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Sunday, July 25, 2010

## The original story that caused a sensation



Well I have to thank JAMES M. ODATO at the Capitol Bureau of the Times Union. His story published today [Secret mission: A child](#) basically confirmed and validated everything I have written about Gaelen. Whose name can now be spoken and I am now free to release the damning transcript of Barbara Jeske's in her deposition in the Rick Ross case. As it shows (a) Pam Nichols made a material misrepresentation in her June 26th letter to me or (b) Barbara Jeske perjured herself in the Ross case.

- > Starts on page 100 - questioning by Harold Kofman:
- >
- > Q The next piece of material refers to
- > postings -- that is feedback from people whose
- > family and friends joined ESP?
- > A That's the sentence.
- > Q Is there anything on here that refers
- > to either the articles written by Dr. Martin or
- > Dr. Hochman?
- > A I don't see them on here.
- > Q Page four, about two-thirds of the
- > way up, there is a sentence that said, "For those
- > of you who don't know, Keefe currently houses the
- > youngest Espian member, a five-month-old. He
- > lives with Keefe because she lives near Keith, and
- > he can drop by and work with Gayland any time."
- > To what does that refer?
- > MR. McGUIRE: If you know.
- > A I am actually not certain.
- > Q Do you have an idea as to what it
- > refers to?
- > A Well, there is a child named Gayland.
- > Q Whose child is that?
- > A Actually, the child was an adopted child.
- > Q Who adopted the child?
- > A I am not sure.
- > Q A NXIVM member?
- > A You know, I am not sure about it.
- > Q Was it Ms. Keefe?
- > A No.
- > Q And are you aware that Keith is
- > instructing the child?
- > A No, I'm not aware of that. I know that --
- > at this time it seems that the child is being

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> at this time it seems that the child is being  
> instructed by a whole number of people.  
> Q All NXIVM people?  
> A No.  
> Q Who are the whole number of people  
> that are instructing the child?  
> MR. MCGUIRE: If you know.  
> A I don't know. I don't know their names.  
> Q Do you know any of them?  
> A No.  
> Q How do you know about this child?  
> A Actually that's personal information.  
> Q That's not a reason not to answer.  
> How do you know about this child?  
> A I found out about the child from a friend  
> of mine from the distant past.  
> Q Who adopted the child?  
> MR. MCGUIRE: If you know?  
> A I don't know.  
> Q Is the child still living with Ms.  
> Keefe to the best of your knowledge?  
> MR. MCGUIRE: I notice you object to  
> questions I have asked of a personal nature, but  
> yet you are asking the same type of questions.  
> MR. KOFMAN: Apples and oranges,  
> Bill.  
> MR. LEONARD: I think it's way more  
> personal than the questions your colleague, Mr.  
> Sylvester, objected to.  
> MR. MCGUIRE: I don't think there's  
> any doubt about it.  
> MR. KOFMAN: Nonsense.  
> MR. MCGUIRE: If you want to pursue  
> it, go ahead.  
> Q Does this child live with Kristin  
> Keefe?  
> A I don't know.  
> Q Was there ever a point where Keith  
> Raniere was instructing a five-month-old child?  
> A I have no idea.  
> Q Did you ever hear that before from  
> anyplace other than this e-mail?  
> A No, I haven't.  
> Q The only time you've ever heard of  
> Keith instructing a child was in this e-mail?  
> A I just said that.  
> Q Did you ever ask anybody what this  
> meant?  
> A No.

I also feel secure in re-publishing the original story minus the child's address.

Although in retrospect it now appears that a few items and details were incorrect the vast majority was correct. I was also the first to publicly write about Gailen and the first to break the story on the Dali Lama and the seedy way he was convinced to visit Albany.

