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Innocent victims murdered for no reason

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My name is Zach Johnston I am a student at Columbine High school in Jefferson County Colorado It is on this site that I will try to explain from my personal point of view what happened to my school on April 20, 1999 Sorry if the grammEr is below average, I really do not care I spent about 5 minutes deciding what I would write here, then I just let it all out I will express my views as well as feelings about this seemingly unavoidable tragedy The things I say are what I think or believe what happened. Not actually what happened I will only place bits and pieces of what I know on this site

I woke up at 6 10 a.m on April 20, 1999 I had a fairly bad cold and a soar throat. I didn't feel like going to school but since my friend was picking me up I didn't want to make her drive for nothing. She arrived at my house and we proceeded to goto school at Columbine Senior High. Since April 20 is 4 20, it was a day that many students were supposed to love and enjoy for various reasons. Heh. Various people told me "Happy 4 20 Zach" and "its 4 20 and I have an important date with you know who " The day seemed pretty normal I think I faired well on my math test and we watched Cyrano De Bergerac in World Studies After math I rushed to my locker to meet a friend so we could

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go out for lunch. The time was precisely 11:00 and we headed to my house because I didn't feel so well and wanted to take some Tylenol. At about 11:30 we headed back for school. We were headed north on Pierce when suddenly we saw a police cruiser in the middle of the road beside a cargo van and a little Mazda. I figured "oh well another accident that could have been prevented and everyone is over reacting." I had no idea how wrong I was. I told the person driving to head in the Woodmar neighborhood so we could get to school using my "stealth" route. We were then passed by a bunch of kids in a White Cherokee who were honking and waving their arms at us. I thought to myself "Crap they wanna beat me up and we cant get away because her car is too slow" Then they honked at everyone else so I felt a lot better I then told her to try a different way to school. We headed north on Wadsworth then turned and went on Bowles where we eventually got to piece the street my school is on. This is where I knew something was very wrong.

Piece was blocked off from this side of school as well. As we waited in a crowded intersection as cops desperately tried to guide traffic, I saw a horde of my fellow students running towards us. I yelled at a girl I knew and asked her what happened. She said "Some guys in black charged into school and just shot everyone!!" I saw hundreds of parents who somehow found out about all this. They were running every which way trying to find their sons and daughters. It was a terribly disturbing sight. I remember specifically one little girl from my choir class crying about how she saw her friend get shot. My first thought was to get home as quickly as possible to call my Mom since I knew she would find out about all this before I would, so I did just that. We did a U turn and headed back to my house I live about 1 mile from the school and counted 35 police cars passing us as we drove. Ambulances and police cars barging over medians motorcycle cops weaving through opposite traffic almost killing themselves Its actually quite amazing that police units can do such wide fishtails and keep control. By the time I got home and called my mom to tell her I was okay, the thought of what was happening hadn't quite sunk in yet.

My friend called her mom and aunt and stuff. When she got off the phone, she told me her brother and cousin were still in the school somewhere. Her brother later called and said he got out but her cousin was still inside

I ran into the family room and turned on the TV Every station was covering the situation at my school. Several stations had Ariel shots that amazed me. Of course the media blurted out a bunch of crap about the situation that they knew nothing of, and basically made stuff up as they went along. I never knew how much the media is full of crap about things until they talk about stuff I know about personally

I live on top of a huge hill overlooking the entire Denver Metro Area and could see the school in the distance I counted 5 helicopters and 2 planes circling the premises. I could also see Clement park where tons of parents desperately searched to find their children The southwest side is the part of the school I could view. The Library and Cafeteria are both on this side. Apparently this is where all the action was taking place The entire southwest side of the school is a huge glass window Several windows were shattered. This is basically all I could see from here.

The TV said that there were still 900 some odd students left in the school with the gunmen This is about half the population of the student body While I watched and wondered for myself what was happening, I knew in my heart who was responsible for this massacre. About a month ago my friends

and I went out to lunch After lunch we had the same World History class so we would talk together. We would often pass these 2 kids who wore trench coats. Everyone referred to them as the "Trench

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Coat Mafia" My friend Cale referred to them as the "RammStein Boyz" Whatever you wanted to call them, you could tell they were different. Well, one day, Clae snarled a remark about Rammstein under his breath as we passed these 2 guys. The short one who was named Eric Harris confronted my friend about it. He said "Everyday you pass me and make fun of me saying Rammstien sucks. Why do you do this crap asshole? What did I do to you?" My friend replied "Oh man your so cool, you're my idol!" Then Eric's friend Dylan approached us seeming to back up his friend. I really didn't want to get involved in a fight even though I knew these guys wouldn't stand a chance. I was afraid of things they might do afterwards Eric was a short clean cut looking kid and Dylan was a very tall skinny guy with messed up hair He always wore the trench coat, a hat and dark sunglasses. The bell rang and they left and we went into class. That was the end of the confrontation.

When I got my facts straight and figured out that 2 gunmen entered the school and killed several people I knew, I figured the Trench Coat Mafia was responsible. Many helpless crying people said they recognized them as this group. I was shocked to understand that my hunch was correct. They showed the pictures of Eric Harris and Dylan on TV. Once I saw their pictures, I knew they had no demands or intent to leave Columbine High school alive.

This is the way I think it happened. I have heard several stories from the media, friends, and others, but put this one together myself. .

Eric and Dylan didn't go to school on Tuesday April 20, 1999. They did attend bowling class early in the morning though. Instead they entered the student parking lot at 11:00. Eric in his black prelude, and Dylan in his black BMW 325 that the media is trying to say makes him a rich, privileged kid. It's a crappy early 80s one and if you know what I mean about early Beemers, they do suck. They must have taken a few minutes to booby trap their cars and a few other cars as well. Once they were fully suited up they open fire on kids heading out in the parking lot that were going to lunch. Some sources say they had body armor strapped to themselves. They threw bombs outside and one even blew up his car. After shooting outside they charged into the Cafeteria where they must have sprayed bullets everywhere. After shooting in the Cafeteria, they ran up the stairs, shot people in the Oh-so-familiar halls of Columbine High School, then entered the Library. Of course, they threw bombs all over the place inside as well Nobody knows as of yet how long they were in the Library Some kids go there during their lunch hour to study or get work done. My guess is about 30 kids were in the library as usual that day. They charged into the Library, shot some people then stopped. I heard stories of kids who escaped the library. They said that the 2 gunmen told all the jocks to stand up because "they are dead!" the gunmen also claim to hate minorities as well, I think that is bullshit. I Think they wanted to kill everyone they could. I heard a story from one girl who said that one of them pulled out a knife and said "I have always wanted to kill someone with a knife " Then he put it away for some reason. I have a feeling it was Eric who said this I think they shot people hiding under tables execution style. People say they would laugh after they killed someone I guess when they figured they had enough "fun", they took their own lives I don't know whether they were in the library for 5 minutes or 5 hours After they shot themselves, a few survivors in the library ran out.

I guess as the gunmen were entering the school, people could hear the gunshots and explosions Take my word for it, my school is huge, so authorities didn't know where to go I guess Mr Sanders was one of several teachers who was trying to guide students out of the school or at least to a secure area within He was unfortunately shot, but managed to stagger to a nearby Science room where one of my friends cousin was hiding. He walked in bloody and dying where he passed out, fell down and broke his jaw My friend's cousin tried to keep his air passage open for some amount of time. They say he sat up but fell down again a few times A few hours passed, and the SWAT team barged into

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the room and cleared everyone out. They said that Mr. Sanders had to be left there since he was unable to be kept conscious. It was shortly after this time that I believe Mr. Sanders, my keyboarding teacher, died. He was also a girls Basketball coach and a business teacher

Across the hall from the science room, there was the Choir room, where 60 students stayed for 3 hours. Some moved ceiling tiles to get fresh air in. A SWAT team eventually got them out as well.

A guy named Nick, was somewhere in the school. He got into the ceiling and crawled to try to get out. The ceiling gave in and he fell 20 ft. He was luckily toward the front of the school, far opposite from where Eric and Dylan were, so he was taken to safety.

I remember seeing one student at a window Obviously shot several times. It appeared that he was trying to jump out the 2nd story library window and end his pain. It was the most disturbing and moving sight I have ever witnessed in my life. What the incredibly ignorant news crew cameramen weren't seeing was a fire truck just below the window that the boy was aiming for. SWAT members grabbed him and carried him off to safety. As he was taken from the window, his blood drenched sock touched the wall and smeared all over. I felt immense sadness after seeing this particular scene. The first version I saw was this kid trying to jump and kill himself, I later saw a better angle that showed the boy being pulled from the window. I guess the retard news crew cut off the scene right before the hands of the SWAT members came into view. I learned later that His name is Patrick, a kid I have known since 2nd grade. He once made fun of my for buying Rebok Pumps in 3rd grade because they were 5 sizes too big:)

During the entire siege, SWAT teams entered the school at various places and rushed to get my classmates out. For all they knew, they were rushing into the school with guns drawn and the killers could be anywhere. But, I knew that these 2 gunmen weren't silly kids influenced by games, and tv. They were trained and had planned out this entire day. Brooks, a student I had a choir class with explained how he knew people involved in this "Trench Coat Mafia". At the time he spoke to me about them, it had nothing to do with anything. It was just a random conversation that took place several months ago. He told news crews that every time somebody messed with them or teased them, they would go home and plan this thing out. It wasn't something they did after a good day at school according to Brooks, who had no part in it.

About a year ago, I worked at a movie theatre with one of the Trench Coat Mafia kids. I won't list his name since I don't think he had anything to do with this. He would constantly complain about rich jocks and other stuff that is common to hear. I figured to myself "just an angry kid venting some anger". Then one night he came into work and told me he had been chased in his car by so and so. Well, turns out so and so were athletes from my school who don't seem to have anything better to do than torment this dude.

I can see why the fellow I worked with hated Columbine High School. I can safely say that I don't think he took part in the Terror that was created a few days ago. I don't think he was a corrupt kid either. I think that Eric and Dylan were the only ones involved that I knew about. Although now police are saying they found 30 explosive devices in backpacks, under bodies, and inside lockers, so they probably were not in it alone. These devices had been planted before the gunmen entered the school.

If other members of this "Trench Coat Mafia" were treated like my past co-worker, then this is their only "motive" for doing what they did a few days ago. They were 2 outcast kids that were constantly made fun of, and they finally snapped. What they were thinking before they performed this horror

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will never be conceivable to anyone. It had nothing to do with Doom or Quake, TV or movies, it is all pain inside their heads that they couldn't deal with. Some blame parents, other students, the NRA, or whatever. No! They weren't man enough to deal with their misfortunes, so they took the easy way out.

During the disaster at my school The names of the dead were withheld for various reasons. Having an idea who was in that library was the worst feeling I have ever had to deal with. A friend told me that Patrick had been shot. He was alive and taken to the hospital. Another person told me that Rachel Scott was dead. I remember Rachel being a very warm, caring, a funny person. She was an actor, a singer, and had a long future ahead of her. It was all brought to a halt. I remember when we were sophomores when we had to dissect these baby pig fetus's. She was really scared and shaking when they put the pig down in the dissection tray, So I tied 2 strings to the pigs arms and made it dance around and sing songs. She thought it was really funny and soon started cutting this poor dead pig apart in all kinds of strange ways. She was also a very talented singer. She was an alto in my choir class when we were sophomores. I heard that the gunmen didnt actually go through the front of the cafeteria, but instead walked around and up the stairs where the media showed footage of all the kinds running out of the school. I believe that the gunmen entered the upper doors where Rachel and a boy name Richard were. Richard was quickly gunned down, but didn't die. Richard says that he heard the gunmen ask Rachel if she believed in god, she said "yes" and they soon ended her life. Rachel was a victim of a pair of outcasts pouring out their poison on innocent lives. I now know that if Rachel can perish, anyone can perish and there is nothing we can do about it.

I found tremendous torment when I remembered that a girl named Cassie was in the library at this time for sure. I was absolutely sure she was in the library when the gunmen entered..

When I was a sophomore, I noticed a new girl in class. Apparently her name was Cassie and she was very pretty and quite. At the time I didn't take much notice to her since my attention was usually drawn to Ms. Haggard who always caught me mouthing off or doing something I shouldn't have been doing. Then we were given an assignment where you had to pick a partner and write about something I cannot remember. I was absent when we chose partners, so I wrote about how I loved snowboarding. Each group of 2 had to stand up and read their paper. I read mine and as usual was yelled at by Ms. Haggard for screwing around and not writing about the correct topic. Then Cassie stood up and read her paper alone because she didn't have a partner. It was about how she was new in Columbine High School and she tried to explain how unfair it was to have to do a partner assignment when you don't know anybody. She read her paper with great confidence and didn't care what anyone thought. After she sat down, some students grumbled and whispered negative comments. Two of my friends even took part in this sickening display, but not I. There was something about this girl that wrote this paper that caused me to stay quiet. I wanted to approach her and talk to her everyday of that semester after she read that paper, but I never did. I have never had a problem going up and talking to someone in my entire life until she came along. Weeks past, then months, then the semester ended.

Years past, and I still see Cassie in the hall periodically. Then a few months ago A girl I knew who is friends with Cassie told me I should talk to her because she said Cassie is really nice and an over all cool person. I still had this fear of talking to her. I didn't understand it. I could probably go up to my principal and recite every bad word I knew, but I couldn't even say "Hi!" to this girl. Well, one day, and I think somebody planned this, I was after school in the photo room making up work, when she walked in. I figured "what the heck?" and went over and talked to her. I suppose she somehow knew that I liked her. She turned out to be one of, if not, the coolest person I have ever spoken with. I could

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tell she was nervous because she probably thought I was some sort of freak for telling her I remember a paper she can't even remember writing. I didn't get any work done that day, but I didn't care. After a while, she became more open and we talked more. After this, I didn't really know where to go. I would greet her in the hall for the last time a few minutes before she entered the library on April 20th, 1999.

I have terrible regrets dealing with Cassie in particular. I have no idea and will probably never know how long she was held in that library until either Eric or Dylan pulled the trigger without even thinking twice. One survivor from the library told me that when the gunmen got to her and held a gun to her head, they asked her if she believed in God. She stood up quickly and screamed "YES I BELIEVE IN JESUS!" and they killed her. She may have been one of the hostages destined to die by the hand of one of the gunmen. I felt truly horrible when her name and picture flashed on my screen on April 21st, 1999. I hoped beyond belief that I would have become close friends with her before that day. Now this is impossible. I cannot explain, I was uncontrollably drawn to her since she read that essay. One thing that bothers me is the way that people think more highly of her because she was a dedicated Christian. You see, various people who knew Cassie made reference of how she used to be into witchcraft and "into the dark side of things" whatever that means. Do you know what this means in reality? This means that if Cassie had not been religious, these same people would feel less pain when she died. I am sorry if you do not agree with me on this. I thought the world of Cassie, religious or not. I never knew Cassie as well as I would have liked. I am not a member of her church group, I know nobody in her family, but I do know one thing that many have overlooked. I know that Cassie never judged a person by what they were, she judged them according to who they were. The girl who died for her faith will be remembered so by many, but I will remember Cassie as a person that befriended people for who they are, not what they are or what they believe in. I am a true example of this. She didn't think any less of me when I told her I was not religious. If anyone who reads this knew Cassie and thinks less of me for what I have just said, she was different from you, and you will never understand.

Isaiah was a senior who I never knew at all. He seemed to be a cool guy. He was black and an athlete, so if he was in that library, there is no doubt that the gunmen would target him. He probably would have had a long life to live. His dad kept his composure while talking about Isaiah on the TV. Hard to imagine.

Mark is a boy that I have known since Kindergarten. He has a twin brother named Mike. Mark was born with a defect in his leg and arm. He couldn't run at all, but he could walk, and he could only use one of his hands. We were in that library and was shot 2 times in the head and 2 times in the neck. He somehow survived. I can only imagine that he will be even more disabled the rest of his life. This sickens me. He sat in front of me in choir the day he was shot, but by the time high school came around, I was no longer friends with him. I remember how he had dreams of being a racecar driver when he grew up. I wonder if he still had this hope when he was in that library.

There were countless other victims both injured and killed by Eric and Dylan 2 days ago. I am the sort of person who strives to be in control. Total control is my life goal. Watching the TV that day seeing what the gunmen had been doing, I felt helpless. It is the first time in my adult life that I have ever felt that there was nothing I could do. My dad was specifically worried that I would have been in school that day and probably tried something stupid to stop/kill the gunmen. I would have to agree with him on this one. I look back at the time Eric and Dylan approached me and my friends, and I wish I would have had some way of knowing that they would do something like this. I probably would have taken personal action to make sure it didn't happen.

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The thought of friends like Mark, Rachel, and Cassie, being victims of this crime haunts me constantly. People say "the library and had the gun pointed close to me?" But one thing sticks in my mind more than anything. As we were driving out of the parking lot at school to go to lunch, I saw Dylan and his old 325i. He was entering the school like nothing was going to happen. Then I made eye contact with him for a split second, and he looked at me with no emotion. I truly had no idea he was soon going to perform the most horrible school massacre in history.



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Looking back at that day, where the sound of trumpets played Hells song, I think about how happy I am that so many of my friends and class mates still live to this day. I had a dream of me being in the library. I thought to myself "My god, Im going to die without a chance!" then one of the gunmen placed the gun at my forehead "This is my chance!" and I grabbed the gun like I was trained so many years ago, and then I awoke. Did i succeed in stopping him and suprising the other gunmen who was not looking? Or did I perish? I keep thinking about how this could have been a possibility, but I am truely glad it was not. I have not said a word dealing with the political garbage that is being spewed about by so many heartless career boosting individuals. I know the true answer to so many questions that orbit this tragedy. Throughout history people report individuals who are crazy and socially unstable. Many murders come to mind. Eric Harris and Dylan Klebold were two completely unstable mental cases who were bound to act as they did from the start. So go ahead, blame the guns, the lack of metal detectors, the parents, the video games, the other students, the lack of religion in schools, or whatever your fancy Whatever makes you feel better. I implore you, take it from me. Laws are made logically to protect people, but what happens when people who are not logical exist in our world?

