

SUMMARY OF EVIDENCE PROVING THE THOMPSONS WERE KILLED BY WHITE SHOOTERS

Yet I was convicted based exclusively on black shooters, 6 RT 2736. Even though we have not seen one witness statement (WS, plural, WSS) or any evidence of black shooters, or blacks on the crime scene¹, lead investigator Lillienfeld testified under oath that, "...except for these², the strongest witnesses to the shooting said black shooters", Orange County preliminary hearing pages 173 & 207, 4/15/02.

1. 911 call as he saw a white suspect shoot Trudy, by Anthony Triarsi, bp 000188.
2. The official all points bulletin featuring only a white shooter, bp 033144.
3. Anthony Triarsi witness statements at bps 100145, 000424, 026666, 032649, 034616³.
4. Phyllis Triarsi, 000426, 026670, 6/9/97 tape recording, IFNS for 000308 suppressed.
5. Allison Triarsi, 000512, IFNS critical but suppressed, day of murders interview, CT 2-559, suppressed, also critical. Trial witness, changed to "yes I said white shooter to Det. Lillienfeld in interview, but now can't recall." Lillienfeld verified.
6. Ken & Mirian Hackman, bps 000393 & 395, 5/13/97 tape, saw blacks on bicycles near, but not on crime scene. Official county bike path runs next to/through crime scene. Described white suspect on Thompson property which matched description others gave.⁴

NOT ONE OF THESE CRIME SCENE EYEWITNESSES EVER ABSOLUTELY IDENTIFIED A BLACK SUSPECT

7. Sandra Johnson, wife of trial witness Lance Johnson, who evidence proves lied materially at trial, originally reported one bike rider, light skinned, possibly white, bp 025535+. At trial she changed that to very dark, along with other material changes such as clothes, to "fit" the D.A.'s case. She & Lance are very close friends with the victims' sister, Colleen Campbell, who conducted a witch-hunt vs. me.
 8. Deputies' radio traffic, white suspect 000197, "white, possibly two blacks", 000200.
 9. Kirstin Hackman, "saw white suspect who matched description of white other witnesses reported, around days of killings, on bike, near crime scene", bps 026494-5. Witness felt suspect resembled killer Jerry Henrickson who admitted to involvement, 007294. It is very suspicious that there is no WS for this witness for first nine years.
 10. Bps 000484-5, IFNS 025691 describe possible/probable VAGOS MOTORCYCLE CLUB shooter. Lillienfeld refuses to investigate since suspect is white, says "Killers were black. Vagos have no black members & won't hire blacks." Thompson was testifying against VAGOS member in a murder trial & complained of death threats from them, 034350-2.⁵
 11. Extensive investigation on white suspect Joey Hunter, bps 000085-000111, not cleared.
 12. Media regularly reports "Focus in the White Suspect" thru 9/4/89, never cleared.
- Much more, e.g. LASD wanted poster features white suspect, bp 033382, 034939, 000268 etc;⁶
- 1) The only blacks were seen near the scene on bikes on the bicycle path right there.
 - 2) Lillienfeld noted "these" as the Triarsis.
 - 3) Anthony may have said possibly black once.
 - 4) They were shown photo & tentatively identified. Defense has not been given photo or ID.
 - 5) Other Thompson friends told us of similar WSS on these threats. They are suppressed.
 - 6) There is much, much more, & no indication the white suspect was ever cleared.

4. LIE NUMBER FOUR BY D.D.A. ALAN JACKSON; Jackson actually lied about when Mickey & Trudy Thompson were killed, in what order, in an offer-of-proof.

On 10/4/04, at the preliminary hearing, Jackson represented to the Court that.

"Mickey Thompson was left alive specifically to watch as Trudy Thompson was executed before his eyes" CT 1-107: 4 & 10. See page M in exh. D here.

However, Jackson, & his cohort in this FRAUD ON THE COURT, Patrick Dixon, who sat right there and listened, & later contributed to the lie, knew full well:

1. That Mickey Thompson was killed first & did not see Trudy die. and,
2. That he, Jackson had the exculpatory evidence needed to prove this right there, "in his briefcase" so to speak, but that he had withheld it illegally from the defense. This BRADY violation alone requires reversal.

This heinous fraud on the victims, the family, the Court, the defendant & the people of California, who Jackson & Dixon represent, was perpetrated so as to foment unlawful passion & prejudice against the defendant via an even more shocking to the conscience lie about the facts, described below.

These Los Angeles District Attorney's office prosecutors had hatched a plot to also lie that:

"Goodwin hated Thompson so much that he had Mickey intentionally wounded, non-lethally, held by one gunman, and made to watch as the love of his life, Trudy Thompson was murdered in cold blood in front of his eyes"

Accurately paraphrased from ten pages of argument exh. D, pp. N-N9.

But the entire bizarre crime scene script, for which Jackson & Dixon suborned material perjury to support, was completely impossible & wholly fabricated, with no basis in fact, since Mickey was killed first. See exhibit D, evidence pages A thru I, plus additional support in pages J & K.

This is well elucidated in exhibit D here, with irrefutable evidence, so we will only add a bit more. The law rules this lie was felony perjury by the DDAS.

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THE LAW RULES THAT DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY ALAN JACKSON COMMITTED
FELONY PERJURY, LYING TO JUDGE TERI SCHWARTZ IN AN OFFER-OF-PROOF

In Michael Goodwin's trial for the murder-for-hire of Mickey & Trudy Thompson, Jackson made an offer-of-proof to Judge Schwartz that:

"Mickey Thompson was left alive specifically to watch as Trudy Thompson was executed before his eyes." CT 1-107, pg. L.

Yet Jackson knew full well that 1) Mickey was killed 1st, & that 2) he, Jackson, had the evidence proving that "in his briefcase," but that he hid that material exculpatory evidence. See pages "P"

This is material since Jackson & Patrick Dixon, head of Major Crimes for the Los Angeles District Attorney (L.A.D.A.) at the time, used this bogus "Trudy was killed 1st" to fabricate a false crime scene script, total fantasy, so as to argue that:

"Goodwin hated Thompson so much that he had Mickey intentionally wounded non-lethally, held, & made to watch Trudy be murdered, to torment Mickey for the remaining 30 seconds of his life!"

See ten pages of sample argument on this at pages N-N9.

However this is all completely impossible because Mickey was killed 1st. This is proven by evidence pages A thru I here. And the false crime scene script is proven as untrue by evidence pages J & K.

Support for Jackson's theatre of the absurd argument was solely suborned perjury by a witness which evidence proves committed six+ other material perjuries. See those detailed at pages Q1 thru Q6. The law rules that by lying to the Judge Jackson committed perjury.

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EXHIBIT D

Jackson also violated Penal Code 182 (1) thru (5) FELONY CONSPIRACY TO OBSTRUCT JUSTICE & FALSELY CONVICT. He is an LADA 2012 candidate.

PROSECUTORS ALAN JACKSON & PATRICK DIXON LIED, KNOWINGLY, & REVERSED THE ORDER OF THE MURDERS OF MICKEY & TRUDY THOMPSON TO FALSELY CONVICT MICHAEL GOODWIN

That stunning statement is correct. It is a provable fact that Mickey was shot to kill 1st, & Trudy was killed after him. Evidence herein establishes that.

Yet DDAS (Deputy District Attorneys) Alan Jackson & Patrick Dixon, both highly respected & extremely experienced prosecutors in the Los Angeles District Attorney's office (LADA), although they knew the true facts & hid them, lied to the Judge & Jury at trial, stating that Trudy was killed first. They did this as part of a complex, bizarre, completely fabricated crime scene "script" from which they argued that petitioner (Goodwin) hated Mickey so much that he staged a "Dance of Death" where Mickey was intentionally non-lethally wounded & forced to watch Trudy be killed, so as to "torment" Mickey for the 15 to 30 seconds before he was then killed.

This theatre of the absurd, designed to unlawfully evoke passion & prejudice, was featured by these DDAS as their #1 argument. It occupied 35 out of 63 pages of their argument devoted to so-called "facts," although evidence conclusively proves 51 material false statement by them in argument. One of the most egregious, & easiest to prove that they knew was a lie was told ten times. But those are different stories, available to you with precise evidence cites proving their falsity, if you wish.

For here the key is to note that this "Death Dance/Trudy killed first" was featured as central to 35 pages of 63 pages of their opening statement & closing argument, 55%, yet they knew they were repeatedly lying, that Mickey was killed 1st.

Mickey being killed 1st, the true facts, ~~were~~ the Los Angeles Sheriff's Dept. (LASD) official story line for the first nine years after the murders & was reported to all the media up to & including august TIME MAGAZINE, exhibit page I here.

Then Mickey's sister, Collene Campbell, a powerful politician & law enforcement maven, who had a vendetta vs. petitioner, found an extremely corrupt cop, Det. Mark Lillienfeld, to take over the investigation. Lillienfeld then rewrote the "facts". He fabricated the order of the murders, changed the race of the killers, forged

a critical witness statement, fabricated evidence to imply guilt, destroyed evidence that would have proven petitioner's innocence, & hid even more of it, plus:

EVIDENCE PROVES THAT LILLIENFELD COMMITTED 100+ MATERIAL FELONY PERJURIES.

Those are not all. He threatened & intimidated witnesses, evidence indicates he suborned perjury, a Penal code 127 felony, & evidence proves he was central to the Penal Code 182 (1) thru (5) CONSPIRACY TO OBSTRUCT JUSTICE & FALSELY CONVICT petitioner. Lillienfeld worked hand in hand between Colleen Campbell, who petitioner was trying to expose for multiple, multi-million dollar Bankruptcy Fraud & Pension felonies, & prosecutor Alan Jackson, who chillingly is a candidate for Los Angeles District Attorney in 2012. But, back to our focus here, "Who was really killed 1st?"

The only "evidence" that Mickey survived Trudy was changed testimony by a severely emotionally damaged-at-the-time-of-the-crime woman who was 14 years old then. She was so traumatized by the murders that she submitted to long term psychiatric care & even had to keep a "Diary of Her Nightmares" re: the murders of Mickey & Trudy, whom she idolized. Both that diary, critical to the truth at trial, & of which the State had at least constructive possession, & her psychiatric records were missing for trial. These are both material pre-accusation delay evidence losses.¹

Her material day of the murders witness statement & another critical witness statement investigator field notes, both of which she testified to giving, are suppressed; CT 2-559:28 & bp 00512 for the typed statement for which the IFNS are missing. Reports in discovery establish many more interviews with suppressed witness statements.

This witness, Allison Triarsi, changed her story from the only witness statement (WS) produced for her.... "she felt it was a white shooter" & she couldn't tell how & when Mickey was killed² to, at trial, exactly what the State needed to "sell" the Jury on its bogus script, that she saw Trudy killed in front of Mickey while he was forced to watch. Yet other evidence, some of it herein, proves that is impossible.

And, her own testimony proves six+ other material perjuries/false testimonies.³

- 1) Suppressed evidence is a hallmark of this case. Evidence proves 250 BRADY violations.
- 2) This "reconstruction" is from recall. The prison took many of my legal records.
- 3) Conflicts in her testimony between the prelim & trial, major. See pages

All of the documentary evidence we have located is unanimous that Mickey was killed first, Trudy after, and most of that evidence, in addition to being contemporaneously prepared just following the crime, is official, e.g. from Court, probate, coroner records, etc; These are far less susceptible to tampering & "dimming/changing" with time as are the unreliable vagaries of human memory. Included are:

A. 11/7/88 attorney's letter from the probate files verifying that:

"...their sincere belief that agreement was reached among virtually all of the members of the families of Mickey & Trudy Thompson that,...Trudy Thompson would be considered to have survived Mickey Thompson"

There are three other issues which will become material which should be noted from this letter, A) Colleen Campbell took the position that it could not be told who died first, B) that Colleen retained Anthony Rackauckas to represent her on this. Rackauckas later, as the Orange County District Attorney (OCDA), charged petitioner representing that Trudy was killed 1st. Evidence introduced later here will belie that he believed that to be true. Also, C) it is confirmed at the middle of page 2 that the family meeting was taped, & that this attorney requested copies of the tape & any notes or memoranda.