**Sunday, June 20, 2010**

*The Keith Raniere's NXIVM Golden Child Gailen ; The Untold Story*

*Well I must say Keith Raniere Vanguard" founder of NXIVM has come along way from the two bit indicted con man who ran Consumers Buylines, a multilevel marketing scam. When the New York attorney general filed a civil suit alleging Consumers Buylines was a pyramid scheme. Raniere settled the case for \$40,000, of which he has paid only \$9,000. Back then in 1993 he claimed he was dead broke as were his investors who lost millions. What a deference 17 years makes. You just can't keep a mega maniac conman down. Far from being the slightest bit deterred he found some new fish to fry and started capitalizing on "White guilt" syndrome. Quickly he hit the big time when the Bronfman sisters fell under his spell in 2002. A master manipulator he was able to play on the obsessed quilt ridden sisters who had never worked a day in their lives and convince them that the only way to purge their conscience of all the negative energy of their inherited wealth was to give him carte blanche over a couple of hundred mil. It was off to the races, as he pissed away millions, racked up lawsuits, destroyed people lives and tired to cause as much global mayhem as one little tin pot con man with a couple of sugar mommas can. But he had one little con, he had thus far been unable to run. Testing some of his theories on children. Raniere himself has been said to be suffer from sterility and is unable to father a child of his own and most of his inner cycle wasn't to keen to rent their wombs for some child experimentation. Raniere himself believed it would be better if the child formed a bond with multiple women all of whom would have no biological attachment to the child. This might be able to mitigate some of the more strong protective instincts of the women if his training became harsh.*

*In 2006 Raniere founded the Rainbow Cultural Gardens which he promoted as a revolutionary child development program promoting children's cultural, linguistic, emotional, physical and problem-solving potential. Now he needed someone to test his theories on. Raniere had boatloads of money, a team of lawyers that would crush any opposition and he soon found a suitable child. It is alleged a poor woman in the Midwest was convinced by Raniere's associates, that he could give this child everything this poor mother could not. I want to make this clear this woman did not sell her baby which I believe that in the shit storm that is coming that will be the claim of Raniere. Who is the real and has sexual custody is still a matter of doubt. They*

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is coming that will be the claim of Raniere, who in the end has actual custody is still a matter of doubt. They always speak in the plural. We adopted the baby, we are raising the baby. A nursery was prepared in at xxxxxx townhouse in Clifton Park whose principle occupant was Vanguard loyalist Barbara Jeske who among other hats has been a P.R. Representative for NXIVM. The baby was named Gailen a name of Greek origin that means calm. Raniere picked it out himself. The baby was diapered in gDiapers which are described as earth friendly diapers and a great alternative to disposable diapers. This was to be the world s first eco-friendly, completely organically raised child.

But Raniere was absolutely convinced that for the child to become multilingual and a proper marketing tool, he most not have a strong attachment to any one women. Now I m not a psychologists, in fact people have told be that I suffer from Irish syndrome in which Sigmund Freud wrote "This is one race of people for whom psychoanalysis is of no use whatsoever. BUT this seems to be a recurring theme here. Raniere and the Bronfman sisters all seemed to not to have had much attachment to their mothers and since they believe they are the worlds most perfectly adjusted people, children really don t need a close bond with mothers. The baby was given 5 nannies each of a different cultural background. Each on a strict schedule and ordered to only speak to the child in their native language.

In order to keep the baby on his toes he has been moved to the home of Kristen Keffe. Keffe is a another loyalist who became an important mole for Raniere in Albany County DA David Soares office where she was able to place damning info the DA s case files on Joseph O Hara, a former adviser turned arch enemy of Raniere which led Albany County prosecutors to file charges he bilked thousands of dollars from a foundation affiliated with the Raniere . When her role in this was discovered she was fired and the charges quietly dropped against O Hara. Not much of a role model to teach the kid about ethics.

Gailen is also kept in almost total isolation from anyone outside the group and has no contact with other children. All of this brings us back to the ultimate goal of this experiment . The Rainbow Cultural Garden project. Raniere plans to roll this child out on its fifth birthday (he is three and a half now) like a new car model to be a marketing tool for a new method of pre school education. Raniere plans to charge tuition of up to a 100 grand a year to enroll the children of the worlds elites in his new educational program, promising similar results to Gailen . A hopefully multilingual educated 5 year old, devoid of any childlike attributes or characteristics and wise beyond his years. Unburdened by any close personal attachments or empathy for other children that might burden his capacity to problem solve or make ethical judgments.

Raniere calls himself a scientist, mathematician, philosopher, entrepreneur, educator, inventor and author. I call him something else EVIL.

Hello Saratoga County protective services anyone home?

I have also been receiving a lot of anonymous threats again and have had one disturbing incident at home. I m not some little girl you can bully Vanguard and your henchman like ROMBOM, your Mossad hit man thug make me laugh. I've done some adopting myself. Meet Bruno former unemployed DEA police dog who lost his job for being unstable . Bruno is newest member of the Saratoga in Decline Staff. He knows the command kill in five languages too.

I hate to give you bad news Raniere, but the TU is only the first in long line of stories in multiple publications coming out about you, NXIVM, Gailen and the **Secrets of the Saffron Robe**©

Posted by [Ego lives on](#) at 3:21 PM

Labels: [LAWI DANIERE](#), [NXIVM](#), [vanguard](#)

#### 19 comments:

**Anonymous said...**

The link from times union doesn't seem to be working. But otherwise...god bless you for doing this John. !!!!

