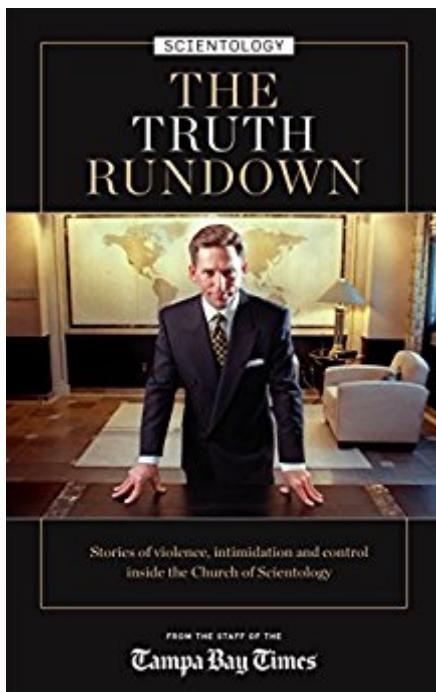


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Synopsis

In early 2009, the Tampa Bay Times reached out to Marty Rathbun, a former high-ranking member of the Church of Scientology who had left the church four years earlier, disaffected by the behavior and policies of the church's leader, David Miscavige. Rathbun told Times reporters the story of his years in Scientology and what led to his leaving. That resulted in interviews with scores of other people in the Scientology world, including former staffers, disaffected parishioners and current church members. Thus began the Times' ongoing series, "Inside Scientology," which launched with an installment called "The Truth Rundown," published in June of 2009. That initial work — the focus of this book — shed unprecedented light on the internal workings of a secretive church that generates interest around the world.

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I read this in one sitting. I couldn't put it down. It's hard to believe this happens in real life.

I've been fascinated with the topic of Scientology lately and this was just one more article that I

opted to buy and read. A good quick read and well written. I guess I could have found it on the Tampa Bay Times website but I liked that I could download this to my phone and read it at my leisure.

A great journalism piece about the most bizarre cult still in existence.

This book should be smuggled in to every Scientology Center. David Miscavige is certifiably insane in my opinion! Napoleon complex!

It was an eye opener it shows how you need to be careful of whom you listen to religiously or political many people are very weak and not able to stand against those that manipulate other individuals. But a good read otherwise...

Read it straight through. Cannot understand how this organization still exists with the amount of criminal activity that has gone on.

Good content, but, direct interviews would have been appreciated.

Well-written. Good overview of the mess going on in Clearwater and California. But not really worth paying for as a book.

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