

When  
Reading  
My  
Statement

He told me

to Answer  
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have  
Answered.

(Witness excused)

MS. FISK: Commonwealth calls  
Detective Perks, Your Honor.

I only have one copy of the state-  
ment, may I hand it over to counsel?

THE COURT: Sure.

MS. FISK: I'll read.

DETECTIVE THOMAS PERKS, badge  
number 9195, Homicide Division,  
Philadelphia Police Department, having  
been duly sworn, was examined and  
testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION

BY MS. FISK:

Q Detective Perks, on the 22nd of March of this  
year, did you have occasion to conduct an interview  
with this defendant Annfm Evans?

When You Read, if things  
Sound stupid that's because  
I did not give the right answer  
So Read between the lines

He told  
me  
if I made  
the kids  
take the  
stand  
he would  
make  
sure  
I would  
be on  
Death  
Row

A Yes, ma'am.

Q Were you interviewing with him with regard to the discover of Roseann Young and Pamela Blue inside of 146 North Millick Street in Philadelphia?

A Yes, ma'am.

Q Prior to your interview with Mr. Evans, Detective, did you advise him that he had the right to remain silent and a right to an attorney and gave him all of his standard warnings with regard those Miranda rights?

A Yes, ma'am.

Q And did Mr. Evans advise you that he was willing to waive those rights and give a statement?

A Yes.

Q Was the statement which you took from Mr. Evans then recorded in your handwriting on a document?

A Yes, ma'am.

Q And do you have the original of that document before you?

A Yes, ma'am.

MS. FISK: Your Honor, I would ask at the conclusion of this

hearing that a photocopy be shown  
to the detective and photocopy be  
marked for purposes of the record,  
if I may?

THE COURT: Okay.

BY MS. FISK:

Q Utilizing the original statement that you gave  
before you, Detective, beginning with the first question  
you asked Mr. Evans, and I don't mean with regard to  
the warnings, but with regard to the substantive state-  
ment that you took from Mr. Evans on March 22, would  
you please tell the court the questions you asked of  
Mr. Evans and the answers that he gave you?

A Question. My name is Detective  
Thomas Perks, and my badge number 9195, assigned to  
the Homicide Division.

I have informed you in our  
conversation that you are a suspect in the sole murder  
of Pamela Blue and Roseann Young.

You have indicated to me that  
you want to make a statement; is that correct?

Answer. Yes.

Question. Are you under the influence of alcohol or drugs?

Answer. No.

*I WAS I said yes*

Question. Can you read and write the English language?

Answer. Yes.

Question. Are you known by any other name?

*I said no/ He asked over and over*

Answer. Caryl.

Question. What is your relationship to Roseann Young?

Answer. Friend. I have known her about four months.

Question. What is your relationship to Pamela Blue?

Answer. Friend. I have known her about the same time.

Question. Earlier the police found you inside 146 North Millick Street, during this time two bodies were found inside identified as

Pamela Blue and Roseann Young.

Tell me in your own words what you know about the deaths.

Answer. Yes. They passed away today.

Question. What time did you go to 146 North Millick Street?

Answer. \* It was after midnight, Saturday, I think it was around 3 o'clock. I knocked on the door, Roseann answered.

*I told him I did not know / he said go on*

She said, what did I tell you about coming by this late at night. She let me in.

She was getting on me about stopping by this late. She was teasing me about Nicole and that I stopped by when you want something.

Question. What was she referring to you, when you want something?

Answer. Sex, money, whatever. She told me to go back to Nicole.

Question. Who is Nicole?

Answer. My girl friend. Her

*I did not say none of this*

name is Nicole Skeeters.

Question. Why did you go to Roseann's house?

Answer. Went by for some sex.

Question. Had you had sex with her before?

Answer. Yes, one time before.

Question. When were you last at her house?

Answer. Two to three weeks ago. I was in her house and I used the bathroom. I heard a knock on the front door. *Some guy was calling.*

She told me to go upstairs. *How can I go up stairs when I was up there*  
 She said, stay up there until he leaves.

I heard her arguing, she said she did not want to be bothered.

She said she was going down to her grandmother's to call the cops, and she left.

I heard the door shut.

Question. Where were you at this time?

Answer. In the bathroom.

Question. Prior to Roseann leaving, did you have sex with her?

Answer. Yes, the second-floor bedroom. ~~was not in the~~

Question. Did you use a condom when you had sex with her?

Answer. No.

Question. Did you ejaculate inside her?

Answer. Yes.

Question. Did she get dressed after having sex with you?

Answer. Yes. She put on her pajamas.

Question. Did you have sex with her more than one time?

Answer. No.

Question. Do you know her grandmother?

Answer. No.

Question. What kind of clothing was she wearing when you last saw her?

Answer. Pajamas, white with some prints on them.

Question. About what time did she leave to call the cops? *Told him did not know he said guess*

Answer. 3:30 a.m., 4 o'clock a.m.

Q I'm sorry, is that p.m. or a.m.?

A A.M.

Question. Ever see Rose again?

Answer. No.

Question. Were there any children awake when you and Rose were together?

Answer. The kids in her room were asleep, but I don't know about the other kids.

After Rose left, I woke Pam up. Pam was telling me I didn't keep coming around during the night.

Question. How did you go about talking to Pam?

Answer. Knocked on the door, the bedroom door. I told her she was kind of cute. I said, I don't see anything around Rose, Pam said what Rose don't know won't hurt her.

Pam said that I would have to put on a rubber. I put one on, and it broke and put another rubber on and we had sex.

When I pulled out of her I saw the rubber broke.

Question. Where are the rubbers now?

