

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF WASHINGTON COUNTY
STATE OF INDIANA

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VS

CAUSE NO: 88C01-2210-F1- 032

DAWN ELAINE COLEMAN

814 Cotton Street
Shreveport, LA 71101
DOB: 03/11/1982
SSN: XXX-XX-4418

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AMENDED PROBABLE CAUSE AFFIDAVIT FOR ARREST

Indiana State Police Detective Matt Busick affirms that he believes and has good cause to believe on the below date in the County of Washington in the State of Indiana, DAWN ELAINE COLEMAN committed the offense(s) of:

Aiding Murder, a felony
Neglect of a Dependent Resulting in Death, a Level 1 Felony
Obstruction of Justice, a Level 6 Felony

My belief is based upon facts and information constituting probable cause as set forth below:

1. On April 16, 2022, I, Detective Matt Busick, was assigned to lead a Death Investigation in the Pekin area of Washington County, Indiana.
2. On the evening of Saturday, April 16, 2022, Jeffrey Meredith called 911 and reported finding the body of a young black male child in a suitcase in the woods off Holder Road in southeastern Washington County. Meredith stated he was mushroom hunting on his property located on the southside of the road and had crossed over to the property that runs along the northside of Holder Road. Holder Road is a dead-end road; however, the road is not marked as a dead-end.
3. When Meredith saw the suitcase, which was not covered and could be viewed from the roadway, he approached and opened it. Inside he located a pillow on a closed black trash bag. He ripped open the trash bag and found what he described as being a young black male child.
4. Washington County Deputy Matt Hein was the first to arrive at the scene and approached and manipulated the suitcase and trash bag to confirm that it contained the body of a young black male child.
5. I arrived on scene at approximately 9:40 p.m. and was briefed by Sgt. David Mitchell and was walked around to the east side of the scene to view the suitcase.

6. I then spoke with a resident who lives on Holder Road. His residence is covered by video security with one camera focused on the end of his driveway, which also captures a portion of Holder Road below his home closer to the area where the suitcase was discovered. He voluntarily gave us the hard drive to the security system.
7. After the scene was photographed, the suitcase was closed and placed in a bag supplied by the Washington County Coroner. The bag was secured and transported to the Washington County Coroner's Office at approximately 12:10 a.m. on April 17, 2022.
8. On April 19, 2022, an autopsy was conducted of the unidentified male child.
9. On April 19, 2022, Indiana State Police Lab Analysts transported the black trash bags located within the suitcase to the State Police Lab for fingerprint testing and analysis.
10. On June 29, 2022 I was contacted by Mallory Webb, Indiana State Police Forensic Scientist, who stated she had obtained a fingerprint match from two of the trash bags located in the suitcase.
11. The match came back to: Dejaune Ludie Anderson, Georgia Driver's License and Address of 966 Westmoreland Circle NW, Atlanta, GA. 30318-4019; DOB 09/21/1985; SSN: XXX-XX-5779.
12. On July 25, 2022 I was contacted by Mallory Webb, Indiana State Police Forensic Scientist, who stated she had obtained a second fingerprint match from the black trash bag located in the suitcase.
13. The match came back to: Dawn Elaine Coleman; Louisiana Driver's License and Address; 814 Cotton Street, Shreveport, LA 71101; DOB 03/11/1982; SSN: XXX-XX-4418.
14. After receiving confirmation of the first fingerprint match on June 29, 2022, I began to investigate Dejaune Anderson.
15. It was discovered that Dejaune Anderson is the owner of Ashley Logistics Corporation with a listed business address of 1445 Woodmont Lane #2585 Atlanta, GA. 30318.
16. The Georgia Corporations Division lists the registered agent for Ashely Logistics Corporation as Dejaune Anderson with a physical address of 1445 Woodmont Lane 2585, Atlanta, GA 30318. Dejaune Anderson is listed as the CEO, and Child Victim 1 is listed as the Secretary for the business.
17. On March 12, 2022, Dejaune Anderson was arrested by the South Carolina Highway Patrol. Anderson was charged with: Child Endangerment SC 56-5-2947, Speeding over 25 mph SC 56-5-1520, Failure to Stop for Blue Lights SC 58-5-750.
18. South Carolina Highway Patrol attempted to stop Anderson for driving 92 mph in a 60-mph zone. Anderson did not stop and proceeded to lead Troopers on a pursuit lasting approximately 30 miles before she ran out of gas. Anderson was driving a 2019 Dodge

