

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DIVISION

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INTERVIEW OF SUSPECT

HEATH C. STOCKS
 W/M, DOB: 11-12-76
 771 JOHNSON ROAD
 LONOKE, ARKANSAS 72086
 NOT CURRENTLY EMPLOYED
 NO PHONE LISTED

HEATH STOCKS was interviewed by Investigator MARK HOLLINGSWORTH, ASP-CID, on 1-18-97, beginning at 1:10 p.m., at the Lonoke County Sheriff's Office. Also present during the interview was Investigator STEVE FINCH, Lonoke County Sheriff's Office.

STOCKS was advised of his rights as set out on the ASP-116, his responses recorded on that form, with each of the responses initialed by STOCKS after he reviewed the form. The form was then signed by STOCKS. Copies of the ASP-116 will be forwarded to the master investigative file with the original being retained by Investigator HOLLINGSWORTH. After being advised of his rights, STOCKS made the following statement:

HEATH STOCKS stated that he had stayed with his girlfriend, JAN, from Thursday, 1-16-97, until about 3:00 p.m., 1-17-97. STOCKS stated he left Arkadelphia about 3:00 p.m., and returned to his house in Lonoke about 4:30 p.m.

He stated that when he got home, he found a note on the kitchen table that had been written to him by his mother. The note told him that his grandparents wanted him to go out to eat with some other relatives, that evening, and that he should call them.

STOCKS stated that he left his house and got over to his grandmother's house in Furlow at about 5:30 p.m.

He stated that he went with his grandparents, and his aunt and uncle to eat at the Western Sizzlin Restaurant in Jacksonville. He stated that they all rode in the same vehicle, and they left Furlow at approximately 5:30 p.m. He stated that they arrived at the Western Sizzlin at approximately 6:00 p.m., and that they

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were at the restaurant until 7:30 to 7:45 p.m.

STOCKS stated that they left the restaurant and went to the Wal Mart in Jacksonville, where his grandfather went inside to purchase a part for a heater. STOCKS stated that they were at the Wal Mart for approximately fifteen (15) to twenty (20) minutes before they all returned to the grandparents house in Furlow. STOCKS stated that he was at his grandparents a short time, approximately ten (10) minutes, before leaving and driving to the Edge Club in Little Rock. STOCKS stated that he left his grandmother's and arrived at the club at approximately 9:00 p.m. He stated that he went to the club to see his girlfriend JAN, who had told him that she might go to the club that evening. STOCKS stated he couldn't get into the club and that he didn't see JAN'S car on the parking lot, so he left the club and drove to Arkadelphia. He stated that it may have been 9:30 p.m. when he got to the club, and that may have been at 10:00 p.m. when he left Little Rock to go to Arkadelphia.

STOCKS stated that he arrived in Arkadelphia at approximately 11:30 p.m. He stated that he drove around town for a while, bought a drink, some Skoal, and got some gas. He stated that he went to the Whispering Oaks Apartments at Henderson State University just past midnight. He stated that he entered the apartment through a security gate by following another vehicle into the complex.

STOCKS stated he went to KELLI CUNNINGHAM'S apartment, and stayed with her until the police woke him up this morning.

STOCKS was asked about valuables in the residence, and he stated that his dad kept cash in the safe, and had up to \$10,000.00 cash in the safe at one (1) time. He stated that the combination to the safe was kept on a card that was hidden in the "S" encyclopedia of the encyclopedia set located in the family room.

He also stated that HEATHER had a lot of jewelry that she kept in a jewelry box.

STOCKS stated that there were several guns and knives that were kept in a gun cabinet at the residence. He stated that there was a .38 caliber revolver, a muzzle loading pistol, and a .45 caliber automatic pistol that were kept unloaded, in the gun cabinet. He stated that his father didn't allow loaded guns in the house.

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STOCKS was asked about his relationship with the other family members, and he stated that he and his dad had problems in the past, but they had been getting along real good in the last few weeks.

He stated that he and his mother always got along real good. He said that she was always the person who kept everybody together. When STOCKS spoke about HEATHER, he stated that they were very close. He stated that she was very smart, and that he was proud of her because of everything she had accomplished, that he was never able to do.

STOCKS was asked about what should happen to the person that had murdered his family. He paused for a few seconds, and stated that the person should go to prison.

STOCKS was asked if he killed his family members and he stated no. I then asked STOCKS if he would submit to a polygraph test, and he stated that he would.

At approximately 3:00 p.m., the interview was terminated, and at approximately 3:50 p.m., STOCKS was driven to Arkansas State Police Headquarters in Little Rock for a polygraph examination.