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Uncovering the Coverup

This month marks the 60th anniversary of the assassination of John F. Kennedy on November 22, 1963.

Sixty years — and yet, we still do not know for sure who killed the president.

Lee Harvey Oswald? He may have been a gunman who opened fire upon the president as he traveled through Dealey Plaza in an open-top convertible limousine. But does this mean that Oswald alone killed JFK? That is the conclusion of the Warren Commission that investigated the assassination, but most Americans don't buy it.

In fact, most Americans didn't buy it before Paul Landis, a former Secret Service agent who rode on the right running board of the limousine immediately behind Kennedy's, recently came forward with his own firsthand account that, if true (and we have no reason to believe otherwise), demolishes the already hard-to-believe "magic bullet" theory. And without a "magic bullet" — that is, without a bullet that seemed to perform magically without actually violating fundamental principles of physics — Oswald could not have been a lone gunman.

But the question of who killed the president is not limited to who actually pulled the trigger.

Who planned the assassination? Who ordered it? Oswald famously said he was a "patsy" before he was permanently silenced by his own assassination. But what was he, really? Was he nothing more than a scapegoat? Or was he a patsy in the sense that he was being thrown to the wolves by conspirators far higher up than he?

The answer may well be in JFK assassination files that have still not been made public. There may even be important clues in the redacted parts of already-released documents. Certainly the withholding of evidence 60 years after the fact strongly suggests that the powers that be are hiding something they do not want the American people to know. It also suggests that what in our own times is called the "Deep State" may be complicit in the assassination as well as the coverup. After all, how would releasing the files today endanger witnesses or jeopardize U.S. security? What possible explanation could there be for keeping the evidence under wraps other than that the Deep State is trying to prevent its own involvement from becoming known?

Donald Trump declassified some of the documents when he was president. In July, Roger Stone, a longtime confidant of Trump, said in a Real America's Voice interview that he asked Trump why he did not release all of the documents. According to Stone, Trump answered, "I can't tell you. It's so horrible you wouldn't believe it. Someday you'll find out."

That "someday" could be much sooner than we might think. In July, Trump posted on Truth Social, "When I return to the White House, I will declassify and unseal all JFK assassination related documents. It's been 60 years, time for the American people to know the TRUTH!" Another presidential candidate, Robert F. Kennedy, Jr., JFK's nephew, also wants the files released.

RFK, Jr. believes that the CIA killed his uncle. In an interview with The Gateway Pundit in May, he said that Oswald was a "CIA asset." He also said that Oswald had defected to the Soviet Union, but that this was a "fake defection" ordered by the CIA. It is indisputable that Oswald defected, for a time, to the Soviet Union. But was this defection orchestrated by the CIA? And, if it was, does this mean that he could not have been both a communist and a CIA asset? In truth, he could have been both, as were



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others within the CIA. Interestingly, even during police interrogation following the JFK assassination, he reportedly professed to being a Marxist, though not a communist.

We invite you to read our Special Report about the JFK assassination, beginning with our exclusive interview with Dr. John Newman, who was in U.S. Army intelligence, was an assistant to the NSA director, and has investigated the JFK assassination for many years and written extensively on the subject. We also encourage you to add your own voice to the demand that all JFK assassination documents be released.



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