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If you would like to help those affected by this tragedy, head to my Donations Section.

johnston@dimensional.com If you have comments or thoughts about what I have written feel free.

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STATEMENT

Case No. DN-4486

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Last, First, Middle Initial <u>KARNES, TRENT CHARLES</u>		Making Statement as <input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Witness <input type="checkbox"/> Person advised			
Residence Street Address <u>7247 S ALLISON WY</u>	City <u>LITTLETON</u>	County <u>JEFF</u>	State <u>CO</u>	Zip Code <u>80128</u>	
Residence Phone <u>(303) 973-0779</u>	Business Phone <u>()</u>	Social Security No.		Date of Birth / Serial No.	
Business Street Address <u>Student - C.H.S</u>	City	County	State	Zip Code	
Officer Talking Statement <u>DET MARK WOODWARD</u>	Serial No. <u>75066</u>	Date <u>4/27/99</u>	Time <u>1405</u> Hours		
Concerning an incident occurring at: <u>COLUMBINE H.S</u>			Location where statement taken:		

Summary of Statement:

DET WOODWARD AND DET RICK POLAK RESPONDED TO 7247 S ALLISON WY AND CONTACTED DONALD KARNES, FATHER OF TRENT. MR KARNES PAGED TRENT WHO ARRIVED AT THE HOME WITHIN TEN MINUTES AND WAS INTERVIEWED. TRENT IS A WHITE MALE, 20 YEARS OLD, 6'1", APPX 180 LBS, MEDIUM BROWN CURLY HAIR.

KARNES DROVE HIS OWN CAR TO SCHOOL AND ARRIVED, ALONG, AT 30 AM. KARNES PARKED AGAINST THE SOUTH FENCE, SPACE# 276, IN THE SENIORS LOT. KARNES ATTENDED HIS FOUR MORNING CLASSES THEN REPORTED TO THE JANITOR'S OFFICE. KARNES NORMALLY IS FINISHED AFTER HIS 4TH CLASS, HOWEVER, HE WAS CAUGHT SMOKING ON THE GROUNDS AND WAS ASSIGNED 5 HOURS OF CLEAN-UP DUTY AS PUNISHMENT. KARNES WAS DIRECTED TO THE CAFETERIA FOR HIS CLEAN-UP DUTY. KARNES FIRST CALLED HIS MOTHER AND ASKED HER TO BRING A LUNCH FOR HIM (AT 11:15). KARNES ARRIVED IN THE CAFETERIA AND BEGAN WALKING THROUGH, PICKING UP SOME TRAYS, WITHIN 2

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Summary of Statement (cont.)

FRIENDS, MINDY POLLOCK AND PETER? EVANS, ASKED HIM FOR A RIDE KARNES TOLD THEM HE HAD TO STAY IN THE CAFETERIA, THEN RETURNED TO HIS DUTY. KARNES SAW POLLOCK AND EVANS HANGING AROUND THE STORE AND CHANGED HIS MIND, DECIDING TO GIVE THEM A RIDE HOME KARNES, POLLOCK + EVANS LEFT THROUGH THE STUDENT'S ENTRANCE NEXT TO THE STUDENT STORE, THEN ALL 3 WALKED TO HIS CAR AND GOT IN KARNES HEARD SEVERAL POPS AND THOUGHT AT FIRST THERE WAS CONSTRUCTION GOING ON, THEN REALIZED THEY WERE GUNSHOTS KARNES TURNED AROUND AND SAW 2 GUNMEN STANDING AT THE TOP OF THE STAIRS KARNES DESCRIBED ONE GUNMAN AS A W/M, 6-2 TO 6-3, THIN, WITH MEDIUM BROWN SHOULDER LENGTH HAIR, WEARING BLACK PANTS, A BLACK TRENCH COAT, POSSIBLY A WHITE SHIRT AND A BLACK LEATHER CAP KARNES THINKS HE CAN IDENTIFY THIS GUNMAN BUT DOES NOT THINK HE WAS ONE OF THE SUSPECTS PICTURED ON TELEVISION

KARNES DESCRIBED THE SECOND GUNMAN, WHO WAS LEANING OVER THE RAILING FIRING AT STUDENTS ON THE GROUND, AS A W/M, WEARING A WHITE DRESS SHIRT, BLACK SLACKS AND A BLACK VEST WITH RUFFLES ON THE SIDES. KARNES DID NOT SEE HIS FACE VERY WELL

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Summary of Statement:

KARNES WAS ABOUT 80 YARDS FROM THE GUNMEN.

KARNES DROVE OUT OF THE LOT AND TOOK POLLOCK AND EVANS TO A LOCATION NEAR S PIERCE ST AND ELMHURST. KARNES STARTED TO DRIVE BACK TO THE SCHOOL BUT WAS STOPPED AT WEAVER AVE BY THE ROAD BLOCK. KARNES WAITED AT THE ROAD BLOCK UNTIL HE MET UP WITH HIS MOTHER.

KARNES HAS SEEN THE SUSPECT IN THE TRENCH COAT AT SCHOOL BEFORE, BUT NOT THIS SCHOOL YEAR.

KARNES DID NOT NOTICE ANY DUFFLE BAGS IN THE CAFETERIA. KARNES TOOK HIS BACKPACK WITH HIM.

AFTER HE MET WITH HIS MOTHER, KARNES WENT TO A FRIEND'S HOUSE (TRAVIS SHADONIG) WHERE HE WATCHED THE NEWS OF

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Summary of Statement (cont.)

THE SHOOTINGS ON T.V KARNES WAS TOLD BY ANOTHER PERSON
PRESENT, CHRIS BATES, THAT BATES RECOGNIZED KLEBOLD'S
PHOTO AS A PERSON HE WORKS WITH AT BLACKJACK PIZZA.
KARNES STATED STADDIG AND BATES ARE NOT COLUMBINE
STUDENTS

KARNES KNOWS OF THE "TRENCH COAT MAFIA" BUT DOES NOT
KNOW ANY BY NAME, DOES NOT ASSOCIATE WITH THEM,
AND HAS NEVER SPOKEN TO THEM

KARNES THINKS THAT A GIRL THAT LIVES UP THE STREET
FROM TRAVIS, RACHOR, HAS A BROTHER WHO IS AN
ASSOCIATE OF THE TCM.

KARNES WAS WEARING A GRAY HOODED JACKET WITH THE
WORD "DRAWERS" IN BLUE ON THE FRONT, BLUE JEANS
AND BLACK TENNIS SHOES ALSO A BLUE BALL CAP.

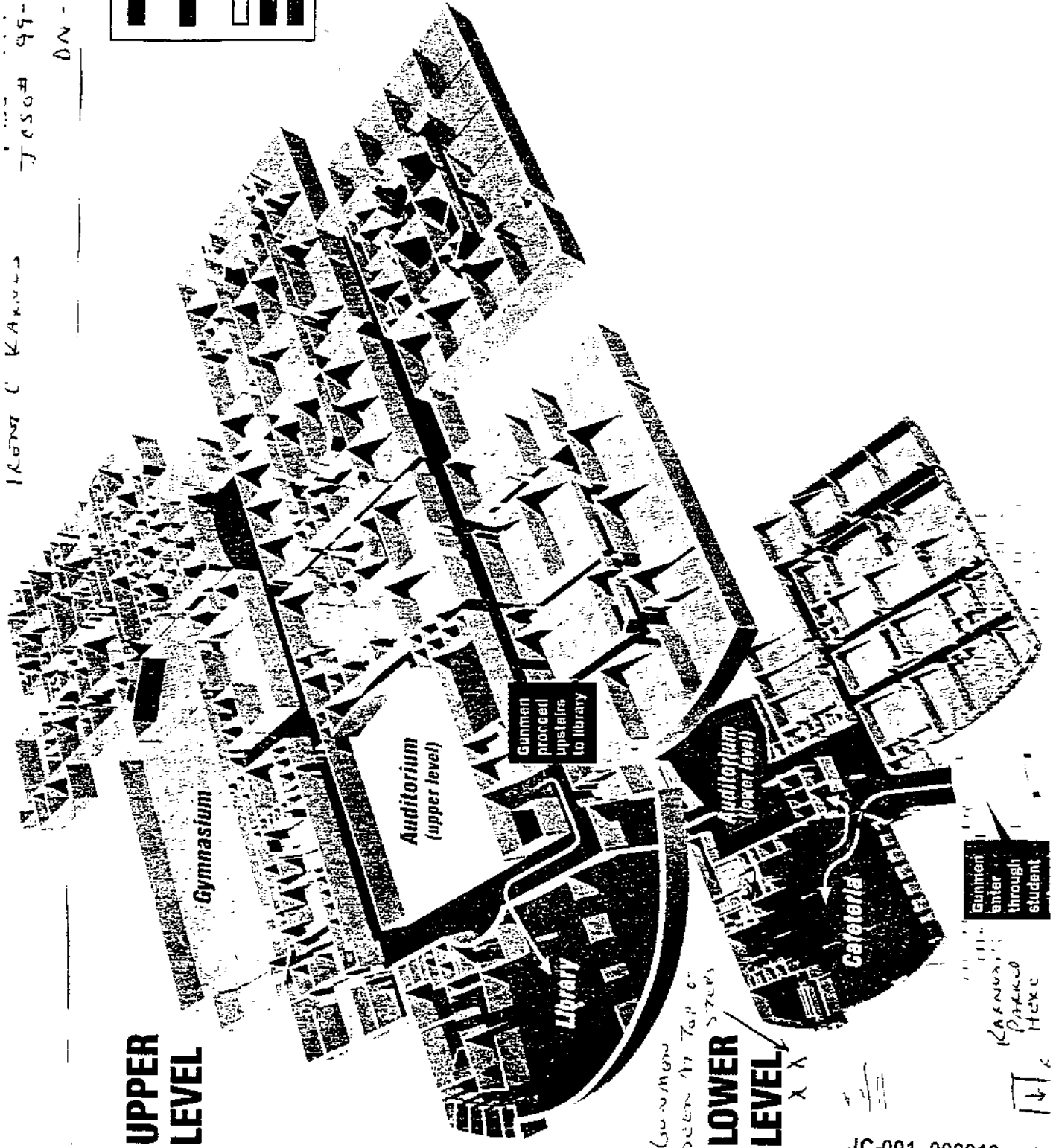
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WITNESSES:

Trent Charles Karnes, dob/03-28-79 Student at Columbine High School.
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INVESTIGATION:

At 1030 hours, on 04-21-99, I contacted Trent Karnes at South Pierce Street and Leewood Avenue, in reference to a Murder in the First Degree which occurred at the Columbine High School, located at 6201 South Pierce Street, at approximately 1130 hours.

Karnes informed me that on 04-20-99, he was in his vehicle, which was parked in the far southwest parking lot against the south wooden fence. He stated between 1115 and 1120 hours, he heard gunshots coming from the building. At first, he thought someone was roofing, because he heard six to seven rapid gunshots. He informed me that he then turned around and looked toward the cafeteria, and observed a person standing on top of the exterior stairs located on the northwest corner of the building. He stated this person was holding a rifle and leaning it on the fence, and shooting down toward the people eating lunch outside the cafeteria. He then informed me that this person was a male dressed in a white dress shirt, black dress pants, and a thin black vest. He stated that another male was with him wearing a black trench coat and black pants, and had long hair and sunglasses. He stated he had seen this person before in school. He stated the first male in the white shirt would fire the rifle, and then the male in the trench coat would take three to four steps down the stairs, look at the victims, and then run back up to the person with the rifle. He stated at that time he would see the person with the rifle fire two to three more shots, and then the male in the trench coat would go back down, look at the victim, and then come back up. He stated he saw two bodies laying down outside the cafeteria.

He stated he started his vehicle, drove down Pierce, and turned left on Elmhurst Avenue to drop off his friends, and then came back and was stopped by the Sheriff's Office for safety.

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Karnes stated he had two people in his vehicle when he left the school property, one named "Mindy," and the other named "Peter." He stated they are students at Columbine, but he didn't know their last names. He informed me he would call me when he contacted them so that I could speak with them.

The approximate distance from Karnes' parked vehicle and the person shooting the rifle, was estimated at approximately 100 to 200 yards.

DISPOSITION: Forward to Investigations.

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Interview Trent Charles Karnes
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Senior at Columbine High School

Interview with Trent Karnes on 05-06-99 by Inv Jill Reuteler, Colorado State Patrol, at approx. 8 30am at his residence Present in the room with us was Mrs Karnes, Trent's mother.

Trent said that he on 04-20-99 he was in school and had Psychology for 3rd hour and Gym for 4th hour He said he got out of Gym early and went to the cafeteria Trent said he had to do community service in the cafeteria I asked him what that was about and he said that he got caught smoking in school so he had to help the janitors by wheeling around the wastebaskets He said he got to the cafeteria about 11.15am and was looking for the janitor named Jim. He saw some friends of his, Mindy Pollock and a guy with the last name, Evans, and they wanted a ride.

Trent said he left the cafeteria, and went to his car about 11 20am He said as they were getting into the car, a red Nissan Sentra, parked in the senior lot #276, facing south, they heard gun shots Trent said he saw 2 people at the top of the stairs I asked him to describe them He said the guy on the left was wearing black pants, a trench coat, sunglasses, and had brown hair and was wearing either a English style leather cap with the kind of short visor that snaps or a ball cap He said that Mindy said she thought he had a hand gun, but he didn't see one *Co Lic. on Trent's car G-BV8796 JR*

Trent said that the guy on the right had a semi-automatic rifle and he had it setting on the chain link fence. This guy was wearing black dress pants, like Dockers, a white short sleeve shirt and a black dress vest over the short Trent said this guy was shorter than the other Trent said he did not get a good look at this guy's face, but he thinks he had seen him hanging out with the trench coat group.

Trent said that he saw one kid running backwards up the hill with a smile on his face He said that the kid was wearing a white shirt and faded blue jean shorts, and he just sort of stopped to watch Trent said that he doesn't think that the kid was a part of anything, just that at first, they thought it was a joke He said that he saw other people running that were smiling Trent said that he saw a girl laying on a grassy patch and in front of her was a large sized boy. He said he thought they had been shot

Trent said they left the school and he dropped off Mindy and Evans near Weaver and Pierce and that he met his mom for lunch

I showed a photo array to Karnes and read the photo admonition. He picked photo #4 as possibly the guy with the sunglasses that was with the shooter

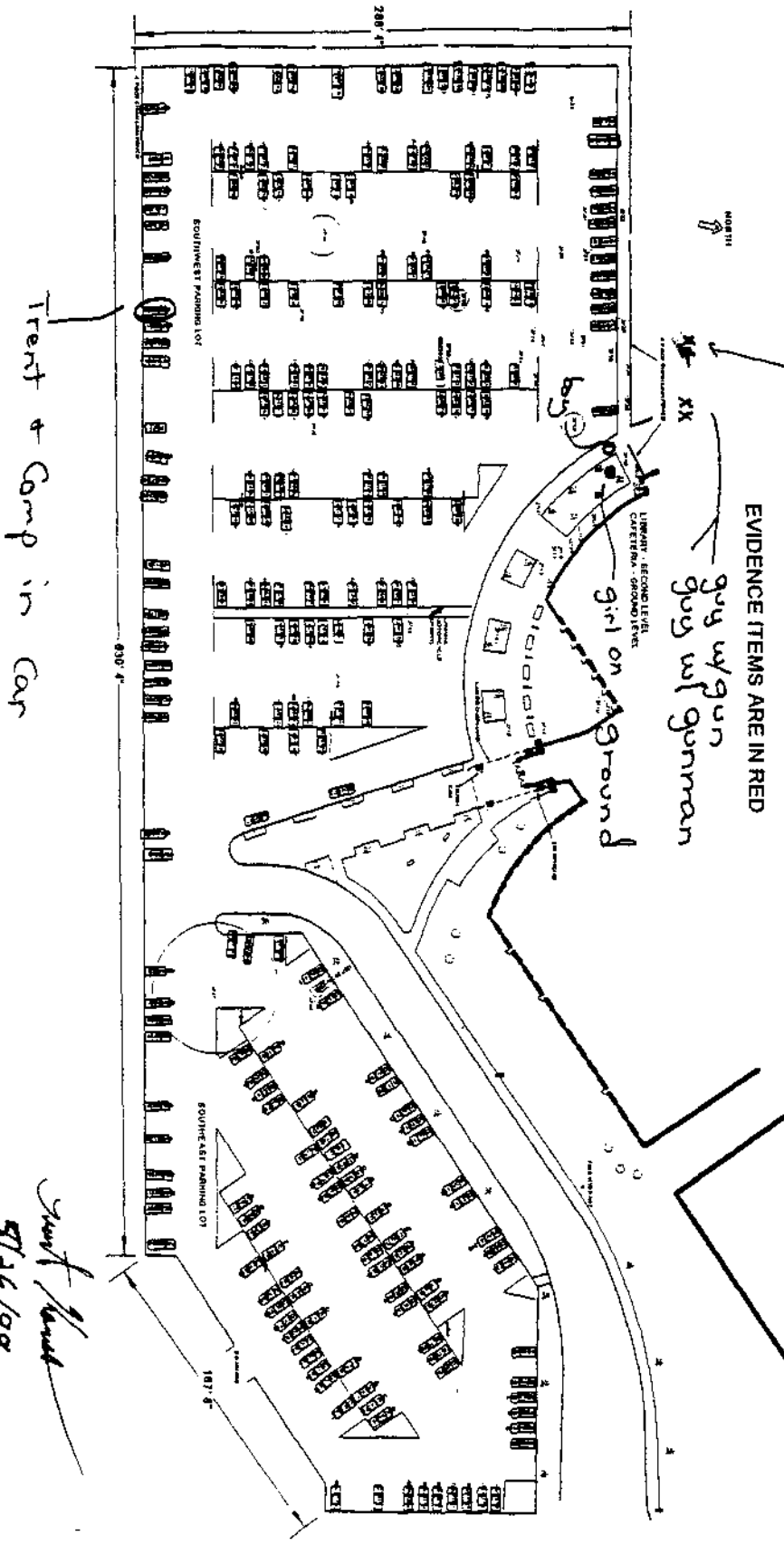
I also showed a diagram of the school to Karnes and asked him to mark where his car was parked and where he saw the two guys, the girl on the ground, and the guy running backwards He marked these things on the diagram

This interview was concluded

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COLUMBINE HIGH SCHOOL
 6201 S. PIERCE
 LITTLETON, COLORADO 80123
 SOUTH SIDE OF BUILDING
 AND SOUTH PARKING LOTS
 APRIL 20, 1999
 DRAWN BY SPECIAL AGENT R. GLENN
 BUREAU OF ALCOHOL, TOBACCO AND FIREARMS

EVIDENCE ITEMS ARE IN RED

Trent + Camp in Car

guy w/ gun
 guy w/ gunman

guy running
 backwards

girl on ground

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KATHOL, D.

