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IN THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR
UTAH COUNTY, STATE OF UTAH - AMERICAN FORK DEPARTMENT

STATE OF UTAH, Plaintiff, vs. DAVID LEE HAMBLIN, Defendant.	NOTICE OF LODGING Case No. 121101477 Judge Christine Johnson
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COMES NOW Defendant, through counsel, Michael D. Esplin, and gives notice that the following documentation has been filed with the Court:

Reference letters on behalf of Defendant

DATED: February 15, 2013

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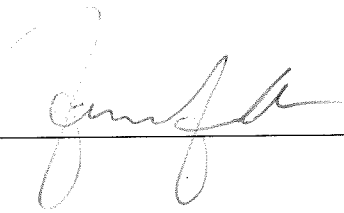

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Date: 2-15-13

Michael Esplin

From: Susan Christensen <shcrc2@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 15, 2013 5:35 AM
To: Michael Esplin
Subject: Letter for David Hamblin

To Whom It May Concern,

My name is Susan Hamblin Christensen. I am the sister of David Lee Hamblin. I am a Provo resident of 21 years and a former elementary school teacher. I am writing to beg you to consider reducing David's bail. He was arrested in the middle of December and spent the holidays in the County Jail. When these charges by his older girls were made in 1998 he was not charged and was allowed custody after the divorce. They were never proven. There was never any hint of these charges before the divorce. It's been a very painful time for our family.

He is a conservator for our elderly mother, along with myself, and I am struggling to do his job and my job. She needs daily attention, which was his part, and also has an extensive estate to manage, which is my part. With this high bail it makes it almost certain that he will sit in the County Jail for a long time.

David is not a flight risk. He owns a home, he has been Utah county resident for more than 20 years. His practice is here, other family members and friends. He is not a flight risk.

Sincerely, Susan H. Christensen

I sent this as an email because I was out of town and couldn't hand deliver it to Mike Esplin's office.

Michael Esplin

From: Krii Tuttle <krii8v@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 15, 2013 6:57 AM
To: Michael Esplin
Subject: Re: David Hamblin
Attachments: David Hamblin to Esplin.docx

Dear Mr. Esplin,

Here is my letter. I have it as an attachment as well as a cut and paste below. I hope it is what you are looking for. Please feel free to cut it down if it is too long. I am so sorry I did not get it sent off last night. So sorry! It was done. I look forward to seeing you today in court.

Sincerely, Krii Tuttle

January 14, 2013

To Whom it May Concern,

I am writing this letter on behalf of David Hamblin.

My name is Kristin Hamblin Tuttle. I am David Hamblin's youngest sister by 9 years. I have had the great blessing of watching my older brother and sisters live their lives and have learned so much through example. Both good and bad examples have been great teachers for me.

My parents had a pretty awful marriage, and, sadly, my brother followed suit in very similar dynamics in his marriage to Rosie. After the divorce, Rosie was welcoming to all of our family as long as David was not around. Over the years, we have had less and less contact. I sent a wedding announcement of one of my daughters last summer to Rosie's parents. They replied with a card telling me they were glad I was doing such a great work as a parent, but that we would never meet again until The Day of Judgment.

David was a very well known therapist in the area since graduating with his Ph.D. from Cornell University. He actually helped me as a young college student 30 years ago stay on track when I was ready to run from my life because I was in the middle of my parents' unhappy relationship. In about a fifteen minute talk he turned my whole life around to be hopeful again within my very same circumstances. His goal has always been to find the best methods of healing. He has fallen very short of that goal in his journey to where he is now, and he's paid the price in his ability to make a good living doing what he's doing now.

I have recently moved back to Utah after living out of the state for over 20 years. I could only carry 3 children to term out of 10 pregnancies. When our youngest was seven, we started going through the adoption process through the county in which we lived. We have adopted 10 children from Southern California who were all from meth homes. Most of the kids we adopted were 7 years old or older. They have been through severe trauma in their early life.

David has helped me out tremendously with my children in the last six months through the very things he is being accused of. Most of the kids that I've adopted have had egregious abuse on every level as young children. In their teenage years it becomes unbearable for them to live with, especially in our LDS community that we are deeply anchored to and love. They don't feel clean or normal.

