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ABOUT ME

Roni Faciane is a certified life coach, and former Lipstick Bounty Hunter, who advocates for improved protections for abused children, quality police and prison reforms, decriminalization of sex work and dangers of media disinformation. After facing a lawsuit for \$52 million for the arrest of a bail client turned murderer, the deaths of two women sex workers she helped to arrest, and prosecuting her daughter's abusers, Roni devoted herself to advocating for victims who are often ignored, silenced and judged by powerful entities who thrive on the pain of others for profit.

THE BOOK

Roni is best known for the attempted capture of Daniel Lee Duvall in 2013. A video of Roni and the owners of Lipstick Bail Bonds pursuing Duvall went viral, generating national and international attention. Duvall sued both Roni and Lipstick for \$52 million. He claimed Roni blinded him with a rubber bullet during the attempt and that the women used excessive force violating his civil rights.

A judge dismissed the lawsuit after a judge sentenced Duvall to 80 years in prison in 2017 for murdering his uncle with a fatal gunshot in 2015.



From Single Mother to Bounty Hunter: “Rubber Bullets” is the True Story of Roni Faciane and Her Fight to Save Crime Victims, Her Family and Herself!

LOS ANGELES - In 2013, bounty hunter Roni Faciane was sued for \$52 million after a parolee on bail filed suit when he was caught on viral video during a takedown—and it went viral. The parolee was eventually found guilty of murder and sentenced to 80 years in prison. In her recently released memoir, *Rubber Bullets*, Ms. Faciane tells the story of what really happened and how she ended up as a single mother hunting felons for a paycheck.

Roni Faciane has led the kind of life that most readers only see when they stream true crime or scripted detective shows. She’s earned the term badass the hard way—fighting for her children’s life, her life, and crime victims.

Jobs for non-college educated single mothers are rare. Those that can actually make ends meet, even more so. When Roni discovers that her daughter’s father lives with a woman who is abusing her child, she fights for custody and takes the only job available at the time—working in a prison. She gains the respect of the inmates, not because of her size (she’s small in stature) but because she’s street smart and knows how to work the system to stay safe. Even when threatened with physical attack, a light-hearted quip saves her from the worst. She’s endured sexual harassment at work and racism within her blended family and community. To say she’s fierce is putting too fine a point on it. She’s got guts! She is fearless and has the “rubber bullet” wounds to prove it.

“It’s funny, but I was inspired to go into bounty hunting when I watched *Dog The Bounty Hunter*,” Roni said. “But now I think my moxie is somewhere between a Foxy Brown and Erin Brockovich character. Though I always did everything by the book.”

This book is a compelling and inspiring journey of a brave woman who not only survived but crawled back up after getting hit with bullets of trauma, manipulation, rejection, racism, betrayal and resentment. Each of the chapters is called a “bullet” and delves into the who, what, where, when and why of each one that hurt.

Issues and themes the author can discuss about the book include:

- Improved protections for abused children
- Quality police and prison reforms
- Decriminalization of sex work
- Dangers of media disinformation

