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Why Almost All the Sex Scandals Involve Liberals

In the commentary on the recent sex scandals, which seem to claim a new scalp every week, a certain disclaimer is often issued. It's something even conservatives such as Tucker Carlson have uttered: "Of course, it happens on both sides."

Well, technically, yeah.

At perhaps a 10-to-1 ratio.

Liberal to conservative.



No, that's not a scientific number. But it's likely far more astute than the reflexive "happens on both sides" effort at equivalence, which is much like the water-muddying diversionary pronouncement "There are Christian terrorists, too!"

Just consider some of the men recently revealed as guilty of sexual misconduct: Harvey Weinstein (shown), Senator Al Franken, Charlie Rose, Matt Lauer, Kevin Spacey, Ben Affleck, screenwriter James Toback, *The Loud House* creator Chris Savino, Vox Media editorial director Lockhart Steele, journalist Mark Halperin, NPR editor Michael Oreskes, NPR Chief News Editor David Sweeney, NPR host Garrison Keillor, reporter Glenn Thrush, actor Jeffrey Tambor, Representative John Conyers, *New Republic* editor Leon Wieseltier, comedian Louis C.K., music producer Russell Simmons, and CNN senior producer Teddy Davis.

Against these 20 leftists, during the same time period, we have on the "right" (maybe) Judge Roy Moore and ex-president G.H.W. Bush; that is, if you consider Bush a conservative, believe the allegations against them and ignore that neither has been taken down by them.

Moreover, inclusive of many recent and not-so-recent licentious leftists, we have the following 61-name list, courtesy of *American Thinker*:



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NAME	OCCUPATION	ACCUSATION(S)	POLITICAL AFFILIATION
Adam Venit	Talent agent at William Morris Endeavor & represents a number of high profile actors	Unwanted groping	Donor to Democrat candidates & leftist causes
Al Franken	Former comedian, current Democrat Senator	Sexual misconduct, groping	Democrat senator
Al Gore	Former presidential candidate, Vice President '92-'00. Inventor of internet	Sexual assault	Democrat
Andrew Kreisburg	Hollywood producer	Sexual harassment	Democratic donor
Andy Dick	Comedian, actor	Groping, sexual harassment	Democratic donor
Anthony Weiner	12 year U.S. Congressman for State of NY. Currently serving 21 mos. in federal pen	"Sexting" underage girls. Currently serving 21 mos. in federal pen	Democrat
Ben Affleck	Actor	Sexual harassment, unwanted groping	Leftist, donor to Democrat causes
Bill Clinton	Former President of the United States '92-'00	Rape, sexual misconduct	Democrat
Bob Weinstein	Brother to Harvey	Sexual harassment	Leftist & Democrat supporter
Brett Ratner	film producer, director of motion pictures, music videos, & television	Rape, sexual assault, harassment	Clinton supporter & donor
Brock Adams	Former Democrat congressman & Senator State of WA	Sexual harassment, abuse, rape	Democrat
Charlie Rose	Television talk show host, & journalist	At least 8 women said Rose exposed himself, groped their breasts, buttocks or genitals	Left leaning Democrat
Dan Schoen	Democrat state senator of MN	Sexual harassment, unwanted "grabbing"	Democrat
David Wu	Former Democrat Congressman, OR.	Sexual harassment	Democrat
Dustin Hoffman	Actor	Groping & sexual harassment of a 17-year-old intern	Democrat & supporter of Clintons
Ed Westwick	Known for: Playing Chuck Bass on Gossip Girl.	Rape	Leftist & Obama supporter
Edward Kennedy	Deceased Senator of MA., presidential candidate 1980	Sexual assault, involuntary manslaughter	Left-wing Democrat



