

Answer to reviewers

Reviewer 1

“Dear Editor, I read with interest the manuscript entitled "A rare cause of acute abdomen after a Good Friday" by Pante L et al, submitted to the WJG as Letter to the Editor. This was a case report of a perforated Meckel diverticulum by a fishbone. Similar cases have been extensively reported worldwide. References are incomplete. Furthermore no new relevant informations with regard to the management of this unusual condition are provided.”

Thank you for your input. We are glad to have a chance to improve our letter. We have added more references, more relevant information on the management and differential diagnosis.

Reviewer 2

“This is an interesting case with great clinical significance, but the discussion part of the article is too brief. Please elaborate on the discussion part of the article and add references appropriately.”

Thank you for your input. We have improved the discussion and elaborated more in the differentials and management, adding more references.