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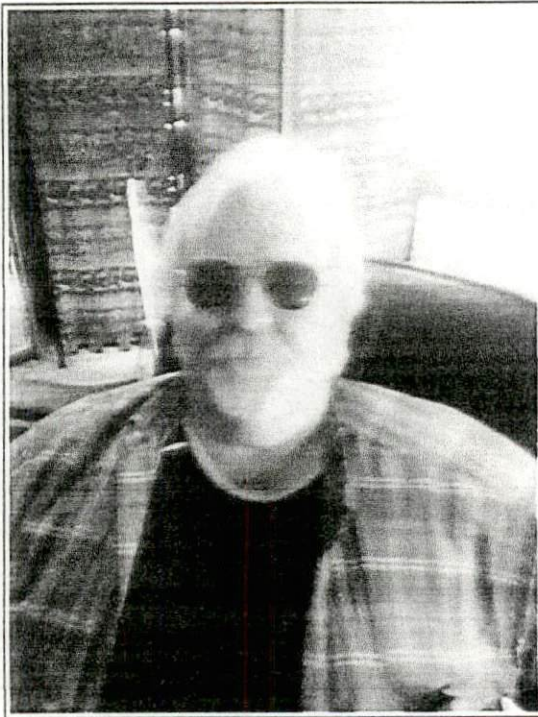


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Opinion

The Great OSCARS 2011 – or so it would seem

So, how exciting.....a morning off, the Academy Awards. I wish I could say the ceremony lived to up my expectations and excitement, but I would be lying. If I'm being totally honest, I wish I had spent my morning more productively than watching one of, if not the worst awards ceremony I can personally remember.

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susie says on 2009-06-21 16:26:31 about threats on my life and family

my
bother
James

Walter Rukkila, alias Bud, alias Jimmy Wayne Jennings, has stalked me for years. He has hired people to damage my property, had a mentally ill man attempt to beat me to death on my job. Now he has insited KKK and local

racist to stalk myself and my handicapped biracial niece, threatening to kill her and bum our home if I have any contact with her. I am her guardian and payee. I have cared for her since she was

one year old. My bother has sent people to my home, destroying property. They approach my husband, making threats to burn our home or destroy our vehicles, which they ndid put something in his motor and cut his tires. My bother also had a friend of mine killed, but they couldn't prove it because the guy who killed her refuse to tell where the body was. My friend was a black girl. The guy who killed her had told her about my bother. Said they were friends and my bother wanted to destroy my life. James passes hisself off as apreacher. He told the guy that my friend and I were Jezebels and needed to be destroyed in the eyes of God.

James Rukkila moves constantly. He has resided in Florida, where he abused his wife and kids. He resided in Oak Park Mich., Detroit Michigan where he married a canadian girl and abuse her and her daudhter and stalked them after divorce, forcing them to move. He married other women and abusaed them to and stalked and threatened them, harassaed them after divorce. He has caused fraud on churches from Michigan to Virginia and Tenn. He has tracked me down from state to state. The local authorities will not help. My niece is terrified and afraid daily, because she sees him following her and calls out her name. He told the locals that my husband lied about her ware abouts, so the cut our wire fence and broke a large glass top table outside and confronted my husband telling him it is going to get worse. that niggers deserve to die and those who associate with them .what do we do. My e mail is marydngs@gmail.com

susie says on 2009-06-21 16:13:57
about **threats on my life and family**

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Walter Rukkila, alias Bud, alias

Jimmy Wayne Jennings, has



Miami-Dade Police Department
Central Records Bureau
Law Enforcement Counter Services Unit
9105 N.W. 25 Street
Miami, Florida 33172

Facsimile Transmittal

DATE: January 23 2012

TO: Investigator Don Tullock Oakland Co. Prosecutor's Office

PHONE: 248 858-0676

FAX: 248 858-0660

FROM: D. C. GELIN MDPD # 0588
dgelin@mdpd.com

PHONE: (305) 471-2071

FAX: (305) 471-2072

7 Pages including cover sheet

SUBJECT: RUUKILA, James Walter C.I.N. 188623:

REMARKS: Copies for (2/18/1975) arrest on file attached per your request.

D. C. Gelin

 D. C. GELIN

Cuenca, Maria L.