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Eliot Spitzer	Former Democrat governor of New York	Patronizing prostitutes	Democrat politician, commentator
Eric Massa	Former state representative in New York	Sexual misconduct	Democratic politician
George Takei	Mr. Sulu in 1960s Star Trek TV Series, Democrat & gay rights activist	Sexual assault	Democratic activist
Glenn Thrush	Reporter for NY Times & Politico	Accused of "unwanted groping & kissing to wet kisses out of nowhere to hazy sexual encounters"	Obama lover
Hamilton Fish	Publisher of the New Republic	Sexual harassment	Progressive publisher
Harvey Weinstein	Hollywood Producer	Rape, sexual assault, harassment	Democratic mega donor, activist
James Toback	Film director & writer	L. A. Times - 38 women have accused him of sexual harassment or assault	Democratic donor
Jeffrey Tambor	Actor	Sexual harassment, unwanted groping	Leftist & Obama supporter
Jeremy Piven	Actor & producer.	Groping, forcefully fondling breasts & bum	Democrat & supporter of Obama & Clintons
John Besh	Chief executive of Besh Restaurant Group	Sexual harassment	Democratic donor
John Conyers	Democrat US Congressman	Sexual harassment	Left-wing Democrat
John Edwards	US Senator, NC, V.P. candidate & two time presidential candidate	Encouraging his mistress to abort their love child to avoid a larger scandal	Democratic politician
John Singleton	Director of film "Boyz n the Hood"	Sexual harassment	Leftist & Obama supporter
Kevin Spacey	Actor	Sexual misconduct toward young males	Democratic mega-donor, activist
Knight Landesman	Publisher of Artforum	Groping, sexual harassment	Democratic donor
Leon Wieseltier	Editor at The New Republic	Sexual harassment	Progressive writer
Lockhart Steele	Vox Media editorial director	Sexual harassment, misconduct	Democratic writer, donor
Louis C.K.	Comedian	Sexual misconduct	Democratic activist
Michael Oreskes	Senior vice president & editorial director at NPR	Sexual harassment	Democrat

Neil Goldschmidt	Former Democrat Governor of OR.	Sexually abusing a 14-year-old girl	Democrat
Oliver Stone	Filmmaker	Sexual harassment, including unwanted groping of Carrie Stevens	Filmmaker & leftist
Paul E. Patton	Former Democrat governor KY	"After his mistress broke off an affair, Kentucky filed numerous violations against her business"	Democrat
Richard Dreyfuss	Actor	Sexual harassment & exposing himself	Democrat & friend of B. Clinton
Rick Najera	Director of CBS's "Diversity Showcase"	Sexual harassment	Democratic donor
Robert Menendez	Democrat US Senator NJ	Sex with underage prostitute(s)	Democrat
Russell Simmons	Def Jam Recordings mogul, author & film producer	Sexually molesting Keri Claussen Khalighi a 17-year-old fashion model	Big-time Clinton supporter
Steve Jurvetson	Co-founder of a venture capital firm, SpaceX board member	Sexual misconduct	Democratic donor



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Updates post 11/25/17			
Andrew Cuomo	NY Governor	Listed in a sexual assault lawsuit for ignoring acts within his Administration of "unwanted kisses, stalking, sexts, crotch-grabs, etc."	Democrat
Barney Frank	MA Congressman	Paying someone (a male prostitute) for sex; illegal in MA. The prostitute ran his business out of Frank's house.	Democrat
David Sweeney	NPR's chief news editor	Left NPR following multiple sexual harassment allegations	Leftist
Ed Murray	Mayor of Seattle from 2014 to 2017. Prior to that, state Senator 6 yrs & Representative 11 yrs.	"5 men accused him of sexual abuse when they were minors or teenagers, one claimed that Murray 'raped & molested him.' Murray resigned in Sept 2017"	Democrat
Garrison Keillor	Former host of NPR's "Prairie Home Companion"	Fired from NPR over allegations of "inappropriate behavior"	Leftist & supporter of Al Franken
Gary Becker	Former Mayor Racine, WI	"Charged with 2nd-degree sexual assault of a child under 16, possession of child pornography, child enticement, use of a computer to facilitate a child sex crime, attempt to expose a child to harmful material."	Democrat
Jacob Schwartz	Staffer to N.Y. City Mayor de Blasio & former head of Manhattan Democrats	"Caught with 89 videos & over 3,000 images of girls between 6 months & 16 years, often performing sexual acts on adult men."	Democrat
James Michael McHaney	Aide to Dem. U.S. Sen. Maria Cantwell, WA	"Sentenced to three years in prison for possessing child pornography"	Democrat
Jeffrey P. Rosato	Senior aide to leftist Sen. Barbara Boxer, CA	"Charged with distributing and receiving child pornography"	Democrat
Keith Farnham	IL State Representative	Sentenced to 8 yrs in fed. pen. for child pornography conviction	Democrat



