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Dear Anderson Cooper,

I am aware of your show on the Church of Scientology based on allegations made by a few ...

I wanted to take the time to give you the other side of the story.

I worked in the Sea Organization for 12 years, right after high school. I worked at Golden Era Productions, RTC, the Los Angeles and Florida locations. The Int base was an extremely safe and pleasant environment to work in. We had nice offices and quarters, good food and great parties on the holidays and other occasions.

I stopped working in the Sea Organization about 2 years ago.... I started a different life style.

I personally worked with and around David Miscavige for approximately 3 years... He wanted people and the Church to do well and did everything he could to make that so.

I can tell you that after working in the Sea Org and now in the professional world, the amount of professionalism both in the work environment and the way things were set up to get products out in the Sea Org far surpass anything I have seen outside of the Church. David Miscavige and a team of others had personal involvement in establishing the various production units in the Church, which are a standard others only dream of having.

I worked with Marty Rathbun for about 2 years. For a period of time, I worked with him very intensively. He is a different kettle of fish. He has a very dominating personality and wasn't a very nice guy to work for. He was a superior who made you feel very cowardly and no matter what, you were doing wrong. Marty was a professional at making people feel bad and guilty of things.

Amy Scobee was similar to Marty. That woman could yell. Rude would be a nice way of explaining her personality. She is one of those people who thinks the world of herself and little of anyone else.

I just don't think she cares about too many people besides herself. She too is the dominating type who would scare people. I don't exactly know what she is claiming happened to her, but I can tell you I spent about 3 years working around her and never saw anything happen to her. On the other hand, I can tell you that she would try and get involved with married men. She was definitely the flirtatious type, despite the fact that when I knew her she was married.

I will also tell you that I did the Rehabilitation Project Force. I thought it was a great program. We studied for some hours each day and then would counsel each other and do some sort of woodwork, kitchen work or something like that. Doing some good hard work helps your morale and makes you feel good. Again, on the RPF I never saw anything even close to violence, manhandling or anything of the sort. I finished the RPF program and then continued in the Sea Org.

Because I worked in the Sea Org for as long as I did, I have an easy time in the workaday world. I am competent, relied on and get my job done. I am successful and know how to operate in a challenging environment. Living in this world is not always a walk in the park, but I am prepared for what comes my way.

I hope that gives you the other side of the story.

Thank you.

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