These are exculpatory, as are Rackauckas' files on this issue, yet none of these were produced in discovery. Since Rackauckas "assisted in the investigating" all exculpatory evidence he possessed, or knew of must be discovered.

Note also that there was a hearing on this ^bsubject, referenced as "Who Died First" herein, on November 17th. Certainly Rackauckas has notes & files/pleadings related to that hearing, as do Clark & Trevithick, another of the legal firms representing Colleen on this issue material to the murder trial. I have also read elsewhere that Clark & Trevithick filed pleadings for the 11/17 hearing & was very involved therein. I feel that was in fee details.

Of note here is that Colleen was evidently later sued for fraud on this. Just the evidence here provides strong indication that Mickey died 1st. And, the evidence that is confirmed but not yet discovered should cinch that fact.

B. Bates page (bp) 000125 from discovery, the typed witness statement (WS) for very close geographically Thompson neighbors Michael Difilippo & his wife, stating they heard (he specifically said it, police said she agreed with his statement)

"Trudy scream, don't shoot me, don't shoot me!"

Had Mickey still been alive they would have also heard him, but did not.

Even more tellingly, had Mickey still been alive is it not a permissible inference that his spouse, who many testified loved him dearly, would have also plead for Mickey's life? This & them not hearing Mickey scream indicates he'd died.

These "Trudy screamed last" proliferate through many witness statements, many included, & were even the subject of special articles in the Los Angeles Times, 3/17/88, by Patt Morrison & Jennifer Miller, plus the 3/17/88 O.C. Register.

C. Original radio call update "woman screaming", by Dep. Rodriguez, who at trial testified he was the 1st or one of the 1st to reach the crime scene, bp 000015.

D. Rita Jones, "heard a woman scream", bp 000116. 911 call noted, suppressed, material.

E. Marilyn Dootson, "shots, then a woman screaming, then one final pop", bp 000037.

The final pop after the woman screaming plus shots before the woman screamed paints a very clear picture of Mickey being killed 1st, then Trudy, as she yelled.

F. Kirtis Hackman, "heard trudy screaming don't kill us" after gunshots, bp 026495.

I've included the next page of this WS (witness statement) because of the blonde guy on a bicycle seen day before or after, 5' 7" to 5'10", thin build. This matches exactly the description of the white guy/suspect which every crime scene eyewitness described. This suspect could also well have been the "blonde guy in the station wagon" seen by the Stevens, trial witnesses, a week± prior to the murders at a location the DDAS (Deputy District Attorneys) argued the "escaping killers" took them to about 2½ miles on a roundabout route from the crime scene.

This old station wagon was seen empty across the street from the Thompson home, the murder scene, the morning of the murders. The Stevens incorrectly identified me as being in the car 2½ miles away about a week prior to the murders.

Although on a different issue, "me" allegedly being seen in the old station wagon near the Stevens' home about a week before the murders, warrants a brief discussion.

The DDAS argued that "I" was "scouting the escape route." This old station wagon was immediately reported as being seen across from the Thompson home empty the day of the murders, bp 034749-750. The Stevens also testified to 4 to 6 reports to the police right after the murders, about "the blonde guy in the station wagon," citations available, including the Stevens telling the police that they felt it may be linked to the Thompson murders. All evidence of their call ins are suppressed.

And, these valuable clues were ignored then, & again when Det. Lillienfeld noted that he reviewed bp 034749-750 about the old station wagon on 9/23/94, clue #164 that was initially reported on 4/14/88, bp 026874. Had LASD not been negligent & followed up on the station wagon/Stevens' link either in 1988, immediately, as they should have, or even in 1993 when Lillienfeld re-reviewed the clues, I could have proven with "in-person" evidence, if it was in 1988, that I did not have long, blonde hair, or even in 1993, via photographs. A line up was not held until 13 years later.

Also had this allegation come up in 1988 I could have produced an alibi with my meticulously maintained daytimer and/or expense records. Even in 1993 I still had those available. By the time of trial the Stevens even claimed not to recall when the "sighting" was, picking ever changing dates/times from 3 to 10 days prior to the murders, between 11AM & 3PM, making it impossible to find an alibi, which would have been extremely difficult anyway 18½ years after the murders when the trial was held.

This identification was material in my conviction. Authority is clear that this loss of alibi is a speedy trial/pre-accusation delay (PADL) due process violation calling for dismissal with prejudice (no new trial). See IBARRA V. MUNI CT. (1984) 162 Cal App 3d 853, 858, 208 CR 783, People v. Vandenberg (1973) 32 CA3d 526.¹

The DDAS linked "me" to the murders by arguing, with absolutely no support on the record, & all evidence proving they were wrong, that the killers escaped on the absurd route they would have had to take to reach the site 2½ miles away near "me".

1) And, DDA Jackson committed GRIFFIN error on this, __RT 8755.

- G. Kent Hackman "heard Mickey scream...then gunshots...then he heard Trudy yell... then more gunshots", bp 000115. Again this follows what would happen if Mickey were killed 1st & then Trudy, plus it matches what all other witnesses reported.
- H. Marion Hackman, Kent's wife, "heard yelling or screaming, thought it was Trudy Thompson, then shots", bp 000119.
- I. TIME MAGAZINE 3/28/88 "...two men...killed Thompson, 59...a neighbor, stirred by the gunplay, awoke to Trudy thompson's desperate cries of "Don't shoot, don't shoot". Moments later, Trudy, 41, lay dead.

J. OFFICIAL CORONER'S REPORT from discovery, bp 000153. Note:

- A. Mickey & Trudy appeared to be fleeing in opposite directions. That undermines the DDAS' script of Mickey being held & made to watch Trudy being killed.
- B. Both were shot in the back of the head. I believe (?) this contradicted trial testimony by Allison. I can't be sure since prison authorities have seized seven boxes of my evidence & refused for over 11 weeks to allow me to see it although their own rules, DOM 54030.10.2, require me to see it weekly.
- C. The head shot to Mickey, "through & through, with the projectile (bullet) removed from under his head" gives documentary evidence that Mickey was already lying face down, dead or dying when this coupe de grace was administered.

This was reinforced by trial testimony by the coroner's representative, & proved as yet another lie by the DDAS, that Mickey was standing & being forced to watch trudy be killed before, while standing "a 9MM pistol was screwed into his ear", 6 RT 2732:2, page N1 here. Had he been standing when a through & through shot passed through his head back to front, the bullet would have traveled some distance away & not become embedded right under his head in the asphalt of the driveway. This tied right into the "Dance of Death," a big issue.

Petitioner, me, pointed this, bp 000153, plus the coroner's testimony, out to my trial attorney, explaining the contradiction. She refused to argue it.

Evidence proving the State's knowledge of their lies re: that Trudy was clearly killed first gets much deeper than this, & also conclusively evidences that extensive evidence re: these issues is held by State actors, yet is suppressed

K. Pleading for sworn affidavits by trial witnesses Lance & Sandra Johnson in 1988 swearing that it could not be told who was killed/died first. This was filed by current OCDA Tony Rackauckas while he was Collene Campbell's private attorney.

When he filed against me as OCDA he claimed Trudy was killed before Mickey, p. L.

Now let us look at what the prosecutors argued in spite of all this evidence, & more as we will see from the list of suppressed evidence at pages P1 thru P9.

L. Pleading by Senior Deputy OCDA James Mulgrew, under the direction of OCDA Tony Rackauckas, that Trudy was killed 1st, & that the killings were orchestrated so that Mickey was forced to watch trudy being killed 1st in front of him. Obviously Rackauckas could not possibly have believed this to be true whether Mickey was killed first, evidence pages A thru I here, or even if as per the legal pleadings he filed in 1988, as an officer of the Court, "it could not be told who died 1st"

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People v. MIRENDA (2009) 174 Cal App 4th 1313, 1332, 95 CR3d 702, 716.

Thus, if law were adhered to, these DDAS are guilty of Pen C 118 felony perjury.

M. Los Angeles prosecutors made an offer of proof that Mickey was intentionally left alive to watch Trudy be "executed before his eyes". This was a knowing lie at CT 1-107:4-11 by DDA Jackson, the LADA "Prosecutor of the Year" in 2010.

This was extremely material throughout the trial since this FRAUD ON THE COURT, DIXON V. IRS (2003) 316 F3D 1041, was A) used as the foundation to demonstrate petitioner's alleged, but non-existent, "hate" vs. Thompson, which was a theme of the State case, woven throughout the interviews/argument, and,

B) Used also to keep the evidence out of what was most probably the real motive for the murders, the theft of \$250,000 in gold coins. Evidence establishes that Mickey bought these gold coins just before the murders, & that they were not found following the murders. A robbery was reinforced by this evidence:

- 1) An empty bag like gold coins were delivered in at the time was found in the Thompson van in which Trudy was initially shot. The bag was photographed, 16 RT 6019-6020, & then conveniently "lost"
- 2) Every witness who reported suspects leaving the area of the crime scene on bicycles reported that they had bags with them like gold was delivered in.

3) Three key witnesses reported that they felt it was a robbery, Lance Johnson, bp 33428 & 32658, IFNS (investigator field notes) suppressed for at least the 1st of those, as were all IFNS for interviews taken by the 2nd lead investigator, Sgt. Yarbrough, for the 8+ years he led the investigation, 1989 until May, 1997. Sandra Johnson, Lance's wife, bp 32659, & Anthony Triarsi, who watched the attack & called 911 right in the midst of it, bp 000188 & 000029.

4) There were pry marks on a window of the Thompson home. and,

5) There was damage to the Thompson safe. **BUT, NO ROBBERY/GOLD EVIDENCE WAS ALLOWED.** Evidence also proves more than a dozen pieces of evidence that appear that they will be materially exculpatory, that the prosecution has, including pertinent witness statements about the gold, which are suppressed. They must be discovered.

Again, let's focus on what Los Angeles prosecutors Jackson & Dixon told the Judge & Jury.

N; "Every witness who heard anything heard Mickey"; 6 RT 2734:12-16, accurately paraphrased, & "They (the gunmen) hurt his wife (Trudy) & then they hurt him." Jackson also added here that "As I said, the gunmen got on bicycles & rode away".

N1; Jackson added the second statement above since he had said at one prior page, 2732, "witnesses watched as the gunmen jumped on bicycles & began to pedal off". But, that is not true. No witness has ever reported seeing either a bicycle or a black suspect, which the DDAS argued were the killers, 6 RT 2736:8, on the crime scene (not included). No witness to the killing grounds, none of the five eyewitnesses reported seeing anyone on bicycles or a black person on the actual crime scene, the killing grounds.

N2; "Trudy Thompson was actually killed 1st"; 2710:21, the 2nd page of D.A. opening.

N3; The entire page, 2731, is devoted to the bogus "Death Dance/Trudy killed first"

N4; "Make sure Mickey watched as Trudy died & then kill Mickey"; 2733:25-26.