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Larry Brinkin	Prominent gay rights activist	Caught with photographic images of children ages 1 - 3 who were being sodomized & forced to perform oral sex on adult men.	Democrat
Matthew Lauer	Host of NBC'S "The Today Show"	Fired by NBC for "inappropriate sexual behaviour in the workplace"	Obama lover, "climate change" crusader
Mel Reynolds	IL Congressman	"Convicted on 12 counts of sexual assault, obstruction of justice and solicitation of child pornography" & statutory rape of 16 year-old	Democrat
Philip Ahr	Democrat & former President of the Radnor, PA Township Board of Commissioners	"Arrested & charged 10/2017 with multiple felony counts of sending & receiving 100s of images of child sexual abuse, some involving infants, toddlers, & animals."	Democrat
Raul Bocanegra	CA state Assemblyman	"Accused of groping or kissing numerous women without their consent over a period of years"	Democrat
Roman Polanski	Award-winning film director	Accused of at least 4 cases of sexual assault include anally raping a 13 yr old girl.	Adored by the leftists of the film industry
Teddy Davis	Player in many left-wing endeavors: producer CNN's State of the Union, Assistant Director of Communications SEIU, Press Sec for L.A. Mayor Villaraigosa, ABC News Deputy Political Director, Communications Aide & Special Assistant to Governor of CA Gray Davis	Fired from CNN after being accused of sexually harrassing 3 women	Democrat

Also note that of the above individuals, *American Thinker* editor Thomas Lifson writes, "13 were involved in some form of pedophilia ... from kiddy porn to child sexual molestation ... over 20%. What a great movement, that progressivism!"

Of course, some may point out that going back decades, additional conservative transgressors can also be found. True, but the above list isn't all-inclusive. If you'd cite Bill O'Reilly and Roger Ailes (assuming we can call them conservatives), I'd raise you Digital Entertainment Network founders Marc Collins-Rector and Chad Shackley (convicted of child sex offenses). If you'd mention Idaho Republican ex-senator Larry Craig, I'd pull out former New Jersey Democrat governor Jim McGreevey. If you'd show GOP congressman Mark Sanford, whose extra-marital affair ended his South Carolina governorship, I'd counter with Democrat ex-senator Gary Hart, whose extra-marital affair ended his 1988 presidential run. If you'd produce Republican Denny Hastert, who abused underage teen boys, I'd produce late Democrat Harvey Milk, who also abused underage teen boys (but nonetheless is now honored). Further dishonorable mention would be leftists Woody Allen; director Victor Salva; child talent agent Marty Weiss; late congressman Gerry Studds, who had sexual relations with a teen boy; and the Hollywood pederast cartel in general. My guess is that you'd run out of cards before I do.

Not everyone agrees that leftists dominate in the sphere of sexual misconduct, however. Columnist Michael Kinsley [wrote](#) last year of his opposite impression, and it's unsurprising that the less-astute would draw such a conclusion. After all, up until the recent scandals — and, even now, you don't hear "Look, another lib charged with sexual abuse!" — the media only had a taste for outing conservative transgressors. The Hastert-Milk comparison is a perfect example: What's labeled misconduct with conservatives is too often with liberals just considered "conduct."



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So is leftism conducive to perversion? It is, but there's more to it. Kinsley wrote that maybe "it's not that conservatives tend to be perverts (as [Donald Trump](#) charmingly called Anthony Weiner) but that perverts tend to be conservative." Right logic — wrong group.

While I often write about the "relativism" of the Left, today I'll keep it simple and relate the insight I had into this matter as a young, 20-something man: People embrace liberalism to justify their own misdeeds.

Think about leftism's message: You're not responsible for what you do (e.g., kid-glove "justice"), you don't have to pay for what you get (e.g., government handouts), it can't be wrong if it's consensual (e.g., sexual perversion). The only homage you must pay is to bow at political correctness' altar. But that's fine because it's *actual* morality leftists want a dispensation from — not faux "morality."

Why do you think leftists continually attack (traditional) sexual morality? While there can be more than one reason, the dominant one — remember that people are governed by emotion more than reason — is that they themselves have an affinity for behaviors that this morality condemns. So they condemn it.

So it's an old, and very human, story: People seek to justify themselves. They attack what threatens their power. They attack what threatens their wealth. They attack what threatens their status. So what would you conclude about the group that most attacks what threatens sin?

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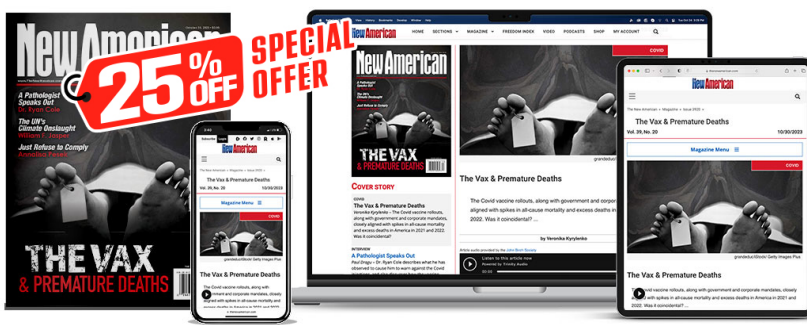


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