

8th December 1992

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My Lord,

I have wrestled with my conscience these last few days, and I have very reluctantly decided to get in touch with you, as I read in the newspapers that the Church is carrying out its own inquiry into the recent allegations made to the police about the Bishop of Gloucester.

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**DPA** Also, he is revered by my mother. I am very anxious that confidentiality should be maintained concerning my communication to you.

I have something which I am uncertain whether or not I ought to relate, concerning a private meeting and talk which I had with Bishop Peter 10½ years ago, when I was 21 years old: I am unsure whether it is of substantive relevance to the present inquiry.

I am sorry to write to you in this roundabout fashion - but I do not think that it would be proper for me to write you an unsolicited letter setting out my (maybe) irrelevant 10½ year old story, which is of a personal nature.

If you wish to contact me, I would be grateful if you could write, rather than phone, and send any letter to me in an unmarked envelope.

Yours faithfully,

**DPA**

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