[July 25, 2013 at 2:58 PM](#)



**Ego lives on said...**

The link will hopefully be working tomorrow. I wrote the story today and was anxious to get it up. Sorry if it causes any confusion.

[July 25, 2013 at 3:03 PM](#)

**Anonymous said...**

John,

you should be writing for TIME magazine.

Very good pictures and very entertaining articles. Please please please don't stop writing about this crazy group that caused so much pain to so many innocent people.

you are the best

[July 25, 2013 at 3:11 PM](#)

**Legal Eagle said...**

Gayland? Is that the kid's name or was it just a stenographer's error??

Please tell me it's not his name. The poor kid has enough going against him with the nuts brainwashing him from Day One, but he also has to go on in life named Gayland?

But to JT's point: Yes, there is a discrepancy between this testimony and what the Albany lawyer represented regarding "whose" child this is.

Someone is not telling the truth. Whichever one that is in a whole heap of trouble.

Time for some billboards and lawn signs:

NXIVM is a Cult!  
Rescue the Child!

[July 25, 2013 at 3:26 PM](#)

**Anonymous said...**

I wish there was a way to organize a free speech rally to rescue that poor kid or to get some real local attention to do something about this group.

They give Saratoga a bad name.

[Jun 25, 2017 at 4:04 PM](#)

**I smell bull shit said...**

NXIVM ethics at work....

Here is testimony from Prefect (Nancy Salzman) during a deposition hearing in one of their many prior legal tussles:

21 Q. Did you ever tell anybody that you had a master's

22 degree.

23 A. (Pause)

24 Q. It's a yes or no.

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1 A. I did.

2 Q. Who did you tell?

3 A. I wanted to take a course that I couldn't get into

4 without a master's degree, and so I told the people

5 who ran the course that I had a master's degree.

6 Q. Did you ever tell any of the companies that you were

7 soliciting for Executive Placement or these other

8 corporations that you had a master's degree?

9 MS. CANGILOS-RUIZ: Objection.

10 MR. RUDIN: What basis?

11 MS. CANGILOS-RUIZ: I think is -- again,

12 are we talking about 725 issues?

13 MR. RUDIN: It goes to credibility. I can

14 ask questions on credibility. It's discovery.

15 MS. CANGILOS-RUIZ: Go ahead. My

16 objection is noted for the record.

17 A. I told the company that offered the course that I

18 had a master's degree to take the course.

19 Q. Who was the company that offered the course?

20 A. I don't remember. It was many years ago.

21 Q. Did you ever tell anyone at Con Edison when you were

22 trying to get a contract out of them for doing some

23 services that you had a master's degree?

24 MS. CANGILOS-RUIZ: Objection. Same

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1 objection.

2 THE WITNESS: Do I have to answer it?

3 MS. CANGILOS-RUIZ: Yes.

4 A. Not directly.

So, here is the woman who hold all of this marvelous "technology" , which includes as its mission bringing about a new Ethical World Order, telling LIES about her educational credentials!

OK, you NXIANS. When do you see the light here?

I'll see YOU at V-Week!

[Jun 25, 2017 at 4:55 PM](#)

**Anonymous said...**

Let me get this straight.

The backbone of this group is ethics and their number 1 public face and number 2 private face is lying about having credentials that she doesn't have ...hmmmmmmmmmm....

So how are we to believe the claims made by this group if their top level people are lying about their educational background....

Maybe raniere didn't accomplish all those things that he claims he did

What else did Salzman b.s. about.....

so lets get it straight. You have a group that charges people millions of dollars for seminars in how to be a better person, business man, honest, ethical and the top teacher of such educational organization is lying about having a masters degree.

That's equivalent to signing up to karate school with a teacher that lied about having a blackbelt or like taking flying courses from someone who lied about being a pilot.

sounds like this nxivm group is full of shit. Just when I was ready to sign up for V week.

p.s. someone should let salzman know that giving your daughter to raniere to sleep with isn't the best thing in the world for you or her and remember when shit hits the fan it will be your ass not raniere's or the bronfmans but salzmans all the way.

[July 25, 2010 at 3:15 PM](#)

**Anonymous said...**

So this poor child lives with Kristin Keefe,

it's not the same Kristin Keefe that pretended to be in need of deprogramming and wanted to throw Rick Ross out of a boat ??

