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What Justice Is This?

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Jennifer Johnson

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For we all know that Justice means Moral rightness,
equity, fairness, the administration and procedure of
law; a judge

But what happens when you face justice yourself
in the end you have to ask self

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This is a three part series

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In the case of

Joshua Johnson

Part 1

March 08, 2019

What Justice Is This?

Michael Johnson, brother of Jennifer Johnson which they are codefendants along with Jennifer Johnson's husband Christopher Norman. All was indicted on felony murder and cruelty to children May, 1997. During interrogation we was we asked do we need a lawyer. Jennifer Johnson the mother was interrogated for hours longer than co-defendants. All three was dragged to trial by their public defenders. was tried together and no plea was offered. Michael Johnson, Christopher Norman and Jennifer Johnson was found guilty at trial August ~~18-19~~, 1997, 1997. All case was appealed to the Supreme Court.

Supreme Court of Georgia

Johnson v. The State

Norman v. The State

NO. S98A0379, S98A0381

Decided: July 04, 1998

Billy M. Grantham, Daltonsville for Jennifer Johnson, Enzie M. Sheffield, Colquitt, for Christopher Norman.
J. Brown Musey, Dist. Atty. Bainbridge, Elizabeth Lewis Jaeger, Asst. Atty Gen. → Paula K. Smith, Senior Asst. Atty. Gen. Department of Law, Atlanta, for the State
Jennifer Johnson and Christopher Norman were convicted of felony murder and cruelty to children in the death of Jennifer Johnson's five-month old son, Joshua. Norman was convicted of two additional counts of cruelty to children related to other instances of physical abuse to Joshua. The trial court merged one count of cruelty to children into the felony murder and sentenced ~~appellants~~ appellants to life imprisonment. Norman received two consecutive 20-year sentences on the remaining counts of cruelty to children. They appeal and we affirm in this consolidated opinion.

In the sole enumeration of error asserted by both appellants, they contend the evidence was insufficient to support the jury's verdict finding them guilty of the offenses for which they were charged. The jury was authorized to find that on the evening of Joshua's death, the apartment was occupied by the three adults: Jennifer Johnson, her nineteen-year-old brother Michael Johnson and Jennifer's boyfriend, Christopher Norman. In response to a 911 call placed by Michael at approximately 6:00 a.m. the following morning, an emergency medical technician arrived at the apartment to find Joshua dead, his body lying on a chair. In a videotaped police interview Jennifer related that Joshua had been crying incessantly the day before his death and that when she fed Joshua at midnight he was healthy except for experiencing a cold and some constipation. She alleged that Joshua was not breathing when she made a routine check of the infant at approximately 5:00 the following morning. During her interview Jennifer related previous instances when Norman had abused Joshua. These instances were corroborated by neighbors who testified to one instance where both Michael and Jennifer stood by and watched Norman throw Joshua in the air with such force that the baby vomited and place Joshua between his legs to shake him and another instance where Norman swung the baby in the air by his wrists until the infant vomited. Norman denied any knowledge of the cause of Joshua's death and also denied other abuse of infant. In his videotaped interview, Michael stated that his sister and Norman went to bed together at 3:30 a.m., but that he remained awake until 4:00-4:30 a.m. until he eventually fell asleep watching TV. He did not wake until he heard his sister cry out at 5:00 or 5:15 a.m.

These statements, however, conflicted with testimony by witness Snell, who lived in an adjacent apartment. Snell testified that she heard a baby cry about 3:00am and that the crying ceased after she heard a thump on the common wall between the two apartments. At about 3:30am she heard footsteps running down the apartment stairs and at 4:00am she saw Michael walking on the ~~porch~~ porch outside the apartment and heard him claiming that he did not do it. Other witness who observed appellants the morning of Joshua's death testified that Norman showed no emotion about the incident. Police investigators testified that after they became aware that Joshua's death was not accidental, they went to Jennifer's apartment to secure physical evidence but could not find Joshua's crib. Jennifer informed the officers that the crib had been destroyed and thrown into a dumpster, it could not be located even following an extensive search of ~~the~~ dumpsters in the area. A forensic ~~pathologist~~ pathologist testified that Joshua was well nourished and suffered from no other disease, except a cold. The external trauma injuries were described as a pattern of bruising at the lower chest and upper abdomen resulting from a combination of knuckle hits, blows to the abdomen and vigorous gripping. Joshua's internal injuries consisted of a "pulpified" liver, a severe laceration to the inferior vena cava vein from the liver to the heart, two fractured ribs and ~~excessive~~ excessive internal bleeding. Joshua's internal organs also showed evidence of scarring as result of previous trauma. The pathologist concluded that Joshua's injuries were inflicted, not accidental. A participant to a crime may be convicted for the crime although he or she is not the person who directly commits the crime. O.C.G.A 16-2-20, 16-2-21. A person who intentionally aids or abets in the commission of a crime or intentionally advises, encourages, hires, counsels or procures another to commit the crime may be convicted of the crime as a party to the crime. Id at (b)(3) and (4).

Mere presence at the scene is not sufficient to sustain a conviction of one being a party to a crime, but criminal intent may be inferred from conduct before, during and after the commission of the crime. *Sands v. State*, 262 Ga. 367(2), 418 S.E.2d 555 (1992) whether Jennifer Johnson or Christopher Norman were parties to a crime and aided and abetted in the crimes charged or intentionally advised, encouraged or counseled the other to commit the crime was a question for the jury. See ~~Harper v. State~~ 155 Ga. App. 722, 272 S.E.2d 736 (1980). See *Harper v. State*, 155 Ga. App. 764(1), 272 S.E.2d 736 (1980).

