

## INTERVIEW WITH [REDACTED]

Q=Det. Joe Nerlinger

A=[REDACTED]

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12 Q: This is Detective Joe Nerlinger. It is Wednesday, August 10, 2022. I am out  
13 with [REDACTED] - do you go by [REDACTED]?

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15 A: I do.

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17 Q: Okay. Uh, we are at [REDACTED] Florence, Kentucky. So that's just  
18 basically the intro that I have to put in. We can forget about that.

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20 A: Okay.

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22 Q: So...

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24 A: Um, [REDACTED] and I married, um, in 1994. Things were really good, um, when we  
25 were dating. Um, he was very attentive, very kind, very generous. We got  
26 married. Pretty much things changed pretty quickly. Um, the - his attitude  
27 changed and I've learned pretty typically that -- from my therapist -- this is  
28 what narcissist do. They rope you in, love bomb -- you're great, you're  
29 perfect. We got married, all of a sudden I couldn't do anything right.

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31 Q: Okay.

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33 A: Um, and I tried to get back to that - that love bomb state. You know, um,  
34 whatever I could do to make him happy again where he would love me like he  
35 did. Um, pretty much withdrew emotionally. Um, no conversations, things  
36 like that. I get pregnant and he starts asking me to have sex with other men.  
37 Now, when I met him I was teaching Sunday school. Um, the pastor's wife  
38 and I had developed a children's worship program.

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40 Q: Mm-hm.