From: Baker, Robin
Sent: Thursday, January 19, 2012 8:23 AM
To: Sargent, Rita F.
Cc: Cuenca, Maria L.
Subject: FW: Out of state law enforcement request for a old police report- booking records

Good Morning Rita,

Please handle the below request. Thank you.

Robin Baker
Administrative Secretary
Central Records Bureau
9105 NW 25 Street
Miami, Florida 33172
(305) 471-2070 - Office
(305) 471-2046 - Fax

"Delivering Excellence Everyday"

From: Tullock, Donald
Sent: Wednesday, January 18, 2012 4:01 PM
To: Baker, Robin
Subject: Out of state law enforcement request for a old police report- booking records

Metro Dade Police Records Section

From: Investigator Don Tullock in Michigan (Oakland County Michigan Prosecutor's Office Investigator).

We are conducting an investigation up here in Michigan and it is important for us please to acquire booking records (including an arrest photo if possible) relating to an individual who was arrested by Miami Metro Dade several years ago. **reflects that**
James Walter Rukkila, W/M, DOB of [redacted] was arrested by your agency on 02/18/1975 (appears under case #188623) for Check Fraud.

I know that the arrest is very old but hope that the records are archived and available. Our agency would be interested in obtaining a copy of any available arrest records and arrest photo if possible.

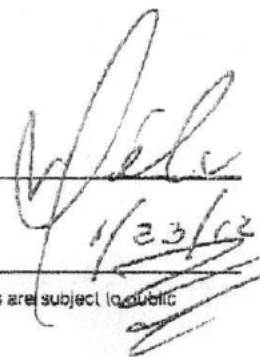
If you could please re-contact me asap I would very much appreciate it. Thank You.

Prosecutor's Investigator
 Don Tullock
 Oakland County Michigan Prosecutor's Office
 Email: [tullockd@oakgov.com](mailto:tullokd@oakgov.com)
 Office 248.858.0676

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1/19/2012



I.D.S. No. _____ Jail No. _____ Police Case No. _____
 P.S.D. Records I.D. No. 11863 Municipal P.D.I.D. No. _____
 Defendant's Name RUKKILA, JAMES WALTER Date of Birth 02 26 49
 Alias _____ Local Address 1635 N 67th Hollywood Sex _____ Race _____
 Permanent Address _____ Phone _____ Hgt. _____ Wt. 185
 Business Address _____ Taken to County Station _____ Eyes _____ Hair BK
 Soc. Sec. No. _____ POB: VA DC S Scars-Tattoos 4.289
 Arrest Date Feb 18 75 Time 1:30 Location _____

Co-Defendant's Name _____ STATUS M F L J I
 FELONY MISDEMEANOR JUVENILE
 Co-Defendant's Name _____ STATUS M F L J I
 FELONY MISDEMEANOR JUVENILE
 C1 W/C Felony In Viol. of F.S. _____ CAPIAS/CIT. 73-9129
 H W/C Felony In Viol. of F.S. _____ CAPIAS/CIT. 74-836
 A _____ In Viol. of F.S. _____ CAPIAS/CIT. _____
 R _____ In Viol. of F.S. _____ CAPIAS/CIT. _____
 G _____ In Viol. of F.S. _____ CAPIAS/CIT. _____
 B4 _____ In Viol. of F.S. _____ CAPIAS/CIT. _____
 S5 _____ In Viol. of F.S. _____ CAPIAS/CIT. _____

WITNESSES AGAINST DEFENDANT. See reverse side for additional witnesses

1. Name _____ Address _____ Phone _____
 2. Name _____ Address _____ Phone _____

Arresting Officer: _____ Ct. ID No. _____ Dept. _____
 The undersigned certifies and swears that, on his just and reasonable grounds to believe, and does believe that the above named Defendant
 On the _____ day of _____ 19 _____ At _____ (Time) _____ (Location)
 committed the following violation of law: Non-arrest; (Be specific)

Charges W/C Felony (2CTS) Rekindled
By TASC Altered Bond \$2000

DETACH IF F I ONLY OR RELATED CHARGE (EXCEPT JUVENILE) 11A 02-142 HKV, JAN. 1975

STATE OF FLORIDA: Juvenile Arresting Agency _____ RESIDENT OF: FLORIDA
 COUNTY OF DADE Misdemeanor/Ordinance Violation Arrest Form Dade County Other

I swear the above statement is correct and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 Officer's Signature _____
 Ct. ID No. _____
 Dept. _____

Sworn to and subscribed before me, the undersigned authority this _____ day of Feb 19 75

 Deputy of the Court of Notary Public

You must appear in County Court and comply with the instructions on the reverse side hereof.
 You need not appear in Court, but must comply with the instructions on the reverse side hereof.
 I promise to appear in said court at said time and place in 10 day the time specified the this affidavit.

