

Catholic Deacon Reinstated after Acquittal

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A Deacon at the Diocese of Amarillo has been reinstated after being acquitted on criminal charges.

The Diocese tells us back in 2002 allegations of sexual abuse with a minor were brought against Deacon Jesse Guerrero.

Jesse Guerrero, 54, Deacon at San Jose Church in Hereford and Youth Director for the Diocese from 1994 until 1999, was removed in 2002. Guerrero was ordained in April 1989 and had been at the church since then.

Guerrero was put on administrative leave, until he was acquitted.

He is now working as a Chaplain for the Neal and Clements unit.