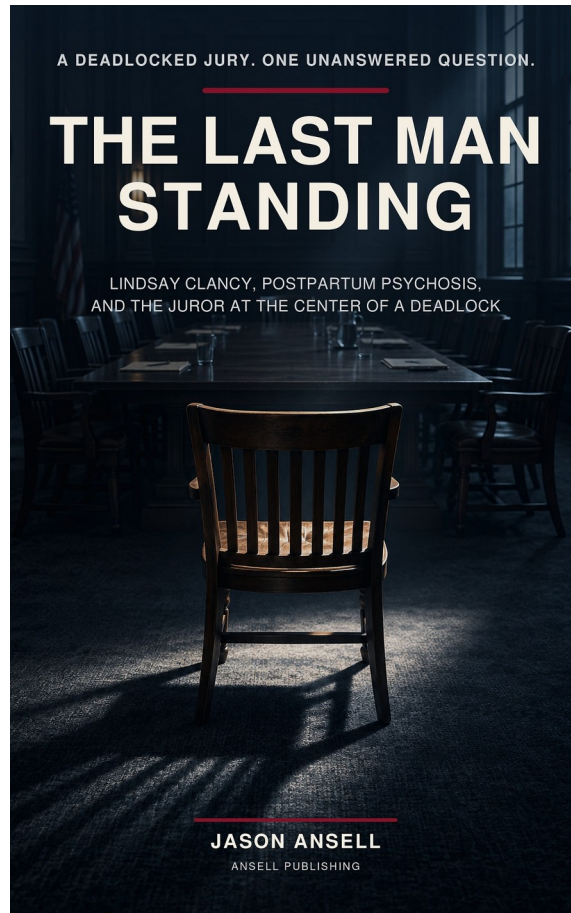


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THE LAST MAN STANDING

Lindsay Clancy, Postpartum Psychosis, and the Juror at the Center of a
Deadlock

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Media Overview

PRIMARY MEDIA ANGLE

An evidence-focused account of how conflicting psychiatric testimony and Massachusetts criminal-responsibility law culminated in a reported 11-1 jury deadlock and a mistrial.

Title: The Last Man Standing

Subtitle: Lindsay Clancy, Postpartum Psychosis, and the Juror at the Center of a Deadlock

Author: Jason Ansell

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Publication date: September 6, 2026

Reporting cutoff: September 6, 2026; subsequent developments are tracked separately

Formats: Kindle, paperback, reflowable EPUB, and unabridged Virtual Voice audiobook

Primary book page: <https://ansellpublishing.com/books/the-last-man-standing>

Book Description

After weeks of testimony and nearly 40 hours of deliberations, the Lindsay Clancy trial ended without a verdict. *The Last Man Standing* examines the prosecution and defense narratives, the disputed psychiatric evidence, the legal test for criminal responsibility, and the deliberations that produced a mistrial. The book distinguishes documented facts from courtroom arguments, expert opinions, and questions that remain unresolved.

It is written for readers seeking a structured account of the evidence and legal issues rather than a sensational retelling of a family tragedy.

Why This Book Is Timely

- The September 4, 2026 mistrial left the criminal case unresolved and permits prosecutors to seek another trial.
- Judge William Sullivan scheduled the next hearing for September 29, 2026.
- The trial renewed national discussion of postpartum psychosis, psychiatric treatment, medication history, and criminal responsibility.
- Public reporting has described an 11-1 division, but no verdict was returned and the exact legal meaning of individual juror positions should not be overstated.
- The related provider civil litigation remains pending; public statements of intent are not the same as new rulings or docket events.

Author Biography

Jason Ansell is a Canadian author, publisher, technologist, and entrepreneur with more than 25 years of experience in digital publishing, research, software, and online media. Through Ansell Publishing, he produces accessible nonfiction that organizes complex subjects for general readers. In *The Last Man Standing*, Ansell examines the public trial record, competing psychiatric interpretations, and the legal questions surrounding the Lindsay Clancy mistrial.

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Interview Topics

- How the legal standard for criminal responsibility differs from a clinical diagnosis.
- Why expert witnesses could interpret the same treatment history and behavior differently.
- What a mistrial means - and what it does not mean.
- How the reported jury division shaped the final book.
- How to write responsibly about an unresolved criminal proceeding involving living people.
- What the September 29 hearing may clarify, without predicting an outcome.