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42 A: I was very active in my church. Pretty innocent. Um, so this concept of him  
43 wanting me to have sex with other men for him was completely foreign. It  
44 scared me to death.  
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46 Q: Mm-hm.  
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48 A: Rejected the idea immensely. Just absolutely no. "Why would you want me to  
49 do that?"  
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51 Q: Right.  
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53 A: "This is terrible. How could you, um, push me to do that?" A little side note. I  
54 had been sexually abused from the time I was six by my stepdad.  
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56 Q: Mm-hm.  
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58 A: Um, pretty much until I was in high school.  
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60 Q: Okay.  
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62 A: So that felt very, um - very much like a betrayal. "How could you ask me to  
63 do something when you knew how I had grown up?" I had trusted him with  
64 that information. Um, and, "Why would you ask me to do get into a situation  
65 where I had been abused?"  
66  
67 Q: Right.  
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69 A: You know, so I can tell you from the point that he started pushing me while I  
70 was pregnant on every time we would be intimate he would bring up me  
71 sleeping with other men.  
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73 Q: Okay.  
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75 A: So it was almost like brainwashing or co- cohesion - coercion. Every single  
76 time.  
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78 Q: Okay.  
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80 A: So I would say, probably in about 2000, um, I had developed (unintelligible) -  
81 probably 2000 - December 2000, I developed an eating disorder. Um, I had  
82 had one previously in high school from the abuse.  
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84 Q: Mm-hm.  
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86 A: And it flared up again. Some of it from my family issue. A lot of it from what  
87 he was asking me to do. The constant pressure, pulling away, the fighting over  
88 it. Um, by that time he had worn me down to having, um - doing sexual acts -  
89 performing sexual acts through a webcam. Those were brand-new at that time.  
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91 Q: Okay.  
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93 A: And humiliating. That was awful. But it - it appealed him, and it allowed him  
94 to connect with me. He was nicer.  
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96 Q: Mm-hm.  
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98 A: That ap- that, like, kind of - okay, good. I can do this without actually - it  
99 makes him happy, he's nicer to me, he's nicer to our children who were, like,  
100 very young -- preschool and toddler. Um...  
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102 Q: So - so when you did that is there, like, a particular site that you would go to?  
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104 A: I don't know. He did that stuff.  
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106 Q: Okay, so you didn't have no clue?  
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108 A: No.  
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110 Q: Okay.  
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112 A: No clue.  
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114 Q: Okay.  
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116 A: Um, and I remember there was a young couple that we had initially done that  
117 with and they broke up because they were doing that stuff.  
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119 Q: Mm-hm.  
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121 A: And I remember saying to him, "We are treading in dangerous water here.  
122 We...  
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124 Q: Mm-hm.  
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126 A: ...Why do you want to do this?" We kept going. Um, and then it got to be  
127 where we would drive to Fort Wayne. We lived in Salina area. We'd drive to  
128 Fort Wayne and he would have me perform oral sex on him so truckers on the  
129 highway - truckers could watch. Different - like, it just kept getting bigger and  
130 bigger and bigger.  
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132 Q: Now what was the point of going to Fort Wayne?  
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134 A: Just to drive on the highway so people could watch...  
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136 Q: Okay.  
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138 A: ...me...  
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140 Q: Okay.  
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142 A: ...do that. Um, another time we were out on a date he pulled into this  
143 apartment complex. "Take off your underwear. We're going to go and have  
144 sex with a guy." Out of the blue and I'm just freaking out. You know?  
145  
146 Q: Where was this at?  
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148 A: Um, we were in Lima. Just things - you know what I mean? Like, the - just  
149 there was this escalation.  
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151 Q: Mm-hm.  
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153 A: Of events. So, in...  
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155 Q: Did you - did you do that?  
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157 A: No. No, and I don't think it was real. I think it was just to see how I would re-  
158 would react.  
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160 Q: Okay.  
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162 A: Then we were getting ready to move in 2012. We were getting ready to move  
163 - no, I'm sorry. In two th- uh, when did we move? I'm sorry. In - we were  
164 getting r- ready to move. It was 2012. We were getting ready to move from  
165 [REDACTED] to [REDACTED], and he had said to me, "I need you to do this or we're gonna  
166 get divorced. I need you to sleep with other men or we're - the marriage is  
167 over." And, I had a seventh-grade daughter and a sophomore in high school. I  
168 had never been allowed to work. I was constantly, "Where are you going?  
169 How are you spending money?" My name was never on the houses. My name  
170 was never on a car.  
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172 Q: Mm-hm.  
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174 A: My name was - I never had access to our bank accounts. I had not worked  
175 since I was in college. I did not get to graduate from college. So I was stuck.  
176 So I agreed. I had terrible shame about that. Um, so that was - that was an  
177 agreement, but there was extreme coercion to do that.  
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179 Q: Right.  
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181 A: Um, the first time that we went to a hotel room - I don't know the exact date,  
182 but President Obama's inauguration was on the TV.  
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184 Q: Mm-hm.  
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186 A: Um, it was as bad as I thought it would be. It was humiliating. Um, there were  
187 times that...  
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189 Q: So, like, he has you go in there? Does he go in with you?  
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191 A: Mm-hm.  
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193 Q: And - and does he just sit in the corner and watch?  
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195 A: Mm-mm. He participates.  
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197 Q: Okay.  
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199 A: Um...  
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201 Q: Was there just one other...  
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203 A: Yeah.  
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205 Q: ...man there?  
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207 A: Yeah.  
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209 Q: Okay. Do you remember the name of this hotel?  
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211 A: I don't.  
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213 Q: Do you know whereabouts it...  
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215 A: I don't.  
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217 Q: You said it was in Mentor?  
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219 A: It was in Mentor. It was in, like, the Cleveland area.  
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221 Q: Okay.  
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223 A: And all of the men that we would find - that he would find for us...  
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225 Q: Mm-hm.

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227 A: He found through Craigslist. Complete strangers.  
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229 Q: Craigslist, okay.  
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231 A: Um, I know that he never got paid for me to do that. He was smart enough -  
232 because he had told me that would be sex trafficking...  
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234 Q: Mm-hm.  
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236 A: ...and prostitution. So we never got paid. He would find businessmen or men  
237 that already had hotel rooms, or there were times that we would go to peoples'  
238 houses. We would go to apartments. That was terrifying. That was the worst.  
239 When we would go to someone's home.  
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241 Q: Right.  
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243 A: We don't know these people. Um, we've been in some really sketchy, scary,  
244 scary situations. I've been hit and spit on. I've been choked. I've been called  
245 terrible names. Um, which was really hard with your husband there. You  
246 know, um, you're supposed to...  
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248 Q: You're supposed to be the protector.  
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250 A: You're supposed to be cherished in your marriage.  
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252 Q: Mm-hm.  
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254 A: And, um, things were - would ramp up. You know, first it would be, "I just  
255 want you to have sex with men." And then it would be couples. And then it  
256 would be women. And then it would be groups of men. And I f- I fought that.  
257 You know what I mean?  
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259 Q: Mm-hm.  
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261 A: I fought that. I lost sometimes and I - and I won sometimes. Um, I was never -  
262 I was never the one to choose these people.  
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264 Q: Mm-hm.  
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266 A: I - I don't know - I never had their phone numbers. I never had their contacts.  
267 Um, there were times that he would send me alone. There were times he  
268 would bring people to the house, send them to the house. Um, with a camera  
269 in the bedroom where he would be at work and would watch. So strangers  
270 would come to the house.