I have a 10 year old boy, currently, that could no longer function in school, although he is very bright, they were calling us at least a couple of times a day due to his outrageous behavior. We got him off all the drugs that was keeping him "tame" the summer of 2011. He was increasingly becoming "ungovernable" this fall and my husband and I were concerned we could no longer care for him without heavily medicating him again. David offered to help us with him before getting him on prescription drugs again. Within 5-6 sessions, David turned his behavior around with his excellent form of therapy.

It is in a group setting, Christ is the core of his therapy, and no drugs are involved. Another daughter wanted to go out of curiosity. As a teenager, she was secretly communicating with her birth mom and fantasizing running away to her. In one session with David she became grounded in our family. The next week, they worked on why she could never figure out school, especially math. She just came home today telling me she got a 6 out of 6 on her math quiz! She has failed math every year and struggled all semester to even do the homework. She has so many other things to work on and is extremely disappointed he is unavailable to our family. Her siblings are seeing the change in her and my son and wanting help to get out of the emotional chains that are debilitating their lives.

My kids look forward to David's sessions. He has always been appropriate and clear with boundaries under my watchful eye. The groups are so supportive and really work through some difficult traumas.

After David was in jail, I wondered why his bail was so outrageously high. I asked him why Rosie wouldn't want him to jump bail. It seemed to me he'd be a fugitive and they would not ever need to worry about him coming back without getting into a LOT of trouble. He said he could have done so after the first accusations came out, yet he was innocent. Those charges were dropped. He said that Rosie hoped he would move away after the divorce so her story would never unravel. He is not afraid to be here. He said he not only didn't leave the country, he is still in the same town and is hoping to finally be completely exonerated.

Our dad died in October 2012. He cared for my father in his aging years when he lived nearby, visiting him several times a week, helping him with his relationships, taking him to dinner and movies, and playing his favorite card games with him. He cares for our Mom who has begun having dementia and he is actually making progress with her. She lives just blocks from his home and he visits her as a son and helps her work through a

lot of her anger. He is connected to our family and the community. This is his home. He has helped SO many people over the years, not just my family.

I love the Hamblin girls and think they are wonderful and accomplished. I do not wish to be pitted against them. I pray the truth will prevail whatever it is. I just know that in my experience, David has been extremely compassionate, helpful, and appropriate with my children and their therapy.

Sincerely,

Kristin Tuttle

On Mon, Jan 14, 2013 at 12:44 PM, Michael Esplin <mesplin@esplinweight.com> wrote:
Krii: The letter doesn't need to be notarized. Just type it up and type your signature. That will be great.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Krii Tuttle [<mailto:krii8v@gmail.com>]
Sent: Monday, January 14, 2013 11:30 AM
To: Michael Esplin
Subject: Re: David Hamblin

Hello! This is David's sister, Krii. Susan just texted saying a letter from us would be good. I was wondering if it needs to be notarized? Do I just type a letter? Or does my physical signature need to be on it? Thank you! Krii Tuttle

<krii8healing>
Sent from my iPhone

Provo, January 14, 2013

I believe it was around 2005 - 2006 when I met David Hamblin. A friend recommended his help for my husband, who was going through a difficult time in his life. We started attending the healing circle meetings every Friday. It was extremely helpful, not only for my husband Stephen, but for me as well... and for both of us as a couple.

I was able to resolve issues from childhood, deal with relationships that needed care, and understand family related situations. My relationship with Stephen deepened as we worked together under David's guidance, and our love and understanding for each other got stronger. David also helped us as a family, working with my son a couple of times.

Stephen and I participated in group meetings for about 3 years.

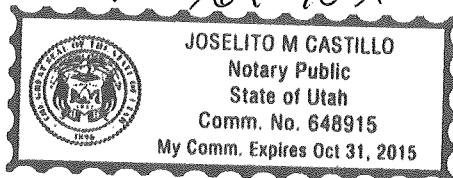
David always treated us with respect, kindness and care. We are very grateful for his help in our lives and for the knowledge he shared with us.

My heart reaches out to you David...

Many blessings.

