SECRET AS ANNIVERSARY OF TRAGEDY LOOMS

Michael Jackson

36-page tribute mag

or has been allowed to stay online for SIX YEARS.
The site, Islamic Awakening, has over 7,500 mem-

Last night there were calls for ministers to use

per" used the site to nock troops being bru-

Yousef al Khattab vrote: "These pictures ust inspire me to jump on top of the soldier and start stabbing him in his

neck until I get tired."

Some users even

pers and hails al Qaeda as martyrs while gloating at he death of British troops.

lew anti-terror powers to tear it down.

Posters on the site last week celebrated the killing

of troops in Afghanistan. A picture of a vehicle blown apart is headlined Ten more soldiers sent BY ADAM THORN

## Another "senior mem- tus and cheering him as

lims signed up who have written 349,000 posts. **Vile** The Home Office faces questions as to why the message board is still active despite new laws.
Lib Dem Lord Carlile

OC, who has investigated counter-terrorism, called for it to be closed. **EXCLUSIVE** 

BY JAMES DESBOROUGH

SEETHING Joe Jackson today sensationally re-

veals a secret bitter confrontation he had with

his weeping wife only

hours after their super-

In a world exclusive in-

terview just 12 days be-

of the singer's death, Joe

tells for the first time how

The shattering accusation

emerged when the couple came face-to-face as Michael lav on a mortuary table.

"Katherine was weeping un-controllably and highly upset. But I didn't give her a hug be-

But I didn't give her a nug because I was MAD at her crying," snaps Joe, 80, who says he had spent months urging her to get the singer into rehab for his pre-

"I said, 'If you had listened to me Michael would be living now!' I kept thinking about the

times I had stood in front of her "I couldn't bottle up my feelings. Katherine didn't say a word—I had to get away from

her. If she'd done what I asked. Michael would be here today. I am incensed with her. She could have made a difference.

Worrying

But Joe also confesses that HE

too failed his son as he opens his heart over the year of an-guish the Jackson family have

He tells how Katherine, 80, is

still deep in grief while Michael's children Prince, 13,

Paris, 12, and eight-year-old Blanket are recovering well

from the loss of their father.
And he reveals that Paris and
Prince have **MET** their biological

mum Debbie Rowe, 50, for the first time since Jacko's death.

For years Joe-former manager of the Jackson 5-has been

painted as the demonic father

of Jacko, regularly beating the star during his childhood.

But he still vehemently denies

the accusations-and looked

shell-shocked as he relived the worrying months leading up to

50-year-old Jacko's fatal heart

year-brought on by an overdose

of sleeping drug Propofol and a cocktail of sleeping pills.

Joe says: "I only saw him a couple of times in his last few

months-and he looked weak.

thin and like he needed to get

faced since the tragedy.

scription drugs addiction.

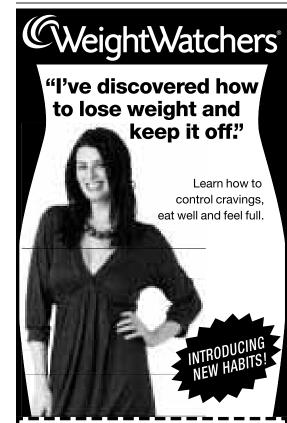
he BLAMED the King of Pop's mum Katherine for FAILING to save him from the prescription drugs

that killed him.

fore the first anniversary

star son Michael died.

Some users even wrote messages to nourn the death of vile Il Qaeda leader Mustafa Abul Yazid-claiming he vill be given martyr sta- who hosts the pages.



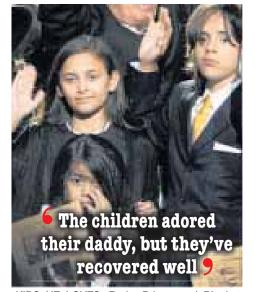
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# JACKO DAD JOE REVEALS BITTER

# 'If she'd done what I asked, he'd be here today'



midday on June 25 last year, Joe

on a stretcher. Then it came on the news saying that he had a heart

on the way I found out by phone from La Toya he had passed in the car. I felt numb and unreal."

Devastated Joe headed to the Jackson family compound in Encino as other members said their final good-

I never thought he'd die." Just after Westwood. "I didn't want to see Michael laid out on the slab like

ous that my son was gone."

And he focused that fury on Katherine. "In Michael's final months alive I said to her many times that I couldn't get through to

"I had begged her to go over and

his father-and Michael was a mummy's boy. He listened to her.

interview at

"I still haven't been able to talk about it to her as she doesn't want

"She is a shell of the woman she

from strength to strength. "They adored their daddy-but they have

upbringing, and made sure they studied hard and were only allowed

"He was a great, but strict father. Now those kids are the smartest and Michael's trained them to be aware

He adds: "We have given them more freedom and they seem to love it. They now have TVs and computers. Paris is the leader of them. She is growing up fast and has to be watched closely.