Answer. In her bedroom in an ashtray on a shelf.

Q Is that an answer?

A I'm sorry, that is an answer.

Pam was talking, where was Rose, and I said I did not know. I said I did not know what was taking her so long.

Question. Where did you sleep last night?

Answer. In Pam's room.

Question. What time did you get up?

Answer. About 8:30 a.m., 9 a.m. Pam was still in bed. I went downstairs, got a bowl of cereal. Pam told me she had to go to work soon. She got dressed and went to work.

Question. What was she wearing?

Answer. Gray sweatpants, black shirt.

Question. Did you hear her leave?

Answer. Yes. She left out. She left out and I found the back door open.

Question. Did you ever see Pam again alive?

Answer. No.

Question. Are you aware of anyone calling the house?

Answer. I did not hear the phone ring.

Question. Did you hear anyone

Q. Knocking at the front door?

A. Yes.

Q. Did you see who was knocking on the front door?

A. No.

Q. Why not?

A. Pam told me and the kids to stay in the room. She told me to answer the door.

Q. When did you become aware of the two bodies in the house?

A. I only knew about one, Rose, that was the one that was when the police came. That is when the boys' father took the clothes off of her.

Q. Did you ever go down to the basement?

A. No.

Q. Did you ever leave this house?

A. No.

Q. Why did you stay?

Why did you stay in this house  
for as long as you did?

Answer. Waiting for Pam or Rose  
to get back home.

Question. In which room did  
have sex with Rose?

Answer. Second-floor front  
bedroom.

Question. Which room was Pam  
in when you woke her up?

Answer. Second-floor rear bed-  
room.

Question. What time did Pam go  
to work?

Answer. She said she had to be

in work at 12, *look At the time*  
10 a.m.

Question. What door did she

leave the house?

Answer. I think she left out

the back door. I found it open, not wide open.

Question. Do you know what time you heard the knocks at the front door?

Answer. After Pam left.

Question. How many times did you hear knocks at the front door?

Answer. Four to five.

That concludes his statement which is 11 pages.

All pages were read and signed by the defendant.

Q Also, there appears to be some handwritten additions?

A That is correct.

Q Was the defendant given an opportunity to view the statement?

A Yes.

Q On page 4 of the statement, just above the last formal answer it appears to be something in a different handwriting.

A After, or during the time that the defendant

reviewed the statement, he added in the statement itself, and I will go back and read what initially was said.

The question was: When were you last at her house?

Answer. About two to three weeks ago. I was in her house and I used the bathroom.

He added at that point in time, I went in the bathroom when a knock at the door.

Q That is in the defendant's handwriting?

A That is in his handwriting initialed by him.

Q Again, on page B, there is a handwritten addition where the question is:

Did you hear her leave? referring to Pamela, and the answer is, yes.

Was it the handwritten addition?

A I see it.

Did you hear her leave?

The answer was: Yes.

He added in there in his hand, leave the room, I can't make out the last two words, but he initialed them.

Q: And this is the entire statement that was taken from the defendant?

A: Yes.

MS. FISK: Your Honor, may I simply hand a photocopy of the statement to the detective for identification purposes?

THE COURT: Go ahead.

BY MS. FISK:

Q: Would you tell us whether the photocopy is an accurate photocopy of the original that you just read?

A: Yes, ma'am.

MS. FISK: I would ask that the photocopy be marked C-1, Your Honor, and I have no further questions.

THE COURT: Any questions?

MR. GILLISON: No questions.

THE COURT: You can step down. Give the photocopy to the court reporter.

(Witness excused)

MS. FISK: Move for admission into evidence C-1 and rest for this hearing, Your Honor.

MR. GILLISON: Defense rests. We only have argument as to two charges.

THE COURT: Go ahead.

MR. GILLISON: Your Honor, there is no evidence of rape and there is no evidence of PIC and I would ask that those two charges be dismissed.

MS. FISK: I have no argument with regard to PIC.

I do have argument with regard to rape.

THE COURT: What is the argument?

MS. FISK: The argument is that the defendant, for purposes of the preliminary hearing, one needs to show beyond a prima facie case that

a crime has been committed, and likely that the defendant committed it.

The crime of rape was committed when there was force used in the course of having intercourse with an individual.

*was  
not  
used*

The defendant through his admission had sex with both of these women, both of these women are killed during the period of time that the defendant was the sole adult, was the sole exclusive person obviously having intercourse with those persons.

One was strangled and the other was asphyxiated.

At a prima facie level, one may infer from the totality of the circumstances that that was a forcible act and it was not a voluntary act and I will ask therefore that he be held for court on rape because

it's apparent from the circumstantial evidence and from the totality of the evidence that that act of sex with both of these women was against their will resulting in their deaths.

MR. GILLISON: There is no evidence of that whatsoever.

There is not even a shred of evidence other than the evidence to the contrary which is the evidence that you have heard from the statement that says both acts were consensual.

The Commonwealth's theory of trying to bootstrap the rape and where there is none, I think is fanciful, but it doesn't meet the burden of a prima facie case of rape.

MS. FISK: It's hardly a theory; they both end up dead after they have sex with the defendant.

MR. GILLISON: But you don't know -- I'm sorry, Your Honor.

MS. FISK: One may infer that it was forcible against their wishes, and that is what resulted in their deaths.

THE COURT: One may infer, but maybe a trier of fact, but we'll take the inference at this point in time.

I'll discharge PIC on both transcripts.

Hold Mr. Evans on the remaining charges and give him an arraignment date of May 22, 1997, in room 604 of this building at 9 a.m.

Mr. Evans is held without bail.

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(Hearing concluded)

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