P.S.D. RECORD'S COPY

Police Case No. _____

Signature of Defendant _____

COMPLETE REVERSE SIDES OF WHITE, YELLOW, AND PINK COPIES

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF DADE FELONY COMPLAINT AFFIDAVIT AND ALL RELATED CHARGES RESIDENT OF: FLORIDA Dade County Other

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the contents of this affidavit are true and correct and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, the undersigned on this 28th day of February 1975

Officer's Signature: *[Signature]*
Dept. FHP Ct. ID 823 No.

Deputy of the Court or Notary Public: *[Signature]*

Arresting Agency: 31 (Numeric Code)

P.S.D. RECORD'S COPY

Hold for Magistrate's Hearing. Do Not Bond Out. (Officer Must Appear) OUT OF COUNTY/STATE WARRANT

11A-02-1A2 REV. JAN. 1974 DETACH IF OTHER THAN ADULT FELONY OFFENDER Police Case No. _____

I.D.S. No. 18800 91 / 3034439 9344 Jail No. 188623 Police Case No. _____
P.S.D. Records I.D. No. 188623 Municipal P.D.I.D. No. _____

Defendant's Name: RUKKILA JAMES WALTER Date of Birth: _____
Alias: UNKNOWN (Last) (First) (Middle)

Local Address: 1630 N 67th Hollywood Fla. (City) (State) (Zip)
Permanent Address: 1630 N 67th Hollywood Fla. (City) (State) (Zip) Phone: 981-7708 Hgt: 5'09 Wt: 125

Business Address: UNKNOWN Taken to County Station: _____ Eyes: Blue Hair: Brown
Sex: M Race: W

Sec. Sec. No. 371-56-5530 Doc. LABORER POB: SCOT COUNTY, MISS. Scars-Tattoos: GUN SHOT WOUND LEFT LEG
Arrest Date: 2-18-75 Time: 7:47 AM Location: SR-9A AT NW 95 ST (Place of Arrest)

Co-Defendant's Name: NONE (Last) (First) (Middle) STATUS: AT LARGE IN CUSTODY JUVENILE
Co-Defendant's Name: NONE (Last) (First) (Middle) STATUS: FELONY MISDEMEANOR JUVENILE

1. Name: W/C Felony in Viol. of F.S. CAPIAS/CIT. # 73-9127
2. Name: W/C Felony in Viol. of F.S. CAPIAS/CIT. # 74-836
3. Name: LABORER D-L in Viol. of F.S. 3220 CAPIAS/CIT. # D-140-620
4. Name: _____ in Viol. of F.S. CAPIAS/CIT. # _____
5. Name: _____ in Viol. of F.S. CAPIAS/CIT. # _____
6. Name: _____ in Viol. of F.S. CAPIAS/CIT. # _____

WITNESSES AGAINST DEFENDANT: see reverse side for additional witnesses in Viol. of Sec. _____ of the code of _____

1. Name: _____ Address: _____ Phone: _____
2. Name: _____ Address: _____ Phone: _____

Officer: E.F. HOJALUNG Ct. ID No. 923 Dept. FHP
I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I have just and reasonable grounds to believe, and does believe that the above named Defendant on this 18th day of February 1975 at SR-9A AT NW 95 ST (Time) (Location)

Violated the following violation of law: Narrative: (Be specific)
SUBJECT WAS ARRESTED ON FELONY WARRANT AFTER TRAFFIC STOP AND TRANSPORTED TO JAC BIDD CO JAIL
SUBJECT WAS FOUND TO HAVE 2 FELONY WARRANTS