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272 Q: And this is all in [REDACTED]?  
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274 A: In [REDACTED].  
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276 Q: Okay.  
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278 A: And then we continued it in [REDACTED].  
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280 Q: Okay.  
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282 A: Um...  
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284 Q: When did you guys move to [REDACTED] area?  
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286 A: 2017. The summer of June 2017. Um, so, we had a situation where we had  
287 gone to a man's apartment in Lebanon and someone came and was banging on  
288 the door and it was very scary. And I was terrified that he was going to be  
289 exposed as (unintelligible) [REDACTED] Like, you're tr- you are just...  
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291 Q: Mm-hm.  
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293 A: I kept saying to him the - the more bizarre with this behavior, the more risk  
294 you take in being exposed by somebody that is out of control.  
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296 Q: Mm-hm.  
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298 A: And - and it - this is what our children - you know, we're - we - we're risking  
299 being killed and this is the legacy you're going to leave our children, because  
300 detectives are gonna come here and investigate why we are killed in this  
301 stranger's home in Downtown Cleveland in the hood and it's not gonna just -  
302 they're not gonna go, oh they were just visiting. They're gonna want to know  
303 why the [REDACTED] and his wife are in this apartment. So, we were in this  
304 situation where, you know, the guy shoves me in the bathroom and says,  
305 "Don't come out." Because somebody is banging on the door and threatening  
306 to kill him. And I just kept saying, "We gotta get out of this. We gotta get out  
307 of this." He just kept ramping things up in what he wanted. So basically how  
308 we got to where you are here, at one point he had asked me - I have a friend  
309 who has three little boys.  
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311 Q: Okay, do we know when this timeframe was?  
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313 A: This was January of 2019.  
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315 Q: Okay.

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317 A: And sh- this - she's actually, like - okay, so my - my friend, this is her  
318 grandchildren.  
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320 Q: Okay.  
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322 A: And he said I should volunteer to watch the boys so the parents could go out.  
323 Give them sleeping pills, molest them for him and videotape it.'  
324  
325 Q: Okay.  
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327 A: Now I know from my lawyer when I told her - because this was the straw that  
328 broke the camel's back. I had wanted to stay with my husband until my kids  
329 were out of college. And then I knew this is - I can't do this anymore. This is  
330 just - I can't do it.  
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332 Q: Well, now...  
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334 A: When he did this it was, like...  
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336 Q: Right.  
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338 A: I gotta go. I had told my lawyer and she had said, "You can't prosecute  
339 intent." Because he didn't touch the kids. He didn't volun- he didn't babysit.  
340 He didn't do anything wrong. He asked me to do that.  
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342 Q: Mm-hm.  
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344 A: Then not more than a couple weeks later he had asked me - my son had his  
345 friends over. They were spending the night. They were celebrating, um,  
346 getting into a, um, [REDACTED] program. They were - my son's an [REDACTED]  
347 [REDACTED] and they were downstairs. My husband wanted me to go down, have  
348 sex with our son and his friends. Right.  
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350 Q: Wow. When was that roughly, do you know? Nineteen?  
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352 A: It was January - late January, February of '19.  
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354 Q: Okay. Obviously...  
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356 A: I don't know...  
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358 Q: ...you didn't do that, right?  
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360 A: No. No.



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362 Q: Um...

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364 A: I refused to offer to babysit. I - I...

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366 Q: Mm-hm.

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368 A: I - I allowed him to mistreat me, use me. I will never hurt a child. Never hurt  
369 my son. Never - I'm not sure what his intentions were to ask me to do that...

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371 Q: Mm-hm.

