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Rev. Edward Kaicher St. Peter's Catholic Community 450 S. Stagecoach Lane, Fallbrook

Oct. 6, 2007

Dear Father Bud,

Feeling "safe" as I walked across the street in the cross walk, the semi-truck came out of nowhere traveling over 75mph not even slowing as it hit me exploding my body into a million tiny pieces! I stood on the curb watching in complete horror as my life crumbled into a million tiny pieces. The agonizing truth, shut out for decades, revealing unthinkable memories ... it made **no** sense, then it made **complete** sense... my fear of men, my fear of priests and an overall **life-long**, **deep-seeded feeling of** "being bad."

The shock, pain and trauma of being molested by "Father" Sheridan sent my emotional state and life into crisis! Depression, anxiety, fatigue, mood swings and using alcohol as pain relief devastated my family. Not being able to communicate and detaching myself from extended family and friends cost me relationships. Being unable to concentrate, make decisions, think clearly and effectively work took its toll and my business suffered great losses. For the first time in my life, I honestly understand why and could relate to someone wanting to commit suicide. It was an option!

My life was shattered! I desperately searched to **reach the pain** to achieve healing ... therapy every two weeks, doctor, nutritionist and "Healing Room" visits, medications for depression, deep muscle message, vitamins, prayers, books, healing masses, week-end retreats, a few visits to you and even a visit to Bishop Brom.

I'm sorry to share with you Father Bud, my church deeply wounded me first as an innocent child and now as a traumatized adult.

Our diocese has repeatedly professed in the bulletin, newspaper and web-site that it reaches out to the victims. Our diocese's Policy on Sexual Abuse on page 5 under "Responding to Sexual Abuse" reads:

Reaching out with pastoral concern and care to victims of sexual abuse and their families to foster healing and reconciliation

As a sexual abuse survivor of a "priest", I found the above NOT true!

January 2006 - I reported sexual abuse by Sheridan to Bishop Brom. Exposing it took all the courage I ever had!

The "response" I received was: (see attached letters)

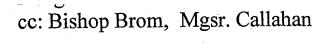
April 4, 2006 - <u>denied</u> payment for massage therapy and nutritionist April 11, 2006 - <u>denied</u> payment again and offered 52 hours treatment Jan. 30, 2007 - informing me the 52 hours treatment <u>ends</u> Feb. '07

3 pieces of paper and 52 hours of counseling ...that is the "pastoral concern and care to victims?" No phone calls, no notes of care or encouragement, nothing! Father Bud, the help provided to me, a then active Eucharistic Minister and Children's Liturgist, was a disgrace!

As I continue to piece my life back together bit by bit, the Lord continues to re-assure me He will restore what the locus has eaten. It is heartbreaking to me that the locus was my own church, twice over.

I'm writing this letter to let you know what my experience has been over the past two years since my childhood nightmares were regained. I found that being a sexual abuse survivor of a priest is like being a leper of this day and age. I've shared my story with many priests, strong prayer warriors and with family ... unfortunately most have cast it aside as the ugly scars are too painful to be near. My prayer is that you, Father Bud, be of witness to the truth of our church's response.

With Love and Respect to You,









April 4, 2006

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Vicar General

SHERIDAN-RCBSD 0203

Bishop Robert H. Brom Pastoral Center P.O. Box 85728 San Diego, CA 92186-5728

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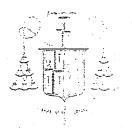
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Sheridan Survivor

cc: Msgr. Steve Callahan





Office of the Bishop

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Easter blessings!

Sincerely in our Lord,

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SHERIDAN-RCBSD 0205

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Office of the Vicar General

Dear

January 30, 2007

I write to acknowledge receiving your request dated January 27, 2007 for reimbursement for counseling expenses in the amount of \$1,190. You should receive a check in the mail soon.

