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Catholic author creates comic to foster abortion discussion A fetus named Alphonse survives an abortion attempt and ?sets out on a mission of revenge.?

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