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Interview Devin Kathol DOB/021981
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Home phone 303-697-0219
Senior at Columbine High School

Interview with Devin Kathol on 05-04-99 by Inv Jill Reuteler, Colorado State Patrol, at approx 8:30am at his residence Present in the room with us was Gail Kathol, mother of Devin

Devin Kathol said that he went to class at Warren Tech on 04-20-99, and that his teacher had kept him a little bit later than normal He said that he drove to Columbine High School arriving about 11:15am He said that he usually ate lunch with Rachel Scott and Richard Castaldo

Kathol drives a 1988 silver Toyota pickup with a rollbar Mrs Gail Kathol provided a CO registration indicating the owner of the vehicle as Derek Kathol, Devin's father and showing CO license plate 10343RT Devin Kathol said that he pulled into his parking spot, #227 in the southwest corner of the senior lot by the soccer field Kathol said there was a red Celebrity or Cavalier on one side and that the parking space on the other side was empty He said that the vehicle that usually parked on the side that was empty was either a silver colored full size Chevy pickup or a gray colored Toyota 4Runner

Kathol said that he was about to step out of his vehicle and that he had started to open the driver's door when he saw Dylan Klebold and Eric Harris shooting at kids by the soccer field He said that he did not see any one get hit and he couldn't see the kids that were being shot at, but he knew they were there because he had just seen them He said that he saw Dylan and Eric on top of the hill above the lunchroom and next to the library by the airlock He said that they both were wearing black fatigue pants, black T shirts, black trench coats and that he thought Dylan had his ball cap on backward He said Dylan was about 601 in height and that he had him in an American Government class last year

Kathol said that Eric was the shorter guy and he thought he was about 120 - 150 yards away from Dylan and Eric and when I asked him if he could see them well enough to identify them he said that he had "excellent vision" and that he "could see their faces well enough "

Kathol said that he was in the parking lot for less than 5 minutes and he probably heard 100 rounds of semi-automatic rifle fire He said that he saw a rifle in Dylan's hands and Eric had a shotgun in his hands, but he was not using it because he was throwing bombs Kathol said that he saw Eric throw 3 bombs toward where Dylan's car was parked in the senior parking lot He said that he saw Eric throw a bomb on the roof of the library/cafeteria Kathol said that he saw them walking towards the airlock as if they were going to enter the building, they were carrying the rifle and shotgun, and he did not see them carrying any duffel bags Kathol said he did not see them actually enter the building

Kathol said that he saw another kid, who graduated last year, pull into the parking lot, behind him, driving a blue Chevy shortbed pickup truck Kathol said that last year, this guy used to park next to him and that he was probably at the school to pick up his girlfriend He said this vehicle left the school right before he did

Kathol said that these events occurred in less than five minutes He said that he saw two campus security officers pull in front of him in a unmarked red car and that he flashed his headlights at them, because they had him blocked into the parking space

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Kathol said he left right after the blue Chevy truck and went to his Aunt Jeanette Starkey's residence at 7439 W Frost, where he call his mom. He said he also called his girlfriend, Jill Basera, who was at home in between classes. Kathol said that he thought his cousin, Kevin Starkey, also a student at Columbine H S was in science class.

Kathol stated that another student, Zach Heckler had been harassing Kevin. At one point Kathol got in Heckler's face and told him to leave Starkey alone. I asked Kathol why Heckler was harassing Starkey and he thought it was because Starkey's ex-girlfriend had become Heckler's girlfriend. This girl was identified as Devon Adams, a friend of Devin Kathol's sister, Kayla Kathol.


Devin Kathol was shown a map of Columbine High School and he marked where he parked his truck as well as where he saw Dylan and Eric and where they were throwing bombs. I read Kathol the photo array admonition and showed him a photo array of six pictures and asked if he recognized the shooters. He immediately chose photo number 2 as Eric, the person he saw outside the library on 04-20-99 at 11:15 - 11:16am. Photo number 2 is a picture of Eric Harris. Kathol was shown another photo array and asked if he recognized the other shooter. He immediately chose photo number 3 as Dylan, the other person he saw outside the library with Eric Harris. Photo number three is a photo of Dylan Klebold.

I interviewed Kayla Kathol at the conclusion of the interview with Devin Kathol.

In a follow-up conversation on 05-05-99, Kathol related that someone kicked in the head lights of his car about 2 months ago.

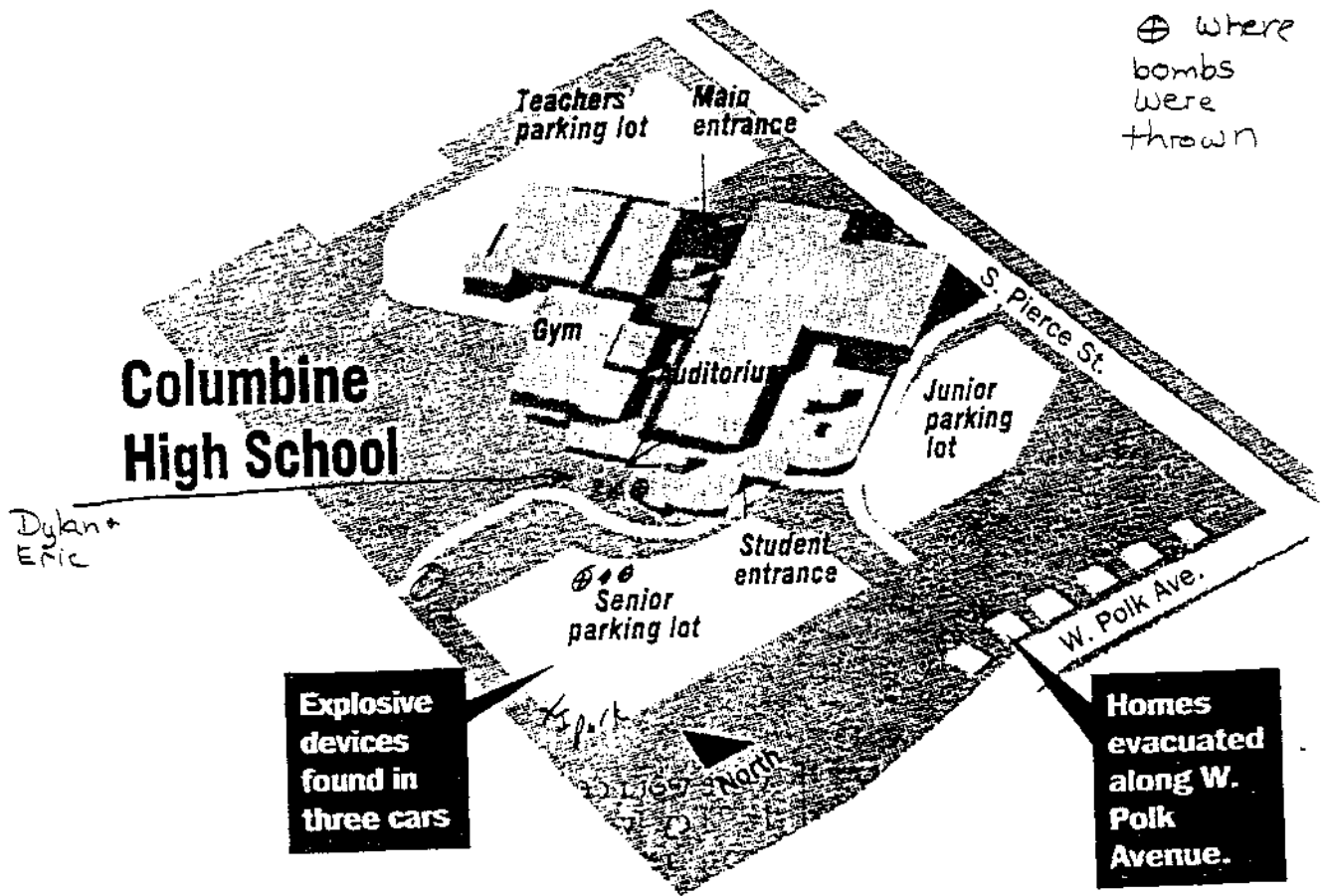
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KATHOL, K.

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Interview: Kayla Kathol DOB/012493
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Sophomore at Columbine High School

Interview with Kayla Kathol on 05-04-99 by Inv Jill Reuteler, Colorado State Patrol, at approx 10 00am at her residence Present in the room with us was Gail Kathol, mother of Kayla

Kayla Kathol said that she and her boyfriend, Zach Johnston left the school in her car around 11 15am on 04-20-99 (According to Johnston's web page, they left the school at 11 00am) She said that her vehicle is a gray Subaru Brat pickup with CO license 98578RS. She said that she parks in space 328 in the Junior lot (actually Johnston's parking space). Kayla said that Zach Johnston said that he saw Dylan Klebold drive up in his black BMW as they were leaving Kayla said she didn't see Dylan. (According to the web page, Johnston states that he did see Dylan) Kayla said that they tried to go back to school between 11 40 and 11 45am and were unable to because of the shooting Kayla said that she and Zach Johnston left and were looking for her brother, Devin Kathol and her cousin, Kevin Starkey

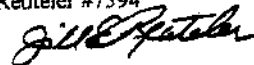
Kayla said that she knew Dylan Klebold because her friend, Devon Adams had tried to set her up with him Kayla said that she didn't want to go out with him She said she also knew Eric Harris Kayla said she used to pick up attendance at 8 30am in the Tech Lab, and Eric Harris was always in there and seemed to follow her out of the room She did not recall him saying anything to her

Kayla said that Zach Heckler and her cousin, Kevin Starkey, didn't get along. She did recall an incident last year, when a history book was stolen from Starkey's locker and he had to pay for it Kayla said she thought Starkey's ex-girlfriend, Devon Adams had given the locker combination to Heckler, and that Heckler stole the book She thought that Adams and Heckler were boyfriend, girlfriend She said that Heckler got suspended over the incident.

Kayla said that Zach Johnston is computer literate and created his own web site after the shooting She showed me the pages that she said she printed on the evening of 05-03-99 taken from the site The address is www.dimensional.com/~johnston She said that she occasionally used her mother's e mail address I asked for the account and Kayla and Gail Kathol said they thought it was gail.kathol@gte.net. I asked Kayla what names she used and she said, "bratgirl, mistressk, and dreamlover" She said that dreamlover was really her friend, Stephanie Bertucci, who goes to school at St. Mary's Academy

I asked Kayla who Johnston's co-worker at the movie theater was and she said it was Brian Sargent Kayla said that Johnston could be reached at 303-979-5371 and Starkey at 303-933-0412.

This interview was concluded

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Innocent victims murdered for no reason

The Following was written By a Columbine High student. The content of this page was written entirely by this student who is in no way affiliated with any group or organization. The views expressed on this site are mine alone and nobody elses.

My name is Zach Johnston. I am a student at Columbine High school in Jefferson County Colorado It is on this site that I will try to explain from my personal point of view what happened to my school on April 20, 1999 Sorry if the grammEr is below average, I really do not care. I spent about 5 minutes deciding what I would write here, then I just let it all out. I will express my views as well as feelings about this seemingly unavoidable tragedy The things I say are what I think or believe what happened. Not actually what happened I will only place bits and pieces of what I know on this site

I woke up at 6:10 a.m on April 20, 1999 I had a fairly bad cold and a soar throat. I didn't feel like going to school but since my friend was picking me up I didn't want to make her drive for nothing. She arrived at my house and we proceeded to goto school at Columbine Senior High. Since April 20 is 4:20, it was a day that many students were supposed to love and enjoy for various reasons. Heh. Various people told me "Happy 4 20 Zach!" and "its 4 20 and I have an important date with you know who." The day seemed pretty normal. I think I faired well on my math test and we watched Cyrano De Bergerac in World Studies After math I rushed to my locker to meet a friend so we could

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go out for lunch. The time was precisely 11:00 and we headed to my house because I didn't feel so well and wanted to take some Tylenol. At about 11:30 we headed back for school. We were headed north on Pierce when suddenly we saw a police cruiser in the middle of the road beside a cargo van and a little Mazda. I figured "oh well another accident that could have been prevented and everyone is over reacting." I had no idea how wrong I was. I told the person driving to head in the Woodmar neighborhood so we could get to school using my "stealth" route. We were then passed by a bunch of kids in a White Cherokee who were honking and waving their arms at us. I thought to myself "Crap they wanna beat me up and we cant get away because her car is too slow" Then they honked at everyone else so I felt a lot better. I then told her to try a different way to school. We headed north on Wadsworth then turned and went on Bowles where we eventually got to piece the street my school is on. This is where I knew something was very wrong.

Piece was blocked off from this side of school as well. As we waited in a crowded intersection as cops desperately tried to guide traffic, I saw a horde of my fellow students running towards us. I yelled at a Girl I knew and asked her what happened. She said "Some guys in black charged into school and just shot everyone!!!" I saw hundreds of parents who somehow found out about all this. They were running every which way trying to find their sons and daughters. It was a terribly disturbing sight. I remember specifically one little girl from my choir class crying about how she saw her friend get shot. My first thought was to get home as quickly as possible to call my Mom since I knew she would find out about all this before I would, so I did just that. We did a U turn and headed back to my house. I live about 1 mile from the school and counted 35 police cars passing us as we drove. Ambulances and police cars barging over medians motorcycle cops weaving through opposite traffic almost killing themselves Its actually quite amazing that police units can do such wide fishtails and keep control. By the time I got home and called my mom to tell her I was okay, the thought of what was happening hadn't quite sunk in yet.

My friend called her mom and aunt and stuff. When she got off the phone, she told me her brother and cousin were still in the school somewhere. Her brother later called and said he got out but her cousin was still inside.

I ran into the family room and turned on the TV. Every station was covering the situation at my school. Several stations had Ariel shots that amazed me. Of course the media blurted out a bunch of crap about the situation that they knew nothing of, and basically made stuff up as they went along. I never knew how much the media is full of crap about things until they talk about stuff I know about personally

I live on top of a huge hill overlooking the entire Denver Metro Area and could see the school in the distance I counted 5 helicopters and 2 planes circling the premises. I could also see Clement park where tons of parents desperately searched to find their children. The southwest side is the part of the school I could view. The Library and Cafeteria are both on this side. Apparently this is where all the action was taking place. The entire southwest side of the school is a huge glass window. Several windows were shattered. This is basically all I could see from here.

The TV said that there were still 900 some odd students left in the school with the gunmen. This is about half the population of the student body. While I watched and wondered for myself what was happening, I knew in my heart who was responsible for this massacre. About a month ago my friends

and I went out to lunch. After lunch we had the same World History class so we would talk together. We would often pass these 2 kids who wore trench coats. Everyone referred to them as the "Trench

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Coat Mafia". My friend Cale referred to them as the "RammStein Boyz". Whatever you wanted to call them, you could tell they were different. Well, one day, Clae snarled a remark about Rammstein under his breath as we passed these 2 guys. The short one who was named Eric Harris confronted my friend about it. He said "Everyday you pass me and make fun of me saying Rammstien sucks. Why do you do this crap asshole? What did I do to you?" My friend replied "Oh man your so cool, you're my idoi!" Then Eric's friend Dylan approached us seeming to back up his friend. I really didn't want to get involved in a fight even though I knew these guys wouldn't stand a chance. I was afraid of things they might do afterwards. Eric was a short clean cut looking kid and Dylan was a very tall skinny guy with messed up hair. He always wore the trench coat, a hat and dark sunglasses. The bell rang and they left and we went into class. That was the end of the confrontation.

When I got my facts straight and figured out that 2 gunmen entered the school and killed several people I knew, I figured the Trench Coat Mafia was responsible. Many helpless crying people said they recognized them as this group. I was shocked to understand that my hunch was correct. They showed the pictures of Eric Harris and Dylan on TV. Once I saw their pictures, I knew they had no demands or intent to leave Columbine High school alive.

This is the way I think it happened. I have heard several stories from the media, friends, and others, but put this one together myself..

Eric and Dylan didn't go to school on Tuesday April 20, 1999 They did attend bowling class early in the morning though. Instead they entered the student parking lot at 11.00 Eric in his black prelude, and Dylan in his black BMW 325 that the media is trying to say makes him a rich, privileged kid. It's a crappy early 80s one and if you know what I mean about early Beemers, they do suck. They must have taken a few minutes to booby trap their cars and a few other cars as well. Once they were fully suited up they open fire on kids heading out in the parking lot that were going to lunch. Some sources say they had body armor strapped to themselves. They threw bombs outside and one even blew up his car. After shooting outside they charged into the Cafeteria where they must have sprayed bullets everywhere After shooting in the Cafeteria, they ran up the stairs, shot people in the Oh-so-familiar halls of Columbine High School, then entered the Library. Of course, they threw bombs all over the place inside as well Nobody knows as of yet how long they were in the Library Some kids go there during their lunch hour to study or get work done. My guess is about 30 kids were in the library as usual that day They charged into the Library, shot some people then stopped. I heard stories of kids who escaped the library. They said that the 2 gunmen told all the jocks to stand up because "they are dead!" the gunmen also claim to hate minorities as well, I think that is bullshit. I Think they wanted to kill everyone they could. I heard a story from one girl who said that one of them pulled out a knife and said "I have always wanted to kill someone with a knife." Then he put it away for some reason. I have a feeling it was Eric who said this. I think they shot people hiding under tables execution style. People say they would laugh after they killed someone. I guess when they figured they had enough "fun", they took their own lives. I don't know whether they were in the library for 5 minutes or 5 hours After they shot themselves, a few survivors in the library ran out.