Celia Regina Hemingway
Celia Regina Hemingway

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STATE OF UTAH)
COUNTY OF UTAH)SS

On the 14th day of JAN 2013
personally appeared before me
Celia Regina Hemingway
the signer(s) of the foregoing instrument who duly
acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same

Notary Public

Residing At:

Commission Expires:

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January 14, 2013

To whom it may concern:

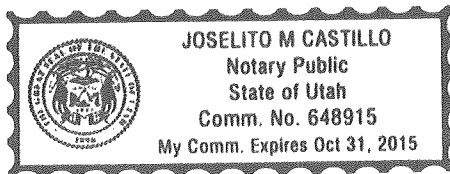
I have known David Hamblin for about six years and I have found him to be a very responsible and civil human being. I trust him, respect his advice as a friend, and admire his ability to help people.

I wish I could be there in the courtroom to support David during this issue, but my work requires me to be out of town on this date.

Best regards,

Stephen C. Hemingway 801 404 9876

Stephen C. Hemingway



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To Whom it may concern:

Six years ago I found myself in the parking lot of the Bountiful Hospital. My son, Drew, was inside the hospital detoxing from the use of heroine. The staff kept asking me where we were planning to go for follow up treatment. I had no idea what to do. All of the programs they recommended were very expensive and I found myself at a loss of possibilities. That day in they parking lot I was praying for help to know what to do when my sister called me. She said she had just talked to a friend who had received help for her recovering son from a man named **David Hamblin**. She didn't know a lot about him but that his approach was a little different and that it had been successful for them. I knew we needed something different because what counseling and therapy we'd been doing previously was obviously not working. We'd tried LDS Social Services and Private Counseling and both were non productive. The Spirit let me know at that moment that I was to call David. I hung up with my sister and dialed David's number.

Two days later we were meeting with David. He was able to help us find the emotional connections to all of our issues and then lead us to allow Christ to heal us. David's sessions not only helped my son Drew, but also myself in ways I will never be able to express. We continued to attend the group healing circles every week for the next few years. I was blessed to host the healing circles in my home for 2 years. I found that as much as I was doing the group sessions to support my son, I was actually able to work on healing myself. I will be forever grateful for the great kindness and healing that David gave to all of us. I am grateful for the forever friends I have made as we all were led to David's healing circle. He never took credit for healing but always acknowledged Christ as the source. This Christ centered healing is the only way we can truly be healed and thanks to David for leading us to Him.

With all the gratitude a mother can have,

Aven Richmond

Aven Richmond
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State of Utah
County of Utah

On this 14th day of January, 2013 before me, Michael Hess notary public, personally appeared, Aven Gardner Richmond, proved on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name (s) (is/are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that(he/she/they) executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by (his/her/their) signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

By

Michael Hess

Notary Public

Residing at Spanish Fork, UT My commission expires 12/08/13



MICHAEL HESS
NOTARY PUBLIC-STATE OF UTAH
COMMISSION # 581076
COMM. EXP. 12-08-2013

January 14, 2013

To Whom It May Concern:

I Jacqueline Radmall was apart of David Hamblin Healing Circle for over 4 years. Being part of the Group helped me to reconnect with my estranged husband (we were apart for 3 years) of 40 years. We are now in a better place because of David's assistance. I was also David's Massage therapist for almost 3 years; during his session time there was no inappropriate touch or talk.

Thank you,

Jacqueline Radmall
Jacqueline Radmall

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JRadmall@mac.com

January 14, 2013

My name is JoDell Hervey. I have worked with David through the Healing Circle since June 2012. The Healing Circle is a place where Christ-centered healing is taught and administered through a process of acknowledgement, repentance, and opening your heart to Christ's love and healing. It is a simple, beautiful process that involves admitting lies, speaking truth, and praying.

At the time I started attending the Healing Circle, I had just separated from my abusive husband. As I attended the Healing Circle and worked with David, I found tremendous healing. I gained the courage to require my husband to change. When my husband refused to change, David helped me gain the clarity and courage I needed to take steps to end my abusive marriage. Because of my work with David, I have been able to stand up for my children and myself to find protection from my husband's abuse. In addition, my path to healing has been a catalyst for many of my family members to seek healing. I attribute all of this to the work that I have done with David.