The nexus of the argument was this "professional assassination" & "this was not a robbery" intertwined for 55%+ of the prosecution argument re: facts. It was actually on 63 pages of the opening & argument. There were 14½ ^{combined} pages no robbery, 20½ Death Dance. We had more than sufficient evidence to prove a gold theft. The Judge wouldn't admit it.

N5; "Mickey Thompson stood on the top of the driveway & watched in horror as the love of his life, Trudy Thompson, had a bullet put through the back of her head," RT 8734. Then DDA Jackson, knowing full well that he was lying, & could only do so since he had illegally failed to produce the evidence needed to prove he was lying, added more false drama to his bogus script by describing how the gunman then "marched up the driveway, put a gun to Mickey's head & shot him to death." Jackson then said:

"THAT IS EXACTLY HOW MICHAEL GOODWIN SAID HE WANTED IT TO HAPPEN, EXACTLY!"

N6; At RT=8744 Jackson really elicits "Passion & Prejudice," which is patently illegal by linking his "Dance of Death" to the willful, deliberate, premeditated jury instruction, even though he knew he was lying to the Judge & Jury:

"THERE WAS A PLAN IN PLACE. THERE WAS A DANCE, IF YOU WILL. A VERY DEADLY DANCE, BUT A CHOREOGRAPHED ACTION NONETHELESS...THOSE TWO KILLERS ACTED IN CONCERT WITH ONE ANOTHER; ONE COVERING MICKEY THOMPSON; THE OTHER MAKING SURE TRUDY DIDN'T GET ANYWHERE.

THAT 1ST KILLER MAKING SURE THAT TRUDY WAS DEAD & MICKEY WAS STILL ALIVE TO WATCH IT. THEN & ONLY THEN WALKING UP THE DRIVEWAY TO KILL MICKEY."

N7; More by Jackson on Mickey seeing Trudy when she was killed, RT-8773 where he adds that this evidence alone suggests Michael Goodwin is guilty. Specifically he argued:

"IF MICKEY WAS FORCED TO WATCH HIS WIFE DIE, THIS WAS A PERSONAL ATTACK. THE MOST PERSONAL. THE MOST BRUTAL. AND IT PROVES THAT MICHAEL GOODWIN IS PART OF IT. HE IS THE ONE WITH THE MOTIVE".

Re: "the motive." Evidence we have in hand proves that the entire motive, "Goodwin killed Thompson because he refused to pay him a \$794,000 judgment Goodwin owed Mickey" was known of as false by the DDAS, but they hid evidence on this also. I, petitioner, had deposited over \$830,000 cash into a trust account which I could not touch, to pay Thompson, 90 days before he was murdered. His own lawyers later looted those funds.

N8; "Make sure that Mickey Thompson saw the person he loved the most die in front of him before he died," RT-9008:19 in rebuttal close.

N9; "You heard all the evidence...the truth is you heard all the evidence...it was an assassination!" That is a big lie also that they "heard all the evidence." See 9002:8, 11 & 14-15. But see nine pages of suppressed evidence listed in pages "P".

O; Proving the corruption/lies in the case by the very highest levels in law enforcement, the Orange County District Attorney himself, Anthony Rackauckas, see his sworn affidavit, 3 pages long, with a bunch of "red herrings" to mislead the reader. There Rackauckas essentially disclaims that he did much on the "Who Died 1st" issue in 1988 as Campbell's private lawyer.

However, evidence pages K & A prove he was heavily involved in that issue. And, his fee details we've seen in the probate files prove far more strongly & precisely how he was feet first in this issue. His files are critical for truth.

This affidavit also sports a telltale at the top, showing that there were a total of 30 pages in it, 27 of which are suppressed, in addition to his interview with the medical examiner confirmed at page 2, top of the page, & the "charging" & investigation documents for the O.C.D.A. investigation/prosecution. Evidence page L shows that Rackauckas, as OCDA, authorized the "Trudy was killed 1st" phony script. P; At least nine pages of crime scene related evidence which is suppressed, are listed. Not included here are the missing witness statements for more than 16 witnesses who are confirmed in discovery we have as having material evidence related to happenings on the crime scene. Some of these are even people for whom evidence proves made 911 calls, but neither the transcripts of the 911 calls or any interview witness statement was discovered for them. There are 50 to possibly 100+ pieces of relevant crime scene evidence that are suppressed. Evidence shows many will be exculpatory. Q; Summary of six plus material perjuries/instances of false testimony by the only crime scene eyewitness who testified at trial or the preliminary hearing. The last page to this is a list of suppressed evidence for this critical witness.

There is much more evidence indicating that Mickey was killed 1st & thus that the entire "Death Dance" was a huge FRAUD ON THE COURT. This includes other witness statements such as by Anthony & Phyllis Triarsi, Allison's parents, & a statement by Steve Steward, a coroner's representative, in the 3/18/88 Los Angeles HERALD - EXAMINER.

This is but one of 12 State FRAUDS ON THE COURT. It had far reaching implications. End

EXHIBIT LIST TO MICKEY DIED FIRST, 11/05/11

- A. 11/7/88 attorney's letter re: Thompson family agreement that Mickey died before Trudy, & that the meeting where that was agreed was taped.
- B. Michael Difilippo & his wife witness statement that they only heard Trudy yell, bates page, bp, 000125 in discovery. This shows Mickey was killed first.
- C. Los Angeles Sheriff's Dept. (LASD) report of a "woman screaming" at 53 Woodlyn which is the Mickey & Trudy Thompson residence. Also, "shots fired/2 people down".
- D. Rita Jones witness statement "woman scream" & confirming a 911 call, bp 000116. The transcript of the 911 call, critical, appears to be suppressed, as are others.
- E. Marilyn Dootson witness statement "woman screaming" after several shots (as the others above & below reported), & also confirming a 911 call, bp 000037.
- F. Kirtis Hackman witness statement, "Trudy screaming don't kill us", also reporting a suspicious white suspect on a bicycle, bp 026495-26496.
- G. Kent Hackman witness statement, "Mickey screamed, then gunshots, then Trudy yelled, then more gunshots", bp 000115. Note no more Mickey screams after early gunshots.
- H. Marion Hackman witness statement "heard yelling or screaming which she felt was from Trudy Thompson, then more shots", bp 000119. Note again no Mickey scream later.
- I. TIME MAGAZINE, 4/28/88, "two men killed...Thompson, 59,...stirred by the gunplay, a neighbor awoke to Trudy Thompson's desperate cries of 'Don't shoot, don't shoot! Moments later Trudy, 41, lay dead."
- J. Coroner's official report, bp 000153 describing a crime scene tableaux which belies the prosecution argument that Mickey was held & made to watch Trudy be killed. Note at A. they were running in opposite directions trying to escape.
- K. Two page pleading from current Orange County District Attorney (OCDA) Anthony Rackauckas, prepared/signed just after the murders in 1988 when he was the private attorney for Colleen Campbell, sister of the two victims. Here he is moving the Court to change the consensus in exhibit A that Mickey died 1st to "it could not be told who died 1st". Later he charged me claiming Trudy was killed 1st.
- L. OCDA pleading "Trudy killed 1st in situation where Mickey would see it"
- M. DDA Jackson offer of proof that Trudy was killed 1st, to torment Mickey.
- N. Ten pages of LADA argument that Mickey had to watch Trudy die first.
- O. Sworn affidavit by OCDA Rackauckas denying that he worked much on this issue.
- P. Suppressed/missing evidence re: the "Who Died 1st" & crime scene issues, 7 pages.
- Q. Six perjuries by the only witness who testified that Trudy was killed 1st & that Mickey was forced to watch, plus a page listing suppressed evidence for her.
No other evidence was presented that Trudy was killed 1st with Mickey watching.
- R. Major problems with trial exhibit 51 allegedly identifying the killers.

EVIDENCE PROVING THAT MICKEY THOMPSON DIED BEFORE TRUDY, HIS WIFE

This destroys the backbone of the State case, it eviscerates it. The prosecutors argued "Goodwin hated Mickey so much that he designed a crime scene script where Mickey would have to watch his wife be brutally murdered, so as to torment him before he died"

That was argued for more than half of the "volume" of the State case, 35 of 63 pages devoted to "facts", to try to steer the jury from the true cause of the murders, a theft of \$250,000 in gold coins. And, the biased judge restricted the theft evidence.

YET IT WAS COMPLETELY IMPOSSIBLE SINCE MICKEY WAS KILLED 1ST

The only evidence of this, "Mickey died after Trudy, & was 1st made to watch her be killed" was the testimony of a witness who was 14 years old at the time of the crime. She was so brutally traumatized by the crime that she had to undergo years of psychiatric care, & even kept a diary of her nightmares.

This witness, Allison Triarsi, repeatedly admitted to having to reconstruct her memory from this diary, but the diary, of which the prosecution had constructive possession, was not available for trial. This requires reversal, possibly dismissal, for two reasons:

- 1) It is a due process violation that the diary was not available for cross examination, its loss a Speedy trial violation. and,
- 2) When a witness must use their notes to reconstruct their memory, their testimony must be stricken. See California

Supreme Court case, People v. ARCHERD 3 Cal 615, 640-41 (1970).

Evidence also proves 6+ instances of false testimony by Allison, pp. Q.

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November 7, 1988

BY FEDERAL EXPRESS

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Re: Estate of Mickey Thompson
Estate of Trudy Thompson

Dear Mr. Trevithick:

We have been asked by representatives of the Feller family (Trudy Thompson's extended family), to represent their interests in each of the above-referenced estates. Our representation will encompass all matters related to the Feller family's interest in the Thompson estates, including questions of general estate administration, and specific questions that have arisen concerning the manner in which the two estates should be distributed under the terms of each will.

As you probably know, one of the immediate concerns of the Feller family is their sincere belief that agreement was reached among virtually all of the members of the families of Mickey and Trudy Thompson that, for purposes of disposition of the two estates, Trudy Thompson would be considered to have survived Mickey Thompson. The effect of such an agreement, of course, would be to cause the couple's residence, together with 82% of the residue of Mickey Thompson's estate to pass to, and become distributable as part of, Trudy Thompson's estate. It is my understanding that the motivation for this agreement was a perception by all of the family present at the meeting in which these matters were discussed that Trudy's will would provide a more fair and equitable distribution of the estates than would Mickey's.

It is my understanding that the executor of each of the wills, Colleen Campbell, is presently taking the position that the deaths of Mickey and Trudy Thompson occurred in such a way

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that it is impossible to determine which of them died first. Accordingly, I understand that your office has filed a petition¹ seeking a court determination that the deaths occurred simultaneously. This, without any other finding or agreement to the contrary, would lead to distribution of one-half of the couple's community property under Mickey's will, as though his wife did not survive him, and a disposition of one-half of the community property under Trudy's will, as if her husband did not survive her. The Feller family believes that this approach is inconsistent with the agreement that was reached among all of the family members, and we will be assisting them in investigating that claim.

At present, my immediate objectives are to determine, as efficiently and quickly as possible, what took place at the meeting among the Thompson family heirs that took place, I believe, on March 22, 1988. I have been informed that a tape recording was made of that meeting, and that this fact has been acknowledged by Colleen Campbell. I would like very much to obtain a copy of that tape recording. In addition, I would like to obtain copies of any notes or memoranda that you or the executor may have that reflect the discussion that took place on that date. I would also like to obtain copies of all documents that have been filed in the respective probate proceedings, especially those relating to the hearing that I understand is set for November 17, 1988, concerning a finding with respect to the simultaneous deaths of the decedents. If possible, I ask that you fax to me those petitions, so that I may review them immediately. You may, of course, send us your statement for any costs associated with the reproduction and transmittal of the tape recording and documents requested.

