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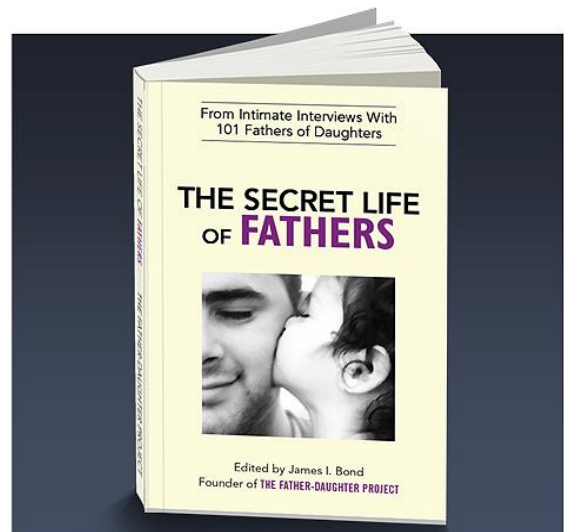
## Story Details

Author of *The Secret Life of Fathers* (2<sup>nd</sup> Edition) explains

# **The Secret Power Daughters Have Over Their Fathers (Often Without Even Realizing It)**

KEY POINTS... for a lively discussion:

- DAUGHTERS CAN HAVE MORE INFLUENCE THAN MOST PEOPLE REALIZE
  - From Supreme Court Decisions (including the Roe vs. Wade decision on abortion) to Women's Voting Rights, from Mark Twain's incredible writing to Martin Luther King's crusade for civil rights... daughters have a more profound influence than most people realize.
  - Based on...
    - Breakthrough science on fathers of daughters, and
    - Research into influential daughters
  - WHY DAUGHTERS CAN HAVE SO MUCH INFLUENCE... OVER THEIR FATHERS:
    - Men are brain-damaged at birth... and it sabotages relationships
    - Daughters bypass this, gaining unique access, even repairing some damage
    - Testosterone vs. Estrogen (why relationship with daughter is easier than son)
    - Predator vs. Protector (how a daughter's relationship is different than with all other women)



- FAMOUS DADS... INFLUENCED BY THEIR DAUGHTERS –
  - Daughter Anna Roosevelt... "practically ran the White House in Franklin Delano Roosevelt's last year in office."  
<http://www.npr.org/2017/07/02/535193215/ivanka-trump-isnt-just-any-white-house-staffer-but-how-much-influence-does-she-h>
  - Who but daughter Ivanka could have gotten her climate-change denier dad to meet with Al Gore?
  - Dick Cheney's gay daughter Mary – influenced his support of gay rights, against his Republican party's platform
  - BUSINESS LEADERS: Media titans Rupert Murdoch (daughter Elisabeth) and Sumner Redstone (daughter Shari) lobbied for their daughters to run their vast media empires, despite having sons (both daughters refused)
  - SUPREME COURT: Major Harvard research shows– Supreme Court Justices changed positions on major rulings once a daughter was born
    - i.e. ROE VS. WADE – deciding vote came from conservative Justice Harry Blackmun whose daughter Sally got him to change his vote
  - BUSINESS CEOs: HBR and Danish Studies – of Business CEOs show change of treatment of women employees after birth of daughter
  
- FAMOUS DECISIONS... INFLUENCED BY DAUGHTERS:
  - ROE VS. WADE: Harry Blackmun (Conservative Supreme Court Justice became Liberal, was deciding vote on Roe vs. Wade because of his daughter – historical proof)
  - WOMEN VOTING RIGHTS – U.S.: Champ Clark Speaker of the House support for Women Gaining the Right to Vote from daughter Genevieve's pressure (famous quote – He dare not come home if he voted wrong!)
  - WOMEN VOTING RIGHTS – BRITAIN: Winston Churchill (stopped opposing winning right to vote in England and suddenly supported it because of his daughter Mary)
  
  - MARK TWAIN – Samuel Clements' most famous work created from daughter's critiques and debates... he stopped writing after her death
  - MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR – became civil rights leader after birth of his daughter Yolanda
  - U.S. PRESIDENTS – all had daughters in White House over past 50 years



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