I guess as the gunmen were entering the school, people could hear the gunshots and explosions Take my word for it, my school is huge, so authorities didn't know where to go. I guess Mr Sanders was one of several teachers who was trying to guide students out of the school or at least to a secure area within. He was unfortunately shot, but managed to stagger to a nearby Science room where one of my friends cousin was hiding. He walked in bloody and dying where he passed out, fell down and broke his jaw My friend's cousin tried to keep his air passage open for some amount of time. They say he sat up but fell down again a few times A few hours passed, and the SWAT team barged into

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the room and cleared everyone out. They said that Mr. Sanders had to be left there since he was unable to be kept conscious. It was shortly after this time that I believe Mr. Sanders, my keyboarding teacher, died. He was also a girls Basketball coach and a business teacher.

Across the hall from the science room, there was the Choir room, where 60 students stayed for 3 hours. Some moved ceiling tiles to get fresh air in. A SWAT team eventually got them out as well.

A guy named Nick, was somewhere in the school. He got into the ceiling and crawled to try to get out. The ceiling gave in and he fell 20 ft. He was luckily toward the front of the school, far opposite from where Eric and Dylan were, so he was taken to safety.

I remember seeing one student at a window Obviously shot several times. It appeared that he was trying to jump out the 2nd story library window and end his pain. It was the most disturbing and moving sight I have ever witnessed in my life. What the incredibly ignorant news crew cameramen weren't seeing was a fire truck just below the window that the boy was aiming for. SWAT members grabbed him and carried him off to safety. As he was taken from the window, his blood drenched sock touched the wall and smeared all over. I felt immense sadness after seeing this particular scene. The first version I saw was this kid trying to jump and kill himself, I later saw a better angle that showed the boy being pulled from the window. I guess the retard news crew cut off the scene right before the hands of the SWAT members came into view. I learned later that His name is Patrick, a kid I have known since 2nd grade. He once made fun of my for buying Rebok Pumps in 3rd grade because they were 5 sizes too big.)

During the entire siege, SWAT teams entered the school at various places and rushed to get my classmates out. For all they knew, they were rushing into the school with guns drawn and the killers could be anywhere. But, I knew that these 2 gunmen weren't silly kids influenced by games, and tv. They were trained and had planned out this entire day Brooks, a student I had a choir class with explained how he knew people involved in this "Trench Coat Mafia". At the time he spoke to me about them, it had nothing to do with anything. It was just a random conversation that took place several months ago. He told news crews that every time somebody messed with them or teased them, they would go home and plan this thing out. It wasn't something they did after a good day at school according to Brooks, who had no part in it.

About a year ago, I worked at a movie theatre with one of the Trench Coat Mafia kids. I won't list his name since I don't think he had anything to do with this. He would constantly complain about rich jocks and other stuff that is common to hear. I figured to myself "just an angry kid venting some anger" Then one night he came into work and told me he had been chased in his car by so and so. Well, turns out so and so were athletes from my school who don't seem to have anything better to do than torment this dude.

I can see why the fellow I worked with hated Columbine High School. I can safely say that I don't think he took part in the Terror that was created a few days ago. I don't think he was a corrupt kid either. I think that Eric and Dylan were the only ones involved that I knew about. Although now police are saying they found 30 explosive devices in backpacks, under bodies, and inside lockers, so they probably were not in it alone. These devices had been planted before the gunmen entered the school.

If other members of this "Trench Coat Mafia" were treated like my past co-worker, then this is their only "motive" for doing what they did a few days ago. They were 2 outcast kids that were constantly made fun of, and they finally snapped. What they were thinking before they performed this horror

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will never be conceivable to anyone. It had nothing to do with Doom or Quake, I V or movies, it is all pain inside their heads that they couldn't deal with. Some blame parents, other students, the NRA, or whatever. No! They weren't man enough to deal with their misfortunes, so they took the easy way out.

During the disaster at my school The names of the dead where withheld for various reasons. Having an idea who was in that library was the worst feeling I have ever had to deal with. A friend told me that Patrick had been shot. He was alive and taken to the hospital. Another person told me that Rachel Scott was dead. I remember Rachel being a very warm, caring, a funny person. She was an actor, a singer, and had a long future ahead of her. It was all brought to a halt. I remember when we were sophmores when we had to dissect these baby pig featus's. She was really scared and shaking when they put the pig down in the dissection tray, So I tied 2 strings to the pigs arms and made it dance around and sing songs. She thought it was really funny and soon started cutting this poor dead pig apart in all kinds of strange ways. She was also a very talented singer. She was an alto in my choir class when we were sophmores. I heard that the gunmen didnt actually go through the front of the cafeteria, but instead walked around and up the stairs where the media showed footage of all the kinds running out of the school. I believe that the gunmen entered the upper doors where Rachel and a boy name Richard were. Richard was quickly gunned down, but didn't die. Richard says that he heard the gunmen ask Rachel if she believed in god, she said "yes" and they soon ended her life. Rachel was a victim of a pair of outcasts pouring out their poison on innocent lives I now know that if Rachel can perish, anyone can perish and there is nothing we can do about it.

I found tremendous torment when I remembered that a girl named Cassie was in the library at this time for sure. I was absolutely sure she was in the library when the gunmen entered.. .

When I was a sophomore, I noticed a new girl in class. Apparently her name was Cassie and she was very pretty and quite. At the time I didn't take much notice to her since my attention was usually drawn to Ms Haggard who always caught me mouthing off or doing something I shouldn't have been doing. Then we were given an assignment where you had to pick a partner and write about something I cannot remember. I was absent when we chose partners, so I wrote about how I loved snowboarding. Each group of 2 had to stand up and read their paper. I read mine and as usual was yelled at by Ms. Haggard for screwing around and not writing about the correct topic. Then Cassie stood up and read her paper alone because she didn't have a partner. It was about how she was new in Columbine High School and she tried to explain how unfair it was to have to do a partner assignment when you don't know anybody. She read her paper with great confidence and didn't care what anyone thought. After she sat down, some students grumbled and whispered negative comments. Two of my friends even took part in this sickening display, but not I. There was something about this girl that wrote this paper that caused me to stay quite. I wanted to approach her and talk to her everyday of that semester after she read that paper, but I never did. I have never had a problem going up and talking to someone in my entire life until she came along. Weeks past, then months, then the semester ended.

Years past, and I still see Cassie in the hall periodically. Then a few months ago A girl i knew who is friends with Cassie told me I should talk to her because she said Cassie is really nice and an over all cool person. I still had this fear of talking to her. I didn't understand it. I could probably go up to my principal and recite every bad word I knew, but I couldn't even say "Hi!" to this girl. Well, one day, and I think somebody planned this, I was after school in the photo room making up work, when she walked in. I figured "what the heck?" and went over and talked to her. I suppose she somehow knew that I liked her. She turned out to be one of, if not, the coolest person I have ever spoken with. I could

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tell she was nervous because she probably thought I was some sort of freak for telling her I remember a paper she can't even remember writing. I didn't get any work done that day, but I didn't care. After time, she became more open and we talked more. After this, I didn't really know where to go. I would greet her in the hall for the last time a few minutes before she entered the library on April 20th, 1999.

I have terrible regrets dealing with Cassie in particular. I have no idea and will probably never know how long she was held in that library until either Eric or Dylan pulled the trigger without even thinking twice. One survivor from the library told me that when the gunmen got to her and held a gun to her head, they asked her if she believed in God. She stood up quickly and screamed "YES I BELIEVE IN JESUS!" and they killed her. She may have been one of the hostages destined to die by the hand of one of the gunmen. I felt truly horrible when her name and picture flashed on my screen on April 21st, 1999. I hoped beyond belief that I would have become close friends with her before that day. Now this is impossible. I cannot explain, I was uncontrollably drawn to her since she read that essay. One thing that bothers me is the way that people think more highly of her because she was a dedicated Christian. You see, various people who knew Cassie made reference of how she used to be into witchcraft and "into the dark side of things" whatever that means. Do you know what this means in reality? This means that if Cassie had not been religious, these same people would feel less pain when she died. I am sorry if you do not agree with me on this. I thought the world of Cassie, religious or not. I never knew Cassie as well as I would have liked. I am not a member of her church group, I know nobody in her family, but I do know one thing that many have overlooked. I know that Cassie never judged a person by what they were, she judged them according to who they were. The girl who died for her faith will be remembered so by many, but I will remember Cassie as a person that befriended people for who they are, not what they are or what they believe in. I am a true example of this. She didn't think any less of me when I told her I was not religious. If anyone who reads this knew Cassie and thinks less of me for what I have just said, she was different from you, and you will never understand.

Isaiah was a senior who I never knew at all. He seemed to be a cool guy. He was black and an athlete, so if he was in that library, there is no doubt that the gunmen would target him. He probably would have had a long life to live. His dad kept his composure while talking about Isaiah on the TV. Hard to imagine.

Mark is a boy that I have known since Kindergarten. He has a twin brother named Mike. Mark was born with a defect in his leg and arm. He couldn't run at all, but he could walk, and he could only use one of his hands. We were in that library and was shot 2 times in the head and 2 times in the neck. He somehow survived. I can only imagine that he will be even more disabled the rest of his life. This sickens me. He sat in front of me in choir the day he was shot, but by the time high school came around, I was no longer friends with him. I remember how he had dreams of being a racecar driver when he grew up. I wonder if he still had this hope when he was in that library.

There were countless other victims both injured and killed by Eric and Dylan 2 days ago. I am the sort of person who strives to be in control. Total control is my life goal. Watching the TV that day seeing what the Gunmen had been doing, I felt helpless. It is the first time in my adult life that I have ever felt that there was nothing I could do. My dad was specifically worried that I would have been in school that day and probably tried something stupid to stop/kill the Gunmen. I would have to agree with him on this one. I look back at the time Eric and Dylan approached me and my friends, and I wish I would have had some way of knowing that they would do something like this. I probably would have taken personal action to make sure it didn't happen.

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The thought of friends like Mark, Rachel, and Cassie, being victims of this crime haunts me constantly. People say "the library and had the gun pointed close to me? But one thing sticks in my mind more than anything. As we were driving out of the parking lot at school to go to lunch, I saw Dylan and his old 325i. He was entering the school like nothing was going to happen. Then I made eye contact with him for a split second, and he looked at me with no emotion. I truly had no idea he was soon going to perform the most horrible school massacre in history.



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Looking back at that day, where the sound of trumpets played Hells song, I think about how happy I am that so many of my friends and class mates still live to this day. I had a dream of me being in the library. I thought to myself "My god, Im going to die without a chance!" then one of the gunmen placed the gun at my forehead "This is my chance!" and I grabbed the gun like I was trained so many years ago, and then I awoke. Did i succeed in stopping him and suprising the other gunmen who was not looking? Or did I perish? I keep thinking about how this could have been a possibility, but I am truely glad it was not. I have not said a word dealing with the political garbage that is being spewed about by so many heartless career boosting individuals. I know the true answer to so many questions that orbit this tragedy. Throughout history people report individuals who are crazy and socially unstable. Many murders come to mind. Eric Harris and Dylan Klebold were two completely unstable mental cases who were bound to act as they did from the start. So go ahead, blame the guns, the lack of metal detectors, the parents, the video games, the other students, the lack of religion in schools, or whatever your fancy. Whatever makes you feel better. I implore you, take it from me. Laws are made logically to protect people, but what happens when people who are not logical exist in our world?

T H I S

You cannot run from it.

If you would like to help those affected by this tragedy, head to my [Donations](#) Section.

johnston@dimensional.com If you have comments or thoughts about what I have written feel free.

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KENNY, M

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LAKWOOD POLICE DEPARTMENT

VOLUNTARY STATEMENT

1a. Name <i>Mike Kenny</i>	b. <input type="checkbox"/> Witness c. <input type="checkbox"/> Suspect d. <input type="checkbox"/> Arrestee	2. Date of Birth <i>7/27/83</i>	1. Case Report Number <i>99-3886</i>
4. Home Address <i>7884 W Ontario Pl, Littleton CO 80128</i>			5. Home Telephone <i>973-4303</i>
Business Address			7. Business Telephone

3a. For whatever purposes it may serve, I volunteer the following information of my own free will concerning:

b. Statement
 We were playing soccer on the soccer field, when I saw 2 people, one in a white shirt and one in a black trenchcoat. They threw small fireworks in front of the double doors. The person in the black trenchcoat shot down the hill. I saw at least 3 people injured. At this time we ran hid behind the slope. Then after we saw how serious it was we went into the neighborhood. We called 911 and waited. As I ran I could see smoke and more explosions from either the roof or parking lot. As we ran we were fired at.

I have read each page of this statement, and each page bears my signature. Corrections, if any, bear my initials. I certify that the facts contained herein are true and correct.

9a. Signature of Person Making Statement <i>Mike Kenny</i>	b. Location Where Statement Made <i>6337 S. Teller Ct.</i>	c. Date	d. Time
10a. Signature and Number of Agent Witnessing <i>[Signature] 1560</i>	a. Title <i>Police Agent</i>	c. Date <i>4-20-99</i>	d. Time <i>1410</i>
11a. Signature and Number of Agent Witnessing	b. Title	c. Date	d. Time

Denver Police Department

Metro Gang Task Force

Date: 05-02-99

To: The Jefferson County District Attorneys Office

Form: Detective Terry Demmel 78007- Assigned With The Columbine Law Enforcement Task Force

Supplementary Report

Ref: Interview with Columbine Sophomore student Mike Kenny DOB 07-27-83 by phone at [303] 973-4303

On 05-01-99 at 4:30 P.M. Denver Police Detective Terry Demmel, assigned with the Columbine Law Enforcement Task Force, interviewed Columbine Sophomore student Mike Kenny DOB 07-27-83 by phone. Mike reported that he and friends Arthur Curtis, Brian Stepp and Jason Brehm were on the soccer field playing soccer when they saw fire crackers going off by the upper doors next to the Library. They observed a party in a black trench coat with black pants; Mike stated that he was approximately 100 yards away. Mike reported that the guy had a TEC 9 in his hand, a person wearing a white T-shirt and blue jeans was about 10 feet behind the guy in the trench coat and they both appeared to be together.

Mike stated that he wasn't sure if the guy in the white shirt was shooting anything or not. The party in the trench coat and the white shirt then turned their attention towards the boys on the soccer field and the person in the trench coat began shooting at them and they could here the bullets whizzing past. The boys took off running and Mike reported that he looked back approximately 10 seconds later to see an explosion on the roof with smoke coming from the site.

When Det. Demmel asked Mike if he thought it was possible that the parties in the trench coat and white shirt could have thrown something up onto the roof he answered that " Yes " he did think from where the two were standing that they could easily toss something onto the roof and that he did not see anybody on the roof at the that time.

Mike reported that he and the other boys ran to a house at 6337 So. Teller St. where a woman let them stay in her garage. Lakewood Police Officer Chuck Powell contacted them there at 1:40 P.M. and took a written statement from Mike. That statement is attached to this report. In that statement Mike writes that as they ran they could see smoke and more explosions coming from either the roof or parking lot.

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KING, MELANIE

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SUPPLEMENT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		JCSD	Inv. Larry Erzen	99-7625			
Connecting Case Report No. DN 4972			Victim Name Original Report		Date This Report 08-12-99		
Location <input type="checkbox"/> First Degree Murder Reclassification <input type="checkbox"/>			Offense Status: Open <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exceptionally Cleared <input type="checkbox"/> Cleared by Arrest <input type="checkbox"/> Unfounded <input type="checkbox"/>	Recommend Case: Review <input type="checkbox"/> Closure <input type="checkbox"/>			
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ADDITIONAL WITNESS:

King, Melanie, DOB/05-24-81
 9003 West Cross Drive, #15
 Littleton, CO 80123
 H: 303-904-8144

Business Address: Graduate - Columbine High School

(Parental Information)

King, Roy
 9003 West Cross Drive, #15
 Littleton, CO 80123
 H: 303-904-8144
 B: 303-236-2628

INVESTIGATION:

On August 12, 1999 between the hours of 1030 and 1040, I had an opportunity to speak with Melanie King in reference to the Columbine incident that occurred on April 20, 1999. Melanie told me that she had left school prior to the incident occurring. Melanie stated after she was released from her fourth hour Foods class which was taught that day by a substitute teacher, Mr. Sneddon, she walked down the main hallway to the west exit, walked down the stairs just outside the cafeteria, and proceeded out into the senior parking lot. Melanie told me that she believed it was between 11:15 and 11:20 a.m. when she reached her vehicle, which was parked in the senior lot, space #4. Melanie stated she proceeded to drive from the senior parking lot and as she was passing the junior parking lot, she recalled seeing Dylan Klebold dressed in his black trench coat and he was walking from the parking lot in the direction of the high school. Melanie went home for lunch and it wasn't until she tried to return to the school, that she found out about the shooting incident.

Melanie was asked if she was positive on identifying Dylan Klebold as the individual she saw walking in the junior parking lot. Melanie stated there was no doubt in her mind that was Dylan, she knew Dylan from school. Melanie told me that she only knew him by first name, but again, there was no doubt that was Dylan Klebold. Melanie was asked if Dylan was with anyone or if he was carrying anything when she saw him in the parking lot. Melanie stated she did not see anybody with him and she only looked at him briefly and he didn't appear to be carrying anything. At this point, Melanie was asked if she ever heard any gunfire or saw anyone firing any weapons while she was at Columbine High School, and she stated she did not.