I am aware that Colleen Campbell has retained separate counsel to deal with the question of the Feller family claims concerning any agreement that was reached for the disposition of the two estates. Accordingly, I am sending Anthony Rackauckas a copy of this letter. I have spoken by telephone with Mr. Rackauckas and informed him of the general nature of the issues we intend to pursue. Whether or not any legal action will be initiated in the probate proceedings (which would probably take the form of a petition to determine heirship) is not known at this time, but will depend upon the facts that I am able to ascertain. As I have told Mr. Rackauckas, my hope in this case, as it would be in any matter of this nature, is to move in the direction of resolution of these issues without litigation.

I hope that you will consider this an informal request for special notice regarding all matters related to the Thompson

- 1) This evidence has not been produced, will be exculpatory & is in the possession of someone who "assisted in the investigation"

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estates. As soon as I have received copies of the documents currently on file in each estate, I will prepare and file formal requests for special notice.

Very truly yours,

Stephen A. Bond

Stephen A. Bond
for GRAY, CARY, AMES & FRYE

SAB/pd
cc: Anthony Rackauckas, Esq.

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At 0955 hours on 3-16-88, Investigators proceeded to 76 Woodland Lane in Bradbury Estates where they contacted the resident MICHAEL DIFILIPPO, DOB: 10-16-52, (818) 359-7628. The Difilippo residence is east and south of Victim Thompson's residence. Their residence is the first residence on the south side of the street as you proceed westbound of Woodland Lane. The residence is elevated from the Thompson residence which would make it higher.

Witness Difilippo stated that approximately 0600 hours, he was in bed in his bedroom with his wife, and his bedroom is located at the southwest corner of his residence, which would look toward the Thompson residence.

Witness Difilippo stated he heard approximately 10 shots and Victim Trudy scream, "Don't shoot me. Don't shoot me." He states that he ran to his kitchen window, which would give him a clear view of the Victim Thompson's driveway. He observed the Victim Trudy lying at the bottom of Victim Thompson's driveway, which would be the southern portion of the driveway.

Witness Difilippo stated he stayed at his kitchen window and maintained his vision of the driveway. He did not see any suspects, nor did he see anyone leave on Woodland Lane towards Mount Olive, which is in an eastward direction.

Witness Difilippo stated in the past in conversations with Victim Mickey Thompson, Victim Thompson had indicated to him that he was in fear of his life because of contract problems he was having with a Michael Goodwyn.

Witness Difilippo could add nothing further and the interview was terminated.

While conversing with Witness Difilippo, Investigators were contacted by his wife who resides with him and her statements, although essentially the same as her husband's, she advised that upon hearing the shots, she ran to her kitchen window, which provides a northerly viewing of Woodland Lane as it continues to intersect Mount Olive, and upon hearing the shots, continued to watch the roadway and observed no one proceed on that roadway towards Mount Olive.

Mrs. Difilippo does recall hearing Victim Mickey Thompson state that he was fearful for his safety and at one point believes he hired a security guard to protect his house from possible violence directed at him or his house while he was out of town. This violence or property damage which Victim Mickey feared was

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DEPUTY RODRIGUEZ, ONE OF 1ST RESPONDING OFFICERS.

WITNESS OF S SMITH, SCOTT ORMAND (ATTORNEY)
MW/39 3/30/48
261 EL CIELO DR
BRADBURY 91010
hm ph# (818) 303-2349
BUS ADD: 888 S. FIGUEROA ST.
LOS ANGELES, CA 90012
BUS ph# (213) 489-2222

AT 0609 HOURS THIS DATE I
RECEIVED A RADIO CALL REGARDING
SHOTS FIRED AT 53 WOODLYN LANE,
BRADBURY. THE CALL WAS IMMEDIATELY
UPDATED TO A WOMAN SCREAMING,
ADDITIONAL SHOTS FIRED AND TWO
FLOPPED DOWN IN THE STREET.

I RESPONDED WITH RED LIGHTS
AND SIRENS AND ARRIVED AT THE FRONT
SECURITY GATE OF THE BRADBURY
COMMUNITY AT 0611 HOURS.

C.
I WAS MET BY AN ADULT
MALE IN A CAR (LATER IDENTIFIED AS
WITNESS #2 JOHNSON) WHO TOLD ME
THAT SOMEONE HAD PRESUMABLY BEEN SHOT
AT THE MICKEY THOMPSON HOUSE AND
THAT HE SAW TWO (2) BLACK MALES

3-16-88 1420
JONES, RITA Fw/40 91010
33 WOODLYN LANE, BRADPUY
818-357-6333

Emp. Better Homes Real Est
108 W. FOOTHILL, MORRIS
818-3033561

Standing in front of
Sullivers house at
41 WOODLYN at
approx 6:10 AM

Heard shots (6-8)
then heard a woman
scream.

Went back into my
house had my husband
call the police

Went back outside

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REPORT CONTINUATION - NARRATIVE

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3/16/88 BY DEP. SCOTT #218522

THE PURPOSE OF THIS SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT IS TO PROVIDE INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM THE ABOVE LISTED WITNESSES, PERTAINING TO THE MURDER WHICH OCCURRED ON THIS DATE.

AT 0610 HRS I RESPONDED TO 53 WOODLYN LANE TO ASSIST UNIT SR IN CONDUCTING A 187 P.C. INVESTIGATION.

AT APPROX 0700 HRS I CONTACTED W/1 MARILYN DUTTON. SHE STATED THAT AT 0605 SHE HEARD FIVE POPPING SOUNDS THAT SHE THOUGHT WERE GUNSHOTS. SHE SAID SHE NEXT HEARD A WOMAN SCREAMING FOR HELP, AND THEN HEARD ONE FINAL POP.

SHE THEN TOLD HER HUSBAND TO CALL THE POLICE. SHE NOT SEE ANYONE AS HER HOUSE IS LOCATED ON THE TOP OF A HILL AND TOO FAR AWAY. (END OF INTERVIEW).

AT 0715 I CONTACTED W/2 BEAR JOHNSON MW/12. HE STATED THAT AT APPROX 0604 HRS, HE HEARD FOUR OR FIVE GUNSHOTS RING OUT. HE WENT TO A WINDOW OF HIS RESIDENCE AND SAW TWO MEN (EITHER BLACK OR HISPANIC DESCENT) RIDING 10-SPEED BICYCLES DOWN THE ROAD IN FRONT OF HIS HOUSE.

HE DESCRIBED ONE OF THE MEN AS BEING BLACK OR POSSIBLY HISPANIC WEARING A BLACK JACKET, (WARM-UP STYLE, OR MEMBERS ONLY) WITH RED STRIPES ON THE SLEEVE. JOHNSON ALSO SAID BOTH SUSPECTS WERE RIDING BROWN OR DARK 10-SPEEDS.

(END OF INTERVIEW)

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POSS SEEN IN A PLY
TRUCK WITHIN 100'S / YARDS ED-
IN BRADBURY / DUGAR AREA

5/13/99 (1410)

VIA PH.

B-(310) 656-3458

W/ KIRTIS CASWELL HALLMAN

MW/ 2-7-70

R- [REDACTED]

SANTA MONICA -

W/ GOT IN @ (2000) -

(0200) ON 3-16-88 - WED.

WENT TO GUNSHOTS -

DIDN'T SEE ANYBODY

HAD TRUCKY SCREAMING "DON'T
KILL US!"

W/ SAW A GUY EITHER
DAY BEFORE - OR DAY AFTER,
OR COUPLE DAYS LATER -

SAW A MW/A ON A
BIKE ON MT. OLIVE BY WINDSOR-
WOODEN LOYAL OAKS.

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026495

MW/ EARLY 20'S TO 30'S
MED HT. 5'09 OR 5'10
THIN BUILD

NO SHIRT
MED SKIN TONE -
BLOND HAIR
- SHORT LENGTH -

POSS PARTED IN MIDDLE -
DIRTY LK6 GUY F
HAIR -

GUY WAS ON ROYAL
OAKS DR. -

ON A BIKE BY
POSTAL BOX OF TURTLE
RANCH -

- GUY ON A BMX
STYLE WAT BIKE -
BEAT UP -

3432
DEMIKE MOON
309-7933400-ROCK ISLAND P.O. - BOY MELTON
- JACK BOYLE, FBI
(312) 355-9023

FB - 10000 -
S/ EUGENE ROSS
DEMETRIUS ROSS

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CRAIG EDWARD CALDWELL

MW/ 4-3-50 026496

CHAS. LAWRENCE CLAYTON

JULY 14, 1988

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On 3-16-88 at 1145 hours, Investigators interviewed KENT HACKMAN, MW/45, 45 Woodlyn, Bradbury, (818) 359-3053, business (818) 358-0101. Witness Hackman also lives within the gated area previously mentioned and lives several homes west of the Thompson residence.

At about 0600 hours, this date, he was in his bedroom with his wife, Marian, and he heard Mickey scream, then he heard gunshots, then he heard Trudy yell and he heard more gunshots. A short time span passed and he heard more shots. He then saw two male Blacks on new bicycles, possibly 10-speeds, westbound on Woodlyn Lane, pass his home. He was sure that the two male Black were not teen-agers, but was not able to describe them any further, other than one of them was wearing a multi-colored work type shirt. He added that during the time that he heard Mickey Thompson scream, he also recalled what he believed to be some type of an argument going on between Mickey Thompson and a male, and he precieved from what he could recall, that the male and Mickey Thompson knew each other.

Mr. Hackman could add nothing further at this time and the interview was terminated.

On 3-16-88 at 1230 hours, Investigators contacted JEANIE MOZOLAN, F/73 of 13 Woodlyn, Bradbury, (818) 358-8542. Mrs. Mozolan also lives within the gated area of Bradbury, as previously mentioned and she stated that she had not seen or heard anything at all regarding the Thompson shooting.

On 3-16-88 at 1245 hours, Investigators contacted STACY RYAN, FW/26, 5 Woodlyn Lane in Bradbury, (818) 359-3031. Her address is also within the gated community. It is near the south entrance of Woodlyn Lane. She stated that she did not see or hear anything and had nothing to add.

On 3-16-88 at 1310 hours, Investigators interviewed EDNA BRADLEY of 18 Bradbury Hills Road, (818) 359-0664 and CHERYL SWINEHART of 106 Bradbury Hills Road, (818) 303-5300. These individuals also live within the gated community. They stated they were both home with their families during the time of the shooting, but did not hear or see anything.

On 3-16-88 at 1330 hours, Investigators interviewed Mrs. E. RIDER of the Royal Oaks Manor, 1763 Royal Oaks Drive, Apartment #13. The rear of Mrs. Rider's apartment faces the south entry gate to Woodlyn Lane. She stated that she was up at approximately 6:00 a.m. in the morning and was in her apartment

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On 3-22-88 at 0710 hours, Investigators interviewed CLAUDETTE FRIEDINGER, 10010 Valley Boulevard, #25, El Monte. Ms. Friedinger said she was driving northbound on Mt. Olive, towards Royal Oaks, the morning of 3-16-88 at approximately 0605 hours. She was stopped at the stop sign, preparing to make a right turn, when she saw two male Negroes on 10-Speed bikes exit the bike path onto Mt. Olive and ride furiously southbound towards Huntington Drive. She wasn't certain that they came from the bike path, but thought that they came from that direction. She said that there was something about the way they handled the bikes that made them look professional. She described one suspect as being a male Negro, 30+, short dark hair, stocky build, wearing a hooded sweatshirt. She described the second male Negro as having black short hair and dressed in dark clothes. She said she didn't get a real good look at the second male Negro. Ms. Friedinger could add nothing further at this time and the interview was terminated. (IFNS bps 025561 & 034793 BY INVESTIGATORS ULOTH & LaPORTE).