This Court does not weigh the evidence in appeal or resolve conflicts in trial testimony. Rather it is the function of this court to examine the evidence in the light most favorable to the verdict and to determine whether any rational trier of fact could have found the appellants guilty beyond a reasonable doubt. *Gaekson v. Virginia*, 443 U.S. 307, 319, 99 S.Ct. 2781, 61 L.Ed.2d 560 (1979).

Booker v. State 251 Ga. 3738(W), 354 S.E.2d 425 (1987). Considering the evidence as a whole, especially the videotaped testimony, we conclude that the evidence adduced at trial was sufficient to enable a rational trier of fact to find appellants guilty beyond a reasonable doubt as either perpetrators or parties to the crime of cruelty to children and felony murder. We further sustain his additional conviction of cruelty. OCGA. 16-5-70 48(1), 338 S.E.2d 506 (1985). *Richardson v. State* 177 Ga. App.

Judgment affirmed

- The murder occurred between December 28-29, 1996 and appellants were indicted in DeKalb County on May 1, 1997. On August 19, 1997 Jennifer Johnson's notice of appeal was filed on August 19, 1997. Norman's notice of appeal was filed on August 20, 1997. Both appeals were docketed in this court on November 26, 1997 and submitted for decision without oral argument.

Part 2

what Justice is this?

Johnson v. The State

No. S98A0452

Decided: September 25, 1998

Robert Michael Thomas Colquitt for Michael Johnson, Robert Ray Cuman, Chief Asst. Dist. Atty., Cairo, T. Brown Moseley, Dist. Atty. Barnbridge, Hon. Thurber E. Baker, Atty Gen. Elizabeth Lewis Jaeger, Asst. Atty. Gen., Paula K. Smith, Senior ASS Atty. Gen. Department of Law Atlanta, for the State.

Michael Johnson appeals from his felony murder conviction and resulting life sentence concerning the death of his sister's five-month-old son. Following a joint trial, Johnson, his sisters and his boyfriend were convicted in connection with the infant's death. Because we conclude that the evidence presented against Johnson was insufficient to enable a rational trier of fact to conclude beyond a reasonable doubt that he was guilty of felony murder, we reverse.

The evidence of record, when viewed in a light most favorable to the guilty verdict, was sufficient to enable rational jurors to make the following factual findings: ~~On the night~~ On the night of December 28, 1994 Jennifer Johnson's apartment was occupied by three adults - appellant Johnson, his sister Jennifer and his boy friend Christopher Norman. Johnson was downstairs in the apartment, either on the sofa or on a mattress placed on the floor, and Jennifer and Norman were upstairs with the baby at approximately 6:00 the following morning. ~~At 6:00~~ Johnson placed a call to 911 emergency services. Johnson told the 911 operator that the baby was not breathing.

When emergency technicians arrived at the apartment, the baby was dead. It was later determined that the infant had been bludgeoned to death. Ms. Snell, who lived in the adjoining apartment, testified that at ~~approx~~ approximately 3:00 am she had heard the baby crying through the upstairs common wall between the apartments and that she then heard a loud thump. After that, she did not hear the baby cry again. Thirty minutes later, she heard foot steps on the neighboring apartment's stairwell. At approximately 4:00 am, she heard Johnson on the porch outside the apartment saying "I didn't do it." I didn't do it. The next day, another neighbor saw Johnson outside the apartment crying and saying "They just aggravate, just aggravate, just aggravate." Still another neighbor heard Johnson on the telephone, saying that he did not do it.

When investigators went to the apartment to photograph the baby's crib, they were told by Jennifer Johnson that the crib had been destroyed and placed in a dumpster. A search of dumpsters in the apartment complex proved fruitless; the crib was not recovered. When questioned by police about the baby's death, Johnson denied any knowledge of it. Thus, the State presented evidence that (1) on the night of the murder, Johnson was downstairs in the apartment (2) on the night of the murder, two other adults - the baby's mother and her boy friend - were upstairs in the apartment with the baby (3) Johnson called 911 to report that the baby was not breathing (4) neighbors heard Johnson say "he did not do it," and observed him acting upset (5) Johnson denied knowledge about the murder and offered no help to investigators and (6) someone, acting alone or in concert with someone else, removed the crib from the apartment.

There also was some evidence to suggest that, on one previous occasion, Johnson and others had observed Mormon toss the infant in the air, causing the baby to somit. In ~~not~~ considering whether the evidence presented at trial is sufficient to support a criminal conviction, this court views the evidence submitted in a light most favorable to the prosecution and defers to the ~~your~~ jury's ~~does~~ assessment of the weight of the evidence and the credibility of witnesses. Even with the benefit of these favorable inferences, however, the State did not present evidence upon which a reasonable jury could have concluded that Johnson committed felony murder in connection with the infant's death. Under O.C.G.A. 16-5-(c) a person commits felony murder in ~~committing~~ commission of an underlying felony, he causes the death of another, irrespective of malice. A person commits the offense of cruelty to children, the underlying felony, in this matter when he maliciously causes a child under the age of 18 cruel or excessive physical pain. The State is of course, required to prove ~~every~~ every element of a crime charged beyond a reasonable doubt. In this case, the State failed to meet that burden. Certainly, no direct evidence was introduced at trial to establish that Johnson acted with malicious intent toward the baby or caused the baby to suffer physical pain. Nor was there any circumstantial evidence from which the jury could infer that Johnson mistreated the baby. It was shown only that Johnson was present in the apartment on the night of the murder, denied having committed the murder, called 911 and failed to assist in the police investigation. Since Johnson was heard saying "I didn't do it" roughly two hours before the 911 emergency call was made, it might be inferred that he failed to call 911 immediately after learning that the baby had been harmed. While it also might be ~~inferred~~ inferred that he withheld relevant information from investigation, such conduct, while culpable, provides no basis for reasonable persons to conclude beyond a reasonable doubt that Johnson was guilty of bludgeoning the baby, causing its death.

