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| Tammy Corbett | | |  |
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| **Date** | **Age** | **Life Event** | |
| 10/2/1965 | - | Corbett was born in Illinois | |
| ? | ? | Corbett suffered a head injury from a swimming accident. | |
| 1980-1981 | 15-16 | Corbett is a high school cheerleader and president of her freshman class. | |
| 1982 | 16-17 | Corbett claims to have been raped three times. She begins drinking heavily. | |
| 1984 | 19 | Corbett married Richard Eveans.  Attempted to commit suicide after an argument with her husband during their honeymoon | |
| 1985 | 20 | Corbett is in a car accident and suffers a seizure while hospitalized. | |
| July 1986 | 20 | Corbett’s first child, Richard Eveans Jr. was born | |
| July 1987 | 21 | Corbett’s second child, Robert Eveans was born. | |
| September 1987  September 1988  September 1988 | 21 | Son, Robert Eveans died from meningitis due to a skull fracture; he was seven weeks old. Corbett claimed the fracture was a result of her other son, Richard, pulling Robert off the table. | |
| 22 | Corbett’s third child, Amy Eveans was born. | |
| 22 | Daughter, Amy Eveans died; she was 16 days old. Her death was ruled Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS). | |
| July 1989 | 23 | Son, Richard Eveans Jr. was smothered to death; he was three years old. Corbett admits to his murder by placing his hand over his mouth, and claims she was envisioning killing the man who | |

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|  |  | raped her earlier in her life. | |
| 8/10/1989 | 23 | Corbett is arrested for the murder of her son Richard Eveans Jr. | |
| September 1990 | 24 | Richard Eveans divorced Tammy Corbett. | |
| 9/24/1990 | 24 | Corbett is found guilty but mentally ill for the murder of her son, and is sentenced to 20 years in prison | |
| April 1991 | 25 | Corbett is charged with the murders of her other two children, Amy and Robert. Corbett pleads innocent. | |
| 2/1/1992 | 26 | Corbett’s trial for the deaths of Amy and Robert begins after two delays so that the defense could assess the sanity of Corbett | |
| 2/5/1993 | 27 | Corbett is found guilty of the murders of Amy and Robert Eveans. | |
| 2/10/1993 | 27 | Corbett is sentenced to life without parole for the murders of her two children. | |
| 4/8/1993 | 27 | Corbett requests a new trial, and is denied. | |
| April 1996 | 30 | Corbett is denied an appeal. | |
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| **General Information** | | | |
| Sex | | | Female |
| Race | | | White |
| Number of victims | | | 3 |
| Country where killing occurred | | | United States |
| States where killing occurred | | | Illinois |
| **Childhood Information** | | | |
| Date of birth | | | 10/2/1965 |
| Location | | | St. Louis, Illinois |
| Birth order | | | Oldest |
| Number of siblings | | | 1 sister |
| XYY? | | | No |
| Raised by | | | Parents |
| Birth category | | | First of two |
| Parent’s marital status | | | Married |
| Family event | | | None |
| Age of family event | | | None |
| Problems in school? | | | Started in sophomore year in high school |
| Teased while in school? | | | No |
| Physically attractive? | | | Average |
| Physical defect? | | | No |
| Speech defect? | | | No |
| Head injury? | | | Yes, from swimming accident |
| Physically abused? | | | No |
| Psychologically abused? | | | No |
| Sexually abused? | | | Yes, raped (unconfirmed) |
| Father’s occupation | | | Unknown |

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| Age of first sexual experience | Unknown |
| Age when first had intercourse | Unknown |
| Mother’s Occupation | Unknown |
| Father abused drugs/alcohol | No |
| Mother abused drugs/alcohol | No |
| **Cognitive Ability** | |
| Highest grade in school | At least sophomore year of high school |
| Highest degree | Some high school |
| Grades in school | Started out with A’s, fell to barely passing her sophomore year, 1982. |
| IQ |  |
| **Work History** | |
| Served in the military? | No |
| Branch | N/A |
| Type of discharge | N/A |
| Saw combat duty | N/A |
| Killed enemy during service? | N/A |
| Applied for job as a cop? | No |
| Worked in law enforcement? | No |
| Fired from jobs? | Unknown |
| Types of jobs worked | Worked for a paint company |
| Employment status during series | Employed by paint company |
| **Relationships** |  |
| Sexual preference | Heterosexual |
| Marital status | Divorced |
| Number of children | 3 |
| Lives with his children | Yes |
| Living with | Former husband and children |
| **Triad** | |
| Animal torture | No |
| Fire setting | No |
| Bed wetting | No |
| **Killer Psychological Information** | |
| Abused drugs? | No |
| Abused alcohol? | Yes |
| Been to a psychologist? | Yes – for trial |
| Time in forensic hospital? | No |
| Diagnosis | Personality Disorders |
| **Killer Criminal History** | |
| Committed previous crimes? | No |
| Spend time in jail? | No |

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| Spend time in prison? | No | |
| Killed prior to series? Age? | No | |
| **Serial Killing** | | |
| Number of victims | | 3 |
| Victim type | | Children |
| Killer age at start of series | | 21 |
| Gender of victims | | 2 boys, 1 girl |
| Race of victims | | White |
| Age of victims | | 16 days – 3 years |
| Method of killing | | Suffocation, blow to head |
| Type of serial killer | | Organizes, Munchausen |
| How close did killer live? | | Lived with victims |
| Killing occurred in home of victim? | | Yes |
| Killing occurred in home of killer? | | Yes |
| Weapon | | No |
| Behavior During Crimes | | |
| Rape? | | No |
| Tortured victims? | | No |
| Stalked victims? | | No |
| Overkill? | | No |
| Quick & efficient? | | Yes |
| Used blindfold? | | No |
| Bound the victims? | | No |
| After Death Behavior | | |
| Sex with the body? | | No |
| Mutilated body? | | No |
| Ate part of the body? | | No |
| Drank victim’s blood? | | No |
| Posed the body? | | No |
| Took totem – body part | | No |
| Took totem – personal item | | No |
| Robbed victim or location | | No |
| Disposal of Body | | |
| Left at scene, no attempt to hide | | Yes |
| Left at scene, hidden | | No |
| Left at scene, buried | | No |
| Moved, no attempt to hide | | No |
| Moved, buried | | No |
| Cut-op and disposed of | | No |
| Moved, to home | | No |
| Sentencing | |  |
| Date killer arrested | | 9/25/1990 |
| Date convicted | | 9/24/1990 for son, Richard |

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|  | 2/10/1993 for other two children |
| Sentence | 20 years for Richard, Life without parole for other murders. |
| Killer executed? | No |
| Name and state of prison | Dwight Correctional Center, Springfield, IL |
| Killer committed suicide? | No |
| Killer killed in prison? | No |
| Date of Death | N/A |
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