On 3-22-88 at 1900 hours, Investigators interviewed SUE YAHNIAN, FW/38, 800 West Naomi, Unit B, Arcadia. Ms. Yahnian is the manicurist for Trudy Thompson, and had last seen her on March 10, 1988 at approximately 7:00 in the evening. She said on previous sessions with Mrs. Thompson, ~~she had expressed fear for her life,~~ and said that if anything happened to her or Mickey, that Mike Goodwin would be responsible. Ms. Yahnian could not elaborate on these comments and could add nothing further at this time and the interview was terminated. (IFNS bp 025563)

On 3-23-88 at 0900 hours, Investigators contacted MARION HACKMAN of 45 Woodlyn Lane, Bradbury, (818) 359-3053. Mrs. Hackman is the wife of the prior witness, Mr. Hackman. She stated on the day of the shooting, at approximately 0600 hours, she was in the bedroom with her husband, Kent. She heard yelling or screaming, she thought it was Trudy Thompson. She then heard some shots. She then heard her neighbor, Lance (making reference to Lance Johnson) shout out "halt" or "stop". She then heard another shot. Then from her bedroom window, she observed a male Black, 18-25, thin to medium build, dark short curly hair, wearing dark clothing, ride by very fast on a dark colored bicycle, possibly a 10-Speed. Mrs. Hackman could add nothing further and the interview was terminated. (IFNS bp 025484)

On 4-1-88 at 1100 hours, Ms. CLAUDETTE FRIEDINGER responded to Temple Station, where she made a composite of the first male Negro she had seen, with the assistance of Identi-Kit Expert Deputy Frank Inez. (IFNS, INVESTIGATOR FIELD NOTES, bp 025566) -

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1) IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT THE DEFENSE IS GIVEN THIS COMPOSITE, IDENTIFIED TO THIS INTERVIEW WITH FRIEDINGER & THE INTERVIEW NOTES. THAT IS BECAUSE 1) HER TESTIMONY & STATEMENTS ARE SO CONTRADICTORY IN SO MANY AREAS. FOR EXAMPLE, AT THE COMPOSITE SHOW UP ON 3/23/88 FRIEDINGER PICKED PHOTO #9, THE SAME AS EYEWITNESS ANTHONY TRIARSI, BP 000071, ALL WITNESS STATEMENTS SUPPRESSED. BUT TRIARSI DESCRIBED THE SUSPECT HE SAW AS HAVING COLLAR LENGTH HAIR IN ONE OF HIS DAY OF THE MURDERS INTERVIEWS, BP 000019. ALSO A HUGE SMOKING GUN IS THAT FOR AN INTERVIEW ON 3/17/88 WITH VERY SPARSE IFNS, bp 025437, FRIEDINGER SAID "MIGHT RECOGNIZE #1" WHEN SHOWN PHOTOS. THE ONLY PHOTO SHEETS THE DEFENSE WAS GIVEN, NOTED AS #25, ARE MAINLY OF SUSPECTS WITH LONG HAIR. FURTHER, ON 025437 ANOTHER WITNESS SAYS "HAIR TO COLLAR". EVERY WITNESS WHO SAW RIDERS NEAR THE CRIME SCENE SAID LONG HAIR. BUT, I WAS CONVICTED ON VERY SHORT, NEAT HAIR ON RIDERS SEEN 2½ MILES AWAY.

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NOTE THE NEIGHBOR
HEARD TRUDY SCREAMING
LAST, PRESUMABLY AFTER
MICKEY WAS KILLED. THE
DA ARGUED, VOL 6-2734
THAT "EVERY WITNESS
WHO HEARD ANYTHING
ONLY HEARD MICKEY
SCREAM, SAVE TRUDY!"

"Don't Shoot!"

Death of a racing promoter

A world-renowned speed racer turned millionaire sports promoter, Mickey Thompson took a daring attitude toward trouble. Last November, he remarked to friends in the Los Angeles area that some "nut" had been phoning him with death threats. "Mickey told me that some cuckoos were calling him at home," recalled Ernie Alvarado, who knew Thompson for 30 years. "He thought he knew who it was. I asked if he had called the police, and he just said it was taken care of."

Thompson was wrong. Early one morning last week, as he and his wife Trudy prepared to leave their estate in the private community of Bradbury, Calif., to drive to their office in Anaheim, they were ambushed. Police believe that two men arrived on bicycles and killed Thompson, 59, with shots to the head and torso. A neighbor, stirred by the gunplay,

awoke to Trudy Thompson's desperate cries of "Don't shoot, don't shoot!" Moments later Trudy, 41, lay dead.

The double assassination stunned the racing world. Known as the "Speed King," Thompson had established nearly 500 racing and endurance records and had set the standards for three generations of hot rodders. In 1960 he became the first American to travel over 400 m.p.h. on land when his specially de-

signed four-engine *Challenger 1* clocked 406.6 m.p.h. at the Bonneville Salt Flats in Utah. He started Mickey Thompson Enterprises, a custom auto-parts manufacturer, in Long Beach, Calif. Ten years ago Thompson branched into sports promotion and became the leading sponsor of motor-sports events at arenas like the Los Angeles Coliseum, the Rose Bowl and Anaheim Stadium. However, his partnership with Promoter Mike Goodwin dissolved into a bitter series of multi-million-dollar lawsuits. In May 1986, Thompson won a judgment against Goodwin ultimately totaling almost \$800,000. Goodwin declared bankruptcy later that year and failed to pay up.

Investigators apparently have not determined a motive for the crime. Just three days before the shootings, Thompson mentioned another death threat to his friend but still did not contact the police. The disregard for danger that marked Thompson's driving career may have led to his death in his own front yard.



Before the tragedy: Thompson with his wife Trudy

A mysterious end to a daredevil's life.

TIME, MARCH 28, 1988

1. NOTE THAT "POLICE BELIEVE TWO MEN ARRIVED ON BICYCLES & KILLED THOMPSON...WITH SHOTS TO THE HEAD & TORSO...MOMENTS LATER TRUDY LAY DEAD." THIS IS CRITICAL TO THE DETERMINATION OF GUILT OR INNOCENCE FOR GOODWIN, SINCE THE BACKBONE OF THE PROSECUTION CRIME SCENE CASE-IN-CHIEF LINKED GOODWIN TO TRUDY DYING FIRST.

THE PROSECUTION INUNDATED THE TRIAL WITH A BIZARRE CRIME SCENE "SCRIPT" THAT WAS PURE SPECULATION OF TRUDY WAS KILLED FIRST, WITH MICKEY BEING HELD WHILE THIS WENT ON & MADE TO WATCH SO AS TO TORMENT HIM, ALLEGEDLY BECAUSE GOODWIN HATED HIM SO MUCH. THIS PERMEATED ARGUMENT, BEING CALLED A "CHOREOGRAPHED DEADLY DANCE" AT RT-8744 & A DOZEN OTHER CITES IN PROSECUTION ARGUMENT. HOWEVER, EXTENSIVE EVIDENCE PROVES MICKEY WAS KILLED 1ST, MUCH OF IT SUPPRESSED.

THE ONLY SUPPORT FOR THIS WAS CONCLUSIVELY PROVABLE MULTIPLE PERJURIES BY A WITNESS WHO WAS 14 AT THE TIME, WAS SO TRAUMATIZED THAT SHE WENT UNDER LONG TERM PSYCHIATRIC CARE, & ADMITTED TO "RECREATING" HER RECALL FROM A DIARY OF NIGHTMARES SHE KEPT THAT WAS CONVENIENTLY MISSING FOR PRODUCTION TO THE DEFENSE.

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2. RE: THE "DAYS BEFORE THREAT" THERE IS UNDISPUTED EVIDENCE THAT WAS FROM THE VIOLENT DRUG DEALING VAGOS MOTORCYCLE CLUB, A MEMBER OF WHICH THOMPSON WAS TESTIFYING AGAINST IN A MURDER TRIAL. TWO WITNESSES CONFIRMED THIS, ONE OF WHO SAID HE WAS WEARING A BULLET-PROOF VEST HE WAS SO CONCERNED. NOTICE ALSO THE PLURAL OF "CUCKOOS CALLING HIM WITH THREATS!" THREATS WERE ALLEGED BY GOODWIN, BUT HIS PHONE RECORDS WERE CHECKED & NO CALLS TO THOMPSON WERE CONFIRMED.

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88-02868
THOMPSON, TRUDY
88-02869
THOMPSON, MICKEY
DOD 3-16-88
HOMI 39
LASO HOMICIDE
088-043870511-011

INFORMATION SOURCE:

LASO Homicide Deps. Griggs & Oberholtzer, File #088-04387-0511-011
At scene investigation

SEE FOOTNOTES A-B-C

BELOW AT PAGE 6 TO THE
NARRATIVE.

INVESTIGATION:

CC 88-02868 is a 45-year-old female, the victim of multiple gunshot wounds.
CC 88-02869 is a 59-year-old male, the victim of multiple gunshot wounds.

Both decedents are husband and wife and expired from this shooting incident that occurred in the driveway of their home at approximately 0600 Hrs, 3-16-88. Both were pronounced dead by LACO Fire Dept. Sq. #44 at 0610 Hrs, this date.

I arrived at the scene, 53 Woodlyn Lane, Bradbury Estates, at 0840 Hrs, this date, and obtained the following information:

The investigation into the circumstances of this incident is in its infancy and little information is known at this time. According to several neighbors/witnesses, both decedents leave their home at about the same time each morning together, usually around 0600 Hrs. This morning when they were apparently leaving in their Toyota mini van, Lic #2HYP-498, they were accosted by 2-male suspects who apparently brandished firearms. It is possible the male was not yet in the van, with the female at the controls during the initial confrontation. The female may have attempted to escape in the vehicle, crashing into a bordering wall. She may have attempted to flee on foot when she was shot several times. The male may have fled in an opposite direction before he succumbed to his fatal injuries.. The actual shooting was apparently not witnessed, as neighbors only heard the sounds of gunfire and screaming. Reportedly, 2-male suspects fled the scene on bicycles and are at large at this writing.

I saw the female decedent semi-prone on her right side at the foot of the semi-circular driveway where it connects to the street. I saw at least 1-gunshot wound to the top rear of her head, another possible wound to her right shoulder area, and a final wound to her lower quadrant area. She was dressed as if leaving for work and no personal items seemed to have been tampered with. She lay approximately 50-feet, down-hill from the van that was still running (it had crashed backwards into a east block wall). Her purse and other personal items were still within the van, possibly eliminating robbery as a motive.

I saw the male decedent at the top of the driveway, near the garage door, approximately 75-feet from the running van. I saw a gunshot wound, through & through, to the back of his head, exiting his left ear area. This projectile was recovered from the asphalt under his head. I saw 4-additional gunshot wounds to his abdomen area, 1 to his back and another to his right buttocks area. All gunshot wounds to both victims are believed to be 9mm caliber, and possibly fired from semi-automatic weapons. The male had several items of value on his person that appeared to not have been tampered with.

No other information known at this time. Both decedents were identified, and family members were present at the scene. Please notify Griggs 2-hours prior to autopsy.

