

STATEMENT OF PERSON IN CUSTODY

Date September 27, 1988

Time 12:20pm

Statement of Preston Hughes III  
taken in Harris County, Texas.

Prior to making this statement I have been warned by Sgt. D.A. Ferguson

\_\_\_\_\_ the person to whom  
this statement is made, that:

- PH III* 1) I have the right to remain silent and not make any statement at all and any statement I make may and probably will be used against me at my trial;
- PH III* 2) Any statement I make may be used as evidence against me in court;
- PH III* 3) I have the right to have a lawyer present to advise me prior to and during any questioning;
- PH III* 4) If I am unable to employ a lawyer, I have the right to have a lawyer appointed to advise me prior to and during any questioning and;
- PH III* 5) I have the right to terminate the interview at any time.

Prior to and during the making of this statement I knowingly, intelligently and voluntarily waive the rights set out above and make the following voluntary statement:

Earlier this morning I gave a statement to Sgt. Gafford. Some of the things that I told Sgt. Gafford in the written statement was not the complete truth. I am giving this second statement *PH III* to Sgt. Ferguson on my own free will and voluntarily. I was not threaten<sup>PH III</sup> to give this statement.

Everything in the first statement is correct except what happened when I met Shawn on the trail between Fuddruckers and the apt. complex. Shawn did not come up behind me and tap me on the shoulder. I was walking with my dog from from the Lakehurst Apts. toward Fuddruckers on the trail. As I was walking down the trail I saw Shawn walking down the trail from Fuddruckers toward the apt. complex. She was walking with a little boy. I did not know who he was. We then met in the middle of the trail. Shawn spoke first and she told me that she was on the way to my house. I then asked her what for. She told me that she was coming to use my contacts. I told her that she was a damn fool, that she was not wearing my contacts. She then gave me a kiss. She then started rubbing by crotch. She then unbuttoned my jeans. She then pulled her zipper down on her shorts. Shawn then placed my penis in the slit of her vagina. We call that "grinding" if you don't put it in the hole. We did that for about 30 seconds. While we were "grinding" the zipper on her shorts rubbed against the sore on my penis. I then pulled away and buttoned up my jeans. The little boy that was with her was standing next to us.

I then said, "Fuck this shit", because I hurt the sore. She then asked me if I had some money. I told her I keeps money. She then asked me for \$50.00 and I told her no. She then started telling me that she was going to have me arrested for rape. I told her that I never forced her to do nothing with me. She then raised her hand and hit me. I then blocked her with my left hand, I hit her in the throat. She then came back at me with her hand open. She was coming at my face. I had my knife in a sheath on the right side of my pants on my belt. I then pulled my knife and stabbed at her six or eight or ten times. I'm not sure, I just started stabbing. I'm not sure how many times I stabbed her. As I was stabbing her the little boy looked up at me and started crying. He then ran in between us and I stabbed him. I don't know how many times I stabbed him. I stopped and looked at Shawn and she was looking at me. I then put the knife in my sheath and ran home. *PH III* When I got home I looked at the knife to see if there was any blood on it. I did not see any and put it in a box in the closet. I then turned on the TV to see what the score was on the football game. When I got home I also took my clothes off in the bedroom. I then

Preston Hughes III  
Signature of Person Making Statement

[Signature] *PH III*  
Witness 9-27-88

[Signature] *PH III*  
Witness 9-27-88

STATEMENT OF PERSON IN CUSTODY

Date September 27, 1988

Time 1:05pm

Statement of Preston Hughes III  
taken in Harris County, Texas.

Prior to making this statement I have been warned by Sgt. D.A. Ferguson, the person to whom

this statement is made, that:

- PH III* 1) I have the right to remain silent and not make any statement at all and any statement I make may and probably will be used against me at my trial;
- PH II* 2) Any statement I make may be used as evidence against me in court;
- PH III* 3) I have the right to have a lawyer present to advise me prior to and during any questioning;
- PH III* 4) If I am unable to employ a lawyer, I have the right to have a lawyer appointed to advise me prior to and during any questioning and;
- PH III* 5) I have the right to terminate the interview at any time.

Prior to and during the making of this statement I knowingly, intelligently and voluntarily waive the rights set out above and make the following voluntary statement:

went outside to get my dog. I got my dog and then took her back in the apartment. I then went to bed and got woke up about 2:30am by the police.

Last night was the first time that I had seen Shawn since June or July. I first met her back in October of 1987. She used to date my cousin, Shawn Graham. On three different times Shawn came over to my apartment. She came over wearing her two piece bathing suit. This was sometime in May or June because it was hot. She would pull down the top of her swim suit and show me her breasts. She also pulled down her bottom and showed me her vagina. I just touched her on the vagina. We never did have sex. I have never had sex with Shawn.

I had one cigarette while giving this statment. My rights were read to me by Sgt. Ferguson and I understood them.

*[Large handwritten signature of Preston Hughes III]*

*[Handwritten signature of Preston Hughes III]*

Signature of Person Making Statement

*[Handwritten signature of witness]*

Witness

*1:15 pm*  
*9-27-88*

*[Handwritten signature of witness]*

Witness

*1:15 pm*  
*9-27-88*

*READ 1ST LINE OF FIRST PAGE. PH*