

Sculptures Damaged at the Vatican

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LOL! I didn't even know what "calumny" was! 😄

---especially the synonyms: insults, slights, bad-mouthing (see synonyms below).

Was Phyrrho really an uneducated fool? (I will have to research that).

From Google, --the making of false and defamatory statements about someone in order to damage their reputation; slander.

"a bitter struggle marked by calumny and litigation"

synonyms: slander, defamation (of character), character assassination, misrepresentation of character, evil-speaking, calumny, libel, scandalmongering, malicious gossip, muckraking, smear campaign, disparagement, denigration, derogation, aspersions, vilification, traducement, obloquy, verbal abuse, backbiting, vituperation, revilement, scurrility, lies, slurs, smears, untruths, false accusations, false reports, insults, slights, mudslinging, bad-mouthing, contumely