INVESTIGATOR

DATE

M. Riddle

3-16-88

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WHITE - FILE
YELLOW - TOXICOLOGY
PINK - INVESTIGATIONS

ORIGINAL

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REFERENCED AT PAGE 6 BOTTOM

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THE THOMPSON FAMILY

SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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| 11 | Estate of |) | NO. P 724 744 |
| 12 | MARION L. THOMPSON, |) | AFFIDAVITS REGARDING PETITION |
| 13 | also known as MARION L. |) | TO DETERMINE THAT PERSONS DIED |
| 14 | THOMPSON, JR., also |) | UNDER SUCH CIRCUMSTANCES THAT |
| 15 | known as MICKEY THOMPSON, |) | THERE IS NO CLEAR AND |
| | Deceased. |) | CONVINCING EVIDENCE THAT |
| | |) | ONE PERSON SURVIVED THE OTHER |

Having received Notice of hearing on Petition to determine that it cannot be established by clear and convincing evidence that one person survived another (Probate Code § 230), the Thompson Family, who include Danny R. Thompson, Lynda Thompson, Wanda Collene Campbell, Cherico Thompson and Calvin Chance Aumuller, offer the Affidavits of William E. Sherry, M.D. (attached hereto as Exhibit A), Lance Johnson (attached hereto as Exhibit B), and Sandra Johnson (attached hereto as Exhibit C).

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THIS PAGE GIVES POWERFUL EVIDENCE SUPPORTING THAT OCDA RACKAUCKAS WAS FAR MORE INVOLVED IN THE "WHO DIED 1ST" ISSUE THAN HE INDICATING IN HIS SWORN DECLARATION AT PAGES "O" HERE, & THAT HE SPECIFICALLY WAS NOT TRUTHFUL ABOUT COURT APPEARANCES. THE DEFENSE NEEDS/DESERVES HIS FILES & FEE DETAILS.

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Said Affidavits may serve as a factual basis for the above-described Petition.

DATED: November 16, 1988

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THE REASON THIS AFFADAVIT IS SO VERY MATERIAL, & EXCULPATORY IS SEVERAL FOLD AS IS DETAILED BELOW:

- 1) THE PROSECUTION CRIME SCENE CASE WAS COMPLETELY BUILT UPON THE PREMISE, REPEATEDLY STATED BY THE DDAS THAT "TRUDY WAS KILLED BEFORE MICKEY, WHILE MICKEY WAS HELD & MADE TO WATCH...THIS IS EVIDENCE OF GOODWIN'S INVOLVEMENT, WAS A MANIFESTATION OF GOODWIN'S HATE FOR THOMPSON," PARAPHRASED FROM PAGES "N" HERE & OTHER CITES. HOWEVER, HERE, PP. A THRU D IS EVIDENCE THAT MICKEY WAS KILLED FIRST, & THE OCDA, WHO INITIALLY CHARGED ME, FILED PAPERS, WITH SWORN DECLARATIONS, STATING THAT IT CANNOT BE DETERMINED WHO DIED FIRST.
- 2) BECAUSE RACKAUCKAS WAS INITIALLY INVOLVED, RIGHT AFTER THE MURDERS, IN THE NUMBER ONE CRIME SCENE ISSUE, & HE LATER CHARGED ME, ALL HIS RECORDS RE: THIS ISSUE THAT ARE EXCULPATORY MUST BE PRODUCED UNDER STEELE, BRADY, ETC;
- 3) RACKAUCKAS ALSO MAY BE A WITNESS AT A RE-TRIAL. HE IS LISTED AS A WITNESS IN MANY LOCATIONS IN DISCOVERY, ON OR ABOUT BP 26450. THUS ANY WITNESS STATEMENTS HE GAVE OR TOOK MUST BE PRODUCED.
- 4) IMPEACHMENT EVIDENCE IS ALSO TREATED AS BRADY EVIDENCE/MUST BE PRODUCED. BECAUSE OF THE PRIMA FACIE EVIDENCE OF RACKAUCKAS' UNTRUTHFULNESS BETWEEN HIS SWORN DECLARATION AT PAGES "O" HERE, & THIS PLEADING SIGNED BY HIM, WE NEED/PER THE LAW DESERVE HIS FEE DETAILS THAT MAY SUPPORT IMPEACHMENT.
- 5) THE CONTENTS OF THE EVIDENCE WE'VE FOUND INDICATING MICKEY WAS KILLED 1ST, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO WHAT IS INCLUDED HERE,, PROVES THAT A MUCH GREATER BODY OF EVIDENCE EXISTS ON THIS SUBJECT, ^A THAT RACKAUCKAS HAD.
- 6) THE WITNESS STATEMENTS FOR TRIAL WITNESSES LANCE & SANDRA JOHNSON, WHICH LED TO & SUPPORTED THE SWORN DECLARATIONS THAT WERE ATTACHED TO THIS PLEADING MUST BE PRODUCED PER PC 1054.9, BARNETT V. SPR. CT. SUPRA.

A) SEE A LIST OF SUPPRESSED CRIME SCENE EVIDENCE FOLLOWING EVIDENCE PAGE HERE.

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12/31/02 James Mulgrew Brief to Court of Appeal

Randy Garrell, owner of Grant Boys gun store in Costa Mesa, indicated that in October of 2000, petitioner had come into his store and at that time was inquiring about stun guns and registration laws. He asked whether they were serialized like real firearms and how they could be tracked or identified by law enforcement. This concern regarding registration and tracking of stun gun ownership, of course, gives added credence to the inference that petitioner furnished the weapon for use in the murders. It also makes sense that he would have provided such a weapon given the manner in which the crimes were committed. It is apparent from the delay between the initial shooting and the firing of the fatal shots that whoever was behind the killings wanted the victims to be aware of what was happening to them. Further, it is evident that this person desired for Mickey Thompson to know that his wife was about to be executed. A stun gun, although it was not actually fired here, was a potentially useful item for immobilizing Mrs. Thompson before murdering her.

Taken together, this evidence supports the inference that petitioner supplied the killers with a stun gun from Orange County for possible use during their attack. Respondent court properly recognized that the magistrate was entitled to draw this inference. And once that connection is made, venue is established under section 781 (as well as under Penal Code sections 182 and 184, which will be discussed *infra*).

2) QUITE OBVIOUSLY, IF MICKEY WAS KILLED 1ST, WHICH THE SUPPRESSED EVIDENCE ON THE LIST

THAT FOLLOWS WILL PROVE, THIS WAS A FRAUD BY THE OCDA WHICH THE LADA PARROTED & EXPANDED UPON WITH THE "DANCE OF DEATH!"

1) EVIDENCE, MUCH OF WHICH WAS INITIALLY OBFUSCATED, & SOME OF WHICH IS STILL SUPPRESSED, PROVES A) THAT THOMPSON OWNED THE STUN GUN FOUND AT THE CRIME SCENE & THAT INVESTIGATORS KNEW THIS. OTHER EVIDENCE PROVES THAT B) GOODWIN ASKED HIS LAWYERS 1ST (IN LETTERS THE D.A. SEIZED) ABOUT MAKING THIS INQUIRY, WHICH WAS DONE WITH HOPES THAT A SERIAL NUMBER MIGHT PROVE THAT HE DID NOT OWN THE CRIME SCENE STUN GUN. AND, C) EVIDENCE ALSO PROVES A STUN GUN WASN'T USED IN THE CRIME.

1 THAT'S GOING TO LEAD US TO SOMETHING RELEVANT, SO I'LL TAKE
2 IT SUBJECT TO A MOTION TO STRIKE, UNLESS YOU WANT TO GIVE ME
3 AN OFFER OF PROOF.

4 MR. JACKSON: I CERTAINLY CAN GIVE YOU AN OFFER OF
5 PROOF, YOUR HONOR. I'M SEEKING TO ESTABLISH OBSERVATION OF
6 FRIENDS, THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN MICKEY THOMPSON AND TRUDY
7 THOMPSON. I EXPECT THE EVIDENCE TO SHOW THAT DURING THE
8 COURSE OF THE EXECUTION, INCREDIBLY BRUTAL EXECUTION, THAT
9 THERE WAS SPECIFIC CONDUCT BY THE KILLERS. THE CONDUCT WAS
10 THAT MICKEY THOMPSON WAS LEFT ALIVE SPECIFICALLY TO WATCH AS
11 TRUDY THOMPSON WAS EXECUTED BEFORE HIS EYES.

12 THE COURT: ALL RIGHT. OBJECTION IS OVERRULED.

13 MR. JACKSON: THANK YOU. DO YOU HAVE THE QUESTION
14 IN MIND MR. BARTENETTI?

15 THE WITNESS: I USED TO ALWAYS LAUGH WHEN WITNESSES
16 SAY THEY FORGOT, BUT I REALLY DON'T.

17 Q BY MR. JACKSON: YOU KNOW WHAT'S FUNNY, I
18 DON'T EITHER. LET ME TRY IT AGAIN. HOW OFTEN WOULD YOU
19 SOCIALIZE WHERE MICKEY THOMPSON AND TRUDY THOMPSON WERE BOTH
20 PRESENT?

21 A WITH THE LIMITED OF EXCEPTION OF GOING TO
22 PLAY RACQUETBALL WITH MICKEY, I CAN REMEMBER ALMOST NO
23 TIME WHERE I WASN'T WITH MICKEY WHERE TRUDY WASN'T
24 THERE.

25 Q AND BASED ON YOUR OBSERVATIONS OF MICKEY
26 THOMPSON'S INTERACTION WITH TRUDY THOMPSON AND
27 VISE-VERSA, HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE HIS AFFECTION FOR
28 HER?

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1 TOP OF THE DRIVEWAY WHERE THIS PERSON IS POSED KIND OF ON
2 HIS KNEES AND THEN THERE IS A PERSON AT THE BOTTOM OF THE
3 DRIVEWAY DOWN HERE -- THAT'S APPROXIMATELY AS YOU WILL
4 SEE AND THE TESTIMONY WILL SUGGEST -- THAT'S
5 APPROXIMATELY WHERE TRUDY THOMPSON WAS. YOU CAN SEE ONE
6 CAN SEE THE OTHER PERFECTLY. THERE IS A VIEW.

7 ALL THE BLOOD THAT MICKEY THOMPSON WAS
8 LOSING AT THE TOP OF THE DRIVEWAY WILL SUGGEST THAT HE
9 WAS CRAWLING IN CIRCLES IN THIS AREA (INDICATING). AND
10 ULTIMATELY WAS SHOT TO DEATH RIGHT WHERE THE WHITE SHEET
11 IS.

12 AND THROUGH THIS WHOLE THING EVERY SINGLE
13 WITNESS, EVERY WITNESS WHO HEARD ANYTHING, FROM THE
14 JOHNSONS TO THE HACKMANS TO THE TRIARSIS, EVERY WITNESS
15 THAT HEARD ANYTHING HEARD THE SAME THING FROM MICKEY
16 THOMPSON. ALTHOUGH HE WAS -- HE SUFFERED SEVEN GUNSHOT
17 WOUNDS. ALTHOUGH HE WAS SHOT MULTIPLE TIMES IN THE TORSO
18 OVER AND OVER AND OVER TO DISABLE THIS BIG MAN, NOT ONE
19 TIME DID HE CALL FOR HELP FOR HIMSELF. NOT ONE TIME DID
20 HE COMPLAIN ABOUT HIS OWN INJURIES. NOT ONE TIME DID HE
21 CRY OUT THAT HE WAS DYING. THE MANTRA WAS THE SAME.
22 MICKEY THOMPSON REPEATED OVER AND OVER, "PLEASE, PLEASE
23 DON'T HURT MY WIFE."

