

INVESTIGATIVE REPORT  
TRIPLE HOMICIDE  
BYERS/MOORE/BRANCH

ON 122393, I MET WITH DON NAM WHO HAD BEEN DEVELOPED BY DEPUTY PROSECUTOR JOHN FOGLEMAN AS BEING A POSSIBLE WITNESS IN THE ABOVE NOTED HOMICIDE. IT WAS DISCOVERED THAT DON MAY HAVE BEEN PRESENT AT WALMART WHEN JASON BALDWIN, DAMIEN ECHOLS, AND DOMINI TEER WERE THERE ON 05-05-93. DON IS AN ORIENTAL MALE WHO IS 14 YEARS OF AGE AND LIVES AT 300 SHOPPINGWAY #16 WITH HIS STEP MOTHER AND FATHER. DON ATTENDS SCHOOL AT MARION JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL AND ROUTINELY RIDES THE BUS TO AND FROM SCHOOL.

DON STATED THAT ON 05-05-93 HE HAD GOTTEN OUT OF SCHOOL AT 3:15 PM AND THAT THE BUS GETS HIM HOME AT 4:00 PM. HE STATED THAT HE HAD GONE TO WALMART ON THAT DAY TO PLAY THE VIDEO GAME STREET FIGHTER II. HE NOTICED JUST AFTER HE BEGAN PLAYING THE GAME THAT A BOY THAT HE WAS LATER TO IDENTIFY AS JASON BALDWIN HAD WALKED UP TO WATCH HIM PLAY THE GAME. HE NOTED THAT HE WAS ABLE TO IDENTIFY THIS PERSON AS BEING JASON BALDWIN WHEN HE SAW HIM ON T.V. WHEN HE WAS ARRESTED FOR THE ABOVE NOTED HOMICIDE. HE STATED THAT HE PLAYED THE VIDEO GAME FOR ABOUT 45 MINUTES OR SO AND THAT HE THEN WENT INTO WALMART AND LOOKED AROUND FOR A WHILE. WHEN HE CAME BACK OUT OF THE STORE AT ABOUT 6:00 PM HE NOTICED THAT JASON WAS STANDING NEAR THE TELEPHONES IN FRONT OF WALMART WITH TWO OTHER PEOPLE THAT HE LATER WAS ABLE TO IDENTIFY AS DAMIEN ECHOLS AND DOMINI TEER. HE STATED THAT HE IDENTIFIED THEM ON TELEVISION ALSO. DON STATED THAT HE BEGAN TO PLAY THE VIDEO GAME AGAIN AND HE SAW ALL THREE OF THEM WALKING TOWARDS BELLEVEDERE APARTMENTS. DON STATED THAT HE WAS CERTAIN OF THE DATE WHEN THEY WERE AT WALMART BECAUSE ON THE DAY THAT THE VICTIMS HAD BEEN FOUND HE WAS IN KROGER AND OVERHEARD A CONVERSATION OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE ABOUT HOW THE POLICE HAD FOUND THE VICTIMS. HE STATED THAT IT WAS ONLY WHEN THE T.V. AIRD THE BOYS ARREST THAT HE REMEMBERED THAT JASON, DAMIEN, AND DOMINI WERE THE ONES HE HAD SEEN ON THE DAY BEFORE THE VICTIMS WERE FOUND.

DON GAVE A STATEMENT TO ME THAT I WROTE DOWN IN HIS PRESENCE WHICH HE READ AND SIGNED AS BEING ACCURATE ON THIS DATE.

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Document re: Don Namm