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Officer Signature <i>Larry Erzen</i>	Unit <i>INVEST</i>	Number <i>0057</i>	Supervisor Initials and Date <i>[Signature] 08/12/99</i>	Assigned To	Page <u>1</u> of <u>2</u>
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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

FBI Case #4-DN-57419, DN #4972.

DISPOSITION:

Case open pending further investigation.

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KLAPPER, KARI

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L A K E W O O D P O L I C E D E P A R T M E N T

offense: MURDER
Victim: SCOTT
Agent: 1173 STEFFES, TIMOTHY
Inv Agt: 1197 GIRSON

CR#: 99038856
Date: 05/06/99
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Key: 11449*1031*1173

S U P P L E M E N T

ASSOCIATED CASE REPORT NUMBERS:

Jefferson County Sheriffs C.R.: 99-7625
FBI control number: 174A-DIV-57419

SUBJECT: KLAPPER, Kari Ann
DOB: 11/09/81
8946 West Prentice Ave.
Littleton, CO. 80123
(303) 973-9241

PARENTS:
MOTHER: Pat Klapper
FATHER: Gary Klapper

OBSERVATION / INVESTIGATION:

On April 29th I was interviewing Columbine student Lacey Hohn. During the interview Lacey said that a student Kari Klapper might have walked past the shooters just prior to the beginning of the shooting. I identified Kari from the student roster, and made an appointment to interview on May 6th at 0800 hours.

On May 6th at 0745 hours I arrived at 8946 West Prentice Avenue and conducted an interview with Kari. Kari related that she is a junior at Columbine High School, and was at school on April 20th. She continued to say that she had walked up the stairs that lead from the parking area to the west main level entry along the outside of the school. Kari related that when she reached the top of the stairs, at about 11:15AM, she notice Dylan (Klebold) standing near the entry to the building. She said that Rachel Scott and Richard Castaldo were also sitting on the side walk near the enterance having lunch. Kari said that they always have lunch there. She related that she spoke briefly to Rachel and Richard, and as she started to walk down the side walk to the "pit" she noticed that Dylan had left and a male subject she believed to be Eric Harris was standing there. She advised that she was not entirely sure the subject was Harris. She advised that he was wearing a white t-shirt, black pants with black suspenders and he was holding a gun at his side with both hands. Kari said that she was not really sure what kind of gun it was. Kari related that it did not register about the gun for a second. Kari stated that she had walked about 10 feet when she heard a series of very rapid shots behind her and an explosion. She said she briefly turned and looked and saw Harris shooting down the stairs in the direction of the parking lot. Kari

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further advised that after hearing the shots and explosion and looking toward the source of the sound she observed a large cloud of grayish colored smoke coming from the area of the parking lot. Kari said that she started running and ended up at the picnic area to the north-west of the school. She waited there for a brief period of time when someone said "they're coming this way". At this time they jumped the fence into Clements Park and went to the parking lot where she got a ride with a friend, Evan Onis. Kari said that after leaving the lot she took a girl home (she did not know this persons name) and then went to Wills (a friend of Evan) house. There she called her parents.

Kari stated that just before the shots the only people at the top of the stairs was Harris, Rachel and Richard.

Kari stated that she was not in the cafeteria at all on the morning of April 20th. She reported that neither Harris or Klebold had a duffel type bag when she encountered them just before the shooting. She also advised that neither said anything to her just before the shooting. Kari advised that she has spoken to Klebold before in school and he had jump started her car once for her. She advised that Dylan seemed very normal during her contact with him. She advised that she did not know Harris. She also said that she did not socialize with either or anyone in the group. Kari stated that her friend, KRISTA HANLEY, was closely associated with the Trench Coat Mafia. Kari said that she had spoken to Krista often before April 20th and that Krista had said nothing to her about anything happening on that day. Kari said that after the shooting she spoke to Krista and Krista seemed very shocked that Harris and Klebold had done this. Kari advised that she had heard no rumors about trouble on April 20th before that day.

Kari could provide no further information and my interview concluded at 0820 hours.

Agent: 1173 STEFFES, TIMOTHY
Sergeant: 1514 HINKLE, GEORGE 05/07/99 13:23

Printed: 05/07/99 17:12

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LALLEMENT, J.

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**GOLDEN POLICE DEPARTMENT
CONSHEET - REPORT NARRATIVE**

REPORT DATE: 04-28-99

CR#: 99-1362

REPORT ID#: 9908504.AJK

IN#: 9908504

CLASSIFICATION: Agency Assist J.C.S.O.

Detectives: 1150/2260

COLUMBINE HIGH SCHOOL TASK FORCE

Jeffco Case #99-7625

F.B.I. Case #174A-DN-57419

Control Number 2772, Assigned 05-03-99, Kreutzer/Watson.

On 05-03-99 lead #2772 was assigned to contact Josh Lallement, [REDACTED] Phone numbers attached to the name are [REDACTED] and pager [REDACTED].

On 05-11-999 I called the pager of [REDACTED] the message on the pager was quite interesting. The message is that of machine gun fire, cars squealing their tires and people screaming. I took the time to meet Jason Lallement in person due to the very nature on the message on his pager.

I met with Jason Lallement at his residence 7525 W. Ottawa Pl. ttleton, Co. Jason explained his relation to [REDACTED]. He played various computer games with Klebold from time to time. The games they played were similar to "Doom". They used computer modems to play these games and this is why his number wa sin his possession.

Josh added he had a class with Klebold and last talked to him the Friday prior to the incident. The class was creative writing. He knew Harris also, but didn't talk much to him. Harris was in the same creative writing class, he sat behind him often. Josh stated he thought Klebold was a nice guy.

I then talked to him about the message on his pager. He felt there was nothing wrong, it is a beginning of a music album. He has had it on their for a long time and never gave it any thought. Josh's thought to it was he sees nothing wrong with it and he has not done anything illegal. I continued to approach the message as this is of interest to us being the investigation involves shooting of persons.

I spoke to Josh briefly about his activity after high school. He indicated he has no plans at this point. He will be graduating shortly.

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Reporting Agency JCSO Reporting Officer REKBA Case Report No 99-7625

Connecting Case Report No _____ Victim Name Original Report _____ Date This Report 6-23-94

Classification _____ Reclassification HOMICIDE Offense Status: Open Exceptionally Cleared Cleared by Arrest Unfounded Recommend Case: Review Closure

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CONTACT # 4000
INTERVIEW WITH JOSHUA LALLEMENT
7525 W. OTTOWA PL.
948-7211
LALLEMENT STATES THAT HE WAS ON
THE NORTH SIDE OF SCHOOL WHEN EVERYBODY
CAME RUNNING OUT AND HE RAN TO
CURMEAD PARK.
HE SAW AND HEARD NOTHING

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LARSON, BRANDON

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CONTINUATION SUPPLEMENT XX		JCSO	DUNNEBECKE	Case Report No 99-7625-B		
Connecting Case Report No		Victim Name Original Report MULTIPLE VICTIMS		Date This Report 04-26-99		
Classification		Offense Status: Open		Exceptionally Cleared		Recommend Case:
Reclassification		Cleared by Arrest		Unfounded		Review Closure
Item No	Brand Name	Description	Serial No.	Value Stolen	Value Recovered	Value Damaged

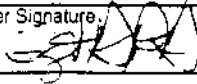

Narrative:

At 0800 Hrs on this date, I conducted an interview with CHS student Brandon E. Larson at his home 7766 S. Saulsbury St. 978-9028. Both parents Darrell and Patricia were present at their request. Brandon told me the following of his account of the incident which occurred on 04-20-99:

He, along with fellow students Jeremy Zele and Sabrina ? were in the south lot of the school at about 1115 Hrs preparing to go off campus for lunch. Brandon noticed a fellow student he recognized as Eric Harris walking north through the south lot which is very common. Harris was wearing a black trench coat and a dark ball cap with embroidering with the bill to the front. Harris was carrying a black duffle bag and as also wearing dark colored pants. They left for lunch and heard about the incident on the car radio.

Brandon who is a football player, does know of a group calling themselves the Trench Coat Mafia. He's known the believed members to stick by themselves and often sit in a corner of the cafeteria. He reports never being bothered by TCM members, nor has he had any problems with them. Brandon has no idea why there may have been alleged threats against him.

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Officer Signature 	Unit 4-26-99	Number 5007	Supervisor Initials and Date 	Page 1 of 1
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File 174A-DN-57419
Inv Thomas Wilson, DJTTF

April 29, 1999

Patricia Larson was contacted in regards to information recovered during a search warrant of Eric Harris' room. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Patricia Larson stated the address was their old address from July 1997. At that time her son, Brandon Larson, was a football player at the high school. She did not think there were any problems between Brandon and Harris.

Brandon ^{LARSON} Harris was contacted and stated he was currently a football player on the Junior Varsity Football Team. On the day of the shooting Brandon was away from the school at lunch.

Brandon has also given a detailed interview to Dan Dunnebecke, West Metro Task Force.

Re: DN1580

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LAUGHLIN. C.

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Denver Police Department
STATEMENT

Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) <u>LAUGHTIN, CHAD</u>		Making Statement as: <input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Witness <input type="checkbox"/> Person advised			
Residence Street Address <u>6056 S CONVENTRY LANE EAST</u>		City <u>LITTLETON</u>	County <u>JEFF</u>	State <u>CO</u>	Zip Code <u>80123</u>
Residence Phone <u>(303) 347-2422</u>	Business Phone	Social Security No.		Date of Birth / Serial No. <u>8/1/81</u>	
Business Street Address <u>STUDENT</u>		City	County	State	Zip Code
Officer Taking Statement <u>DET. MARK WOODWARD</u>		Serial No. <u>75066</u>	Date <u>4/28/99</u>	Time <u>1500</u> Hours	
Concerning an incident occurring at: <u>COLUMBINE H.S.</u>			Location where statement taken:		

Summary of Statement:

DET. WOODWARD INTERVIEWED CHAD LAUGHTIN IN HIS HOME IN THE PRESENCE OF HIS MOTHER, ROSEMARY, AND FATHER, CHARLES.

CHAD STATED THAT HE ARRIVED AT SCHOOL, ALONE, AT ABOUT 9¹⁵ AM, IN HIS 94 MITSUBISHI GALANT, GREEN. CHAD MISSED HIS FIRST TWO CLASSES THEN ATTENDED HIS 3RD PERIOD CLASS. CHAD TOUCHED HIS 4TH PERIOD CLASS, MARKETING, WHICH IS LOCATED IN THE WING EAST OF THE CAFETERIA. CHAD SPENT 4TH PERIOD IN THE 2ND FLOOR TECH LAB WITH TIM CASTLE. AFTER 4TH PERIOD CHAD WENT DOWNSTAIRS THEN TO HIS CAR IN THE SENIOR LOT (SPACE # 30) WHERE MET JEFF MARQUARDT WITH WHOM HE WAS GOING TO GO TO LUNCH OFF CAMPUS WITH. TIM CASTLE MET CHAD AND JEFF AT THE CAR WHERE THEY CHATTED BRIEFLY. CHAD AND JEFF GOT INTO CHAD'S CAR AND BACKED OUT AS CHAD PULLED OUT DYLAN KLEBOLD WAS PULLING INTO THE LOT, ALONE, IN HIS BLACK BMW. CHAD SAW THAT DYLAN WAS WEARING HIS

I have read the foregoing statement and the facts contained therein are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I do not maintain that it contains all of the facts or details of the incident, but only those facts about which I have been asked.

____/____/____
 Date AM
 PM
 Time Statement Completed

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 Signature of Person Making Statement



Summary of Statement (cont.)

BLACK TRENCH COAT. CHAD "FLIPPED OFF" DYLAN AS A FRIENDLY GREETING, THEN DROVE OUT OF THE LOT AND TO JEFF'S HOUSE NEAR COAL MINE RD AND KIPLING ST. CHAD FOUND OUT ABOUT THE SHOOTINGS ABOUT ONE HOUR LATER WHEN HIS MOM PAGED HIM.

CHAD HAS KNOWN DYLAN KLEBOLD SINCE GRADE SCHOOL, ABOUT 10 YEARS. CHAD SPEAKS TO DYLAN AND ERIC HALLIS ON A DAILY BASIS AND IS FRIENDS WITH THEM. CHAD HAS TWO CLASSES WITH DYLAN. CHAD STATES DYLAN AND ERIC ARE ALWAYS FRIENDLY TO HIM. CHAD HAS NEVER HEARD EITHER DYLAN OR ERIC TALK ABOUT ANY KIND OF VIOLENCE OR ABOUT ANY OF THEIR PHILOSOPHIES. CHAD STATED THAT DYLAN WOULD WEAR A TRENCH COAT ONCE IN AWHILE, BUT USUALLY WOULD WEAR A T-SHIRT AND JEANS. CHAD RUNS THE FANTASY BASEBALL AND FOOTBALL LEAGUES THAT DYLAN AND ERIC ARE HEAVILY INVOLVED IN. WHEN CHAD TALKS TO DYLAN IT IS USUALLY ABOUT BASEBALL. CHAD HAS NOT BEEN AT DYLAN'S HOUSE SINCE 10TH GRADE. CHAD DOES NOT ASSOCIATE WITH DYLAN OR ERIC OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL. DYLAN WAS AT CHAD'S HOUSE ONE MONTH AGO, WORKING ON A SCHOOL PROJECT.

I have read the foregoing statement and the facts contained therein are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I do not maintain that it contains all of the facts or details of the incident, but only those facts about which I have been asked.

____/____/____
Date AM
 PM
Time Statement Completed

Signature of Person Making Statement

JC-001-000955

**Denver Police Department
STATEMENT**

Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) <u>MULLIN, CHAD</u>		Making Statement is: <input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Witness <input type="checkbox"/> Person advised		
Residence Street Address	City	County	State	Zip Code
Residence Phone ()	Business phone ()	Social Security No.		Date of Birth / Serial No.
Business Street Address	City	County	State	Zip Code
Officer Taking Statement	Serial No.	Date	Time Hours	
Concerning an incident occurring at:		Location where statement taken:		

Summary of Statement:

CHAD FEELS THAT DYLAN AND ERIC WERE THE MOST NORMAL OF THE TRENCH COAT GROUP.

CHAD ALSO KNOWS [REDACTED] VERY WELL. CHAD SPOKE TO [REDACTED] ON THE EVENING OF THE SHOOTINGS AND BELIEVED THAT [REDACTED] WAS GENUINELY UPSET.

CHAD SAW A BLUE NISSAN SENTRA DURING A NEWS BROADCAST FROM THE SCHOOL. THE VEHICLE BELONGS TO ZACH HECKLER

CHAD STATED THAT ABOUT ONE YEAR AGO, WHEN PARKING SPACES WERE BEING ASSIGNED FOR THEIR SENIOR YEAR, DYLAN AND ERIC ARRIVED AT THE SCHOOL AT ABOUT 3:30 A.M IN ORDER TO GET SPACES CLOSE TO THE SCHOOL.

CHAD WORKED WITH ERIC FOR ABOUT ONE MONTH ALMOST

I have read the foregoing statement and the facts contained therein are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I do not maintain that it contains all of the facts or details of the incident, but only those facts about which I have been asked.

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Signature of Person Making Statement



Summary of Statement (cont.)

A Year Ago At Tortilla Wraps At Southwest Plaza

CHAD DID NOT SEE [REDACTED], WHO IS IN HIS BOWLING CLASS, ON THE MORNING OF THE SHOOTINGS.

CHAD STATED THAT DYLAN AND ERIC USUALLY SIT ALONE IN THE CAFETERIA.

CHAD DROVE TO WYOMING LAST SUMMER WITH [REDACTED] TO BUY FIREWORKS. KLEBOLD GAVE CHAD AN ORDER FOR ABOUT \$80⁰⁰ WORTH OF FIREWORKS.

CHAD PROVIDED DET. WOODWARD WITH A COPY [REDACTED] PAGE FROM HIS JUNIOR YEARBOOK THAT BOTH DYLAN AND ERIC SIGNED (ATTACHED). PART OF ERIC'S WRITING APPEARS TO BE IN GERMAN.

CHAD WORE A WHITE BRONCOS CAP (BACKWARDS) A BLACK, COLLARLESS SHORT-SLEEVED SHIRT AND BLUE JEANS ON THE DAY OF THE SHOOTINGS.

I have read the foregoing statement and the facts contained therein are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I do not maintain that it contains all of the facts or details of the incident, but only those facts about which I have been asked.

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Date AM
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Time Statement Completed

Signature of Person Making Statement

**Denver Police Department
STATEMENT**

Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) <u>AUGHLIN, CHAD</u>		Making Statement is: <input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Witness <input type="checkbox"/> Person advised		
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Residence Phone	Business Phone	Social Security No.		Date of Birth / Serial No.
Business Street Address		City	County	State
Officer Taking Statement		Serial No.	Date	Time Hours
Concerning an incident occurring at:		Location where statement taken:		

Summary of Statement:

CHAD'S PARENTS TOLD DET. WOODWARD THAT THEY WORKED THE "AFTER PROM" ON THE SATURDAY PRIOR TO THE SHOOTINGS.

ROSEMARY STATED THAT A DOOR NEAR THE GYM THAT SHOULD HAVE BEEN LOCKED WAS UNLOCKED ALL NIGHT.

CHAD STATED HE DOES NOT REMEMBER TALKING TO ANYONE NAMED "DAN" JUST BEFORE LUNCH.

I have read the foregoing statement and the facts contained therein are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I do not maintain that it contains all of the facts or details of the incident, but only those facts about which I have been asked.