Is it the same Kristin Keefe who pretends to be a lawyer but who is really a bar tender ?

It can't be the same Kristin Keefe that got a job at the DA's office and planted documents to get O'hara arrested.

This is the one that is being a mom to this child...

if it is then we are all in deep shit !

[July 25, 2010 at 3:28 PM](#)

**You think we're joking about those assassins? said...**

"If you had to kill somebody, and it is for the betterment of the family, it would be OK."

- Keith Raniere

(according to the former NXIVM insider who was Raniere's live-in girlfriend; as part of the court record below):

p. 33, lines 18 and 19

Transcript of hearing before Judge Falk regarding NXIVM v. Ross January 9, 2007

If you want more eye openers, read the whole thing:

<http://www.rickross.com/reference/esp/esp60.pdf>

- bribes of bank officials to retrieve personal bank acct info

- buying trash from building janitors to go thru critics' mail

- hiring actresses to pose as a cult member's mother, pretending to seek an intervention. But in reality, it's just a ruse to find out "how much does this guy know about nxivm" in the middle of a lawsuit against him!

[July 25, 2010 at 5:49 PM](#)

**Anonymous said...**

after reading <http://www.rickross.com/reference/esp/esp60.pdf>

I cannot imagine the feds have not put an end to this group.

These are some very very very dangerous and demented individuals in this group.

secret agents, investigators, actresses, this could be a frickin movie.

I think this vanfraud character is a real loser.

[July 25, 2010 at 7:25 PM](#)

**Anonymous said...**

John,

Just one suggestion: I don't think it's an "either/or" with respect to BJarbara Jeske and Pam Nichols. 'Cause isn't it entirely plausible that Jeske perjured herself and Nelson made a material misrepresentation in her letter to you?

[July 25, 2010 at 8:59 PM](#)

**Whatcha Gonna Do When They Come For You... said...**

For this reason God sends them a powerful delusion so that they will believe the lie.

2 Thessalonians 2: 11

OH. MY. GOD. Nurse Nancy does not have a Master's degree. only B.S.??? Wow- She must really worship Valuable VanGod (from this day forward to be known as "V-squared") in order to lie for him as well as sign her name on significant legal documents for the man/god. Talk about taking the hit for someone you value- either that or she knows too much and is very afraid of him.

It has been passed down from generation after generation of new students to nexium, he "gave" all his intellectual material to her as a "gift"- so generous and noble. (like God giving Moses the 10 Commandments?). It makes sense now why he would.

He probably spoonfed her and the inner circle the idea that people would be coming after him in the future because he is noble and suppressives cannot stand seeing good things in the world.

Brilliant set-up which it appears many have swallowed. Speaking of swallowing, is there a special secret sash for that?

[July 25, 2010 at 9:46 PM](#)

**Anonymous said...**

Just finished reading the TU story on Gaelen and have one comment: Taking the girl out of the cult is apparently a whole lot easier than taking the cult out of the girl. What else would explain why Bouchey is so fucking complimentary about Rainbow Cultural Gardens?

[July 25, 2010 at 10:13 PM](#)

Anonymous said...

Raniere doesn't do gifts.

His trick is to promise something in the future from his end and get people to do something in the present on their end. that way he gets something for nothing and gets to make lots of promises without actually doing shit.

Lot's of promises without any performance is his trick and he does it over and over and over again.

Just like promising to pay people for the debt he incurred and then burning them down the road. I.E. promising barbara bouchez to pay her for the the commodity loses and then never paying her back for them and throwing her under the bus when she wanted to collect what was owed to her.

[July 26, 2017 at 1:52 AM](#)

[Christi Hovey](#) said...



Saw the TU article, good for you. However, I was unable to find the NY Post article online. See you at the Pool.

[July 26, 2017 at 4:53 AM](#)



[Mark Rowe III](#) said...

The link  
Secret mission: A child  
is working

[July 26, 2017 at 3:10 AM](#)

Anonymous said...

Will coffey let his low level associate Nichols take the fall for him?

[July 26, 2017 at 4:38 AM](#)

[Becca](#) said...



John? Are you saying at the very top of the page, in the Q and A section, that Jeske is giving the answers? That would be crazy bc she told me she adopted that little boy. In fact, she told the entire story at a Jness intro gathering at New World Cooking in Saugerties, NY.

[September 9, 2017 at 7:43 PM](#)



[Ben Evans III](#) said...

Yes Becca it would appear that Barbara Jeske perjured herself in court or is just a liar. neither one is pretty.

[September 9, 2017 at 8:29 PM](#)

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