As made clear by the ~~recd~~ recitation of facts above, the State's evidence did not establish, or even infer, the existence of any of the essential elements of cruelty to children or felony murder. Furthermore, the State's case against Johnson was based entirely upon circumstantial evidence and the law is clear that unless the State's evidence excludes every reasonable hypothesis except that of Johnson's guilt, it has failed to carry its burden to establish guilt beyond reasonable doubt. From the evidence, it is reasonable to hypothesize that on the night of the murder, Johnson was downstairs in the apartment while the baby was upstairs with Moran and Jennifer Johnson. That arrangement would be consistent with the usual sleeping arrangement in the apartment, that she could hear the baby's cries through the upstairs wall. Because Trull also ~~had~~ heard the sound made when the baby was bludgeoned and the silence that followed, it is reasonable to conclude that the fatal blow or blows also were delivered upstairs. No evidence existed to suggest that Johnson had previously inflicted harm upon the baby or had been a party to such abuse. The State offered nothing to discount the reasonable possibility that Johnson did not contribute to the baby's death, other than his presence in the apartment that night. Johnson's mere presence at the scene of the murder, without anything more than an adequate ~~base~~ basis to support his conviction for that crime. Accordingly, we must conclude that the evidence presented at trial was insufficient to support Michael Johnson's conviction for felony murder, with cruelty to children being the underlying felony, in connection with the death of his infant nephew - judgment reversed

for the reasons set forth in my majority opinions in *Johnson v. State* and *Norman v. State*, 269 Ga. 432, 501 S.E.2d 815 (1998), I am committed to view that the evidence presented in this case was sufficient to support the jury's verdict finding Michael Johnson and his co-defendants guilty of felony murder based on the underlying felony of cruelty to children. Therefore, I respectfully dissent to the reversal of his conviction.

There is evidence in the record that Michael Johnson had been a party to or complied with the prior abuse of the baby. One neighbor specifically testified that she observed Christopher Norman grab the 3-4 month old baby by the wrist and ~~swung~~ swing him above his head until the baby threw up. This same ~~witness~~ witness testified that Michael Johnson was present when this occurred. In addition there was evidence that Michael Johnson lived in the home with Jennifer Johnson and apparently spent much of his time there as he was unemployed. Under such circumstances his knowledge of prior abuse would have been the same as Jennifer's knowledge. Michael Johnson's own testimony shows that he was aware of past physical abuse of the infant by Christopher Norman and after the infant died lied to the police by denying any past abuse of the baby and depicting Christopher Norman as a caring adult. This evidence that Michael Johnson knew of the past abuse and participated in the cover-up was sufficient to convict him of the crime of cruelty to children as a party to the crime.

I am likewise committed to the conclusion that Michael Johnson, a member of the household, knew as well as any of the co-defendants how Christopher Norman treated the baby and was lying about it when he talked to investigators.

A participant to a crime may be convicted for the crime although he ~~is~~ met the person who directly commits the crime. OCGA 16-2-20, 16-2-21. Because the law provides that criminal intent may be inferred from conduct before, during and after the commission of a crime, I would affirm Michael Johnson's conviction.

Part 3

What Justice Is This?

Two main Events:

09-07-96 My fiance Christopher Norman was at work Elberta Crete. It was the day that I receive my children food stamps. In order to do that I had to walk to my post office box which was at the Bainbridge Post office. Due to my one month old child Joshua had a slight cold. Because it was cool outside. I decided to leave Joshua and his sibling Wendell and Day next door with my aunt Shirley Jean King while I walk to the postal office. I went in came back quickly. Normally we are not too quick to leave our children with nobody except for his mother Willie Era.

So I came on back in got my children. We carried on with our normal days. Eating, taking naps, playing games just having fun. Well it was about time for my fiancee Chris to come home at 4:30^{pm}. So I started to cooking approximately 3:30pm. Duration of me cooking our dinner. I needed something to complete dinner. When my fiancee Chris came in. Got settled I then step out to Wondixie Grocery Store, walking distance, short. I came back finish cooking we ate and talked about how our day was. The children always be happy to tell their dad Me and mommie did this and that. Then my ~~one~~ fiancee Chris go to bed. I bathe our children. The two oldest toddler I would put in the tub. And bathe my one month old in his little tub. We would all be in the bath at the same time because I have to monitor my two oldest in the tub. So I as I begin to do my ~~normal~~ normal routine 09-07-06. The two oldest had stripped in got into the bath tub playing with their toys. I begin to strip my one month old Joshua to bath him in his little tub. I removed his little onesy outfit and diaper and then removed his socks. When I removed his socks. I became hysterically

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Shocked as to what I found on his feet. Each foot had a blister. Who could of did this. ~~Then~~ Immediately I was yelling for my fiancee chris to show him. He came, said what happened? I said I left the child with ~~sister~~ Shirley while walk to the post office. He asking why did you do that. My brother came in Michael. I dressed my baby we immediately walked Joshua to the emergency room. I got to Burnbridge Memorial Hospital at 6:23pm. We got seen at 6:48pm. When asked who smoke in that house and Rose they got their. I couldn't really fully answer because I was in shock at what person would do this. Ok my auntie Shirley and fiancee chris smoked. But however I caught one of the toddler playing with matches and lighter one day. So all this confusion going on my head. Cause no child abuse was going on in my house. I was confused, hurt and hysterical. The ER doctor gave me Neosporin and reapplication dressings. To follow up with MD Monday for recheck. I ~~soon~~ signed a paper saying he was discharge with a responsible adult. I didn't know the Department children was coming or what. I got back home. I was ~~been~~ raising hell and shocked at the same time because in my heart I knew I could trust my fiancee chris and auntie Shirley. But I asked both of them denied doing such thing. My fiancee chris was saying told you stop fooling with that lady. Something was not right about her, (my aunt Shirley) why did you leave the children over their. I said I had to go to the Post office. I had nobody else to keep them. Well behold 09-09-96 guess who knocks on the door of my apartment at 9:30am. I look through the peep hole it was Mrs. McLemore the Welfare lady I had a terrible experience with when I was 13 year old when I was being molested etc. I would not open my door because I had nightmare about that lady, how mean she was to ~~me~~ page 11