Including this reimbursement, the diocese has paid for counseling sessions as follows:

3/1/2005 through 4/1/2006	\$2,840.00
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SHERIDAN-RCBSD 0207



Msgr. Steve Callahan Vicar-General Pastoral Center P.O. Box 85728 San Diego, CA 92186-5728

January 27, 2007

Msgr. Callahan,

Enclosed you will find a report of my expenses for counselor

Thank you,



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1/27/2007

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1/19/2007

1/26/2007

9/17/2006 - 1/27/2007

Msgr. Steve Callahan Vicar-General Pastoral Center P.O. Box 85728 San Diego, CA 92186-5728

September 16, 2006

Msgr. Callahan,

Enclosed you will find an itemized report of my expenses for counselors Alysa Boucher and

Thank you,

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6/10/2006	Union Bank	7238				С	-155.00
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7/22/2006	Union Bank	7312				C	-150.00
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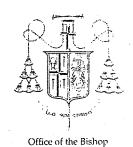




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Msgr. Steve Callahan Vicar-General Pastoral Center P.O. Box 85728 San Diego, CA 92186-5728

April 2, 2006

Dear Msgr. Callahan,

Enclosed you will find an itemized report of my expenses. Included are counseling, recommended nutrition and massage therapy sessions.

If you have any questions, please call me at 760-728-7333.

Sincerely Yours,

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02-01-2006

BALANCE: \$.00

ACCOUNT NUMBER: 1000-2731

LAST CLAIM:

LAST PAYMENT: 02-01-2006

Date	Description	Code	Charge	Credit	Adjust	Balance	
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01-18-2006	LabCorp Blood Panel		165.00	.00	.00	165.00	
01-18-2006	Office Visit		85.00	.00	.00	250.00	
01-18-2006	PT CK 7033		.00	250.00	.00	.00	
02-01-2006	UltraInFlamX	1 to 1	58.00	.00	.00	58.00	
02-01-2006	Traumeel	•	20.00	.00	.00	78.00	•
02-01-2006	Multigenics IC	•	37.00	.00	.00	115.00	
02-01-2006	EPA/DHA 720		52.00	.00	.00	167.00	
02-01-2006	MagGlycinate		20.00	.00	.00	187.00	
02-01-2006	UltraPotent C		36.00	.00	.00	223.00	
02-01-2006	Hemagenics		15.00	.00	.00	238.00	
02-01-2006	Intrinsi B12		19.00	.00	.00	257.00	
02-01-2006	Discount		.00	.00	26.00	231.00	
02-01-2006	Office Visit		225.00	.00	.00	456.00	
02-01-2006	PT CK 7056		.00	456.00	.00	.00	
	TOTALS		732.00	706.00	26.00		

For proper credit, please enclose this portion with your payment.

BALANCE: \$.00
PAY THIS AMOUNT:
AMOUNT ENCLOSED:

Please fill in blank.

DATE DUE: On Receipt

THANK YOU.