JAIL No.		Case No.	
100001 / 10000			
LAST NAME	FIRST	MIDDLE	
WALTER	WALTER		
INDEX No.	Fingerprint Class	P.B. LB	BKD BKT
371 56 5510		188623	021875 1975
Case No.	CHARGE	SECT	DATE
	CHARGES AND DETAINERS		DISPOSITIONS
DATE	Chg No.		
	188623		
	17-0121		18 FEB 75 NO PH. CO. ANY PAY
	14-836		TO TASC AS \$2000 BOND / P.M.
	D-140-620		NEWBOLD
			FEB 1975 CHG # 1 & 2 RESCINDED
			BY TASC ALTERNATE BOND \$2000
			PER JUDGE NEWBOLD - SEE
			ORDER ATTACHED
			FEB 18 1975 CHG 3 RESCINDED
			FEB 19 1975 CUSTODIAN - wife TRANSLEY
MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME		FIRST	MIDDLE
KUSISTTO		KERTTU	MARIA
Printed By		Photo By	Count
P. E. R. [Signature]		J. F. [Signature]	CTR. / CTY
Released By		Date	Time
[Signature]		FEB 19 1975	1825 / 14

Bonds or Custody AKA's

CHG 1 & 2 REL. TASC - NEWBOLD
 (RELEASE RESCINDED BY TASC)
 cust. wife - Friend / TRANSLEY

(31)

Case No.	173 36 552	FILED	198623	BKD	821875	BKT	0925	Address	1630 N GTR AVE PHOENIX AZ
Charge No.	1	CHARGE	157E	INITIAL	1986	DATE	02/19/75	TIME	11:00 AM
CHARGES AND DETAINERS					DISPOSITIONS				
CHG No.	1	CHARGE	157E	DATE	02-19-77	18 Feb 75 NO 14 COPS HELD			
CHG No.	2	CHARGE	157E	DATE	02-19-75	74 TASC NO BOND SENT TO			
CHG No.	3	CHARGE	157E	DATE	02-19-75	NEWELL			
CHG No.	4	CHARGE	157E	DATE	02-19-75	PER STATE CHARTER RESCINDED			
CHG No.	5	CHARGE	157E	DATE	02-19-75	BY TASC ADEQUATE BOND \$1000			
CHG No.	6	CHARGE	157E	DATE	02-19-75	PER JUDGE NEWELL - SEE			
CHG No.	7	CHARGE	157E	DATE	02-19-75	ORDER ATTACHED			
CHG No.	8	CHARGE	157E	DATE	02-19-75	FEB 19 1975			
CHG No.	9	CHARGE	157E	DATE	02-19-75	w/ wife Kerttu			
LAST NAME	URHO	FIRST	WALTER	MIDDLE		MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME	FIRST	MIDDLE	
						KUSISTTO	KERTTU	MARIA	
Print By	P. E. Raggio		Photo By	759	City	PHOENIX		CTV	
Signature	[Signature]		Date	FEB 19 1975	Time	1825		1/4	(31)

CHG 1 & 2 REC. TASC - NEWELL
 (RELEASE RESCINDED BY TASC)
 w/ wife Kerttu/TANKS/10Y

Medical Examiner Database Search

The Medical Examiner Department has statutory authority to investigate all non-natural deaths and a small portion of natural deaths, which occur in Miami-Dade County per F.S. Chapter 406.11. As a result, the department does not investigate all county deaths. * *

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Last Name: **

First Name:

Middle Name:

Last Date Known Alive: (MM/DD/YYYY)

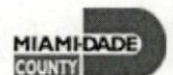
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Miami-Dade
County
Phone: 305-545
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Tom – Medical Examiner's Office in Broward County Florida 954-357-5237

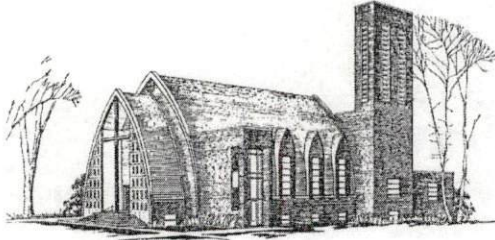
RE: Irene Rukkila DOB:

She did not die in 1985/86. He did an internet search and she did die on 07-11-95 in Broward County but she did not come to the ME's office.

Any questions, give him a call.



Our History



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Emmanuel's History

1950 – In September 1950, Bethlehem Lutheran Church Extension began Sunday school and Worship services in Coffey School in Detroit, with Rev. Henry L. Aukee as interim pastor.