I was sexually abused when I was a little girl. David has helped me and countless others to find healing from deep wounds caused by sexual abuse. One of his top priorities is to help women heal (particularly from childhood sexual abuse), helping them own their feminine gifts and power. David requires men he works with to honor and respect women.

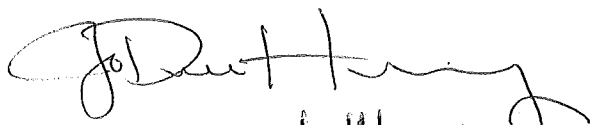
When I started working with David, he made a commitment to me that he would never be sexual or inappropriate with me. He makes this commitment to every woman he works with, and he keeps it. David makes it very clear to everyone who attends the Healing Circle that those who want to work with him must live by the law of chastity—one man for one woman, loyal and committed to each other in complete fidelity.

David has always been very open with those who attend the Healing Circle. He is honest about the fact that he was sexual with past clients. He does not seek to excuse or deny his behavior. David has also been open about the false claims of sexual abuse levied against him from years ago. He frequently expresses the importance of being open and honest about his past with everyone he works with. He knows if he tries to hide anything from his past, he will not be able to help others find healing.

No man who sexually abused his daughter and lied about it could have the clarity that David has to help women who were sexually abused as children find true healing. No one who sexually abused his daughter and lied about it could be an instrument in God's hands to help numbers of women and men heal from severe, chronic childhood sexual abuse. "A good tree cannot bring forth evil fruit, neither a corrupt tree bring forth good fruit...Wherefore, by their fruits ye shall know them" (3 Nephi 14:18, 20).

I wholeheartedly stand behind David, believing him innocent. His daughter may have been sexually abused, but it was not David who sexually abused her. He is the advocate of the abused, not the abuser.

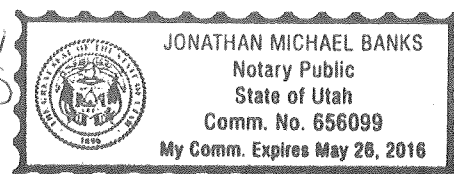
JoDell Hervey



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ON JANUARY 14, 2013, JODELL
HERVEY APPEARED BEFORE ME AND
SIGNED THIS DOCUMENT.



To Whom It May Concern:

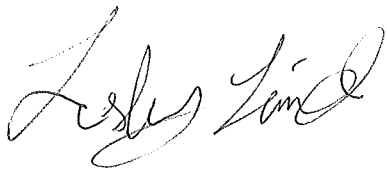
My name is Lesley Lind, I'm writing this letter in regards to my dear friend and teacher David Hamblin. I've been attending David's healing circle for 3 1/2 years, my husband David Lind has been attending for 6 years. The healing circle is group of people who get together on a weekly basis and work on what ever issues they may have. No matter how big or small the issue, everyone is helped. It's Christ centered but David helps anyone no matter what they believe in. Everyone brings food, we laugh, we cry and most of all support each other. One thing I love about the healing circle is the community of people who attend. These people, David included have become my dearest friends.

In the course of my attendance David helped me address my childhood sexual abuse and rape. He helped my husband give up drugs and alcohol and he literally saved my marriage on two occasions. The healing circle has had such a profound effect on my life that I recommend it to everyone I know and love. David helps my parents strengthen their marriage. My brother is an alcoholic and drug addict, he has been through several treatment centers. When working with David my brother is able to voluntarily stay sober for months at a time. In the years I've attended I've watched 4Dave Hamblin help hundreds of people with very serious issues.

I have worked on very painful, traumatic sexual abuse and rape issues with David. He is always respectful, kind and genuinely cares about my well being. Never has he been anything but appropriate with me or the other women. David is an open book, he has always been upfront about his past. It's my hope that this will be resolved soon and David will be free to help even more people.

Sincerely-

Lesley Lind

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lesley Lind".

lesleyanne03@gmail.com

Kent Russell
180 South Countryside Ln
Orem, UT 84058

January 14, 2013

To whom it may concern:

My name is Kent Russell. I have been President for the past 7+ years of the Parkside Condominiums in Provo, Utah. I own three condominiums there and am very involved in the management and finances of Parkside Condominiums.