Gregory H. Ward, D.C., M.S. 933 Vale Terr Ste C Vista, CA 92084-5213

ACCOUNT NUMBER: 1000-2731

### Itemized Categories 3/1/2005 through 4/1/2006

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4/8/2005	Union Bank	6650			С	-110.00
4/28/2005	Union Bank	6692			С	-125.00
5/21/2005	Union Bank	6720			С	-135.00
6/4/2005	Union Bank	6737			С	-150.00
6/17/2005	Union Bank	6755			C·	-115.00
7/30/2005	Union Bank	6824			С	-120.00
8/20/2005	Union Bank	6861			С	-150.00
9/6/2005	Union Bank	6882			С	-140.00
9/29/2005	Union Bank	6905			С	-170.00
10/14/2005	Union Bank	6927			С	-135.00
10/26/2005	Union Bank	6939			С	-150.00
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12/20/2005	Union Bank	7001			C	-130.00
1/14/2006	Union Bank	7027			С	-135.00
1/28/2006	Union Bank	7050			С.	-120.00
2/11/2006	Union Bank	7071			С	-130.00
3/4/2006	Union Bank	7102			C	-150.00
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	3/31/2005	Union Bank	6655				С	-65.00
	4/11/2005	Union Bank	6661				С	-65.00
	4/18/2005		6685				C	-65.00
	4/25/2005	Union Bank	6703				С	-65.00
	5/5/2005	Union Bank	6707				c	-65.00
	5/9/2005	Union Bank					C	-65.00
	5/16/2005	Union Bank	6715				C	-65.00
	5/16/2005	Union Bank	6716				C	-81.00
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	9/8/2005	Union Bank	6883				C	-90.00 -65.00
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	10/31/2005	Union Bank	6941				С	-95.00
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	11/23/2005	Union Bank	6958				С	-95.00
	12/5/2005	Union Bank	6979				С	-95.00
	12/14/2005	Union Bank	6992				С	-65.00
	12/20/2005	Union Bank	6998				C	-95.00
	1/8/2006	Union Bank	7015				С.	-65.00
	1/19/2006	Union Bank	7036				С	-95.00
	1/23/2006	Union Bank	7043				С	-95.00
	1/30/2006	Union Bank	7051				C	-95.00
	2/8/2006	Union Bank	7066				C	-95.00
	3/6/2006	Union Bank	7107				С	-95.00
	3/15/2006	Union Bank	7114				С	-95.00
	3/15/2006	Union Bank	7115				С	-36.00
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#### **MEMORANDUM**

Date:

December 7, 2006

To:

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From:

Monsignor Steven Callahan

Subject:

Allegation against Monsignor Gregory Sheridan

A letter was received yesterday from . , the mother of , alleging that Msgr. Gregory Sheridan molested when she was in the 3<sup>rd</sup> grade at St. Jude Academy, around the year 1960.

I called today at and spoke by phone with her and I offered the opportunity to meet with me and the opportunity for counseling provided by the diocese. She declined both offers. I gave her my name and phone number and told her to call me at anytime in the future should she desire further assistance.



Today I would have seen the signs, and know something was very wrong She evould cry and bry, and beg not to go to school. I worked at Paa. Bell, nights so I Could bring her to school They Mother lived with us, and took case of my laughter She was so afrails of school and I didn't know why .. Father Francis Sheridan, I found out would always come to the house at nights. My Mother was so religious she believe this man was such a good person. Come to find out from who remembers all of what I am about to write down. Just all of a sudden hearing about Priests on IV, something clicked, and released in her mink, made her remember, everything. is now you old and has always been afraid of someone touching her. She remembers that Father Speridon holding her on one leg, and in his lap. He would Osk my Mother for coffee! Therefore she had to leave the room. He Father Sheridan would Touch her 000222 thighs and fondle her inder her dress.

Then he would kiss her on the mouth constantly, while my mother was out of the room she hatted thus. We do not kiss our children on the mouth, only on the cheeks. Dear God how could someone in his role do this? Told her Grand Mother she didn't want to come out when Father sheridan came over. My Mother told her okay, to stay in her room. With not being there, he kept coming but he religed she was not there, he quit coming hank tod!

Then he would bollow her at school, even if he had all the children with him. She evould try to stay in a crowd so he couldn't get near her. Con you imagine a little girl so scared?? She would go to the restroom after recess and he'd he there, she was seared so she hand he there, she was seared so she ran ovet, she was terrified to even go to the restroom, Remember this is a child, not a grown-up or a woman, who could defend themselves againt this deranged person.

Breause of that Priest Sheridan scaring her, she was so afraid to go to school. She was sick all the and she would miss school, bee was held back a way this was Hods way, a blessing, because I put her bou school. If only she she had I would have crusified - that friest Sheridan. I want this validated, and put into the records at the Diocese Wherever you peep seconds I'm sure there's eant deserve to be a This notice will be notorized so that its on record I also made a cop



State of California County of San Diego

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on

Personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) who appeared before me.

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