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 Signature of Person Making Statement



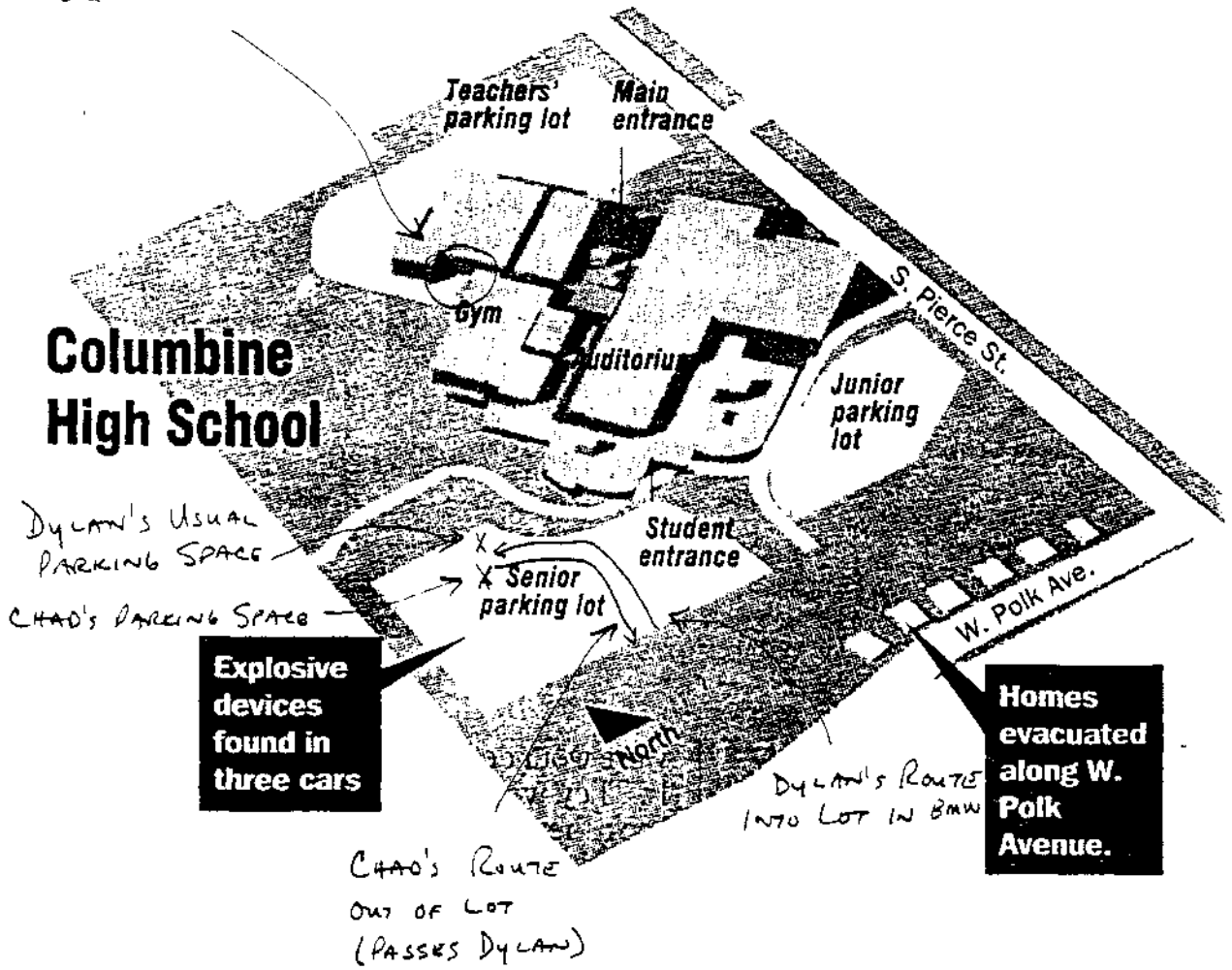
CHAD LAUGHLIN

FBI# 174A-DN-57419

JCSO# 99-7625

CONTROL# 1611

DOOR LEFT UNLOCKED
DURING AFTERPROM



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grumpy

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Natives

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That felt

99
later
(call
or
textin)

hey you,

Sasha is a fat trendy whiney annoying
fend and I went out w/ her cause i felt
sorry for her I guess. oh well. I bet you'll
show her this Ich bin Gott und du muss
Buche Dich sehen du spater

-RFB-
P.S. Get me some chics
this summer, k? 9326661

[Faint, illegible handwritten text]

Hey dude
It's cool talkin' cars
with you. I bet you
never imagined that a
girl knew stuff about
them. I think we should
race sometime. I'll give
ya a head start. If
you suck up a little maybe
jus 2 maybe you can drive
my little gox. I hope
to see you next year.
stay cool

Chris Ritter

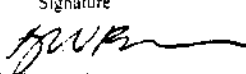
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INVESTIGATION:

On 05-04-99, at about 3:30 p.m., I spoke with Denver Police Detective Mark Woodward reference Columbine student Chad Laughlin, as follow up on DN1567. Mark told me that he had previously interviewed Chad Laughlin as follow up on DN1611, and submitted his report to FBI Agent Mike Barnett, Team 3 Coordinator. Mark told me that no further interview was necessary, and that DN1567 could be canceled.

DISPOSITION: Refer to DN1611.

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ARAPAHOE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

CR # _____

S T A T E M E N T

Date: April 20, 1999

I, Tiffany Lien, make this voluntary statement to _____, a Deputy Sheriff for the County of Arapahoe.

This statement is voluntary and is made by me without threat of punishment, and without unlawful coercion, influence or inducement.

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Last Lien First Tiffany Middle T Sex F Race _____
Address 7293 S. WING ST City Littleton State CO Zip 80128
Occupation Student at school Date of birth 9-10-83 Em phone 972-16980
Employer _____ Wk phone _____
Home Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

VEHICLE INFORMATION:

() Suspect () Victim
Year _____ Make _____ Model _____ Style _____ Color _____
License _____ State _____ Vin # _____ Damage \$ _____

NARRATIVE:

(white)
Tall male with long black trench coat, black jeans, dark brown hair/black and he was wearing a black cap. His hair was kind of long and had ~~a~~ curls. ~~skin~~ he was skinny and his shoulders kind of slunched over.

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I further state that I have read the foregoing statement, that I understand the contents and all the facts stated therein are true in substance and in fact.

X Tiffany Lien
(Your signature)

Witnessed by: _____

Arapahoe County Sheriff's Office
5686 South Court Place
Littleton, Colorado 80120

ARAPAHOE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

CR # _____

S T A T E M E N T (continued)

I was sitting outside w/ a friend eating lunch. When a tall male walked down the stairs outside and pulled a gun out and started shooting. I, Tiffany and my friend ~~Tessa~~ ran inside to the bathroom downstairs and hid in the bathroom. Two other students ~~were~~ hid in bathroom w/ us also. The male continued shooting downstairs and shot ~~two~~ three to four shots ^{towards} the bathroom, then we heard the gun shots upstairs and that is when we left the school. The male was very angered ~~and~~ ^{because} every one was pretty much cleared out and he was screaming and yelling "I hate you". not to anyone in particular he was just yelling it.

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INTERVIEW WITH TIFFANY LIEN

DATED 05-03-99

CN2011

7293 South Vance Street
 Littleton, CO 80123
 303-972-6880

INVESTIGATION:

On Monday, May 3, 1999, at about 0900 hours, I went to 7293 South Vance Street, to meet with Tiffany Joe Lien, for the purpose of interviewing her concerning the Columbine High School shooting.

Witness Lien told me that on April 20, 1999, at 7:00 a.m., she arrived at Columbine High School for the purpose of going to her classes. Lien stated that she went to first, second, third and fourth period. Lien stated that her fourth period science class ended at 1110 hours and that she walked immediately to the cafeteria and got her food and went outside. Lien stated that she sat outside on a concrete pad in the south west corner outside the cafeteria. Lien stated that she had lunch with Tesa Nelson. Lien stated that at about 1120 hours, still outside, she sat down and began to eat her lunch. Lien stated that 1122 hours, she heard what she thought to be firecracker noises coming from the west. Lien stated that she observed a gunman come down the steps located on the west side of the cafeteria. Lien stated that the suspect came down to the area just north of the chain link fence by the steps. Lien described gunman number one as a white male, tall, approximately 6'0", 17-18 years of age with dark long curled up brown hair, down the back and over the ears with a black baseball hat worn backwards. A black t-shirt, black jeans and a black trench coat, black combat boots with his pants tucked in and the jacket unbuttoned. Witness Lien stated that the suspect had no gloves, nor mask on. Lien stated that gunman number one carried a black gun, which was larger than a hand gun and was holding it with two hands, describing a hand gun similar to Tech 9. Lien stated that she observed the gun being fired twice, shooting toward the bottom of the stairs. Lien stated she observed Ann Marie Hochhalter get shot in the back, stating that she saw blood coming from Hochhalter's back. Lien also stated that she saw Lance Kirkland get shot in the leg. Lien stated that she

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knows that Kirkland got shot in the leg because she saw blood coming from his leg and Kirkland grabbing his leg.

Lien stated at this time, she and Nelson ran back into the school and into the bathroom located in the cafeteria. Lien stated that she stayed in the bathroom for approximately 40 minutes standing on the toilets, so that the gunman could not see their legs if they came into the bathroom. Lien stated that during the 40 minutes in the bathroom, she could still hear shots being fired in the cafeteria, estimating approximately 20 shots. Lien stated that she also could hear loud banging noises approximately ten in number and that the bathroom was shaking and the sprinklers and the fire alarm had gone off. Lien stated that she could a voice saying, "I hate you." Lien also stated that she heard a voice state, "I am guarding the top of the stairs."

Lien stated that after about forty minutes the gunshots were no longer being heard in the cafeteria, but now they were being heard upstairs. Lien stated that she felt this was the appropriate time to leave and exited the bathroom at which time she saw smoke in the cafeteria and her and Nelson ran out the foreign language hall emergency exit and ran to the seminary located at Pierce and Polk Streets. Lien stated that once at the seminary on Polk and Pierce, students, to include herself, began looking through a 1998 Columbine High School year book, at which time she believes that she observes a photo of [REDACTED] Lien stated at that time she believed gunman number one was [REDACTED] but that now she was not as sure as she was on 04-20-99 Lien stated that she was approximately twenty to twenty-five feet away from gunman number one and looked at him face to face for approximately 25 seconds, frozen in her tracks.

Lien stated that she has not seen Eric Harris since last semester when she sued to see him during second period and that she has never seen Dylan Klebold. Lien stated that during last semester second period, she would see in the cafeteria, approximately "seven of them, three of them wearing trench coats." Lien stated that approximately three of them would always be wearing trench coats.

Lien stated that she believes gunman number one used to be a student at Columbine High School, but has since then dropped out prior to 04-20-99 and that she has seen him in the school before.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Lien said that she left her backpack, described as navy blue Jansport, containing books.

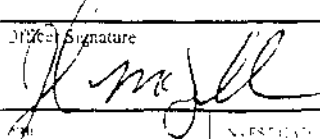
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3-ring binders, her wallet and school ID outside the south cafeteria doors in the concrete area. Prior to concluding the interview, I showed witness Lien two photo line ups which I marked number one and number two on the back of each line up. Witness Lien was unable to identify any of the gunmen on either photo line up and requested that I bring her more line ups if that was possible.

DISPOSITION: I will be contacting witness Lien at 1830 on May 3, 1999 to show her additional line ups. Case open, pending further investigation.

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RE: PHOTO LINE UP WITH TIFFANY LIEN

DATED 05-03-99

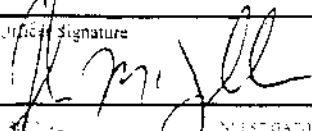
INVESTIGATION:

On 05-03-99, at about 1830 hours, I returned to the residence of Tiffany Lien for the purpose of showing her additional photo line ups concerning the shooting at Columbine High School. Prior to showing Lien any line up, I marked each line up on the back with a number starting with the number three through fourteen. The following occurred reference line ups three through fourteen.

PHOTO LINE UP NUMBER

- 3) No ID
- 4) No ID
- 5) No ID
- 6) Lien stated "I think it's number six." 65 percent sure.
- 7) No ID
- 8) No ID
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- 13) No ID
- 14) No ID

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Witness Lien stated that she remembered that the gunman number had a lot of acne around his mouth and nose area of his face.

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DISPOSITION: Case open, pending further investigation.

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RE: PHOTO LINE UP WITH TIFFANY LIEN

DATED 05-03-99

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DISPOSITION: Case open, pending further investigation.

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Special Agent in Charge Phoenix Field
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Columbine High School Shooting/Bombing

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SUBMITTED BY (Date)

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SA/Denver II

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Robin King

RAC/Denver II

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APPROVED BY (Date)

Christopher P Sadowski

SAC/Denver II

DESCRIPTION OF ACTIVITY:

Interview with Tiffany Lien.

SYNOPSIS:

On 11/4/99, SA Traver contacted Tiffany Lien at her residence, with her parents present. At this time Lien stated that the picture she was shown of Dylan Klebold did look like the individual she saw with a firearm at Columbine High School on 4/20/99

NARRATIVE:

- On 11/4/99, SA Traver contacted Tiffany Lien at her residence located at 7293 S.Vance St. Littleton, Colorado. SA Traver had contacted Lien by phone earlier, and both of her parents were also present.
- At this time, SA Traver went over with Tiffany Lien the previous description of the individual she had witnessed on 4/20/99. Lien had described as a white, male, 6'0", 17 to 18 years old, with dark long curled up brown hair, down the back and over the ears with a black baseball hat worn backwards. A black t-shirt, black jeans, black trench coat, with pants tucked into black boots and jacket unbuttoned. She also remembered him carrying a black colored firearm that was larger than a hand gun, and was holding it with both hands. She also stated that the gunman had bad Acne. She saw the gunman shoot Ann Marie Hochhalter and Lance Kirkland.
- SA Traver then provided photos that had been taken from the cafeteria video camera. After looking at photo #53, from packet A. Frye stated that the image of Dylan Klebold did look like the person he saw shooting people outside of the school on 4/20/99. She stated that the person she had previously believed the shooter to be was [REDACTED]. She stated that the person she saw and [REDACTED] have similar physical characteristics. (In a previous interview, after reviewing a 1998 yearbook, she had believed the shooter to be [REDACTED]). Lien stated that she was familiar with [REDACTED].

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[REDACTED] because she used to see him during her off period. She had never seen Dylan Klebold, which may have caused her to believe the person she saw was [REDACTED]. However after further consideration of the image in the photo, Lien stated that she was certain that the person she saw in Photo#53 from Packet A, was the individual she saw on 4/20/99, shooting students outside the High School.

ATTACHMENTS

None.

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LINDSEY, N

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REVIEWED BY (Name)		REVIEWED BY (Title and Office)	REVIEWED BY (Date)
Robin King		RAC/Denver II	
APPROVED BY (Name)		APPROVED BY (Title and Office)	APPROVED BY (Date)
Christopher P. Sadowski		SAC/Denver II	

DESCRIPTION OF ACTIVITY:

Telephone interview with Nancy Lindsey, a citizen walking in Clement Park at the time of the incident.

SYNOPSIS:

On 6/17/99, SA Traver contacted Nancy Lindsey, who saw a suspicious man in the park at the time of the Columbine incident.

NARRATIVE:

- Lindsey stated that she substitute teaches in Jeffco. Earlier in the day she had subbed at Dear Creek Middle School, she finished there at about 1045. She went to walk around Johnson Lake at Clement Park.
- While walking she was wearing headphones and listening to the radio, that is how she heard about the shooting at Columbine. She stated that she just stood in amazement for about a minute, then when she turned off her radio, she heard three gunshots.
- Then she saw a guy walking over Columbine Hill. This happened about 2 to 3 minutes after she heard the radio report.
- The man was about 50 yards away and looked at her and smiled. He appeared to be in his late teens or early twenties. He was carrying some type of tripod in a canvas encasement, and a gym bag that did not appear to be very full.
- Lindsey did not think anything of it because he was not running just walking.
- Lindsey finished her walk and headed for her car, she wanted to go to Stony Creek elementary school, because that is where he children attend school
- When in the parking lot, two girls came running into the parking lot screaming that someone has a gun and is shooting.

ATTACHMENTS

None.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY
BUREAU OF ALCOHOL, TOBACCO, AND FIREARMS
REPORT OF INVESTIGATION – Continuation Sheet

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ADDITIONAL WITNESS:

LINDSEY, NANCY C., DOB/09-08-51

10084 W. Lake Dr.

Littleton, CO 80127

(303) 973-1279

Work: Substitute teacher at Jefferson County School District

INVESTIGATION:

On 08-03-99, between the hours of 1238 and 1301, I had the opportunity to speak with Nancy Lindsey in reference to the Columbine incident that occurred on 04-20-99.

Nancy was contacted by Special Agent Matthew Traver, who works for the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms. I had contact Nancy to get some additional information in reference to the initial statement that she provided to Special Agent Traver.

Nancy explained that on 04-20-99, she had taught classes as a substitute teacher at Deer Creek Middle School. Nancy left Deer Creek at about 10:45 a.m. and proceeded over to Johnson Lake, which is just to the west of Clement Park. She told me that she parked her van over near Hops Microbrewery which is located at Chanson Plaza. I asked Nancy if she could recall about what time she arrived at Johnson Lake. She told me that it was no later than 11:00 a.m. Nancy started walking around the lake telling me that she had a headset radio on and she was listening to KHOW radio station and it was about 1115 a.m. when the radio station reported that there were two gunmen on the roof at Columbine High School with grenades. Nancy told me that she had just started up the walk path, which is just to the west of Columbine Hill where she stopped in amazement over the news report. After stopping, she turned her radio off and told me that she heard the sound of three gunshots coming in the direction of Columbine High School. I asked Nancy if she could see the high school when she stopped. She told me that due to the fact she was behind Columbine Hill, she could not see the high school and she never looked directly at the high school. While Nancy was facing east toward Columbine Hill, she observed a white male in his late teens, early 20's with brown hair, fair complexion, telling me he was average height, about 5'10", anywhere from 160 to 170 pounds, wearing blue jeans. She stated that the individual was about fifty yards away from her. She made eye contact with him and that he smiled at her. I

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asked Nancy if the individual was carrying anything. She said that in one hand he was carrying a large duffle bag, in the other hand he had a smaller type nylon bag about four feet in length, telling me that she had no idea what was contained inside the bags. I asked Nancy if she ever observed any type of firearm associated with this individual. She stated she did not. I told her that Special Agent Traver had documented in his report that the individual was carrying some type of a tripod and a canvas bag. She told me that she never saw a tripod, she just took it for granted that he was probably a photographer and he had camera equipment inside the bags. Nancy stated that the individual appeared to be walking toward the top of Columbine Hill, at which time Nancy turned and started walking back toward her van. I asked if she could tell me where the individual went. She told me that after she started back toward her van, she lost sight of the individual and has no idea where he went. Nancy was asked if she could provide any additional information reference a clothing description on this party. I specifically asked her if she observed this party wearing a duster or trench coat, dark in color. She told me that she would have remembered that and this individual was not wearing any type of a trench coat. When Nancy returned to her van at about 11:30 a.m. she described seeing two teenage girls run past her van and they were yelling that someone was shooting in the parking at Columbine High School. After Nancy left Johnson Lake, she proceeded over to the McDonald's at Southwest Plaza and then went to Stony Creek Elementary where her children attend school. I again verified at this time with Nancy that she did not observe any firearms associated with the suspicious individual that she described in this report and that after she turned and started walking back toward her van that she lost sight of the individual. Nancy also told me that while she was listening to KHOW that she remembers a second news broadcast which told that authorities were investigating a reported bomb in the area of Kipling Avenue and Chatfield Avenue.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

FBI CASE # 174A-DN-57419. INFORMATION CONTROL # DN-4623

DISPOSITION: Open, pending further investigation.