Challenger bearing Georgia plate CSH7991 returning to her business, Ashley Logistics Corporation. In the vehicle with Anderson was Dawn Elaine Coleman, DOB 03/11/1982, and a child that Anderson stated was her 5-year-old son by the name of REDACTED and gave his date of birth at REDACTED. Anderson stated Coleman was her sister.

19. When the vehicle came to a stop neither Anderson nor Coleman listened to commands and would not open the doors. Troopers had to breach the back driver's side window to make entry to the vehicle.
20. Coleman was transported with the child to a Hilton Hotel and given information on how to contact Anderson who was transported to the Colleton County Jail.
21. On March 31, 2022, Dejaune Anderson was arrested by the Louisville Metro Police Department for Robbery – 2nd Degree outside of Von Maur at the Oxmoor Mall located at 7900 Shelbyville Road in Louisville, Jefferson County, Kentucky. The report states that during this incident Anderson was stopped by mall security when she exited the store due to loss prevention witnessing her concealing clothing items in a bag. When stopped, Anderson became violent and punched the security officer in the face.
22. While in custody at the Jefferson County Kentucky Jail, Anderson made two calls to a woman who is believed to be Dawn Coleman. Coleman told Anderson, we are ok and will be staying at her cousin's by the name of Vera.
23. In the course of this investigation, I obtained search warrants for the Facebook accounts utilized by Dejuane Anderson and Dawn Coleman.
24. On or about December 5, 2021, Dejaune Anderson sent the following message on her Facebook account Thesonymichelle with the vanity name Katu Katu:
“My son is name [Child Victim 1]”
25. On or about December 5, 2021, Dejaune Anderson sent the following message on her Facebook account Thesonymichelle with the vanity name Katu Katu:
“I offer
Reversal spell
Protection spell
Activating your DNA
Exorcism
Hex/Curse”
26. On or about January 5, 2022, Dawn Coleman made the following post on her Facebook account ankh.bella.7 with the vanity name Ankh Kek:
“I'm using my blood for this ritual”
27. On or about February 19, 2022, Dejaune Anderson made the following posted the following status on her Facebook account Thesonymichelle with the vanity name Katu Katu:

“Can’t wait to tell my story: I had to raise my frequency, heal myself and past lives, heal my ancestors, heal shit in the universe, heal Gaia to exorcism a very powerful demonic force from within my son. (Had ppl in enough alignment with their soul to assist me.) Still I chose my soul and was able to completely heal myself and remove old paradigms from my mind. I know you can chose your soul with no questions asked.”