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373 A: I wonder if it was to keep me tied to him, well you can't leave me. I have this  
374 on you. I don't know if it was really sexual perversion that he had. I - I don't  
375 know what he was thinking. I was shocked when he asked that because I had  
376 never seen those tendencies towards children, other than there were times that  
377 we would be with younger men and they would call him daddy while they  
378 were performing oral sex on him. That was shocking to me. I could tell there  
379 had been conversations prior to us going over there that I was not aware of.  
380 Do you know what I mean?

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382 Q: Mm-hm.

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384 A: Like - like...

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386 Q: So - but he was more bisexual kind of...

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388 A: Right.

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390 Q: Okay.

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392 A: But that - even having that situation where these young men were calling him  
393 daddy was shocking to me.

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395 Q: Sure.

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397 A: Because I had not been - you know, he was the one contacting these people  
398 for us to be intimate with. I wasn't part of that. So - but I was even thrown  
399 when he asked me to do that with the boys.

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401 Q: Yeah.

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403 A: Thro- very thrown when he asked me to hurt our son. Now our son was [REDACTED] at  
404 that - probably [REDACTED] at the time. Still...

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406 Q: Right.  
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408 A: He's still our son. So I don't - I don't know if this information will do  
409 anything as far as what you guys can do. It's really hard knowing that he's the  
410 [REDACTED]  
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412 Q: Right.  
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414 A: Those boys go to the school district. Now their mother doesn't know.  
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416 Q: Mm-hm.  
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418 A: Because I - there was no need to involve- you know what I mean? Like  
419 nothing happened. Um, these are sweet little boys that I think one is a  
420 freshman.  
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422 Q: Mm-hm.  
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424 A: The youngest one might be going into second grade.  
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426 Q: Okay.  
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428 A: So, I did give my - I - I - I totally went to a marriage counselor and I...  
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430 Q: Where was the marriage counselor at?  
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432 A: In [REDACTED]  
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434 Q: Okay.  
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436 A: Um, gosh it was - it was on - she was on (unintelligible). I apologize. Like, a  
437 lot of these details, um - I can't even remember her name, but my lawyer  
438 would have all those details.  
439  
440 Q: Okay.  
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442 A: Um, we subpoenaed her. She did not take notes of this - right - - which I  
443 thought was odd. Did not take notes.  
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445 Q: Didn't take notes? Didn't record anything?  
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447 A: She did not record. I was going to record this.  
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449 Q: Mm-hm.  
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451 A: But I was terrified because I had not left him yet.  
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453 Q: Mm-hm.  
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455 A: Um, and I should've because he did admit to this woman that he asked me to  
456 molest these children and he asked me to have sex with our son.  
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458 Q: Did your attorney ever talk to the therapist about this?  
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460 A: She just sent a subpoena for the records. She didn't talk to her. Um, she did  
461 say if we - my lawyer did say if we did subpoena - if we did have to go to  
462 court...  
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464 Q: Mm-hm.  
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466 A: She would call her to testify.  
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468 Q: But she never talked to this? 'Cause that's - that's pretty damning.  
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470 A: It is and she never talked to her.  
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472 Q: Hm. Who was your attorney?  
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474 A: [REDACTED] in [REDACTED] She's wit [REDACTED]  
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476 Q: Mm-hm. (Unintelligible) kinda got the reputation as a bulldog. I'm surprised.  
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478 A: Yep. There were times where - there was a lot of expectations with this  
479 relationship of back and forth, where if I wasn't performing the way he  
480 wanted me to, there would be that withdrawal, the anger...  
481  
482 Q: Mm-hm.  
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484 A: ...the screaming. So, if he - if we had not had sex with men in a while - and it  
485 - it probably happened two or three times a month. He would be angry. So  
486 then I was expected to initiate that. Do...  
487  
488 Q: Mm-hm.  
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490 A: Do you know what I mean? Like - like, so there were exchanging of sexy  
491 pictures. A- not nude pictures but, like, um, pictures, like, uh, of other women,  
492 like, saying, hey I want to have a threesome, and I would - I would be  
493 expected to send that. There were times that he sent me pictures of young  
494 boys and young nak- young children.  
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496 Q: And how - how young are to you?  
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498 A: Young, young.  
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500 Q: Like, are we talking prepubescent?  
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502 A: Yes.  
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504 Q: Toddler age?  
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506 A: No, no. Young boys, like - like, elementary school boys.  
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508 Q: And he would send you those?  
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510 A: Yes. I - I don't - I - I deleted them. I don't have them. Do you understand  
511 what I'm saying?  
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513 Q: Mm-hm.  
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515 A: But there was - and then he'd be, like, well why don't you send me those? So  
516 I would just re- flip 'em back to him. So there was that desi- definitely there  
517 was that...  
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519 Q: What - when did this take place?  
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521 A: In - around that - January, February.  
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523 Q: Okay.  
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525 A: And then I said to him - I said, "You..." "This is not going where you want  
526 this to go. I am not doing this." Within days of - of him wanting this.  
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528 Q: Right.  
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530 A: This - and I said, "You are..." "This..." "You are treading where you are  
531 going to lose it." And...  
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533 Q: Mm-hm.  
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535 A: ...this is that I went to see my therapist. And I had gone to her and said, "I  
536 need you to fix me so I can save my marriage." Because I thought something  
537 was wrong with me.  
538  
539 Q: Right.  
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- 541 A: And it took me a couple weeks before I told her what was really going on and  
542 he response was, "You cannot fix this."  
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- 544 Q: Right.  
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- 546 A: And then in March I went in found [REDACTED] In May I told my family -- my - my  
547 two cousins, what was really happening. And I told 'em I wanted to leave.  
548 They helped me a get a checking account, a savings account.  
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- 550 Q: Mm-hm.  
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- 552 A: Start to save some money. Um, 'cause he watched everything I did. I started  
553 to work on getting an apartment, finding an area over here so that I could still  
554 be close to my children but far enough away from him. Um, I worked on  
555 getting my name changed after - because I didn't want to have any  
556 connection...  
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- 558 Q: Mm-hm.  
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- 560 A: ...to him if he blew himself up.  
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- 562 Q: Oh. So as far as proof-wise, like, I mean, the - the main - obviously the  
563 pictures of the boys, you know, that's a felony.  
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- 565 A: They were more, like, nude - nudist, like, beaches. Like, that you could get off  
566 of the internet. Like - like, kids that - you know what I'm saying? Like - like  
567 pictures of people, like, at the beach with their families. Kind of a thing, like -  
568 like, a situ...  
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- 570 Q: The kids were nude as well?  
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- 572 A: Mm-hm.  
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- 574 Q: With their families?  
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- 576 A: There were some like - like, that.  
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- 578 Q: Mm-hm.  
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- 580 A: Like, of the - they were - they looked very old. So, like, if you - it looked  
581 almost, like, if you were to put in in a google search, nudist camps, or...  
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- 583 Q: Okay.  
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- 585 A: ...something like - does that make sense?

