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Route To

Groups: **HOMICIDE**
 People:



Arrest and Booking Report
Jacksonville Sheriff's Office
 Jacksonville, Florida
ADULT
BURNS, JERRY ALLEN

Year: 2019 Incident #: 326570	Amend #:
Previous Juvenile Jail Number:	
Jail #: 2019015129 Admitted: 05/31/2019 18:13 File Direct: YES	
JSO ID#: 831204 Court: Circuit	
SSN:	OBTS #: 1607024895

Incident Information

Incident Location

8847 DORIS LN
JACKSONVILLE, FL 32220
 Sub-sector: **O2** TAZ: **257**

Arrest Location

501 BAY ST E
JACKSONVILLE, FL 32202
 Sub-sector: **A3** TAZ: **97**

Arresting Agency: **JACKSONVILLE SHERIFF'S OFFICE** Day/Date/Time Arrested: **Friday, 05/31/2019 16:30**
 Day/Date/Time Incident From: **Thursday, 05/09/2019 13:20** To: **Thursday, 05/09/2019 13:20**
 Offense Location Type: **RESIDENCE-HOME**

Miscellaneous

Interviewed By: **K.N. MATTHEWS (#6342)**
 Drug Activity: **NOT APPLICABLE** Drug Type: **UNKNOWN**
 Arrest Made On: **CALL** Is Incident Gang Related?: **NO** Was Hate Crime Involved?: **NO** Was Dating Violence Involved?: **NO**

Domestic Violence Related?: **NO** If No, Is it Domestic Related?: **NO** Any Children under 18 Involved as a Victim?: **NO**

Arrestee - BURNS, JERRY ALLEN

Demographics

Race: **WHITE** Sex: **MALE** Date of Birth: **03/30/1969**
 Ethnicity: **NOT OF HISPANIC ORIGIN**
 Primary Language: **English** Secondary Language: **NOT APPLICABLE**
 Age: **50** Height (inches): **5'09"** Weight (lbs): **150 to 160**
 Hair Style: **STRAIGHT** Hair Color: **BROWN** Hair Length: **MEDIUM**
 Build: **THIN** Eye Color: **BROWN** Facial Hair: **UNSHAVEN**
 Complexion: **FAIR / LIGHT** Voice: **NORMAL**
 Clothing/Description:
 Place of Birth: **JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA, UNITED STATES** Place of Birth County: **DUVAL**
 Nicknames: **TOMMY**
 Aliases:

Distinguishing Marks (Scars, Marks, and Tattoos)

Contact Information

Home Phone #: Bus. Phone #: Ext.: Alt. Phone #:
 Cell Phone #: **(904) 545-4205** Cell Phone Provider: **SPRINT**
 Email Address:

Primary Identification

Type of ID Given: **DRIVERS LICENSE** ID: **B652421691100** Issuing State: **FLORIDA**

Agency Identification

JSO ID: **831204** JPICS ID: **1554677**

Home Address

8847 DORIS LN
JACKSONVILLE, FL 32220
 Sub-sector: **O2** TAZ: **257**

Mailing Address

Alternate Address

Employment/School

Employer: **SELF EMPLOYED** Occupation: **ELECTRICIAN**
 Attends School: **UK**
 Country of Citizenship: **UNITED STATES** US Citizen?: **YES** Residence Type: **CITY** Residence Status: **RESIDENT**

Arrest 2019-0326570 (Continued)

ECD Usage:

RTR written related to this incident?: **NO** RTR Incident Yr: RTR Incident #:

Drugs Involved?: **UNKNOWN** Alcohol Involved?: **UNKNOWN** Is Arrestee a Gang member?: **NO** Required to register as a sex offender?: **NO**

Suspect Invoke Miranda?: **YES** Miranda Rights Given?: **YES** Arrestee Confessed?: **NO** Arrestee needs ADA Consideration?: **NO**

Offense(s)

#1 Statute #: **782.04(2)** Degree: **F1** UCR Code: **090A** Attempt Code: **Committed**

MURDER / DANGEROUS ACT EVINCING A DEPRAVED MIND W/O PREMED / 2ND DEG.