28. On or about March 15, 2022, Dejaune Anderson made the following posts on her Facebook account Thesonymichelle with the vanity name Katu Katu:
 - “Stop getting caught up in the vessels of this realm. You guys get caught up with how old the body is, if they adult and kids, etc. Don’t even know it’s a full grown demon in the child body telling you what to do because you didn’t choose your soul. Better start using your 3rd eye.”
29. On or about March 18, 2022, Dejaune Anderson made the following posts on her Facebook account Thesonymichelle with the vanity name Katu Katu:
 - “You have to use your magick for everything. We have transitioned to living in the now. If you still have trauma that is unhealed, you are creating resistance for us that are healed. Fuck with your frequency. Stop this low vibrational movement.”
30. On or about March 18, 2022, Dejaune Anderson made the following posts on her Facebook account Thesonymichelle with the vanity name Katu Katu:
 - “Can’t wait to tell this story”
 - “About that exorcism”
 - “A book about living with a demonic child”
 - “And a podcast”
31. On or about April 4, 2022, Dawn Coleman made the following post on her Facebook account ankh.bella.7 with the vanity name Ankh Kek:
 - “Don’t let the avatars fool you there is a face under it you need to see some have souls some don’t. Evil & wicked is hiding in plain sight must keep rising AK MG.”
32. On or about April 8, 2022, Dawn Coleman made the following post on her Facebook account ankh.bella.7 with the vanity name Ankh Kek:
 - “Just because the avatar is of what we call a child does not mean that it is actually a child there are beings that are here that are not supposed to be here that pick avatars to hide behind to play roles to steal energy and to ruin lives you better check to see if the children that you think are children actually have souls or if they’re not menevolent beings with a soul and in a child Avatar. Magic is real curses are real and there are some very powerful evil beings there that will curse your womb and then some. Nothing is what It seems and we are catering to evil beings in children avatars that aren’t even children. Y’all need to rise most of won’t most will be wiped out because of your demons in this paradigm has no room for that. AK MG.”

33. On or about April 10, 2022, Dawn Coleman made the following comment on her Facebook account ankh.bella.7 with the vanity name Ankh Kek:
“Most of the children aren’t even really children at that just in an avatar playing a character”
34. On or about April 11, 2022, Dejaune Anderson was released from the Jefferson County Kentucky Jail.
35. On or about April 11, 2022, Dejaune Anderson made the following posts on her Facebook account Thesonymichelle with the vanity name Katu Katu:
“Just got out of a jail mission”
“Yes had to do some healing and killing”
36. On April 12, 2022, Dejaune Anderson made the following updated status on her public Twitter account ID @missdejaday with vanity name Miss Deja Day:

“@FrVinceLampert good day sir. I need to speak with you urgently. I have survived the death attacks from my 5-year-old throughout the 5 years he has been alive. I have been able to weaken his powers through our blood. I have his real name and he is 100 years old. Need assistance.”
37. I obtained a search warrant for AT&T for all historical cell phone data from the two cell phone numbers used by Dejaune Anderson and Dawn Coleman. I determined that these two numbers were used by Anderson and Coleman based on prior arrest records, as well as an additional search warrant that I obtained for Hilton Worldwide Holdings regarding their hotel reservations.
38. On April 14, 2022, between approximately 4:30 p.m. to 5:15 p.m., the historical cell tower location data places Anderson and Coleman’s phones in the area of Holder Road, Pekin, Indiana where the suitcase was found with the unidentified child inside.
39. On April 14, 2022, video from the surveillance obtained from the resident of Holder Road, shows a vehicle coming into view on Holder Road, Pekin, Indiana at approximately 4:53 p.m. This vehicle appears to stop on Holder Road in the area where the suitcase was found with the unidentified child inside. The video does not show this vehicle continuing to the dead-end area of Holder Road.
40. On April 15, 2022, Dejaune Anderson, made the following status on her public Facebook Account using the vanity name Katu Katu:
“This is a whole demon in a child body. Why you think she need a cigarette?!! Losing energy huh! 64 years old in a child body.
Was full of gifts and magickal rites stronger than many of you because your frequency not high enough.
Start asking spirit to reveal these things to you hiding behind a body.”
41. On April 16, 2022, the same day police were alerted to the discovery of the suitcase and unidentified child, Dejaune Anderson’s 2019 Dodge Challenger bearing Georgia plate

CSH7991 is captured by RiverLink's camera driving south on I65 over the bridge from Jeffersonville, Indiana to Louisville, Kentucky at approximately 8:16 p.m.