David Hamblin has been vice president of Parkside Condominiums for the past 4+ years and as such has been an invaluable resource. Multiple large, expensive projects have needed to be worked on at Parkside and David has been very involved in their management and success. His dedication and efforts have lead to the success of Parkside Condominiums.

Other than help with the large projects, David also helps with the day to day running of Parkside Condominiums. He watches the garbage and calls for extra pickups as necessary, picks up the grounds disposing of trash as needed, replaces outside lights, and shovels the snow from the walks and stairs. David buys the salt, salt buckets, snow shovels so that the residents are safe and can enjoy the complex.

David shows commitment and involvement in the management and running of Parkside. As Vice President he attends the condominium HOA Board meeting. In those meetings he gives his input and advice and votes on the running of the complex. He is an invaluable resource and good friend as well. I appreciate David's hard work and dedication at Parkside.

We don't have another owner at Parkside who lives on site and who can do the many tasks that David performs. I hope we will see David soon so that he can continue to help with the management and running of Parkside Condominiums.

Thank you,

Kent Russell

801-735-3400

My name is Suzanne Milne. I'm a 48-year-old single female. I live in Kansas City, MO, and I am a consultant for a large electronic health records company. I recently re-located back to the US after living in the UK for almost 3 years. I am an RN with an MBA. I am an active, lifelong member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints.

I met David through some friends over 6 years ago. I have worked with David mostly over the phone, as I have not lived in UT since we met. I have been to a couple of healing circles and have met with him one-on-one a few times when in UT. Meeting with the healing circle and with David one-on-one have been really wonderful experiences for me, and I can feel of his desire to help others and his love for all those who seek help.

I initially sought David's help because of a failed relationship and a history of failed relationships as well as on-going issues with depression.

David has helped me in ways that no other therapist, counselor or MD has been able to help, and I am no longer on anti-depressants. His knowledge and understanding of the Atonement has been the key to my health and happiness. I have gained new insights and understanding of the Atonement through working with him. David has a gift for imparting his knowledge of the scriptures (especially the Book of Mormon), the doctrines of repentance and forgiveness, and the power and blessings of the Atonement.

David is an incredibly intuitive, understanding, grateful, kind and caring person. He loves those he helps as they are. He is accepting and gracious and sees the potential for everyone if they will but come to Christ with a soft heart. He is funny and insightful and really intelligent. David is a true follower of Christ. I know with all my heart he is a good man. I know a bit about David's past and his experiences have helped me along the healing path. He has shared some personal stories, and I cherish his willingness to be open and vulnerable because through his experiences, I have gained strength, understanding, and comfort.

While living abroad, I was working through some trust issues with men (I believe I was molested as a child) and I spoke to David a couple times a month for almost a year. With David's help, I was able to have my first truly loving/trusting relationship. While the relationship ended shortly before I moved home, I count it as a huge success because I was able to overcome so many of my fears and issues. It was because of David's counsel and guidance to truly have faith and trust the Lord that I was able to succeed. He encouraged me to be chaste and honest and to communicate in ways I've never been able to communicate before. David wants me to study my scriptures, and pray, and attend the temple and most of all, he wants me to be married in the LDS temple.

I owe David so much for his help. While I paid David for his time, there were many times I would just call him or email him with a question or to tell him something and he was always willing to help without expecting anything in return.

David has taught me how to soften my heart and repent of the lies that I have believed for so long. This way of accessing the power and blessings of the Atonement has made all the difference for me. While I was the victim of horrible things as a child, it is only by opening up to the power of the Atonement through the repentance process that we become one with Christ and can be healed of all our hurt, sadness, sorrow, etc. David gives all credit to God and helps me, along with my activity in the Church, understand how to have more faith, hope and charity.

I am very grateful to David for his willingness to share his gifts with all those who are seeking help coming unto Christ. I pray his true character will shine forth during this process as it has for me time and time again.

Kindest regards,

Suzanne Milne

1/11/2013

To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Megan Kawasaki. I have known David for about thirteen years—since I was fourteen or fifteen. He is a very good friend of my older sister, Kara McCullough. Throughout the time I have known David, he has helped me with my struggles with the death of my mother, my physically abusive father and emotionally abusive step-mother, and my divorce. Often he has done this without requiring payment or donation from me. I honestly can say that my interactions with David and those in the Healing Circle has enriched my life and made me a better person, but there is still much work to be done for me.