24 AND THEN THESE PROFESSIONAL HIT MEN DID
25 EXACTLY THAT, THEY HURT HIS WIFE AND THEN THEY HURT HIM.
26 AS I SAID, THE GUNMEN GOT ON BICYCLES AND RODE AWAY. IF
27 ANYBODY CANNOT SEE A ROAD WHERE THAT RED LINE IS, IT'S
28 BECAUSE IT'S INCREDIBLY DIFFICULT TO FIND. UNLESS YOU'RE

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1 AS I SAID WHEN I STARTED OUT, THE SECOND
2 GUNMAN THEN SCREWED THAT .9 MILLIMETER PISTOL INTO THE
3 LEFT EAR OF MICKEY THOMPSON, LITERALLY HIS LEFT EAR AND
4 FIRED A BULLET THAT PASSED COMPLETELY THROUGH HIS BRAIN
5 AND HE WAS KILLED. WITNESSES THAT SAW THIS, THEN WATCHED
6 AS THE GUNMAN JUMPED ON BICYCLES AND BEGAN TO PEDAL OFF.
7 AND THAT TOO WILL BECOME IMPORTANT.

8 THEY WILL TELL YOU THAT THEIR VIEW -- THE
9 TRIARSIS WILL TELL YOU THAT THEIR VIEW WAS BASICALLY
10 THIS -- AS YOU CAN SEE THE TOPOGRAPHICAL MAP DOESN'T
11 REALLY GIVE YOU THIS, BUT THIS PHOTOGRAPH SHOWS HOW
12 ELEVATED AND HIGH THEIR VIEW ACTUALLY WAS. AND THEN THIS
13 VIEW IS ACTUALLY FROM THEIR PROPERTY FROM THE TRIARSIS'
14 PROPERTY LOOKING DOWN ON THE THOMPSON PROPERTY. IF YOU
15 LOOK CLOSELY WHERE I'VE HIGHLIGHTED, THERE ARE TWO SHEETS
16 COVERING TWO BODIES. MICKEY THOMPSON IS AT THE TOP.
17 TRUDY THOMPSON IS AT THE BOTTOM. THAT'S TRUDY AT THE
18 BOTTOM OF THE DRIVEWAY. AND MICKEY LAY THERE
19 (INDICATING).

20 JUST AS IMPORTANT TO NOTE ABOUT WHAT
21 HAPPENED AT THE CRIME SCENE IS WHAT DIDN'T HAPPEN AT THE
22 CRIME SCENE. ALLOW ME TO EXPLAIN WHAT THE EVIDENCE WILL
23 SHOW. THIS WAS NOT A ROBBERY. THIS WAS A PROFESSIONAL
24 EXECUTION, PLAIN AND SIMPLE.

25 THERE WAS A VAN. IT WAS RUNNING. SHE
26 NEVER TURNED IT OFF. SHE COULDN'T TURN IT OFF. SHE PUT
27 IT IN REVERSE; SLAMMED INTO THE BACK OF A WALL, A
28 RETAINING WALL. AND THE GUNMAN, THE SECOND GUNMAN WAS

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1 SHATTERED THE 400 MILES AN HOUR SPEED BARRIER AND
2 ROCKETED TO A TOP SPEED OF 406.6 MILES PER HOUR. THAT
3 YOUNG MAN MICKEY THOMPSON ON SEPTEMBER 9TH, 1960, BECAME
4 A LEGEND.

5 SOME 27 YEARS LATER, THAT SAME LEGEND ON
6 MARCH 16, 1988, BECAME A VICTIM. AT 6:05 IN THE MORNING
7 MICKEY THOMPSON LEFT HIS HOUSE, A QUIET GATED COMMUNITY
8 IN BRADBURY. WALKED OUTSIDE THE GARAGE WITH THE LOVE OF
9 HIS LIFE TRUDY THOMPSON, HIS WIFE. WHEN THEY STEPPED
10 ONTO THE DRIVEWAY, THEY WERE CONFRONTED BY TWO
11 PROFESSIONAL GUNMEN, GUNMEN CARRYING .9 MILLIMETER
12 SEMI-AUTOMATIC AUTO-LOAD PISTOLS.

13 ONE GUNMAN ADDRESSED MICKEY THOMPSON. THE
14 OTHER GUNMAN ADDRESSED TRUDY THOMPSON. AND WITHIN
15 MINUTES, THE QUIET COMMUNITY OF BRADBURY WAS SHATTERED BY
16 GUNFIRE AS EACH GUNMAN FIRED UPON MICKEY AND TRUDY
17 VARIOUSLY, HITTING BOTH VICTIMS MULTIPLE TIMES. BUT OF
18 NOTABLE CONNECTION TO THIS PARTICULAR MURDER WAS HOW
19 MICKEY THOMPSON DIED THAT DAY.

20 THE EVIDENCE WILL PROVE IN THIS CASE THAT
21 TRUDY THOMPSON WAS ACTUALLY KILLED FIRST. THE LAST
22 VISION THAT MICKEY HAD BEFORE HE DIED WAS OF A BULLET
23 GOING THROUGH THE BACK OF TRUDY'S HEAD. AND WITH THAT
24 VISION, THE FIRST GUNMAN SCREWED THAT .9 MILLIMETER
25 PISTOL INTO HIS LEFT EAR AND FIRED A SHOT THROUGH
26 MICKEY'S BRAIN.

27 LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, THE EVIDENCE IN THIS
28 CASE WILL SHOW THAT ALTHOUGH MICKEY AND TRUDY THOMPSON

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1 THE FOLLOWING: SHE WAS CRAWLING DOWN THE DRIVEWAY. IT
2 IS A VERY, VERY STEEP DRIVEWAY. SHE WAS CRAWLING DOWN
3 THAT DRIVEWAY FOR HER LIFE. ALL OF HER ACRYLIC
4 FINGERNAILS BEGAN BREAKING OFF. SHE WAS SKINNING AND
5 SCRAPING HER KNEES. SHE WAS IN A DRESS THAT DAY.

6 THE SECOND GUNMAN FOLLOWED TRUDY THOMPSON
7 ALL THE WAY DOWN THE DRIVEWAY; GUN IN HAND COVERING HER;
8 BUT HE DIDN'T KILL HER YET. THAT WILL BECOME INCREDIBLY
9 IMPORTANT IN THIS TRIAL. HE DIDN'T KILL HER YET. MICKEY
10 THOMPSON, THOUGH SHOT SEVERAL TIMES -- MICKEY THOMPSON
11 ULTIMATELY SUFFERED SEVEN SEPARATE GUNSHOT WOUNDS.
12 SEVEN. BUT MICKEY WAS BUILT LIKE A FIRE PLUG; SHORT;
13 STOCKY; BIG BEAR OF A GUY. A SINGLE GUNSHOT WOUND WASN'T
14 GOING TO TAKE HIM DOWN.

15 AND HE WAS SHOT SEVERAL TIMES IN THE
16 ABDOMEN; IN THE HIPS; IN THE BUTTOCKS; THROUGH THE ARM.
17 BUT HE WAS KEPT ALIVE. AND THE EVIDENCE WILL SHOW THAT
18 AT ANY POINT AT ANY TIME EITHER OF THE GUNMAN COULD HAVE
19 PUT MICKEY THOMPSON DOWN LIKE THAT, ONE SHOT TO THE HEAD
20 WOULD DO IT. BUT THEY DIDN'T. HE WAS DISABLED, BUT HE
21 WAS KEPT ALIVE.

22 MEANWHILE TRUDY THOMPSON WAS BEING COVERED
23 BY THE OTHER GUNMAN. AND ONCE THEY WERE IN A POSITION
24 THAT THEY COULD SEE EACH OTHER AND MICKEY THOMPSON COULD
25 CLEARLY WATCH, THE SECOND GUNMAN PUT THE GUN TO THE BACK
26 OF TRUDY'S HEAD AND FIRED A BULLET THROUGH HER BRAIN.
27 THE EVIDENCE WILL SHOW THAT MICKEY THOMPSON'S LAST VISION
28 ON THIS PLANET WAS THAT OF HIS WIFE BEING EXECUTED.

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1 SUCCESSFUL IN GETTING HER OUT OF THE VAN. HE WASN'T
2 GOING TO LET HER ESCAPE. THEY DIDN'T TOUCH THE VAN. IF
3 THEY WANTED A GETAWAY CAR, WHY NOT TAKE THE VAN. IT WAS
4 RUNNING. THEY IGNORED THE VAN. THEY WEREN'T INTERESTED
5 IN THE VAN.

6 THERE WAS A LINCOLN CONTINENTAL, AN
7 EXPENSIVE CAR BACK IN 1988. A LINCOLN CONTINENTAL AT THE
8 TOP OF THE DRIVEWAY COMPLETELY UNTOUCHED; UNMOLESTED.
9 THE GUNMAN WEREN'T INTERESTED IN THE LINCOLN. THE HOUSE,
10 COMPLETELY UNTOUCHED. THIS HOUSE BEHIND A GATED
11 COMMUNITY BELONGING TO A RELATIVELY WEALTHY SPORTS
12 PROMOTER, AN AMERICAN RACING LEGEND; UNTOUCHED; NOT
13 BROKEN INTO; NO SIGNS OF FORCED ENTRY.

14 MICKEY THOMPSON, WHAT IS MOST NOTABLE
15 ABOUT THAT PHOTOGRAPH AS MICKEY THOMPSON LAY IN HIS OWN
16 POOL OF BLOOD, HAVING BEEN KILLED, HIS WALLET IS ALMOST
17 FALLING OUT OF HIS PANTS. A WALLET WITH \$500 CASH IN IT.
18 THE GUNMAN WEREN'T INTERESTED IN MICKEY THOMPSON'S MONEY.
19 AND TRUDY THOMPSON LAYING AT THE BOTTOM OF THE DRIVEWAY
20 BEJEWELLED, FOUR OR FIVE RINGS; AN INCREDIBLY EXPENSIVE
21 NECKLESS WITH THE "NO. 1," A GIFT FROM MICKEY THOMSON,
22 ENCRUSTED IN PURE DIAMONDS, ALL OF HER JEWELRY WAS LEFT
23 ON HER BODY.

24 THIS WAS A PROFESSIONAL HIT, PLAIN AND
25 SIMPLE. THE KILLERS WERE THERE TO DO ONE THING, MAKE
26 SURE MICKEY WATCHED AS TRUDY DIED AND THEN KILL MICKEY.

27 AND YOU CAN SEE -- ALTHOUGH THE OTHER
28 PHOTOGRAPHS ARE SOME WHAT DISTORTED, YOU CAN SEE FROM THE

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1 AND THAT PLAN REACHED ITS ZENITH ON MARCH 16TH, 1988 WHEN
2 MICKEY THOMPSON AND TRUDY THOMPSON STOOD ON THEIR
3 DRIVEWAY AT 6:05 IN THE MORNING AND WERE SHOT TO DEATH.
4 MICKEY THOMPSON STOOD ON THE TOP OF THE DRIVEWAY AND
5 WATCHED IN HORROR AS THE LOVE OF HIS LIFE, TRUDY
6 THOMPSON, HAD A BULLET PUT THROUGH THE BACK OF HER HEAD.