1951 – In the fall of 1951 Pastor Melvin E. Hagelberg began work as Mission Developer. Services moved to Emerson School in Detroit and a parsonage was purchased. The Northwest Mission was organized.

1953 – Dec.13, Northwest Emmanuel Evangelical Lutheran Church was organized with a charter membership of 295 adults; Pastor Melvin E. Hagelberg called as Emmanuel's first pastor.

1956 – July 10, ground-breaking for a new church building in Southfield.

1957 - June 16, first worship service in new church building; a dedication service was held on Oct. 17th.

1958 – June, hosted National Suomi Synod Convention

1962 – Emmanuel joined the LCA and dropped "Northwest" from its name.

1965 – February 7, Rev. Donald W. Muehlnickel called to be Emmanuel's second pastor. The parsonage in Detroit was sold and a new parsonage was built on Plum Hollow Street. A pipe organ, audio system and new room dividers for the fellowship hall were purchased and installed. The chancel was renovated and the parking lot was paved.

1967 – May 21, new parsonage dedicated.

1968 – Pastor William A. Graf served as Vicar at Emmanuel. Under his leadership a strong youth program was developed.

1971 – February 14, new Wick pipe organ dedicated.

1973 – Major remodeling and renovation program completed.

1976 – October 10, Rev. L. Alden Erlandson called to be Emmanuel's third pastor.

1978 – Silver Anniversary Celebration.

1986 – Emmanuel enters the "Computer Age", using a computer for church membership and financial records.

1988 – 35th Anniversary Celebration.

1989 – Emmanuel becomes part of the E.L.C.A.

1991 – July 14, Rev. Roland C. Troike, Jr. called to be Emmanuel's fourth pastor.

1995 – Emmanuel enters the Stephen Ministry program.

1996 – Elevator dedicated.

2000 – Summer – Pastor Troike's sabbatical.
Handicap bathroom constructed.

2002 – Peace Garden dedicated.

2003 - June 8, 2003 – Dedication of new Hand bells.
50th Anniversary Celebration.

July, 2003 – Rev. Troike takes a call and goes to St. Peter's in St. Claire, MI.
Rev. John Freed comes to serve as supply pastor until the end of the year.

2004 – Rev. Michael Rothgery, interim pastor from January 2004 – June 2005.

2005 – Pastor David O. Maddox II arrives as our 5th pastor, June 27, 2005.

His installation service is held on July 17, 2005.

Established a ministry for the residents living at the Fountains of Southfield.

The food pantry to assist the needy was revitalized.

Holy Communion began to be administered every Sunday.

2006 – Nursery- Multi-purpose room constructed by John and Craig Moilanen Families and crew

Front steps to the church are repaired.

2007 – October, new hymnals arrive.

2008 – The Community Garden is established in cooperation with the Southfield Garden Club.

2010 – April 18, 2010 - With many tearful goodbyes, Pastor David O. Maddox II leaves Emmanuel for a new call in his hometown of Philadelphia, PA. We once again begin the process of searching for a new pastor.

June 2010 - Pastor Dellis W. Hudson joins us as Interim Pastor

December 2010 - The Kitchen floor is retiled for the first time since the building was built.

2011 – May 2011 Pastor Dellis W. Hudson leave us as Interim Pastor

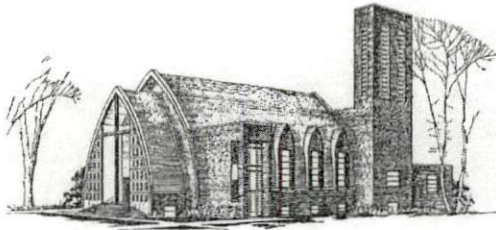
December 2011 – Christmas Caroling to the shut-ins resumes after many years.

2012 – More to come...