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587 Q: Sure. Okay.  
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589 A: And I, you know, like I said, I know I - I bare responsibility in not going to  
590 the [REDACTED] in January and February.  
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592 Q: And that was '19, right?  
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594 A: Mm-hm.  
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596 Q: Okay.  
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598 A: But I - I - there's no excuse, but I didn't know what to do.  
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600 Q: Sure.  
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602 A: And I, you know - there's no excuse. I don't think the would've believed me  
603 anyway. I think there's been things where, you know, there were details that  
604 came out in 2020 about our di- our divorce.  
605  
606 Q: Mm-hm.  
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608 A: And the [REDACTED] did nothing about it.  
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610 Q: Now what details about the divorce was...  
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612 A: I think there...  
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614 Q: ... [REDACTED] aware?  
615  
616 A: That - that he was cheating. That he was on his computer...  
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618 Q: Mm-hm.  
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620 A: ...on Tinder, on Craigslist, on Ashley Madison, and things like that, and they  
621 did nothing. And I know that that's probably that's not illegal, but ethically do  
622 you want your [REDACTED] on Ashley Madison, Tinder and Craigslist on  
623 your work computer?  
624  
625 Q: Right.  
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627 A: You know what I'm saying? They - I know they brought in a special lawyer to  
628 hide - to hide that.  
629  
630 Q: Mm-hm.