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and put me back into the home of the perpetrator. It started all over again. I don't know if she realize who I was but I didn't open that day. So they sent a new caseworker Ginger Harris. I open the door. She said she was from Bainbridge DFACS. She was investigating the feet burning incident, making sure we had food, safe environment and good living arrangement. She asked about my fiancee Chris. Behind the scene Shirley my aunt was telling all kinds of lies he was being abused, I was scared of my fiancee Chris. Basically putting it on Chris. The lady came out one more time. In the midst of all this we found out that my aunt Shirley was on crack. I said if I knew that I would have never left my children with her with her. So we stop dealing with her period. Every turn she was trying to make our lives a living hell. Nobody was charged with the feet ~~burnt~~ incident. Till this day nobody will confess up to it or has confessed up to it. ~~Guaranteed to never stop doing~~. What Justice is this? What did I do wrong?

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Event 2

The confusion of my aunt Shirley had gotten worst. She was trying to delegate everybody in the projects to get on her bandwagon of Chris was abusing us and I was scared of him. In the midst of this we was having problem out of my mother who I believe to be mental health and my brother Michael who has been bewitched by my mother. My fiancee Chris and I was ^{not} concerned about none of them. We was doing us. Income tax time we was going to get us a triple wide trailer, car and moved out of the projects with our own. We get married Valentine Day. While planning we constantly had to take Joshua one month old to doctors because he constantly had a cold and his formula had to be constantly change. Dr lone pediatrician kept treating him for a cold. His hair was shedding. Our apartment was often sprayed. But all of certain we had sugar ants, some bit all my children. They had gotten into the old oak beds they had. Joshua crib was made out of old oak. The toddler bunk bed was made out of old oak. In the ants was in some of other rooms like the laundry room, our room but I got the bug man to ~~the~~ spray immediately. So we had all these issue going on. Confusion after confusion. Chris, his mother, I and Church family had discussed that we should take Joshua to a health specialist because he constantly keeps a cold, his breathing was rapid and his hair was falling out. It seemed like he was not developing normal like the other children at four months old he could barely hold his head up properly. something was not right concerning our child.

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Event 2

On the day of December 28, 1996, my fiancee Chris said he was going to Corder's apartment, which I didn't agree with because Corder is a career drug dealer and troublemaker. Why would you hang around a person like that. When you're doing positive things. So we got into a brief argument. There was no physical altercation like Shirley spreaded. My fiancee Chris did something that he had never done before. Stayed gone away from me and children all day. I was sick and had a terrible headache; all day. My brother Michael came over. He helped me some. Remained over at the apartment. Chris came back to the apartment about 8:30pm. I said like baby where have you been all day. He said I been with Corder then. I looked at Chris, that was not my fiancee Chris. Yes sometime he smoked marijuana but it was not the same look as if he was high off marijuana. I can tell he had been doing some other drugs. He was violent. His eyes did not look right. He asked Day, Wendell and I, what do you want to eat. So we all went with Corder. I got something to eat. We came back ate. The children had already taken their bath. They all failed asleep on the sofa while Joshua failed asleep in my arm. While Michael and fiancee Chris played the video game. So I put the two oldest in the bed. About 11:30pm I sent Michael to put Joshua in his crib. While Michael went up stairs. Me and Chris had a brief conversation. I said my wisdom tooth been hurting all day. I had took some Tylenol 3 and Latex and I said my head been hurting. I said Joshua has been crying 10 to 15 minutes. I said I believe he had the colic. So I gave him some Benadryl. Plus he constipated. page 13.

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Event 2

I said I think it's the formula. I said what have you been doing today. He said we just been riding around and hanging out. I am sorry for staying gone all day. I said have you been smoking weed only because you don't look right. Chris said that is the only thing I will smoke. I said how do you know if Cordelle lace your joint or not. Chris said I watch them. I said people are sneaky. He said nah, they know not to try me like that. So now its 12 midnight Michael comes back downstairs from putting Joshua to bed in his crib. Michael sets back down to continue playing the video game with Chris. I said baby I am sleepy. I got to go to bed. I kissed Chris. He said I will be up there shortly, let me beat Michael on this game. I went up stairs. I check on the children everyone was ok. I went to sleep. Shortly after I had fallen asleep, I felt Chris enter the bed with me. I got into his arms because that was how we slept. We failed fast to sleep. Early morning of December 29, 1996 - I had to use the bathroom. So I rolled out of my fiancee arm. He said where you going baby, I said to the bathroom and check on the kids. He said ok. I went to the bathroom which is both our normal routine to check on our children. When we get up to go to the bathroom & we hear one of them get up. So I entered my children room where all three slept. I cut the light on. I look at my two old not moving around sleep. I look at Joshua. He was not breathing. I became very hysterical, screaming somebody call 911. I grab my baby out of the crib crying holding my child I want my baby, I want my baby what is wrong with my child no he cannot be dead running down the stairs to the living room sofa when the paramedic came & was so upset I couldn't really talk because I am not

getting no understanding because he had been sick with a cold. Had been crying off and on all day that day. So I thought he had the collied. So I ~~gone~~ gave him Dec-wee. Usually when a child cry over 10-15 minute their slight possible they have the collied. Meaning his stomach is upset because of the formula or something they have eaten. It's like adult having indigestion. The Sheriff, ambulance, Coroner came at the scene. I tried to explain as best as I could because I found my child not breathing and deceased. I was very hysterical and shaken up. I just couldn't believe my child was dead. The coroner pronounced him deceased of SIDS.