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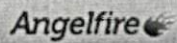
Service Schedule



	<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>
Home	9:30 a.m.	7:00 p.m.		7:00 p.m.		6:30 p.m.	2:00 p.m.
Welcome!	Sunday School Adult Forum	Bible Study		Prayer Meeting		Youth Group (Second Friday each month)	Ministry at 'The Fountains' (28301 Franklin Rd Southfield, MI)
Calendar	10:30 a.m. Worship Service with Holy Communion						
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This case would officially start with a boy named Mark Stebbins. Mark from all accounts was a likeable 12 year old in the seventh grade, who had lived with his mother Ruth Stebbins after his parents had split up when he was 5, and when he grew up, young Mark had his sites set on becoming a Marine. The last time he would ever see his Mother, would be around 12:25 in the afternoon on Feb. 15, 1976 at The American Legion Hall on 9 mile and Livernois in Ferndale. It was a party for Ruth and her co-workers, and at the time there was a pool tournament going on. According to Ruth, Mark had asked her for money to go to the local hobby shop, to which she said "no" because he had already been given his allowance. The little boy didn't seem mad, or even upset by this. He just simply said "okay", and that he had wanted to go home to watch a movie. So Ruth said goodbye to her son and expected to see him at home later. Mark then set out on his short three block walk home. Later in the day at around 7:15 Ruth called home to check on Mark, but there had been no answer. It appeared Mark wasn't home. When Ruth arrived at the house a little before 9:00 p.m. Mark still wasn't there. Alarmed by this Ruth decided that she'd wait one more hour and then call the police. Mark it would seem was missing for about 10 hours, so Ruth finally called the police. "We haven't had any kidnappings in Ferndale in 10 years," said the police. They just assumed maybe he was out with friends or possibly a run away, and would likely turn up soon.

With Mark not turning up, the police began searching abandoned buildings and searching around every conceivable location. According to Ruth she stayed up all night laying awake the night mark disappeared. "I kept hearing noises and thinking it was Mark, and the next few days I set three places at the table in the hope that he'd come home."

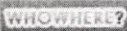
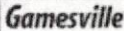
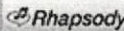

Four days later at just before noon on February 19, at a parking lot, Mark was found dead, his body placed there, curled-up as if he were sleeping near a dumpster in the parking lot of an office building


in Oak Park (some reports claim Ten Mile Road and Greenfield in Southfield, Greenfield is the boundary between the two cities). It appeared he had only been dead for less than 8 hours. Police at the scene noticed bruising and wounds indicating Mark had been beaten and tied up. He was probably held for some time in the trunk of a car. The exact manner of death is often reported differently, but some reports stated that there appeared to be a ligature wound around the small boy's throat. Indicating he had likely been strangled to death.(Although newspaper accounts at the time reported two different versions of his death. In most versions it states that mark had been smothered.) The boy had also been molested by his killer. Mark had been washed clean by his killer, and nails manicured, so no evidence would be left under the fingernails. His clothes were washed, dried, pressed. Then he was redressed, his shoes put back on, his coat zipped back up, and even his hood pulled up over his head on his jacket. He was then tenderly placed at the dump site in the sleeping position. Because of this the killer would earn the nickname "The Babysitter".

At this point Ferndale police were involved due to the missing person's report, and now the Southfield police were part of this murder. An error in retrospect by police soon followed when Southfield police moved Mark's body before the county medical examiner had even had the chance to arrive at the scene. Mark's body had been taken to the Southfield Police Department, rather than directly to the morgue. Police then removed Mark's clothing before he was sent to the morgue, which likely contaminated and destroyed any evidence in the process. The police with the help of local psychiatrist Bruce Danto, quickly went back to the dump site, and placed a child-sized manikin dressed as Mark was at the drop-off site in an attempt to lure the killer back to the scene. Because of shoddy police work no real evidence could be recovered in this crime. Before forensics could even get to the crime scene Mark's body had already been taken to the morgue and stripped of clothes destroying any possible evidence left behind.

After Mark's funeral, at the exact spot where Mark had been placed, the police would find a funeral card from Mark's service. Possibly left there by the killer as a taunt, suggesting he was at Mark's funeral. "I didn't recognize everyone who came," stated Ruth Stebbins. "I might even have shaken hands with the killer." After all this Mark's 17 year old brother Michael stopped studying, and started using drugs and alcohol, and had a run in with the law. Ruth was too distraught to work, and soon found herself depending on welfare, and taking Valium from time to time. To this day every time Ruth hears about a child's death it brings back memories of Mark. "Every time a child has been killed since Mark, it happens to me all over. I still think about it every day." Mark's case quickly went unsolved, although it was felt at the time that Mark's killer had been driven to commit this murder with the recent spat of homicides in the area (Cynthia Cadieux and Sheila Shrock). Possibly as a grab for attention in the media.


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