42. A review of Dejaune Anderson's public Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter accounts shows pictures of a boy of approximately 5 years of age that matches the pictures taken of the unidentified child during the autopsy.
43. A review of Dawn Coleman's public Facebook and Instagram accounts shows pictures and videos of her with the same Las Vegas hard sided suitcase that the unidentified male child was discovered in.
44. On July 8, 2022, with assistance from Georgia Bureau of Investigations Agent Dan Sims, we were able to obtain a birth certificate for Child Victim 1 listed under Georgia State File Number 2016GA000111332. Child Victim 1 was born at the Northside Hospital located in Atlanta, Georgia, County of Fulton. Child Victim 1's date of birth is listed as REDACTED, with parents listed as: Mother Dejaune Ludie Anderson (DOB 09/21/1985); Father Vincent Charles Jordan, Jr. (DOB 08/22/1989).
45. Child Victim 1 was five (5) years old in April 2022.
46. On October 14, 2022, felony arrest warrants were issued for Dawn Coleman and Dejaune L. Anderson for charges of Neglect of a Dependent Resulting in Death, a level 1 felony, and Obstruction of Justice, a level 6 felony, in Washington County, State of Indiana.
47. On October 19, 2022, Dawn Coleman was arrested in California on the Washington County, Indiana arrest warrant and taken to the San Francisco Police Department, San Francisco, California for an interview.
48. I, along with Indiana State Police Detective Chris Tucker, interviewed Dawn Coleman at the San Francisco Police Department. The interview was audio and video recorded.
49. During the interview, Dawn Coleman advised that she knew Dejuane Anderson for about a year and traveled with Anderson and Anderson's son, Child Victim 1, through multiple states.
50. Coleman advised that she babysat for Child Victim 1 when Anderson was arrested and held in jail in Louisville, Kentucky and they picked Anderson up from jail in Louisville on April 11, 2022. Coleman further advised that after Anderson got out of jail they stayed at her cousin's house in Louisville.
51. A few days later, Coleman advised that she walked in the bedroom to find Anderson on top of Child Victim 1 who was laying face down on the bed, with his face into the mattress. Coleman stated that "it was already done" when she walked. Coleman further advised that there were trash bags already in the room and Anderson asked Coleman to help put Child Victim 1 in the suitcase. Coleman clarified that the suitcase he was put in was her Las Vegas hard sided suitcase. Coleman zipped up the suitcase with Child

Victim 1 inside and Anderson placed it in the trunk of the same car that they were traveling in.

52. Coleman advised that after they got in the car Anderson told Coleman that she thought Child Victim 1 was something really bad, that he was a 100 year old soul or some old soul that wasn't supposed to be here.
53. Coleman and Anderson traveled to the location where they left the suitcase in the woods. Coleman advised that she carried the Las Vegas hard sided suitcase, with Child Victim 1 inside, into the woods.
54. Coleman clarified that the following things happened on the same day: her witnessing Anderson on top of Child Victim 1 on the bed; her and Anderson placing Child Victim 1's body into the Las Vegas hard sided suitcase; Anderson placing the Las Vegas hard sided suitcase, with Child Victim 1 inside, into the trunk of her car; both her and Anderson traveling together to get rid of the Las Vegas hard sided suitcase, with Child Victim 1 inside; and Coleman carrying this same suitcase into the woods and leaving it.
55. Coleman confirmed that the two AT&T cell phone numbers previously identified by Indiana State Police were the same phone numbers used by her and Anderson in April 2022. On or about April 14, 2022 the historical cell tower location data for Anderson and Coleman's cell phones place them in the area of Holder Road, Pekin, Indiana where the Las Vegas hard sided suitcase, with Child Victim 1 inside, was found approximately two days later on April 16, 2022.
56. All of which gives me probable cause to believe that the crimes of Aiding Murder, a felony, Neglect of a Dependent Resulting in Death, a level 1 felony, and Obstruction of Justice, a level 6 felony, have been committed by **Dawn Coleman**. I make this statement not as a complete statement of the facts, but only to establish probable cause.

AFFIRMATION

The undersigned hereby affirms under the penalties for perjury that the foregoing representations are true to the best of his information, knowledge, and belief.


Det. Matt Busick, Affiant

11-21-2022
Date