

Dear Dr. Macpherson

Below is a letter that I have written to Rafael Outland about the coming conversation with Jalil Muntaqim (alias Anthony Bottom) it is self explanatory, I am the wife of Ptl Joseph Piagentini Killed in the Line of Duty on May 21, 1971 by Jalil Muntaqim in cold blood. I am requesting that this conversation be cancelled, this bio does not tell the truth about Jalil. He is a brutal cop killer, tried and convicted. He is lucky that the death penalty was not applied at that time and he is lucky to be paroled instead of serving his life sentence, all due to the politics of our defunct Gov. Cuomo. My husband Joe was not lucky: he was brutally murdered, he did not see his children grow up, he did not get to see his grandchildren.

Anthony Bottom (Jalil Muntaqim) does not deserve to speak to our men and women in college and spew his lies and Black Liberation views.

In your bio you speak of building a better Brockport, I don't think this is the way to do it.

Respectfully, Diane Piagentini

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Dear Rafael Outland ,

Your bio presentation of Jalil Muntaqim (Anthony Bottom) is incorrect He is a convicted cop-killer of my husband Ptl.. Joseph Piagentini and his partner Ptl. Waverly Jones on May 21, 1971. Bottom and his partner Herman Bell walked up behind the two officers and at point blank range shot them both in the back. Waverly died instantly, his head and spine obliterated by the gun shots. While my husband lay on the ground pleading with them not to kill him, pleading he had a wife and children, Bottom took his service revolver and emptied it into his body. There were 22 bullet holes in his body. They could not kill him, he died on the way to Harlem Hospital. Bottom and Bell went back to their apartment and **celebrated** the death of these two officers (who had answered a call for help in the projects). When asked why he had killed a black officer Bottom replied "a pig is a pig" it made no difference to him. He cursed that the white officer would not die. Is this the kind of person you want to give a lecture to our future men and women, a liar and a manipulator obviously his bio in your events calendar does not tell the truth!!!!!!

Anthony Bottom (Jalil Muntaqim) not only assassinated two police officers who walked the beat in Harlem and helped the community but he also committed a hate crime. He was tried and sentenced to life in prison, but because of Cuomo's politics he was released on parole.

It is apparent that Anthony Bottom, still believes in the Black Liberation Army's dialogue and is not remorseful of his crimes against these two brave police officers. Anthony Bottom is **not** being truthful about the presentation of this lecture. He is a criminal, bank robber, and a killer of police officers, and apparently he is proud of what he has done,

not remorseful. I am formally requesting that this lecture be **cancelled**. He is not and never was a political prisoner.

Respectfully,

Diane Piagentini

Widow of Ptl. Joseph Piagentini, killed in the line of duty May 21, 1971