Citation #: SA #: Warrant Type: **Not Applicable**

JSO Control #: Warrant/Case #: No. of Counts:

Jurisdiction: **JACKSONVILLE SHERIFF'S OFFICE** Court Location/Div.: Judge:

Purge/Bond Type: Bond Amount: Date of Issue: Date of Return:

VOP/FTA ONLY

Original Statute No: Degree: UCR Code: Attempt Code: **Committed**

Description:

Additional Information

On 05-09-2019, at 1321, patrol units with the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office were dispatched to 8847 Doris Lane in reference to a deceased person.

Upon arrival, the victim (Velvet Burns) was located deceased inside the residence with injuries consistent with a stabbing. The death investigation was later ruled a homicide by the Medical Examiner's Office.

On 05-09-2019, at 1355, I was dispatched to 8847 Doris Lane in reference to the death investigation of Velvet Burns. Upon my arrival, I spoke with 119.071(2)(c). 119.071(2)(c) stated that she was a close friend of the victim. She received a text message from the victim's husband (Jerry Burns / suspect #1) earlier that morning. Jerry asked if she had spoken with the victim that morning. Additionally, Jerry stated that he made multiple attempts to contact the victim, but she was not responding. 119.071(2)(c) stated that it was highly unusual for the victim not to answer her phone and that both she and Jerry were concerned. 119.071(2)(c) made multiple attempts throughout the morning to contact the victim, but all attempts failed.

Around 1230, 119.071(2)(c) drove to the victim's residence to check on the victim. While she was enroute, 119.071(2)(c) called Jerry and informed him that she would contact him once she arrived at the residence. At 1310, 119.071(2)(c) arrived at 8847 Dorris Lane. Upon her arrival, 119.071(2)(c) saw that the back gate and rear door to the residence were open. She called Jerry and told him that something was wrong. Jerry informed her that he was on his way to the residence from Tallahassee.

119.071(2)(c) stated that she entered the residence and found the victim lying on the master bedroom floor. The victim was deceased and covered in blood. 119.071(2)(c) exited the residence and called 911.

At 1611, I spoke with Jerry Burns, who was on scene. Jerry stated that he left the residence at 0330 that morning. Additionally Jerry stated that he was an electrician and was driving to Tallahassee that morning for a job. Jerry stated that when he left the residence at 0330, the victim was alive and was looking at Facebook on her cellphone. Before leaving, Jerry told the victim that he would text her once he arrived in Tallahassee.

Jerry arrived in Tallahassee between 0700-0730 and texted the victim at 0830, but the victim did not respond. Jerry stated that he attempted to contact the victim multiple times, but she did not respond. Jerry found this very concerning and contacted Mrs. Strickland.

Jerry stated that he left Tallahassee around 1030 because he was concerned for the safety of the victim. While driving to Jacksonville, he was contacted by 119.071(2)(c) and informed that she located the victim deceased.

During the course of the investigation, it was learned that the victim's cellphone was missing from the residence.

On 05-10-2019, at 1400, I spoke with Jerry a second time. At that time, Jerry informed me that he was involved in an extra marital affair with Amanda Love (suspect #2) 119.071(2)(c)

A search warrant was obtained 119.071(2)(c)

On 05-31-2019, at 0930, I made contact with Amanda Love at 655 West 8th Street (UF Health). Love was transported to 501 East Bay Street and escorted to the Homicide Unit to be interviewed.

Prior to the interview, Love was advised of her Constitutional Rights, to which she stated understanding and was willing to speak with me about the investigation. The entire interview was digitally recorded. The following is a synopsis of our conversation. Refer to DVD for details.

During the interview, 119.071(2)(c) [REDACTED]

On 05-31-2019, at 1225, Jerry Burns arrived at the 501 East Bay Street and was escorted to the Homicide Unit to be interviewed.

Prior to the interview, Burns was advised of his Constitutional Rights and requested his right to counsel.

Both Amanda Love and Jerry Burns were arrested and charge with with the murder of the victim.

