

Kaleigh Koc - Taylor Swift touched my right hand. I'm also deathly allergic to tree nuts.

Jess Bielonko - I grew up on a farm.

Ryan Kairalla - Recently published a law review article with Pitbull.

Toni-Ann Rankine - My first pet (Golden Retriever) and I were born around the same time and she was gifted to me at birth.

### **Final Story:**

After both having performed at a sold-out show together earlier in the day, Pitbull and Taylor Swift were out having dinner to celebrate the release of Pitbull's recent law review trademark article. Having seen the reviews online of the restaurant's spaghetti with pesto, Taylor was excited to order. Taylor had known that she was allergic to tree nuts since she was a small child. Growing up on her family's farm, Taylor ate a tree nut and would have died if it weren't for the heroic barking of her golden retriever who she had since birth. Since then, Taylor has been very careful about her tree nut allergy, especially when dining out.

When the waitress came to take their orders, Taylor made sure to ask whether there were tree nuts in the pesto. The waitress went back into the kitchen to double-check with the restaurant owner. She then told Taylor she was safe to consume the dish and that there was no possibility of there being tree nuts in the pesto.

Right as Taylor was telling Pitbull how much she missed being able to touch fans' hands at concerts, due to the coronavirus outbreak, Taylor felt her throat begin to close. She immediately knew that there were indeed tree nuts in her dish, and she was rushed to the hospital.

At the hospital, Taylor went into anaphylactic shock and required epinephrine. Unfortunately, the attending physician (who was too starstruck to concentrate on her job) administered the incorrect dosage, causing additional harm to the international pop star.

Ethicists often are forced to struggle with difficult questions of retributive and compensatory justice. In this case, we find ourselves with a difficult dilemma as to who to blame for this health crisis of a national treasure and voice of our generation. Who is responsible? The waitress? The restaurant owner? The pesto supplier, who forgot to disclose the existence of tree nuts in their dish? Or the Swiftie attending physician who slipped up and exacerbated the problem? Is it a combination of all of them? How should they each be punished? And how should they compensate Ms. Swift?