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COLUMBINE HIGH SCHOOL

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**OUTSIDE
WITNESSES**

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Jeff Case No. 174A-WN-57419

**Denver Police Department
STATEMENT**

Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) <u>Maury Lindsay M</u>		Making Statement is: <input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Witness <input type="checkbox"/> Person advised			
Residence Street Address <u>6553 Euclid Pl</u>		City <u>Littleton</u>	County <u>Jefferson</u>	State <u>CO</u>	Zip Code <u>80123</u>
Residence Phone <u>303-1794-5554</u>	Business Phone <u>1111</u>	Social Security No.		Date of Birth / Serial No. <u>9-23-81</u>	
Business Street Address		City	County	State	Zip Code
Officer Taking Statement <u>Det P Scott</u>	Serial No. <u>68-135</u>	Date <u>4-28-99</u>	Time <u>10:30</u> Hours		
Concerning an incident occurring at: <u>Columbine HS</u>		Location where statement taken: <u>6553 Euclid Pl</u>			

Summary of Statement:

I Arrived At School At About 7:20 AM AND PARKED IN THE JUNIORS PARKING LOT. I HAVE "A" LUNCH AT PERIOD 5 I WALKED DOWN THE STAIRS AND SET MY BACK PACK DOWN BY THE STAIRS TO GET MY CAR KEYS OUT I WENT OUT TO MY CAR AND PUT MY PARKING PASS IN IT. I THEN RETURNED TO THE BENCHES ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE LUNCHROOM AND TALKED TO LONI BROWN MY FRIEND (TALLE #798-3979) I HEARD GUNSHOTS, AT FIRST SLOWLY AND THEN IN RAPID SUCCESSION POSSIBLY 9 SHOTS I HEARD THE GUNFIRE AND SAW ANN MARIE ON THE GROUND SHE HAD BEEN SHOT. I CALLED 911 FROM THE PAY PHONE THERE WERE SEVERAL LARGE EXPLOSIONS COMING FROM THE PARKING LOT THAT I HEARD. I HEARD GUNFIRE & EXPLOSIONS AND OTHER GUNFIRE. I TALKED TO THE 9-11 OPERATOR ANN MARIE WAS SCREAMING "I'M PARALYZED!" I HEARD PEOPLE SCREAMING THEY GOT GUNS PEOPLE STARTED TO RUN PAST ME A COP PULLED UP IN THE PARKING LOT. I HEARD

I have read the foregoing statement and the facts contained therein are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I do not maintain that it contains all of the facts or details of the incident, but only those facts about which I have been asked.

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Maury Lindsay M
Signature of Person Making Statement



Summary of Statement (cont.) More noise's & ran

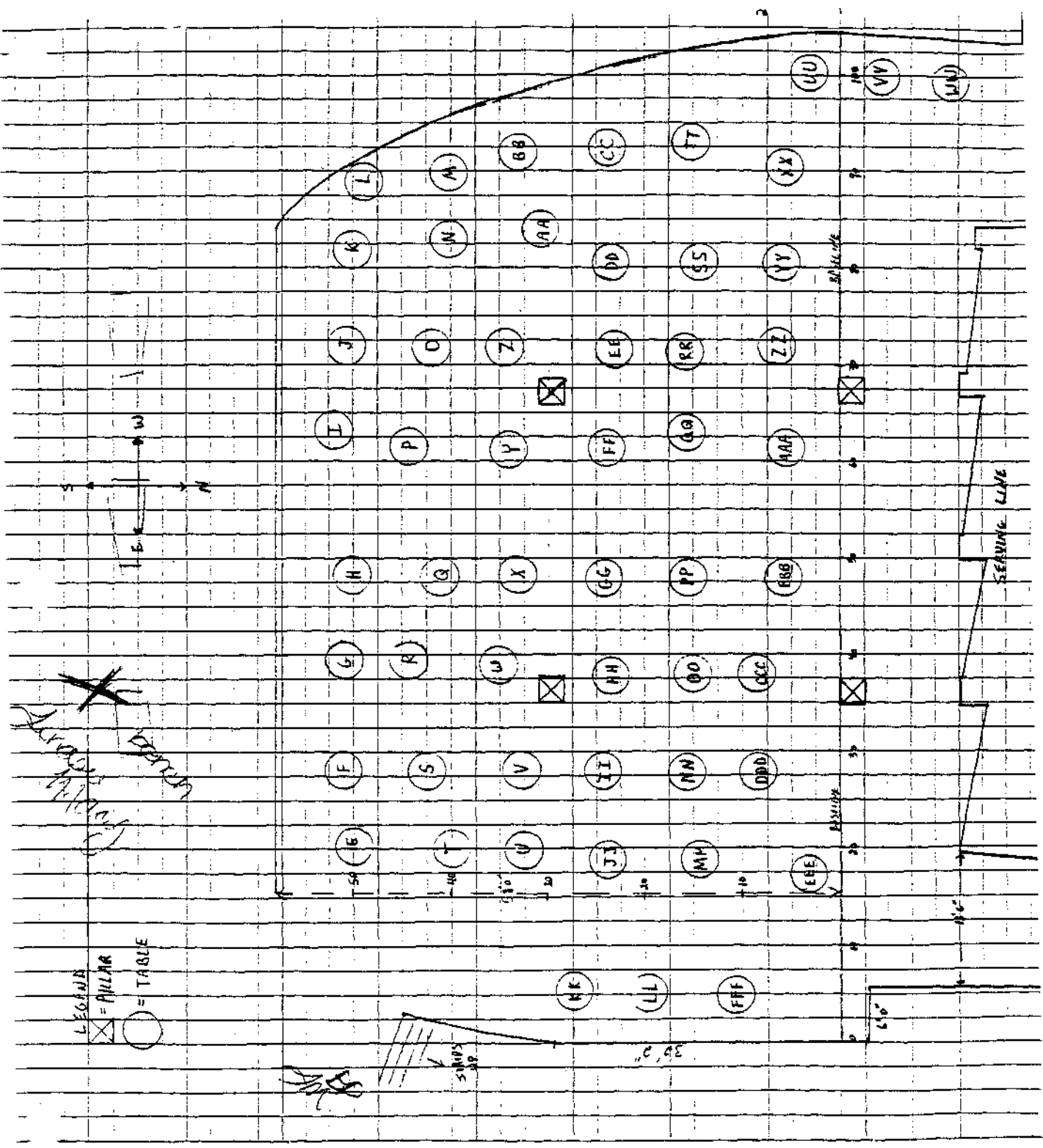
ANN MARIE WAS SCREAMING I'M PARALYZED BEFORE BEFORE
I WENT TO THE PHONE

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Time Statement Completed

Signature of Person Making Statement



4/25/45

MARQUARDT, J

JC-001-000986

LAKWOOD POLICE DEPARTMENT SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT

REPORTING AGENT: KIRK MCINTOSH #1530

LPD CASE NUMBER: 98-38856

CONTROL NUMBER: 1726

JEFFCO CASE NUMBER: 99-7625

CONNECTING CONTROL NUMBER:

DATE OF REPORT: 5/4/99

COLUMBINE TASK FORCE

LEAD SYNOPSIS

[REDACTED]

LEAD NARRATIVE

Jeffrey Dean Marquardt DOB 08/24/81

7701 S. Depew Way, Littleton CO 80123

H-303-973-6351

Columbine Senior

On 4-30-99, Jeff Marquardt returned my calls reference the incident at Columbine. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Marquardt stated that he had known Dylan Kliebold since about the third grade and had played little league baseball on the same team. Marquardt stated that he and Kliebold were never really friends but knew each other. Marquardt was in calculus and bowling class with Kliebold. Marquardt stated that Harris was also in bowling class and believed that Kliebold and Harris were on the same team but was not sure. Marquardt stated that his team had played Kliebold and Harris's team a couple of times but had never had any confrontations. Marquardt stated that he has no interaction with Harris or Kliebold but might say "Hi" in passing, but nothing further. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] stated that he had been a Jeffco Explorer for a time and did not know if Kliebold was aware of that, or if it had any impact.

Marquardt stated that he had went to bowling class the morning of the incident. He had not seen Harris or Kliebold at class the morning of the incident. Marquardt added that he was not even at the school at the time of the incident.

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[Signature] 1282 5-5-99

Approved by: number/date

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Denver Police Department

Metro Gang Task Force

Date: 05-07-99

To: The Jefferson County District Attorneys Office

From: Detective Terry Demmel 78007-Assigned with the Columbine Law Enforcement Task Force

Supplementary Report

Ref: Interview with Columbine Senior student Jeffrey Marquardt DOB 08-24-81

On 05-05-99 at 7:40 P.M. Detective Terry Demmel, assigned with the Columbine Law Enforcement Task Force, contacted Columbine Senior student Jeffrey Marquardt at his home. Jeffreys grand parents were both present for the interview. Jeff reported that on Tuesday the 20th he had 5th hour lunch and was leaving the schools senior parking lot as a passenger in his friend Chad Laughlins dark green Mitsubishi Galant when they passed Dylan Klebold who was driving in. Jeff stated that Dylan was driving his Black BMW and was wearing his coat that he always wore along with a black baseball cap that was turned around back wards [which is how Dylan always wore it] . They passed him at the location that Jeff marked on the map that is included with this report. Jeff gave the time as approximately 11:14 A.M. stating that it was three or four minutes after they had been released from class at 11:10 A.M. Jeffrey included that his friend Chad waved at Dylan but did not get a reciprocal wave back.

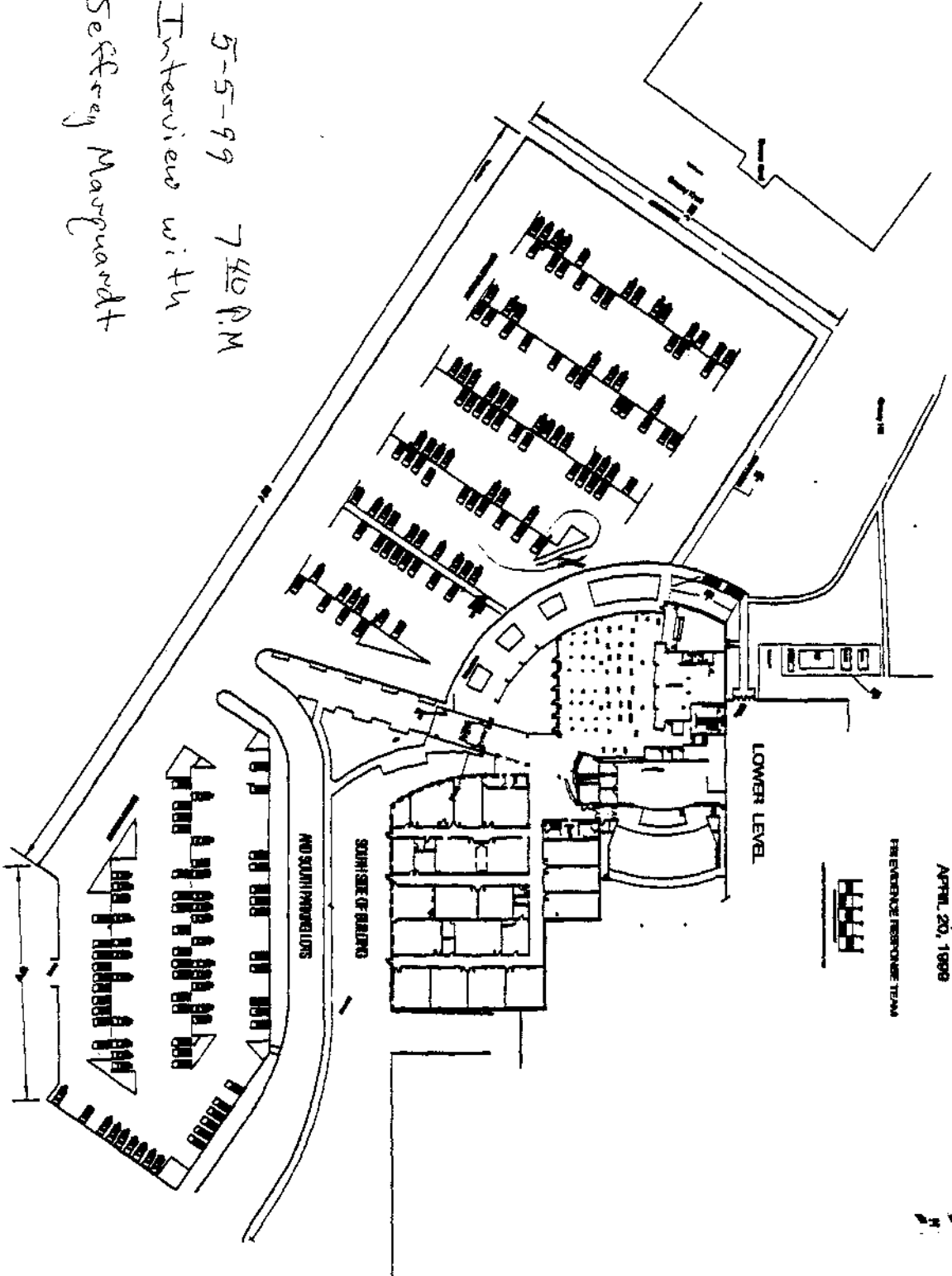
Jeffrey stated that he had known Dylan since he was 10 or 12 years old and had played with him on a little league baseball team. Dylan was in Jeff's 2nd hour Calculus class this semester as well as last semester and Jeff bowled with both Eric Harris and Dylan Klebold in the school bowling class. Jeff stated that Eric would throw the ball out from his chest, not bowl like normal, and thought it was an attempt to draw attention to himself. He stated that when Eric got a strike that he would give a Hiel Hitler salute every time. Jeff also saw Chris Morris do the Hiel Hitler salute a couple of times.

Jeffrey reported that he had noticed a behavioral change in Dylan the prior several weeks before the incident. He stated that Dylan was normally a very good student but had been falling asleep in the 2nd period class each day. The teacher kept threatening to throw him out of class if he fell asleep again but never did. And there were times in that several weeks that Dylan appeared unusually hyper and full of energy.

Jeff and his friend Chad went to Chad's house to play pool when Chad's mother called telling them not to go back to school as news reports were that a shooting was taking place.

Jeff described himself as an acquaintance of both Eric and Dylan but did not consider them to be good friends. He had not heard any rumors in school or anything that would have given an indication of what would happen that day.

5-5-99 7:40 P.M.
Interview with
Sergey Marguardt



COLUMBINE HIGH SCHOOL
8201 S. PIERCE
LITTLETON, CO 80123
APRIL 20, 1999



FBI EVIDENCE RESPONSE TEAM

MARTON, A.

JC-001-000991

INFORMATION CONTROL

CONTINUATION SHEET

CONTROL NUMBER: 1533

Check one: Narrative Lead Disposition

MARTON ADVISED AT ABOUT 11:21 AM HEARD SHOTS AND SAW A CLOUD OF SMOKE AT THE SW CORNER OF THE SENIOR PARKING LOT.

MARTON ADVISED DAD GARDNER DROVE TO SW CORNER OF LOT AND THEY GOT OUT AND TOOK COVER BY A WHITE BLAZER.

MARTON SAID HE COULD HEAR SHOOTING IN LIBRARY TO INCLUDE WINDOWS BREAKING AND GUN FLASHING.

MARTON SAID DAD GARDNER TOLD HIM THERE WERE BODIES BY THE WEST ENTRANCE.

MARTON SAID HE SAW THE GUNMAN COME OUT THE WEST DOORS (UPPER LEVEL) BY LIBRARY AND DESCRIBED HIM AS FOLLOWS. WHITE, MALE, 15-17 YRS OLD, 5-7-5-8 - THIN BUILD, WEARING A WHITE TEE SHIRT, BLACK LONG SLEEVE (UNKNOWN TYPE) SHIRT (UNKNOWN TYPE) (MID THICK LENGTH), LT BLUE PANTS, BLACK SHOES (UNKNOWN TYPE), CARRYING A LONG RIFLE (RT SIDE) (HIP LEVEL), WALKING WEST ON THE SIDEWALK (WEST ENTRANCE), SHOOTING RANDOMLY TOWARDS STUDENTS IN THE SENIOR LOT.

MARTON SAID THAT DAD GARDNER FIRED ABOUT 4 TIMES AT THE GUNMAN WHILE ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE SCHOOL.

MARTON SAID THE GUNMAN STARTED HAVING PROBLEMS WITH HIS GUN AFTER DAD GARDNER FIRED AT HIM. MARTON SAID THE GUNMAN THEN RETRACTED BACK IN THE WEST ENTRANCE, WORKING ON HIS GUN.

