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If you find yourself before a Kansas court, fasten your seat belt, you may be in for a bumpy ride. You may find the judge handling your case is not the impartial arbiter we have been led to believe they should be.

Some district judges use the bench to dispense justice according to personal prejudice, rather than the law. Many have held office so long they have acquired a sense of infallibility.

Local courts have an assortment of judges who use power as an extension of their personal beliefs and may retaliate against those who have a different view. They have become creatures of a privileged bureaucracy.

Always order a copy of the court transcript; you may be surprised by the inaccuracies you discover.

With the Kansas Commission on Judicial Qualification acting as goalkeeper for Kansas courts, they stand safe from all but the most serious ethical violations.

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