7 HE THEN KNEW THAT HIS FATE WAS SEALED AS
8 THAT SAME GUNMAN MARCHED UP THE DRIVEWAY. AND YOU HAVE
9 SEEN THE DRIVEWAY. PUT A GUN TO THE SIDE OF HIS HEAD AND
10 SHOT HIM TO DEATH. THINK ABOUT IT. MICKEY THOMPSON WAS
11 EXECUTED ON MARCH 16TH, 1988, AT 6:05 IN THE MORNING, BUT
12 NOT BEFORE HE HAD TO WATCH HIS WIFE, HIS FAMILY, SUFFER
13 AND DIE. EXACTLY HOW MICHAEL FRANK GOODWIN SAID HE
14 WANTED IT TO HAPPEN. EXACTLY.

15 LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, MICHAEL GOODWIN IS
16 CHARGED IN THIS CASE WITH TWO COUNTS OF MURDER. MURDER
17 OF MICKEY THOMPSON. MURDER OF TRUDY THOMPSON. HE'S ALSO
18 CHARGED IN TWO SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES THAT WE'LL TALK
19 ABOUT IN JUST A SECOND, MULTIPLE MURDERS AND LYING IN
20 WAIT.

21 BEFORE WE CAN UNDERSTAND HOW THE PEOPLE
22 AND HOW THE EVIDENCE HAS PROVED THE DEFENDANT'S GUILT
23 BEYOND A REASONABLE DOUBT, WE SORT OF HAVE TO START ON
24 THE SAME PLAYING FIELD. WE HAVE TO UNDERSTAND HOW THE
25 LAW DEFINES THESE CRIMES. SO THE JUDGE JUST GAVE YOU A
26 PLETHORA OF JURY INSTRUCTIONS AND WENT THROUGH SOME
27 RATHER CONVOLUTED JURY INSTRUCTIONS AND SOME SIMPLE JURY
28 INSTRUCTIONS. BUT THERE WERE A LOT OF THEM AND IT'S A

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1 WANT YOU TO GET CAUGHT UP IN THE WILLFUL, DELIBERATE AND
2 PREMEDITATED JURY INSTRUCTION BECAUSE IT'S VERY SIMPLE.
3 WE DO IT EVERYDAY. IT'S NOT SOMETHING THAT BE AFRAID OF.
4 IT'S NOT SOMETHING TO BACK OFF OF.

5 AND WHEN CONSIDERING WHAT HAPPENED ON
6 MARCH 16TH, 1988, IS THERE ANY QUESTION NOW THAT YOU HAVE
7 A KIND OF A GLOBAL VIEW OF WHAT WILLFUL, DELIBERATE AND
8 PREMEDITATED CONDUCT IS THAT THESE MURDERS WERE WILLFUL,
9 THEY WERE DELIBERATE AND THEY WERE PREMEDITATED. THERE
10 WAS A PLAN IN PLACE, FOLKS.

11 THERE WAS A DANCE, IF YOU WILL. A VERY
12 DEADLY DANCE, BUT A CHOREOGRAPHED ACTION NONETHELESS THAT
13 WAS HAPPENING ON THE TARMAC, ON THE DRIVEWAY, AT 53
14 WOODLYN LANE. THOSE TWO KILLERS ACTED IN CONCERT WITH
15 ONE ANOTHER; ONE COVERING MICKEY THOMPSON; THE OTHER
16 MAKING SURE TRUDY DIDN'T GET ANYWHERE.

17 THAT FIRST KILLER MAKING SURE THAT TRUDY
18 WAS DEAD AND MICKEY WAS STILL ALIVE TO WATCH IT.^a THEN
19 AND ONLY THEN WALKING UP THE DRIVEWAY TO KILL MICKEY.

20 THIS WAS AN ORCHESTRATED, WELL
21 CHOREOGRAPHED, WELL COORDINATED, EXECUTION, AN
22 ASSASSINATION. IT WAS WILLFUL, DELIBERATE AND
23 PREMEDITATED. FIRST DEGREE MURDER. TWO COUNTS.

24 BUT THAT'S NOT THE ONLY WAY THAT YOU CAN
25 GET TO FIRST DEGREE MURDER. IF YOU CONSIDER HOW THE
26 KILLERS CONDUCTED THEMSELVES. THERE IS A SECOND THEORY
27 OF FIRST DEGREE MURDER THAT APPLIES IN THIS CASE. AND
28 THAT'S LYING IN WAIT.

a) THIS IS A LIE BY JACKSON. SUPPRESSED EVIDENCE PROVES THAT
MICKEY WAS KILLED FIRST, IRREFUTABLY.

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D.A. CLOSING ARGUMENT

1 HIM, WERE CLOSER TO MICKEY THOMPSON THAN THE GARAGE.
2 WHY?

3 BECAUSE THE DEFENSE DESPERATELY,
4 DESPERATELY WANTS YOU TO BELIEVE THAT MICKEY THOMPSON
5 COULD NOT SEE TRUDY THOMPSON WHEN SHE WAS KILLED. WHY?
6 BECAUSE THAT EVIDENCE ALONE SUGGESTS MICHAEL GOODWIN IS
7 GUILTY. THAT EVIDENCE ALONE SUGGESTS THE OMINOUS NATURE
8 OF HOW THEY WERE KILLED. IF MICKEY THOMPSON WAS FORCED
9 TO WATCH HIS WIFE DIE, THIS WAS A PERSONAL ATTACK. THE
10 MOST PERSONAL, THE MOST BRUTAL. AND IT PROVES THAT
11 MICHAEL GOODWIN IS PART OF IT. HE IS THE ONE WITH THE
12 MOTIVE.

13 NOW LOOK WITH YOUR OWN EYES AT WHERE THE
14 BLOOD STAINS WERE. MR. SWANEPOEL, OH, NO, THE BLOOD
15 STAINS WERE CLOSER TO MICKEY THOMPSON. THEY WEREN'T
16 CLOSE TO THE GARAGE. SEE THAT YELLOW HIGHLIGHT? THAT'S
17 THE GARAGE. THIS OVER HERE TO THE LEFT, THAT'S MICKEY
18 THOMPSON. LOOK AT THESE BLOOD STAINS. THE BLOOD STAINS
19 ARE THERE FOR YOU TO SEE. WE'VE GOT THEM IN EVIDENCE,
20 THAT PHOTOGRAPH IS THERE FOR YOU TO SEE. TAKE A LOOK
21 WITH YOUR OWN EYES.

22 THERE IS THE BLOOD STAIN THAT'S DRAINING
23 FROM MICKEY THOMPSON'S BODY AND LOOK WHERE THE OTHER
24 BLOOD IS IN THIS PHOTOGRAPH. OH, NO, IT'S CLOSE TO
25 MICKEY THOMPSON'S BODY, NOT CLOSE TO THE GARAGE. ARE YOU
26 KIDDING? WHAT WAS HE LOOKING AT? YOU GUYS WERE OUT
27 THERE. YOU FOLKS WERE OUT THERE. I SAW A LOT OF YOU
28 PAYING VERY CLOSE ATTENTION TO THAT ARK EMANATING AROUND

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D.A. REBUTTAL CLOSE

1 SPECULATE AS TO WHAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN. AS TO SOME
2 EVIDENCE THAT DOESN'T EXIST. COULD HAVE BEEN.

3 THE JUDGE HAS TOLD YOU IN HER OPENING JURY
4 INSTRUCTIONS, I THINK PRETTY CLOSE TO THE BEGINNING, THAT
5 THIS DECISION, YOUR VERDICT, HAS TO BE BASED ON EVIDENCE.
6 THAT'S WHAT WE'RE GOING TO TALK ABOUT, EVIDENCE. NOT
7 COULD HAVE BEEN, MIGHT HAVE BEEN. WHAT IF. AND THAT
8 THESE INFERENCES HAVE TO -- IT HAS TO BE REASONABLE. DID
9 THIS REASONABLY HAPPEN.

10 SO ON ONE HAND, IS THIS JUST A ROBBERY
11 GONE BAD? OR WAS IT A HIT? WAS IT A CONTRACT HIT? WAS
12 IT AN EXECUTION? AN ASSASSINATION WITH A VERY DETAILED
13 PLAN? BECAUSE IF THAT'S WHAT IT IS, AND LADIES AND
14 GENTLEMEN, I SUGGEST TO YOU THAT THE EVIDENCE SHOWS
15 THAT'S THE TRUTH, THAT'S WHAT IT IS.

16 THE EVIDENCE THAT YOU HAVE HEARD IN THIS
17 COURTROOM POINTS TO ONLY ONE PERSON WHO HATED MICKEY
18 THOMPSON SO MUCH THAT HE WANTED TO END HIS LIFE. AND
19 MAKE SURE THAT MICKEY THOMPSON SAW THE PERSON HE LOVED
20 THE MOST DIE IN FRONT OF HIM BEFORE HE DIED. AND THAT IS
21 MIKE GOODWIN. AND THAT'S I THINK THE CHOICE THAT YOU
22 HAVE HERE.

23 MR. JACKSON TALKED TO YOU AT GREAT LENGTH
24 ABOUT THE EVIDENCE THAT SUPPORTS THAT CASE, THAT THIS
25 DEFENDANT WAS BEHIND THESE MURDERS. SO MS. SARIS SAYS,
26 WELL, IT COULD HAVE BEEN, IT COULD HAVE BEEN A ROBBERY.
27 WELL, LET'S TALK JUST TERMINOLOGY FOR A MOMENT. SHE IS A
28 LAWYER. SHE'S A VERY GOOD LAWYER. SHE KNOWS THE

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1 CLOSING ARGUMENT MR. DIXON: GOOD MORNING, LADIES AND
2 GENTLEMEN.

3 THE JURY: MORNING.

4 MR. DIXON: I THINK WE CAN ALL BE THANKFUL WE
5 DIDN'T HAVE TO DO THIS LAST NIGHT. BUT I PROMISE YOU I
6 WILL NOT TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THAT AND GO ON AND ON AND ON
7 THIS MORNING ABOUT WHAT IT WAS LAST NIGHT.

8 YOU HEARD ALL THE EVIDENCE HERE. AND I
9 THINK BASED ON THE EVIDENCE, YOU KNOW THAT TRUDY AND
10 MICKEY THOMPSON WERE BRUTALLY KILLED, BRUTALLY EXECUTED
11 ON MARCH 16TH OF 1988. IT WAS AN ASSASSINATION. IT WAS
12 A HIT. IT WAS A LYING IN WAIT MURDER.

13 AND IT WAS DONE BY THAT MAN, THAT MAN
14 ARRANGED IT. AND YOU KNOW THAT. THE TRUTH IS YOU HEARD
15 ALL THE EVIDENCE AND YOU KNOW THAT FROM THE EVIDENCE.
16 BECAUSE HIS WORDS THROUGH THE WITNESSES THAT HAVE COME
17 INTO THIS COURTROOM AND HAVE TOLD YOU THAT.

18 NOW MS. SARIS SPENT QUITE A BIT OF TIME
19 YESTERDAY CRITICIZING EACH AND EVERY ONE OF THEM, TELLING
20 YOU THAT THEY WERE DELUSIONAL; THAT THEY WERE LIARS.
21 THAT'S FOR YOU TO JUDGE. BUT WHEN YOU THINK BACK -- AND
22 WE'RE GOING TO TALK ABOUT THAT A LITTLE BIT THIS
23 MORNING -- YOU THINK BACK OF THE WITNESSES AND WHAT THEY
24 SAID ON THE STAND.

25 I THINK THAT YOU WILL AGREE THAT THE
26 EVIDENCE AND THE TRUTH HERE IS THIS MAN HATED MICKEY
27 THOMPSON SO MUCH BECAUSE OF THE LAWSUIT; BECAUSE OF THE
28 BUSINESS BATTLES; THAT THE ONLY WAY HE COULD WIN WAS TO

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