MARTON SAID THE GUNMAN THEN STARTED SHOOTING AGAIN HITTING THE VEHICLE THEY WERE USING FOR COVER.

MARTON SAID THE GUNMAN FIRED FROM THE BETWEEN THE WEST DOORS.

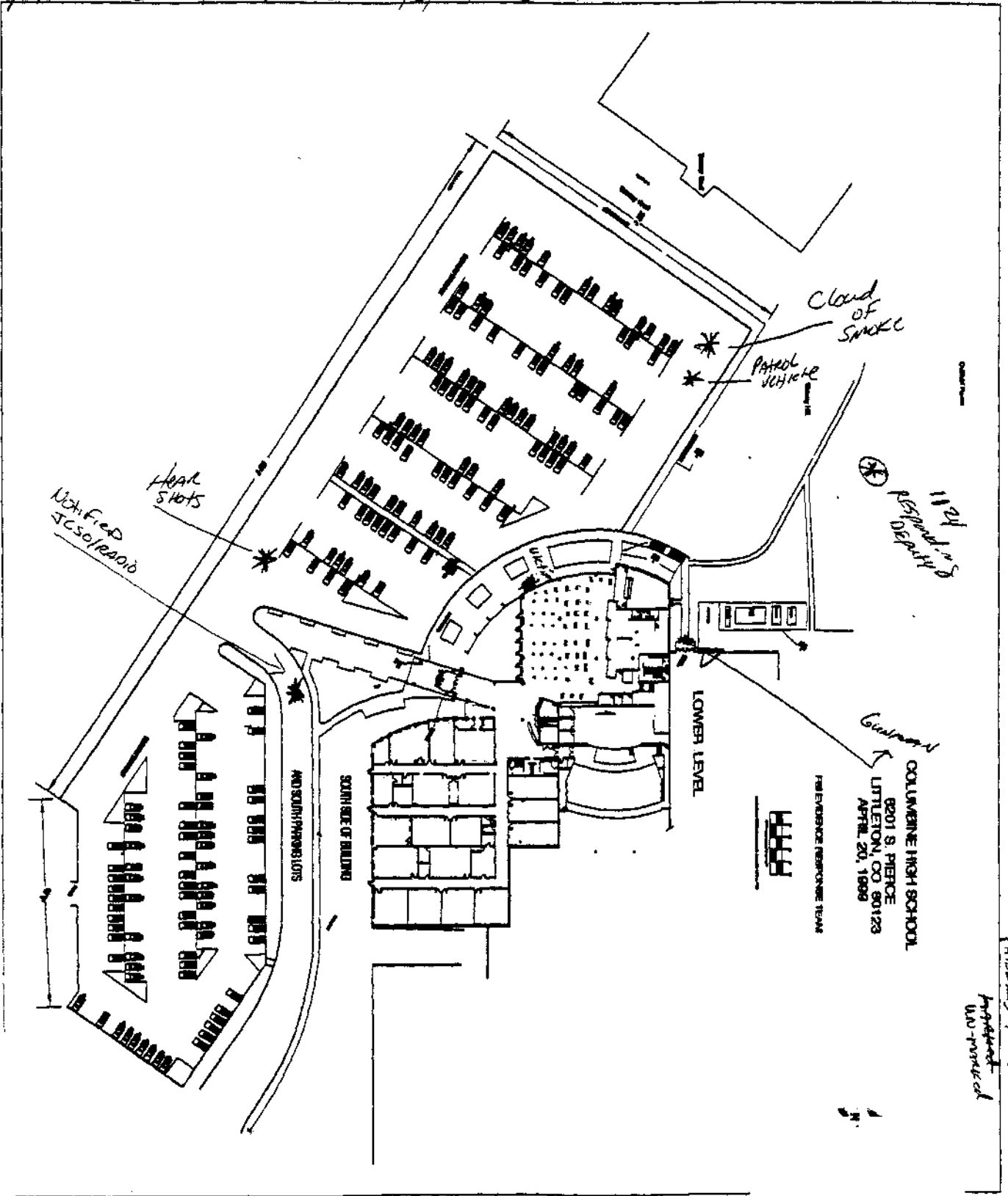
MARTON SAID THE GUNMAN WENT BACK INSIDE & GUN FIRE STOPPED FROM LIBRARY.

MARTON SAID THE GUNMAN'S FIRE STOPPED AT ABOUT 12:15 PM.

REPORT TO FOLLOW.

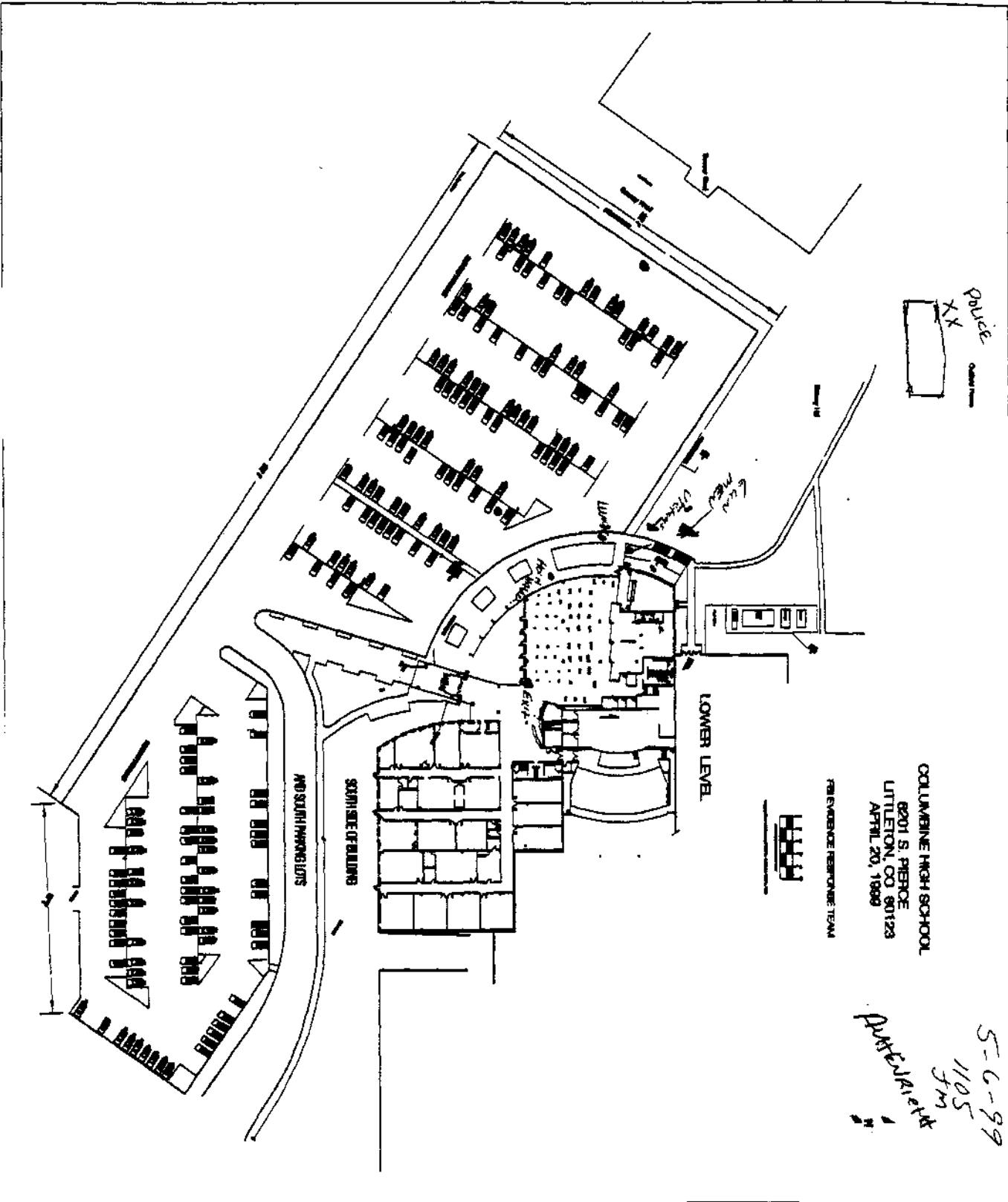
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COLUMBINE HIGH SCHOOL
 8201 S. PIERCE
 LITTLETON, CO 80123
 APRIL 20, 1999

FBI EVIDENCE RESPONSE TEAM



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INTERVIEW WITH ANDREW SCOTT MARTON, DOB/05-03-69
ADDRESS: 3354 SOUTH FLOWER STREET, #88, LAKEWOOD, CO 80227
PHONE: (303)987-1004

INVESTIGATION:

On Friday, 05-06-99, I interviewed Andrew Marton on follow-up of the Columbine High School shooting, control #1533.

I arrived at Marton's residence at approximately 1000 hours, and began the interview. Marton explained that his title at Columbine High School was Campus Supervisor, and that his responsibilities at Columbine High School were to be visible, and maintain order in the school, excluding criminal violations. Marton stated that his position at the school is plain clothes, non-armed, non-certified position, and that he has been at Columbine High School for approximately one year, beginning in the Fall of 1998.

Marton said on 04-20-99, Tuesday morning, he started work at 0700 hours. Marton stated he entered the school through the Art room to his office, room #ADM-6. Marton stated he immediately went to the surveillance camera, videotapes, and pulled the tapes, replacing them with new ones. Marton stated that daily he would take the tapes out in the morning and replace them with the prior week's tapes. Marton stated videotape cassettes were only kept for one week, and then taped over. Marton said there are timers on the surveillance cameras that started at 1700 hours, through 0600 hours. Marton stated there was a camera for the Library which faced out, one facing the Principal's Office door, and one in the area of Science #3 which viewed the rear commons area.

Marton stated that after completing his duties with replacing the tapes, that he went on his rounds throughout the school, and at approximately 1100 hours, he and Deputy Gardner went to Subway at Coalmine and Pierce to purchase their lunches. Marton stated they returned back to the school and parked on the north side of the school facing north, and ate their lunch. Marton stated while they ate their lunch, they watched the student smokers. Marton stated after they finished their lunch at approximately 1118 hours, that the custodian called them via the school radio, and that the custodian, Jay, advised Deputy Gardner or Marton needed to return to the building, to which they advised they were on their way. Marton estimates the time as approximately 1118 to 1120.

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hours. Marton stated approximately five seconds later, Peter Horvath, called them via the radio, and advised Deputy Gardner and Marton that there has been an explosion. Marton stated at this time they were driving in front of the school entering the south parking area. Marton then advised over the JCSO radio, Dispatch advised that a female student was down in the student parking lot. Marton advised the dispatcher continued to state that shots were being fired. Marton stated he noticed students running away from the commons area. Marton stated they went into the Senior parking lot at approximately 1121 hours, and heard shots. Marton stated he observed a cloud of smoke in the southwest corner of the parking lot. Marton also stated that he could hear the gunfire coming from the area of the Library in their direction. Marton stated the gunshots appeared to be from a shotgun and a smaller caliber type weapon. Marton stated Deputy Gardner drove his vehicle to the southwest corner of the parking lot, and advised the dispatcher (Code 33). Marton advised that Deputy Gardner parked the patrol vehicle in the southwest corner of the Senior parking lot and got out, and positioned himself alongside a white Blazer to take cover. Marton stated he followed Deputy Gardner, hiding just to the rear of Deputy Gardner. Marton stated at this time, he was hearing gunshots in the Library, and observed gun flashes and windows breaking. Marton stated he observed a lot of backpacks on the west side of the cafeteria. Marton stated at approximately 1124 hours, responding deputies responded to the west side of the school. Marton stated the responding deputies were approximately 100 yards west of the west entrance to the school. Marton stated he was advised by Deputy Gardner that Deputy Gardner could see bodies by the west entrance.

Marton stated he observed the gunman come out of the west doors upper level. Marton described the gunman as a white male, 15 to 17 years of age, approximately 5'07" to 5'08", thin build, wearing a black baseball hat (backwards), a white t-shirt, a black long sleeved button down shirt (unbuttoned), which was approximately down to his thigh, light blue pants, black shoes (unknown type), carrying a long rifle on his right side hip level, walking west up the sidewalk from the west doors, shooting randomly at students in the Senior parking lot. Marton stated Deputy Gardner shot at the gunman located on the west side, approximately four times with his service revolver. Marton stated Deputy Gardner told him that he might have hit the gunman. Marton said after Deputy Gardner told him this, he observed the gunman having problems with his gun. Marton stated he then saw the gunman go between the sets of doors on the west side of the building and begin working on his gun. Marton stated after a short period of time, the gunman again started shooting at he and Deputy Gardner. Marton stated the gunman fired approximately four or five shots, two of which hit the car they were hiding behind in the windshield. Marton stated the gunman did so by shooting from behind the door through the broken glass. Marton stated again, Deputy Gardner fired approximately four shots towards

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the gunman located in the west doors. Marton stated he also observed the two responding deputies just west of the west entrance firing at the gunman also. Marton stated that the gunman then went into the building and out of his sight. Marton said after about 15 or 20 seconds, after the gunman retreated from the west doors, the windows in the Library began to break out. Marton stated again that him and Deputy Marton were taking gunfire from the Library. Marton estimated approximately 6 to 8 shots, by what he described as a gunshot and two from a rifle.

Marton stated the above activities occurred within five minutes.

Marton said while still taking cover behind the white Blazer, he received a call via the radio from John Curtis, custodian, Jay and Tony, who were located in the cafeteria office. Marton advised the above individuals to stay in the kitchen and lock themselves in somewhere. Marton stated that it was quiet for a while and they could hear no gunfire. Marton stated one to two minutes later, he heard what he described as a bomb going off in the cafeteria. Marton stated the explosion was loud, and the ground shook. Marton stated he could observe a small fire in the cafeteria, describing it 8' by 10'. Marton stated he also heard explosions in the distance, believing they were coming from the west side interior of the school. Marton stated he observed deputies, SWAT Team members, and a fire truck rescuing injured people. Marton stated while looking up to the Library from where he was, he believed he could see what appeared to be another gunman, describing him taller than gunman #1.

Marton stated he observed the gunman, described above, for approximately 20 seconds, and that he could not I/D the individual other than described above. Marton stated he believes he heard a total of four to five explosions inside the school. Marton stated while maintaining cover outside behind the white Blazer in the Senior parking lot, that he heard approximately six to seven shots inside the Library. Marton stated he believes the shooting inside the school stopped at approximately 1215 hours. Marton stated while in the Senior parking lot, he observed what he described as a white male with a bright shirt on, on the roof, believed to be an employee of the school or a contractor. Marton stated rescues of the injured occurred approximately 45 to 50 minutes after the incident began. Marton stated he did observe a male student exiting the lower level of the cafeteria by the service door, grab his leg as he exited the door, and exited into the parking lot, believing that this individual had been shot. Marton stated he believes that he and Deputy Gardner stayed in that same position until approximately 1500 hours, when they were advised to contact the command post in person to assist SWAT Team members with information.

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Marton stated he remembers seeing four to five propane tanks in the cafeteria behind the cafeteria line on a metal shelf. Marton said it is unknown the purpose for these propane tanks. Marton stated he was approximately 160 to 165 feet away from the gunmen, and would be unable to make a positive identification of the gunmen.

During the interview of Marton, I asked him to show me on a map of the school the locations discussed above. (Attached)

DISPOSITION: Case open, pending further investigation.

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SUPPLEMENT

Reporting Agency **JCSO**

Reporting Officer **WIGANT, S.K.**

Case Report No. **94-1625**

Connecting Case Report No.

Victim Name Original Report

Date This Report **08 04 99**

Classification **1st MURDER**

Offense Status: Open
Cleared by Arrest

Exceptionally Cleared
Unfounded

Recommend Case: Review
Closure

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WITNESS:

CARRIE JANELE McCORMACK - DOB 5-10-81
ADDRESS - 4520 S. KING ST. ENGLEWOOD, CO. 80110 (RECENTLY MOVED)
PHONE: CELL # 303-355-7244 - NEW # WILL BE 303 738-0230
EMPLOYER - CRA BONITA - JCFS SHOPPING CENTER, DENVER, CO.
STUDENT: COLUMBINE HIGH SCHOOL

INVESTIGATION:

On 08 04 99 I CONDUCTED A TELEPHONE INTERVIEW WITH **CARRIE JANELE McCORMACK**. McCORMACK REPORTED THAT SHE HAD NOT BEEN INTERVIEWED BY POLICE UNTIL THIS DATE (REGARDING THE COLUMBINE HIGH SCHOOL SHOOTING).

McCORMACK REPORTED THAT SHE WAS AT SCHOOL ON 04 20 99, AND WAS SUPPOSED TO BE IN "MR. ANDRES CHOIR CLASS, HOWEVER SHE WAS "DITCHING". SHE REPORTED THAT SHE AND TWO FRIENDS, **TEREA OLSEBEE** AND **LIZ (LNU)** ALL IN CHOIR CLASS, WENT OUT FOR THE FIRST PART OF CHOIR CLASS. SHE SAID THAT THE CLASS HAD NEARLY 100 STUDENTS IN IT AND THAT MR. ANDRES WOULD NOT NOTICE HER OR HER FRIENDS BEING LATE.

SHE AND HER FRIENDS LEFT FOR THE STUDENT PARKING LOT AT ABOUT 11:05 HOURS (OR LOT). THEY ALL THREE GOT INTO HER CAR AND BEGAN TO DRIVE OUT OF LOT. AS McCORMACK WAS TURNING RT. DUND PIERCE ST., SHE HEARD WHAT SHE BELIEVES TO BE GUN SHOTS. SHE SAID THEY WERE LOUD AND WERE "FAST". SHE THEN DROVE DIRECTLY SOUTH TO THE "MORMON" MOOSE AND PARKED HER CAR, SHE AND HER FRIENDS WENT IN AND WAITED AND WATCHED. SHE SAW STUDENTS RUNNING OUT OF THE SCHOOL, LIKE "MAYHEM".

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