The nightmare begins

My brother Michael, fiancee chris and I was taken in for questioning of Joshua death. We were told he did know Blunt force injuries to the abdomen. first his little feet was burned and now this horrific act was done to him. But who? who? who? Nobody would say anything or even act like they know what happen. I stayed crying all day and night. My fiancee chris would try to comfort me but what good is that when you want your child back. During my questioning I was drill for hours till point I just begin to say anything under the influence of coercion by GBI Michael Walsingham. why was I question the longest when I am the one framed. So Michael Walsingham ~~had~~ and Wendell Cofey came back in arrest my fiancee chris. So during the interrogation they took my other two children Wendell and Qay place them in the foster care. Now they took my fiancee chris place him in jail. That leave me all alone and pregnant. Then I get evicted out of our apartment in one day because I didn't tell Michael and chris was staying apartment. At least that is what the ^{TENANT} had said until I found out that my Aunt Shirley, Michael Walsingham and Wendell Cofey

Was behind my eviction notice. I was been constantly harassed by
aunt Shirley, Gaeke Thurmond, my mom Linda Johnson. So Linn
Harris Decatur County sheriffs office came to look at the
crib. He didn't want the crib. I am trying to figure out
what suppose to be wrong with the crib? My fiancee chris
got out on bond from being charge with Joshua's death.
February 11, 1997 my fiancee chris was picked up again on the
same charges along with me and brother Michael being charged.
I was devastated and traumatized by everything. I constantly
lived day and night even in the jail. The more we got
into case. My public defender @ Briley Grantham was
more for the State. He took advantage of my weakness
I didn't know anything concerning the law and I was at
my most vulnerable moment in my life because I lost a
child to death and other two children to foster care.

suddenly the red flags

Came up, but no one to help during the investigation
of criminal case

Lie #1

1. after being ~~questioned~~ interrogated (Jennifer Johnson) was taken
back to her Apt 7F by Detective Wendell Cofer said he had to
take pictures of my apartment. But when we went to trial
during ^{testimony} Wendell Cofer lied in said he didn't know who took
the pictures of the apartment. Why did he lie to the courts
during his testimony on the stand? Because he didn't
have no search warrant to take the pictures and then
he submit illegal evidence to the record of our case.

Lie #2

During juvenile hearing for my children Wendell and Day. He told
the judge that I needed several visit with my children foster
care parent. When it was the other way around. My mother in law
Eva who took me to every visit. We would get their Ginger Harris
oh saying it in a nasty way. I thought I called you to let you

that your children is not going to make it to the visit. Me and my mother in law constantly by the phone, she lied. On numerous of visit the Director Tim Green roused his voice at my son Wendell. Several visit the foster parents didn't show up with my children. At first my children was with Anna Bolden. This lady said that my daughter said we did it, she lied. Behind the scene Michael Walsingham and Dfacs worker Ginger Harris was picking up my ~~daughter~~ daughter Graycey, a taking her to Dfacs where they would try to brain wash her into saying me, Michael or chris did this. How do I know this? I was on the phone with Anna Bolden mother. Anna Bolden told me I could talk to my children anytime because she be at work. Her mom would be like they are taken her. So when I go to visit Graycey would tell on them in Ginger face. So my children was moved to another foster parents. Then to my mother in law Eva. where they would be raised till they get grown.

Character flaw - Wendell Copier was on channel 6 news while working on our homicide case, for the investigation of his wife's death. Detective Wendell Copier was allowed to continue his investigation even though he was being investigated for the homicide of his wife.

Lack of integrity and character flaw - GBI Michael Walsingham was willing to create situation to get a conviction against my fiancee Christopher Norman. from day one he wouldn't stand my fiancee Chris. He labeled him as a drug dealer because of his baggy pants and starter jersey.

- GBI Michael Walsingham lied behind the scene to manipulate people to get what he want. When me and chris was out on bond this man had people watching us and following us everywhere. People would tell me as soon as you left this white dude on a white police vehicle came up behind you asking question. GBI Michael Walsingham harassed my three year old daughter constantly picking up from foster care interrogating her. My fiancee chris and I was

Setting in a pathway in the country in Donaldsonville, GA not to far from his ~~beth~~ Aunt house. We was just talking and hugging each other. When a green hunter jeep with bright lights tries to run into the back of our park vehicle. Chris crunk the car real quick while this jeep chases us to the city limits. It was GBI Michael Walsingham han chasing us. Later on we would find out for sure when chris is trapped up in another criminal case. All of certain night before our case was suppose to go to trial. GBI Michael Walsingham went to see Cordell Jackson once again with his men at his house. Which Michael Walsingham had been trying to get Cordell to lie on chris and get him into trouble. The whole time he was out on bond. All of certain the may next day May of 1997 after GBI Michael Walsingham visit with Cordell. We get a call from Colquitt jail that Christopher Norman has been arrested for robbery and aggravated assault. Me and chris's mother Eva gets to the jail. The first thing I see is the hunter jeep that ~~they~~ tried to run into us and chase us to the city limits. Its Michael Walsingham on scene, why? Cordell, chris and another boy was charged for supposedly robbing a eldercouple. Our Pastor's husband worked at the same hospital as one of the victims that was involved in the case. She told my pastor's husband. GBI Michael ~~said~~ Walsingham said chris was wanted for murder. How you is wanted for murder if you out on bond? Michael Walsingham end up being on this robbery case with chris. The ~~other~~ victims refuse to come to court because they wanted chris case dropped because they heard about everything going on with us. Michael Walsingham made sure the State picked up the charges. Michael Walsingham was harassing me like ~~he~~ crazy ~~he~~. There was people all on foot following me, van with surveillance. He was coming to my jobs. My hotel supervisor was told my fiancee chris was a drug dealer which was a lie for me to be out on bail pending trial. Not getting into any trouble this man GBI Michael Walsingham was making my life a living hell. The same for when I was

out on appeal bond. I was being followed to church and work. My mom Linda Johnson who is my biggest enemy was calling Michael Walsingham making false reports. She would be talking to me in false compassion hoping I would say something to harm myself.