Signature

Transported By:

Arresting Officer #1: K.N. MATTHEWS (#6342)
Div/Zone or Unit: INVESTIGATIONS

Approving Supervisor: M.A. MUSSER (#61139)
Arresting Officer #2: N/A
Num of Cases Cleared:

State of Florida, County of Duval

Arresting / Transporting Officer's Signature: _____

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____, 20____, by

Personally Known _____ or Produced Identification _____ Type of Identification produced: _____

Print, Type, or Stamp, Commissioned name of Notary Public

Signature of Notary - State of Florida Certified Law Enforcement Officer or Corrections Officer

Investigation Time #1

Hour(s): 50 Minute(s): 00 Cost Amount: \$2,412.00

CoDefendant #1 - LOVE, AMANDA LEA

Demographics

Race: WHITE Sex: FEMALE Date of Birth: 10/06/1987
Ethnicity: HISPANIC ORIGIN
Age: 31

Contact Information

Home Phone #: Bus. Phone #: Ext.: Alt. Phone #:
Cell Phone #: (904) 888-2424 Cell Phone Provider: SPRINT
Email Address:

Home Address

3802 IMESON RD
JACKSONVILLE, FL 32220
Sub-sector: 01 TAZ: 614

Mailing Address

Victim #1 - BURNS, VELVET FLOYD

Demographics

Race: WHITE Sex: FEMALE Date of Birth: 09/08/1974
Ethnicity: NOT OF HISPANIC ORIGIN
Primary Language: English Secondary Language: NOT APPLICABLE
Age: 44
Clothing/Description:

Contact Information

Home Phone #: Bus. Phone #: Ext.: Alt. Phone #:
Cell Phone #: Marsy's Law Cell Phone Provider: SPRINT
Email Address:

Primary Identification

Type of ID Given: DRIVERS LICENSE ID: Marsy's Law Issuing State: FLORIDA

Home Address

8847 DORIS LN
JACKSONVILLE, FL 32220
Sub-sector: O2 TAZ: 257

Mailing Address

Victim Relationship to Offender: SPOUSE

Victim Notification

Victim want to be notified when the suspect is released from custody: YES
Victim received a VINE Brochure?: YES
Victim understands that if they don't answer the telephone call within 24 hours of the suspect's release, they will receive a written notice: YES

Marsy's Law

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

Mailing Address

[Redacted]

Additional Question(s)

Body Worn Camera Footage

01 Is there Body Worn Camera (BWC) footage for incident?: NO

Jail Information (Back Door)

Date and Time Admitted: 05/31/2019 18:13

Jail Number: 2019015129

Juvenile/Court Clerk #:

Triage Questions

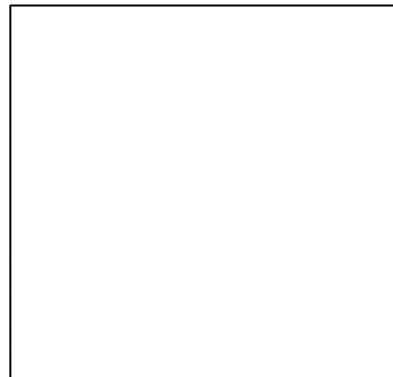
Involved in Traffic Accident?: NO Injuries from Accident?:
Was OC Deployed Prior to/during Arrest?: NO Was a Hobble Restraint used on the Arrestee?: NO
Does the Arrestee Exhibit any Signs of Suicidal Behavior or Attempts?: NO Does the Arrested have any Observable Medical/Mental Health Problems?: NO
Has the Arrestee Shown any Escape Potential or Violence Propensity Behaviors?: NO
Is there any other Information about the Arrestee that Jail Personnel need to Know?: NO
If Yes, What?:

Part II of Arrest And Booking Report:

Arrestee Personal Information: How Long in Jax?

Chemical Test Data				
Specimen:				
Blood	Breath	Urine	Unable	None
Analysis Results:			Refused:	
1st	g/210L	TIME:	Blood:	
2nd	g/210L	TIME:	Breath:	
3rd	g/210L	TIME:	Urine:	
Breath Test Instrument:				
Type:	Machine #:			
Operator Name and ID#:		Date:		

Verification By: _____



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