"I am pretty sure she can be anything she wants to be. Like all the Jacksons she has that showbiz gene

### **Proud**

"Prince is quieter, but every time I see him he has a different musical instrument in his hand. Blanket is

the most like his dad.
"When I look at him he reminds me of what my son was like at that age. Just like Michael he can dance good too. It's possible they'll go into showbusiness. It would make

Michael proud." He reveals that Paris and Prince met their biological mum Debbie Rowe, 50, earlier this year for the

first time since Jacko's death. "Debbie came over with some

presents and talked with the kids. They knew that she was their mother, but didn't make a big fuss,"

"It was all done in about ten minutes, but it was a good meeting. Whatever has been said, nobody has

good relationship."

Now Joe is busy battling for jus-

Murray, 56, was charged with man

slaughter last February.

He has already filed a wrongful death lawsuit against the Houston-based doctor Jackson handpicked for his tour medical duties.

And he is taking legal action against concert firm AEG as well as

"She still hasn't seen a dime. Michael looked after Katherine

He claims he also blames himsel for Michael's death. "I tried to help Michael, but I feel I could have been

him and that was in the Bahamas collecting an award for him. When his songs came on I just choked up

surprised by that. "I feel more anger that he is dead. He won't rest in peace until I find

love.

But Joe says: "I don't know why
Michael said those things. If I wasn't strict Michael may have ended up in

street gangs as a kid. I put an awful lot of work into getting him developed for show business.

"He knew I loved him. I regret

want his legacy to live forever."

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CONFRONTATION: Furious Joe told crying Katherine she could have saved their superstar son the room or disappear. It was very frustrating."

"He kept saying he was going to be killed, and was afraid he glow in his eyes, which he had on stage. I didn't know that he was addicted to drugs, but some
"He kept saying he was going to be killed, and was afraid he would be shot on stage," says on stage. I didn't know that he was addicted to drugs, but nothing because he feared exhaustion.

So Joe met AEG boss Randy into these things, but nothing ever happened.

"After that I left the room, and I said goodbye to Michael. I told him I'd speak to him

doc and they said he was OK. deal with concert promoters would be pushed to the edge. I

When they increased the number of shows they wanted Meanwhile Jacko was grow-ing more and more paranoid. says his distressed son asked

thing was wrong.

thing was wrong.

"I booked him an appointment to see my doctor, but when I said 'Let's go' he made some story that he had his own thing was wrong.

"Michael told me he had signed for just 15 shows, but was doing 50, and it was too only increased after Jackson agreed a £25 million comeback warned Randy that Michael told me he had soon—but I never did. It was the was doing 50, and it was too much in one go," says Joe. "I wish I had made him walk away from those shows. I knew he would never make them, but

"When I asked him what was up—he said he was fine, but if I pressed him, he'd walk out of walk out of walk out of comeback This Is It shows in but Michael and his mother just be up—he said he was fine, but if I but Michael and his mother just sat in the corner laughing out "Just like Katherine, he

couldn't cope with confronta-tions. Randy said he would look

took a call at his Las Vegas home as he watched the TV news. "It was a fan who told me Michael "I didn't shed any tears, but was being carried out of the house maybe I should have. I just felt furi-

attack," says Joe. "I knew I needed to get to LA. But

PARANOID: Jackson was afraid he would be shot on stage that—that was not how I would want to remember him," he says.

He kept saying

he was going

him-and that she needed to help her

stay with him, but she insisted he needed his privacy and gave him the byes to the King Of Pop in the emer-gency room of the UCLA hospital in will listen to his mother more than

to hear what I have to say."

Joe says Katherine has not recovered from her son's death.

was. She has headaches, can't sleep and won't deal with these problems-like Michael she would rather run away."

But Michael's children are

recovered well. The first few months were hard, but now they are enjoying their life in Encino," says Joe.

to watch TV at weekends.

of the world and its perils."

challenging lawyers over Jackson's 2002 will which gave Katherine 40 per cent of Michael's estate.

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with the

throughout her life—he would be disgusted by this," says Joe.

more aggressive in getting access to him," he says.
"Only once did I shed a tear for

and tears ran down my face. I was

out what really happened."

Joe remains unaffected by the public's perception of him as an unemotional, callous tyrant.

Unhappy Michael fired him as his

manager, admitting he made him faint with fear and never felt any

stopped Debbie from seeing the children. Katherine and she have a that I didn't say goodbye properly. I