Questions ??? / Answers

Why was GBI Michael Walsingham and Detective Wendell Cofer lying and willing to do anything to manipulate the judicial system to get a conviction?

How many other cases they manipulated to get a false conviction or to get a conviction?

If witness Shirley King seen all this done to Joshua. Why didn't she report it to the police before this murder? Why wasn't she charged with Criminal negligence? Could it be that she was lying and over exaggerating the situation. Why would she go around to the neighbors in the apartment complex telling them what to say about us when the GBI and Detective question them. Could she possibly have burned Joshua feet, but it in my fiancee chris? Who is really at fault? Is she the violate one?

Why was Eron Snell's Shirley drinking ~~and~~ ^{partner} Alcohol and drug (crack) partner was testifying. Both of them get high and drunk. That's how they also connected to each. So what drove Eron to police and testify in court. Shirley - Because they had an encounter one day Eron and Shirley got into heated argument one day. I don't know if it was over drugs or alcohol. But Shirley went into her apartment got a hammer ~~and~~ began swinging at Eron Snell and his daughter. Now Eron got planted in her head this lady already got a hammer at me and my daughter. I better do what she says. So when Shirley came to her saying you need to say this. She did it out of the fear of Shirley.

Evon Snells testified that she heard a baby cry about 3:00 am and that the crying ceased after she heard a thump on the common wall between the two apartments. We was in the same apartment. Joshua, Day and Peanut room. We could walk out of our room right into the children room. So why didn't we hear this. When Joshua gets up many the children we normally hear them. I personally heard her daughter crying one night there was man voice in the room next door. The next thing I know her daughter was taken from her by DFAC given to her family. I could have ~~said~~ Speculated but I didn't. So if she had a open case at the welfare office. How was her credibility was substantial with the state and DFACS. If she had her own issue going on. Her testimony was very conflicting. The morning of the trial the DA Brown mostly asked her was she or anything. She said yes she had been drinking. Guess what they put her on the stand anyway. So unfair to our trial.

In the appeal with Supreme Court states these instances were corroborated by neighbors (Shirley) only ~~two~~ two her daughter Darynly Peak who she told what to say, but the other daughter Shaketa Peak back out because she said she could now lie on us because I had been good to them. It was said that Shirley testified one instance where both Michael my brother and I Jennifer stood by and watched Norman throw Joshua in the air with such force that the baby vomited and place Joshua between his legs to shake him and another instances where Norman swing the baby in the air by his wrist until the infant vomited. First of all their was no demonstration with a doll at trial. This was a word of mouth which makes it hearsay evidence. I can say the moon is blue. But until ~~can~~ I can prove that it is blue. It's just speculation. Put^{ing} a child on your leg up and down like they riding a horse is not child abuse. Putting your child up in the air like they riding airplane is not child abuse or would cause a child's death. Dayreya and Wendell is fully grown nothing is not wrong with them. We played games with our children. Of course if a child is full on milk. He is going to vomit. I put Joshua in his swing winded it

he throwed up. You can put infants in their rockers if they feel they throw up milk. You can lay them down on the sofa or crib they throw up milk. That is not ~~cruelty~~ cruelty to children. This situation was very ~~is~~ over-exaggerate. These instances were corroborated by neighbors who testified to one instance where both Michael and Jennifer stood by and watched Mormon throw Joshua in the air with such force that the baby vomited and place Joshua between his legs to shake him and another instance where Mormon swing the baby in the air by his wrists until the infant vomited. This was over exaggerated hearsay.

Other witnesses who observed (Shirley King) ^{witness} who observed appellants the morning of Joshua's death testified that Mormon showed no emotion about the incident. So you tell me that people go to funerals, ^{me} found loves' ^{decease} or somebody dies in the hospital or in their home. Because they are not crying they responsible for the person's death. Some people never cry about the deaths. So what makes them a murderer?

Police Investigators testified that after they became aware that Joshua's death was not accidental, they went to Jennifer's apartment to secure physical evidence but could not find Joshua's crib. Jennifer informed that the crib had been destroyed and thrown into a dumpster, it could not be located even following an extensive search of dumpsters in the area. Lynn Harrell from the Decatur County Sheriff office came in looked at the crib after we had found out that Joshua died from blunt force injury to the abdomen. If this was the fruit of the crime. He could have taken it then. Days later Wendell Cofey and FBI Michael Walsingham boomed up to my apartment. We need the crib. I said I had Chas and Michael take it apart set it beside the dumpster because I wanted

my baby. I didn't want to set in look at empty crib. Everytime I look at the crib all I could see me finding my baby not breathing. Shirley King said we destroyed the ~~the~~ crib into several pieces and put it in the dumpster. That was a lie. the crib was taken & down the same way you put it together. It was done out of malice. I wanted my baby. They could have had the crib. Nothing was next wrong with the crib it was in good shape. Somebody probably got it from by the dumpster and took it home. I lived in Section 8 where the people was in poverty. In my family when somebody die in our family we get rid of their belongs because it brings back memory of hurt that they are no longer with us. When cousin baby died she got rid of his belongings but she was never charged with murder. When my great grandma died, my mom got rid of her clothes nobody was charged with murder.

