

Tartuffe

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Ismail is searching for meaning and turns to religion; people-watching in a community church one Sunday, he sees Phillip Tartuffe in deep prayer, behaving like a devoted worshiper who needs everyone to believe he is one. A career politician, a scoundrel, and a philander, the truth must be known! As a former classmate of Tartuffe, Ismail now has his purpose, to expose Tartuffe as the fraud; all it takes is a little stalking and lying, welcome to your latest religious awakening.

Ismail sat in the pew at the back of the community church, his eyes scanning the room as he people-watched. It was his first time at a church in years, and he was searching for something, though he wasn't quite sure what.

As he watched, he saw a man in the front row deep in prayer. His face was contorted in concentration and he seemed to be muttering to himself. Ismail couldn't help but feel a sense of skepticism wash over him. Something about the man seemed off, almost fake.

As the service came to a close, Ismail decided to introduce himself to the man. He made his way to the front of the church and approached the man, who was now standing with his head bowed.

"Excuse me," Ismail said. "I couldn't help but notice your fervent prayer earlier. My name is Ismail."

The man looked up and offered Ismail a warm smile. "Hello, Ismail. My name is Phillip Tartuffe. It's nice to meet you."

Ismail's eyes narrowed as he studied Tartuffe. He knew the name all too well. Phillip Tartuffe was a career politician with a reputation for being a scoundrel and a philanderer. And yet, here he was, pretending to be a devout worshiper.

Ismail couldn't let this stand. He had to expose Tartuffe for the fraud that he was. And so, he began

to stalk Tartuffe, following him to various churches and events, watching his every move.

It wasn't long before Ismail had gathered enough evidence to prove that Tartuffe was a fraud. He had caught him in numerous lies and had even witnessed him engaging in inappropriate behavior with several women.

Ismail knew he had to do something. He couldn't let Tartuffe continue to deceive the community. And so, he went to the media with his findings, determined to expose Tartuffe for the charlatan that he was.

The story made headlines and Tartuffe's career was ruined. But for Ismail, it was much more than just a victory. It was a moment of religious awakening. He had found his purpose in life, and it was to expose those who sought to deceive and manipulate others in the name of religion.

As he stood watching Tartuffe's downfall, Ismail couldn't help but feel a sense of satisfaction wash over him. He had done the right thing, and he knew that he would continue to do so for as long as it was necessary.