I am not an active member of the LDS Church, but was raised in the church. I am a firm believer in the love of Christ and his Atonement; which is not a belief I have always had. Through going to the Healing Circle and benefitting from David's teachings, my belief and love for Christ and Heavenly Father has greatly developed. The Healing Circle is centered around the light of Christ, literally and metaphorically. When the situation calls for it, scriptures are read. Prayers are said. David holds strong in the values of the church: being honest, true, chaste, benevolent, virtuous, and good to all men.

I have witnessed David's goodness but also know of his weakness. He has expressed his past and present problems in the Healing Circle; but I have never felt unsafe in his presence. As a woman who feels vulnerable toward men and have had to face this issue in the Healing Circle, David has expressed his commitment to help me move past this fear and that I need never fear him. He is committed to protecting the women of the healing circle.

Going to the Healing Circle is like going home. One is always welcome regardless of their problems or transgressions; David is always willing to help.

Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter.

Best regards,

Megan Kawasaki

January 15, 2013

To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Kathryn Stuart. I am a 51-year-old active Latter-Day Saint woman. I started attending David Hamblin's healing circle in approximately October of 2005. I attended regularly for about a year and then sporadically ever since.

I was unhappy in my marriage and needed to find peace, courage, and direction in my life. David helped me, through prayer and repentance, to face my contribution to my problems and to discover first what I wanted to do, and then the courage to do it. Every experience I had there was filled with the Spirit of the Lord. David taught us through quoting the scriptures and praising the Creator, but mostly through petitioning the Lord for forgiveness, and asking for His divine help. We call this "moving our energy" or "facing our stuff," or similar phrases, but it amounts to changing our hearts with the Lord's help. With this help I was able to receive what I needed from my husband and am now a much happier person. We have seen a couple of other counselors over the years and continue to work to love each other more fully.

There is nothing contrary to LDS teachings that takes place in this circle. David himself has told of us his problems in the past and has told us of his own repentance process. He teaches that the true way is for one woman and one man together, being true to one another and helping each other. He encourages people to use their strength and stand up for what is right for them.

I know David Hamblin to be a good and honest, loving and giving man. David is very committed to the healing community. I have seen him weep many times for us, and his love is genuine.

Thank you,

Kathryn B. Stuart
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January 14, 2013

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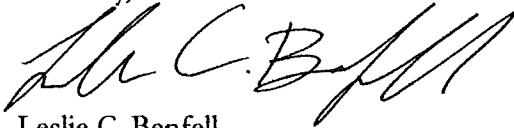
I met David Hamblin in 2004 through a mutual friend and have been attending the Healing Circle since 2007. I am an active member of the LDS faith, a small business owner, and a mother of three.

My clearest example of how he has helped me is that when I first started attending the Healing Circle I had been fighting depression for twenty years and on anti-depressants for ten. Within just a couple months, with David's help, I no longer needed medication. That was seven years ago and it was just the beginning.

I have introduced David, and through him the Native American path of spirituality, to my extended family and friends. Over and over again I have seen him help people.

I fear that David will be viewed unfairly because of his long hair and unorthodox career choice: Medicine Man. Please don't dismiss my dear friend.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Leslie C. Benfell', written in a cursive style.

Leslie C. Benfell

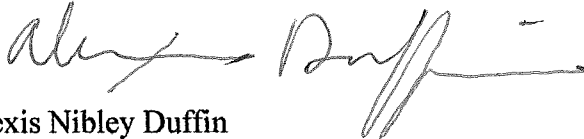
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To Whom It May Concern,

My name is Alexis Duffin, and I am 24 years old. I have received healing guidance from David Hamblin since 2006, when my parents took me to see him in a personal session for my intense feelings of depression that had lasted for years. After one visit with David, I experienced significant improvement; after a second visit, I had overcome the majority of my depressed feelings. I continued to see David in his healing circles, at first weekly. Over the years, I continue to go once or twice a year. The guidance that David has given me over the last nearly-seven years, especially initially, has been more successful than any other treatment/therapy I have ever received. David teaches people how to use the power of the Atonement of Jesus Christ in a very real, direct way. I have, and I have witnessed dozens of others, overcome very distressing and heartbreaking emotions and experiences with David's help and direction. His teachings are very much in harmony with my beliefs as a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints.