I am the one who told someone to call 911. In the Appeal Court Stated Johnson, Michael called 911 to report that the baby was not breathing. They gave him all the credit as if he was the only who cared that my son ~~was~~ Joshua Wasn't breathing. Second if me presence was not enough evidence to ~~convict~~ Secure the evidence on my brother Michael Johnson, he was downstairs in the apartment. Ok me and boy friend were upstairs in the apartment, me my children was next to room closer to our room. Is their a specific place the parents suppose to be in the apartment when something happens to their child. If were presente didnt matter for my brother Michael Johnson. Should not have matter for the parents. But unsee for we dealing with is because this is a bad parents should know every thing on with their child. That of ~~else~~ you can't catch everything you can turn your back a split second and something can happen to any one. Michael Johnson my brother could have walk up stairs just as quick as you all saying we could have did this because the child was upstairs with us Chas boyfriend and mother Jennifer Johnson. Neighbors heard my brother Michael Johnson say he did not do it

and observed him acting upset. What exactly is he talking he did not do it? Killed Joshua. Can he have all the answers to Joshua death and who? He might didn't kill Joshua but he knows what happened. What our men under Johnson did to make it happen. He was acting upset because why he didn't think this lady go this far. what & and talking about witchcraft and voodoo. The night before Joshua ~~dead~~ was found not breathing in the crib. That Saturday morning I went out to a wet porch. It had just rain or morning dew. Usually when someone does that. Means they are using witchcraft to sweep you out of your apartment or home. There was a bat on the tree with witchcraft satchel powder all around my door and yard. I was upset because who did such a thing like this. Then I notice some of Joshua clothes was missing. I didn't get me understanding of what was going on and why? Witchcraft workers has to have something tangible of you in order to cast a spell it could be your hair, through blood or they can hand you something that is already dressed to hex you. All this happen on that Saturday. Then early that Sunday morning I found Joshua in the crib not breathing (decease). Monday - Thursday Friday I went through hell.

Deceased child, lost other children to foster care, lost husband to jail, lost apartment in one day. I had to get everything out of apartment #F because Shirley King told the Landlord Mr. Latt. My brother and fiancee Chris was staying with me. Because they wasn't on the lease he evicted me. During the duration of packing everything up to be moved. I discovered my whole apartment was dressed with witchcraft. All behind the children beds, closets, bathroom and my water bed. The person who did this had to have enough time to do this. I don't have traffic in the apartment like that. My fiancee Chris don't believe in witchcraft and voodoo. Who could it be but to harm us. My brother Michael (co-defendant) and mother Linda Johnson. I guess everyone says why would your own family would do that. (Jealousy). When I first moved to the apartments. My brother Michael has always been close but not my mother Linda Johnson. So my brother came over one day saying that ~~me~~

Our ma Linda Johnson put him out of the house because she wanted his whole McDonald check. Michael said that is not right. I said it's not. Cause all she going to do is gamble with it, plus he worked hard for his money. So my fiancee Chris told Michael let's go try to talk to your mom, Linda. When they got to the home my stepdad Johnny and ma Linda was ~~is~~ acting out of control. My mom Linda immediately ~~later~~ label my fiancee Chris a drug dealer and called the police. All he was trying to do is talk to her about throwing Michael out and putting his clothes in trash bag beside the road. There was no common ground when I came to Linda. So we took Michael into our apartment. Not knowing that would be the ^{beginning} ~~begin~~ of our problems. Michael quick his job at ~~McDonald~~ McDonald. Begin trying to take over our apartment and children. We didn't ask him for no money. We was just being nice because that my brother. Everything good or playing with our child was twisted for bad. Michael begin to take a lot of false gossip back to our ma Linda and grandma Annette. So now you got it looking like me and children ~~is~~ being ~~abused~~ abused because we want let you control our home. It was all part of the plan to see what is going on in my home and what we are spending our money on. Because I personally didn't fool with my mom especially after she stole my children welfare check and cash it. That showed me she did not care about our children. If it wasn't for their Grandma will be from man and fiancee Chris. They would not had nothing they needed for that month. So my ma Linda Johnson putting out my brother Michael was trick to find out about our fiance and what's going in my family. So she could see how she could destroy our ~~happines~~ happiness. why would my own ma do that. At birth, She never wanted me because she was angry with my biological dad Herbert - something about cheating and because he left GA. to go to the military but also invited her

to come but she refuse. So when she had me. She dump me off with my great aunt roosevelt while she goes back to Albany, GA live her own life. She did the same with Michael. She didn't really become derive in our life until I was almost 9 years old. Then she was smoking weed and drinking and gambling. At the age of 8 year we would be introduce to a new stepdad named Johnny Johnson. They both smoking weed. At the age of 9 years, suddenly my Grandma annette gets a phone call. your daughter Diane is having to be airlifted to Tallahassee, FL hospital because she was found in ditch with both ankles broken. I Dey she has pins in her ankles. That very night Johnny Johnson came home to start molesting ~~me~~ me. I didnt understand what was going on until I was 13 years old. When I discover what was happening to me. I sat down and told my ma Linda Johnson. She said I was lying and I was trying to destroy her family. My dad Herbert after going to fasticare for 90 days get custody of me. My mom stayed in this abusive relationship for over 20 years. So I came back to GA February 1993. with no place to go and pregnant. She help me get my first apartment. Then I got pregnant again by someone else in GA. My ma Linda was trying to destroy my relationships. She shock me one day when she visited as if my stepdad get me pregnant. That let me knowed her mental stability something was wrong and still wrong. That is the most sickest thing she could ever said to me. In her mind I broke up her happiness by telling what this man was doing to me. So she was going to make sure I am not happy in the relationship and not prosperity. She wanted me dead. I should have died at birth because both of us almost died because she had me dry birth. She is bitter with my dad and I lied in said her husband was molesting me. She even hated me more. This case was a great opportunity to get rid of me.