Suggested Interview Questions

1. Why did you decide to write this book while the case was still unfolding?
2. How did you distinguish established facts from arguments made by the prosecution and defense?
3. What made the psychiatric evidence particularly difficult for jurors to evaluate?
4. Why is a reported 11-1 division not equivalent to an acquittal?
5. What does Massachusetts law require when assessing criminal responsibility?
6. How did the mistrial change the structure or conclusion of the manuscript?
7. What should readers watch for at the September 29 hearing?
8. How do you address misinformation and unsupported theories surrounding the case?
9. What broader questions does the trial raise about postpartum mental health care?
10. How will future confirmed developments be handled after the book's reporting cutoff?

Formats and Retailer Links

Amazon Kindle: <https://www.amazon.com/dp/B0H1Y2XYL5>

Amazon paperback: <https://www.amazon.com/dp/1067932356>

Amazon audiobook: <https://www.amazon.com/dp/B0HJ18MYPM>

Audible: <https://www.audible.com/pd/Audiobook/B0HJ11YJGK>

Google Play Books: <https://play.google.com/store/books/details?id=UL4JEgAAQBAJ>

Apple Books: <https://books.apple.com/us/book/the-last-man-standing/id6809214928>

Barnes & Noble: <https://www.barnesandnoble.com/w/the-last-man-standing-jason-ansell/1151275300?ean=2940196862571>

Smashwords: <https://www.smashwords.com/books/view/2099946>

Bookshop.org: <https://bookshop.org/p/books/the-last-man-standing-jason-ansell/de7171460b3b3262?ean=9781067932343>

Thalia: <https://www.thalia.de/shop/home/artikeldetails/A1081593894>

Approved Positioning and Language

Use

- “Evidence-focused nonfiction account”
- “Examines the competing interpretations presented at trial”
- “The case remains unresolved following a mistrial”
- “Reported 11-1 jury division”
- “Based on the public record and information available through the stated cutoff”

Avoid

- “Inside account,” unless specifically describing a public courtroom record
- “Acquitted,” “found innocent,” or “convicted”
- Claims identifying or speculating about the holdout juror
- Unsupported allegations involving family members, clinicians, witnesses, or uncharged individuals
- Sensational descriptions such as “bombshell,” “shocking truth,” or “the juror who refused justice”

Rapid-Response Pitch Templates

Reporter pitch

SUBJECT

Interview source/book: documenting the evidence behind the Lindsay Clancy mistrial

Hello [Name],

I'm Jason Ansell, author of *The Last Man Standing*, a newly published evidence-focused examination of the Lindsay Clancy trial, the conflicting psychiatric testimony, and the reported 11-1 deadlock that ended in a mistrial.

Your recent coverage addressed [specific article or segment]. I can contribute a structured breakdown of the public trial record, how the criminal-responsibility standard differed from the clinical questions, and what the September 29 hearing may clarify.

The manuscript was researched during the proceedings and finalized after the September 4 mistrial. It clearly separates documented facts, courtroom arguments, expert opinions, and unresolved questions.

I'm available for a concise interview and can provide a review copy, fact sheet, cover image, and suggested questions.

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Best,
Jason Ansell
Ansell Publishing

Podcast pitch

Subject: Guest suggestion - the evidence and legal questions behind the Clancy mistrial

Hello [Host/Producer],

I'm the author of *The Last Man Standing*, a nonfiction account of the Lindsay Clancy trial and mistrial. I can join your program to discuss why the psychiatric testimony divided observers, what Massachusetts' criminal-responsibility standard required, and why an 11-1 deadlock still produced no legal answer.

I would approach the conversation from the documented public record, without speculation about jurors or uncharged individuals. A digital review copy and complete media kit are available.

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Best,
Jason Ansell

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Accuracy and Legal-Status Note

REQUIRED DISCLOSURE

The criminal proceeding remains unresolved. Lindsay Clancy has pleaded not guilty, and no final determination of criminal responsibility has been reached. A mistrial is neither a conviction nor an acquittal.

The book reflects information available through its stated reporting cutoff. New statements by attorneys or media reports should be attributed and should not be described as court rulings unless confirmed through an official proceeding or reliable primary record.

Selected Source Links

- Author background statement: <https://jasonansell.ca/my-stuff/why-i-wrote-the-last-man-standing-after-the-lindsay-clancy-mistrial/>
- AP live record of the September 4 mistrial: <https://apnews.com/live/lindsay-clancy-trial-09-04-2026>
- AP explanation of possible next steps: <https://apnews.com/article/lindsay-clancy-mistrial-what-happens-next-e38bef47f5af93bf95aabad272215b45>
- CBS Boston post-mistrial updates: <https://www.cbsnews.com/boston/live-updates/lindsay-clancy-murder-trial-hung-jury-mistrial-verdict-watch-live-updates/>
- Court TV post-mistrial overview: <https://www.courttv.com/news/what-happens-next-after-lindsay-clancys-mistrial/>
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