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632 A: It's just icky, you know what I'm saying  
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634 Q: Mm-hm. So, after all this has happened now, why come out about this now?  
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636 A: I did...  
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638 Q: How did...  
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640 A: ...come out...  
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642 Q: How did...  
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644 A: ...about it.  
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646 Q: Well, I know people reached out to you. Correct?  
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648 A: Well, I think people were reaching out to [REDACTED]  
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650 Q: Mm-hm.  
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652 A: The [REDACTED]  
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654 Q: Mm-hm.  
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656 A: And then they started contacting me.  
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658 Q: Wha- do you think [REDACTED] referred you? Or referred them to you?  
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660 A: I think so. I think (unintelligible)...  
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662 Q: Do you know [REDACTED]?  
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664 A: I don't.  
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666 Q: Okay.  
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668 A: I don't. I've never met her. I don't know.  
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670 Q: Why would she have people - why would she refer people to talk to you?  
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672 A: Um, I think people have told her that she ne- they need to talk to me.  
673  
674 Q: Okay, okay.  
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676 A: I - and I think that's - that's what's happened.  
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678 Q: Okay.  
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680 A: Um...  
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682 Q: But telling your story now, how does that benefit you at all?  
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684 A: It doesn't. It - I think this is going to expose - it - this is - that's why I'm so  
685 nervous about this. That's why, like, my heart drops. Like, this is going to  
686 shame me and my part of participating in that with my ex-husband. I'm very,  
687 very ashamed of that. And the sad thing is it's what I did but it's not who I  
688 was, if that makes sense.  
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690 Q: Sure.  
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692 A: It's not who I was before I met him and it's not who I am now. Um, it's what I  
693 did. I - I could lose my spousal support because of this NDA. That - that - that  
694 was a confidentiality agreement that...  
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696 Q: Mm-hm.  
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698 A: ...I'm not allowed to speak about that or I lose my support. And that's how I  
699 pay my mortgage.  
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701 Q: Mm-hm.  
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703 A: And that's how I pay my bills. Because I ha- I - I get - I have no, like, career. I  
704 - I earn minimum wage, basically. I didn't get to - I didn't get to succeed.  
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706 Q: Right.  
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708 A: I stayed home and I loved it. I raised my children and I...  
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710 Q: Sure.  
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712 A: ...was very blessed to be able to do that. So, I have no vengeance. I - I don't  
713 want anything to do with him. Um, this is going to be - if this comes out, if he  
714 actually does get prosecuted for anything, this is going to be devastating to my  
715 children, which...  
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717 Q: I understand. I have children.  
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719 A: And I raised him thinking he was there hero because he was gone a lot and  
720 working a lot of times, so he might miss their baseball game because he was



721 at, like, a [REDACTED] So I would highlight the good things that  
722 he was doing to kind of make them not feel so bad about him missing their  
723 stuff. So, the thought that it's going to really change, um, their childhood --  
724 how they see that, so.

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726 Q: Well, other than these pictures in 2019 - and you said that was kinda January,  
727 February-ish, he sent you those. Is that - was that just kind of a one-time  
728 thing?

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730 A: It was - it was over, like, a week or so. I mean, and like I said, I would send  
731 them back. So I have responsibility in that too, so - you know what I mean?  
732 Like...

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734 Q: Yeah.

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736 A: Um...

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738 Q: Is that the same phone?

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740 A: No.

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742 Q: No.

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744 A: No, I had to get a new one when I got divorced.

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746 Q: Okay.

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748 A: Um, but - I - I'm - I - I didn't want to get - I didn't - when I left, if I wanted to  
749 get him in trouble...

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751 Q: Mm-hm.

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753 A: I could've gone right to the [REDACTED] I could've go- gone right to - I don't  
754 know, [REDACTED] I could've - I could've ruined him right  
755 away.

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757 Q: Mm-hm.

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759 A: I just wanted to get away.

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761 Q: I understand. I know we've covered lot. Um, is there anything else you can  
762 think of that you think I need to know? Um - okay. I will go ahead and stop  
763 the recording.

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767 The transcript has been reviewed with the audio recording submitted and it is an accurate  
768 transcription.  
769 Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Detective Joe Nerlinger \_\_\_\_\_