because it will be like I am dead. She don't have to look at me. Someone seen my new wife I been in prison. They asked about me. She told them I am dead. But in her mind she want me dead so bad. At the jail my ma suddenly appeared for visitation. She said your going to die. Your sick in your body. Suddenly I almost died at Washington State Prison. Thank God for the minister who pick up somebody cast a spell for me to die. My mother Linda. When the average person talk to my ma Linda. She seem like a pleasant person to be around. But in her mind. She plotting against especially of you well to do. She is very jealous hearted and selfish and evil. During my trial everybody seem confused because she had cast a spell to control the whole courtroom and appeal that is how my brother Michael was freed. She wanted me and fiancee ~~to~~ chris to stay in prison. She has tried all kinds of trick against our children and other family members. But thank God for prayers warriors. I believe if the courts knew all the things I am saying our case would have took a whole new turn. The little while my brother Michael was writing me. It was so confusing. because he said I need to change. I am still trying to figure out what am I doing nothing. The same with my brother Johnny who attack my fiancee chris. He had to defend himself. Then Michael saying he knows everything. I am saying to myself I don't know everything. Don't know who burned Joshua feet or who blunt force Joshua to the abdomen. I would like to know. But what I do know is something ain't right with your Michael brother, your Johnny brother and my ma Linda Johnson all three everytime we come up for parole is calling my mother in law fishing for information about us why? what is

Is you doing out their to harm us still after you have bewitched
us into prison. who to say all the ~~is~~ with Michael? I feel this
case should be re-opened and investigated. Too many red flags.
With the prosecution and co-defendant Michael and my mother Linda
and brother Johnny.

Summary

How the law will violate your due process. Due process doesn't
mean just because you are given a trial or bond or appeal
that you had a full ~~due~~ Due process in your case. When
you're interrogated nobody supposed to coerce or threaten you.
~~and so~~ They supposed to ask you do you need attorney. Attorney
supposed to be present. No one should have their back against
the wall. I am good mother. I love my children and anybody
else's children. I was told that I would never see day light again.
Nor my children. I basically was put into vulnerable position.
Not only I am mourning the loss of my son Joshua, I found him
in the crib deceased and I am the one who found that his feet
had been burned by someone at the age of 1 month old. Till this
day after 23 years I am still recovering and grieving from these
incidents because this was my child. Till this day nobody
will not own up to their wrongs. The first incident I left him
with my Aunt Shirley King who I barely knew. while I ran to
the Post office. That evening I left him with my fiancee Chris
who had been since 1995 never had any child abuse problem
before. So to make a long story short the Detective took my
most hurting and devastating moment to force me into a corner to

a self incriminating statement out of me by telling me I could not imagine being away from my babies. They took my children anyway. Shirley was use as a star witness. I believe Shirley ~~had~~ burnt my baby feet. nobody wanted to bring the feet up in court so the jury would know that this witness statement was not credible. Even the judge and DA kept this incident out of the court room. Our attorney(ies) failed to tell any good things about our character, all the States witness that got on the stand not because they cared about my son but set out to destroy us out of jealousy. We was ~~not~~ not allowed second expert opinion. my lawyer Billy Grantham said the state one said my son should have been bleeding out the mouth and diapers. Then came back in said that's not true. The Detective Wendell Cofey was being investigated for the death of his wife according to channel 6 news. But he wasn't removed from our case. Our attorney(ies) never objected to anything the state had to say. My lawyer Billy Grantham refused to suppress the self incriminating video of my interrogation - which was played in court. Which was admissible. There was never ~~was~~ no search warrants. Illegal evidence was submitted.

My three year old ~~son~~ daughter Qsy was being harassed by GBL Michael Walongham and DFSC worker Ginger Harrison they was coming to pick her up from her foster grandma trying to coerce her into saying my fiancee and brother Michael did it. They told her we would never see day light. On every end we was being harassed. There was a personal visit by the DFSC Supervisor Tim Green at my mother in law Eva house telling me you all is going to receive a life sentence. This was before trial. anything they could get away with they did even planting other legal cases on my fiancee. Clearly these people thought they was above the law or nobody can touch them, Clearly they was going to maliciously prosecute us even if they didn't have evidence. All kinds of lies such as I missed my visit at the welfare office that was not true. They miss that visit. When I got there oh we didn't tell you. Your children was not going to be ~~here~~ here. Exactly this was not a case of justice for my deceased son Joshua. This was ~~a~~ a case I am going

Show you can't do nothing. I got you ~~con~~ cornered.
Detective Wendell Copes told me ain't nobody gonna help
you not even your God. Because we didn't know
the law and first time in trouble. The State of Georgia
had themselves a party through ~~wolf~~ willingly
falsifying, concealing, covering up by any tricks, scheme,
device and material facts that was done through
falsey, fictitious or fraudulent statements. It's a lot
of parents going through the same thing in our ~~prison~~
prisons all over the United State of America just
because ~~you~~ it's your child. The Question is it really
murder or another fabricated story the States are having
a field day with. Is everyone blunt forcing their
children? How many of these case had the proper
investigation? How many of these case didn't
have second expert witness to testify? How many
of these case ~~the state~~ The state tried to
save money and hurry up maliciously
~~prosecution~~ prosecute the criminal case. What
justice is this?

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