk

Please tell your family and friends to update their favourites. The old domain name will automatically redirect to the new one.

## **Upcoming Protests and Marches**

IPP March on Parliament 28<sup>th</sup> March

#### IPP Prisoner's Demonstration & March

Release ALL Serving & Post Tariff IPP's March From Waterloo to Parliament then onto Ministry of Justice

## 23rd May 2018 **WE WILL NEVER GIVE UP**

Why we are protesting?

The situation is unsatisfactory for our IPP prisoners, and for other non-IPP likewise trapped by perceived risk because they have a disorder or intellectual disability or mental health issue. We face injustice: "Our voices will be heard in the UK for IPP prisoners and determinate sentence prisoners. We will be united -1000 +, chanting. We are protesting as one family; we are protesting for those who can't. We protest and will keep protesting because we believe in liberty, and justice for all. We will no longer be quiet. We have been tolerant for too long. http://ippfanilycampaign.blogspot.co.uk/

March for Anonymity 14<sup>th</sup> July



Plan for the day:

The first ever "March For Anonymity" - we will meet at Waterloo Train Station at 1pm, grab some lunch if you wish and get a chance to know each other. We will then march from Waterloo Train Station to outside Parliament on Parliament Square. After we have made our point, we will all head to a pub and have a

www.facebook.com/anonymitymovement/

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> April – Free the Innocent

## 'FREE THE INNOCENT'!

EASTER HOLY WEEK 'PROTEST-DEMO' MARCH Monday 2 APRIL 2018

Arrive - 12 noon, @ Green Park, Central London call at Buckingham Palace, \*

\* 10, Downing Street (London) SW1A 2AA,

\* DELIVER PETITION TO QUEEN & PRIME MINISTER
N.B. If you wish to go on this Holy Week Protest March, just turn up. Bring your own cross/piacard

(not abusive or inciting), warm clothing, waterproofs, good walking shoes and money!



Walkers should wear visibility tops (as the M.O.T. advises) and bring water bottles (public houses or garage and public toilets should be used). IMPORTANT: The march will be properly organised by responsible people that will ensure all permissions are obtained. No violence or abuse will be accepted (or promoted) and it is expected that a police escort will be provided. Please ensure that you follow the Highway Code and the organisers' and police advice.

#### 12<sup>th</sup> April Protest Against Injustice



Protest against systemic injustices. Issue with Family Court; that so little is based in actual evidence; children stolen from loving parents because of 'a risk of future harm'Parental alienation ignored, incongrous sentencing, institutional racism.

We meet in / outside the Adam and Eve Pub on Petty Franch at noon. SW1H 9EX. Nearest Underground; St James' Park (circle / district).



Charles Salvador (Charley Bronson to some of you) We know Charles has not and was not falsely accused of any sex offences but we thought he deseves a mention none the less.

Charles has now been in Prison 44 years and counting and it's about time the government released him.



There is a newsletter on the Failed Justice website and we encourage you to get all of your family, friends and supporters to sign up to it as it is sent out every month and they are

able to print it and therefore send it in to you.

Also under Archives on the site your friends and family are able to access all the previous newsletters that have been sent out, print them and send them into you so there is no need to miss anything.



## Petition to protect the innocent

We have been running a petition on the Failed Justice website to "Introduce legislation to protect victims of false allegations" Introduce or amend laws which properly protect innocent people from the damage caused by being falsely accused of committing a crime including some or all of these:

- Enforce 'Innocent until proved guilty'
- A statute of limitations should be introduced to forbid prosecutors from charging someone with a crime that was alleged to have taken place more than five years ago where the only evidence of the crime is someone's word. (In the case of the alleged victim being a child, they should have up to age 21 to make their allegation.)
- Convictions should be quashed if there is 'lurking doubt' of the appellant's guilt.
- Make it illegal to change the nature of any charges after the trial has begun.
- Juries' deliberations should be audio/video recorded .
- Financial compensation for alleged victims of sexual offences should be replaced with
  free counselling and other mental help unless there is absolute corroboration (video or
  photographic evidence of abuse, DNA from semen on the victim on his/her clothing if
  the victim is underage, etc.)



#### Results so far on Poll

We recently started a poll on the site asking "Should people accused of sexual offences have anonymity until proven guilty"

The results as you can see so far are:

YES 92% NOT SURE 5% NO 4%

It is worth mentioning that one of the "Not Sure" votes was because they were not happy with the wording 'until proven guilty' and some people won't vote because of this. Should people accused of sexual offences have anonymity until proven guilty?

Yes (91%, 52 Votes)

Not Sure (5%, 3 Votes)

No (4%, 2 Votes)

Total Voters: 57

Screenshot of Poll currently running on the site.

#### Justice Committee Inquiry - A chance to have your say.

The Justice Committee launches an inquiry into the disclosure of evidence in criminal cases. The Committee welcomes your written evidence. Please note that the Committee may not investigate or intervene in individual cases. Submissions may make reference to individual cases for illustrative purposes, provided they are not the subject of legal proceedings currently before UK courts.



If you wish to make a submission please get your family or friends to visit the link on our site.

Have you been falsely accused of rape or another serious sexual offence. Have you been 'framed' by a malicious lie? Has this happened to someone you love or care about? If so, then you are a victim of one of the growing social injustices of our time.

Ask to join the acused.me.uk closed (private) Facebook Group where you can meet people like you.

accused.me.uk will support anyone who knows themselves to be innocent of the accusations they face for as long as they maintain their innocence.



If you're not sure about the law on consent, then you should be. See guidance from the Family Planning Association and the Crown Prosecution Service. This site is not for people who were unclear about consent, it's for people who've been framed..

The new website supporting the cause of people who've been through and are going through false accusations of rape and sexual assault.

#### www.failedjustice.uk

The site aims to bring people together to highlight to the British public the sheer numbers of innocent people in our nations prisons, and of the injustice and inequalities embedded within the British justice system and to campaign for change. YOU ARE NOT ALONE. We are here to help Prisoners are encouraged to share this website with their family and friends and encourage them to participate & seek support.



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The flyer on the left is for you cut out photocopy and distribute to friends, family and fellow prisoners.



Don't suffer in silence - You are NOT alone