



**Wendy Guidry**

My rape went unsolved for 20 years until law enforcement decided to test my rape kit. A serial rapist was identified and my case went to court. Rather than try to internalize all the feelings, I started speaking out about rape. I have told my story in local and national interviews as a member of the RAINN speakers bureau in the hopes of ending the rape kit backlog. I spend most of my spare time speaking to rape survivors and helping them through the court process.

I live in Southwest Louisiana. I have been married to my high school sweetheart for 23 years and am the mother of two and new grandma of one.