

A chalkboard with two pieces of pink chalk and some faint white chalk markings. The chalkboard is green and has some white chalk markings, including a large 'A' and some curved lines. The background is a soft, out-of-focus green.

# Those that violate boundaries: Lessons learned

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# Same Method different goals

- Predator
- Opportunistic versus Planned
- Cognitive Distortions
- Personal problems
  - *Alchemist*
  - *Back to past in the present*
  - *Historical blindness*
  - *Rebel without a cause*
- Love Sick

# Grooming

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- Establishes a special connection
- This connection can be emotional, intellectual, sexual or spiritual
- Only this employee can understand the child because of similarities in their backgrounds
- Groomers alter their history to confirm a connection
- Seemingly personal or private information is shared with the student

# Grooming Techniques

Grooming is a gradual process that premeditated predators use on students to prepare and trick them into accepting inappropriate behavior. *Click each word to learn more.*

*When you are finished, click NEXT to continue.*

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- Trust
  - Friendship
  - Special Treatment
  - Secrecy
  - Innocent Physical Contact
  - Responsibility

## Risk Factors



- Family dysfunction and life disruption.
- Attorneys and litigation.
- Contemporaneous life issues.
- Past patterns and life history.
- The desire to rescue and make a difference.
- Parts of behavior might be unconscious.
- The amount of time spent at work.
- Loss of boundaries and a sense of etiquette in the digital age.

# Digital factors

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- Objectification
- Need for stimulation
- A need for a variety
- Supported deviancy

Meet David Ring



## When caught

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- Often have supporters
- Have the victim destroy text messages and other items to protect both of them allegedly
- Have selected a victim they can blame
- Suggest that the victim is only doing this for monetary or other rewards
- Need to have experts at times explain counterintuitive behavior





# Thank You!

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