I have seen firsthand that David Hamblin promotes ethical, responsible, and compassionate behavior to all he teaches. As far as I have observed, David's interactions with all who attend his Healing Circles are always appropriate and promote healing and harmony. I regularly encourage people to attend his Healing Circles and believe the Healing Circle community contributes in a very positive way to the community at large.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Alexis Duffin', written in dark ink.

Alexis Nibley Duffin

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I am writing in behalf of my good friend of four years, David Hamblin. First of all, David is a caring, honest person who devotes a great deal of time helping others. He gives time and money to the people of the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation in South Dakota. He spends anywhere between 12 and 30 hours a week helping people work through emotional and behavioral issues as a life coach and spiritual mentor in our Healing Circle. He is deeply committed to his friends and would drop everything if any of them needed his help. David is an example of selfless giving.

David was extremely supportive when I faced a separation and divorce. I initially sought help in dealing with past child sexual abuse and the emotional abuse of my ex-husband. David has not only helped me, but also my children. He has played a key role in helping them to see their father as Christ would see him. It has been extremely healing for all of us. And a lot of this was done without compensation.

As a descendent of Lakota ancestors and member of the Native American Church, I have been taught to bring my worries, concerns, troubles, and sins to the Sacred Fire. The Sacred Fire is a symbol for Jesus Christ. We are all equal in the circle. We revere our medicine man, but he is one of us. And the same is required of him as is required of us. David has admitted to making mistakes. He has always been transparent about the issues he has overcome concerning his practice and divorce. He is human, but he is not an abuser. In fact, he has helped countless people recognize and deal with abuse issues.

I consider myself to be an extremely careful parent. I would not allow my children to be around anyone who would as much as look at them the wrong way. I pay close attention to my intuition and steer clear of anyone who gives off what I call "the creep vibe."

David has never displayed any behavior that would indicate he had any abusive tendencies. He has never been inappropriate. I have seen him around my children and other children. He has never made any attempt to groom or even be in the same room with them without their parents.

Because of Healing Circle, I am a better mother. I can support my children physically, emotionally, and spiritually. My children know of their value to me, to our healing community, and to God. My son is still dealing with his anger toward his father. David has been helping him express this anger and bring it to the Fire. David has encouraged him to speak up for himself and not give up. He is still in the process of accepting his father for who he is and learning about his father's mental illnesses. We need to continue on this journey in order for my son to fully heal. It would greatly impede his healing process if we were unable to continue working with David.

My daughter has been honored in a coming of age ceremony in our Healing Circle. It is a sacred time when we honor her as a young woman. We emphasize the importance of living a chaste life. She was blessed to nurture all children and feed all who are hungry. Because of this ceremony, and because of David's blessing, she has become more confident. And she understands her self-worth.

I understand our community is not viewed as the main stream, Mormon, community. Many in our circle are LDS or members of the NAC. David has helped people of all faiths. There are a few people in our group who have been working on overcoming cult abuse. David has been key in helping these people see the wrong in how they were treated. He has helped guard them, and taught them how to guard themselves, against further abuse. We respect all people in all places of wounding. We turn no one away who is willing to change their lives and walk the path of their ancestors: The path to God.

It would be a terrible mistake to see David taken from his friends and community where so much healing is taking place. To see him punished for something he didn't do. That would be the real crime. I hope these accusations can be cleared and if there is anything I can do to help this along, please contact me.

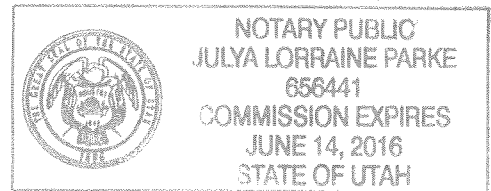
Thank you,

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The foregoing instrument was acknowledge before me on
01/14/2013 By Lisa Rene Hammond Beal. Witness my hand and official
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Notary Public