

ECCLESIASTICAL COURT FOR THE
EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF
CONNECTICUT

SUMMONS

TO: ANY PROPER OFFICER; BY AUTHORITY OF THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE
DIOCESE OF CONNECTICUT, YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO MAKE DUE AND
LEGAL SERVICE OF THIS SUMMONS AND ATTACHED COMPLAINT (PRESENTMENT).

PLAINTIFF: THE EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF CONNECTICUT
1335 ASYLUM AVENUE
HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT

DEFENDANT: THE REV. BRUCE W. JACQUES
4 NORTH VALLEY ROAD
NEW MILFORD, CONNECTICUT

NOTICE

1. Pursuant to the Canons and Constitution of the Episcopal Church charges have been presented against the Defendant a copy of which are attached hereto.
2. The Defendant shall appear and defend on December 19, 1996 at 9:00 a.m. at the Cathedral House, 45 Church Street, Hartford, Connecticut, failure to do so will result in a Judgment of Guilt and place the Defendant at risk of sentence to be pronounced at a later date.
3. The Church Advocate shall be George P. Seabourne, Esq., 30 Main Street, P.O. Box 487, Thomaston, Connecticut, 06787.

Date: 11/26/96


George P. Seabourne

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VS.

THE REV. BRUCE W. JACQUES


COMPLAINT

COUNT ONE

1. That the Rev. Bruce W. Jacques has committed an offense under Title IV, Canon 1, Sec. 1(h) and is in violation of his ordination vows as set forth on page 526 of the Book of Common Prayer in that he disobeyed or disregarded Pastoral Directions of the Bishop dated September 13, 1994, May 30, 1995 and September 6, 1995.

COUNT TWO

1. That The Rev. Bruce W. Jacques has committed an offense under Title IV, Canon 1, Sec 1 (j), conduct unbecoming a member of the clergy in that he used inappropriate language on or about June 4, 1994 to a minor child and on or about June 17, 1994 to another minor child.


George P. Seabourne
Church Attorney

STATE OF CONNECTICUT

SS NEW MILFORD

December 2, 1996

COUNTY OF LITCHFIELD

Then and there, by virtue thereof, I left a true and attested copy of the within and foregoing Summons, Notice, and Complaint with my endorsements thereon as follows:

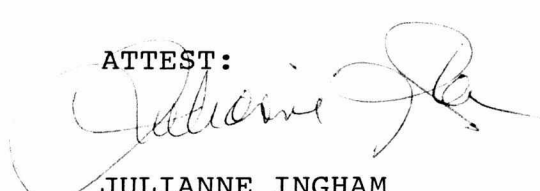
At the usual place of abode of THE REV. BRUCE W. JACQUES, at 4 North Valley Road, New Milford, on December 2, 1996.

The within and foregoing is the original Summons, Notice, and Complaint with my doings thereon endorsed.

FEES:

Service	\$20.00
Copies	2.00
Endrs.	1.20
Travel	<u>15.54</u>
	\$38.74

ATTEST:


JULIANNE INGHAM
Deputy Sheriff
Litchfield County
Indifferent Person