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There is an article on their website asking for assistance on an investigation regarding Elmer Ngo. He is being charged with sexual exploitation of minors and coercion and enticement of minors.

That got me thinking. What if we don't have to wait for victims to come forward. What if we come to them?

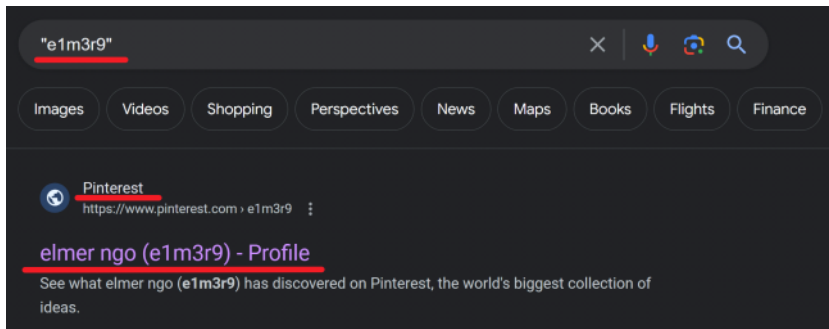
It's extremely difficult for victims to come forward and face the monster in person who terrorized their life. This will prove to be much more difficult yes, but all we have to do is find them. Remember these victims had to live through it. We have to make it easier on them.

This can be possible with more information available to us. Such as devices used in these crimes, social media accounts used, learning the language(lingo) the criminal used to coerce the victims. They all have specific patterns which if you want to read more about it you can find out here from here [John Douglas \(Masterclass\)](#) and by using [Google Dorking](#). Google dorking involves using operators in the Google search engine to locate specific sections of text on websites that are evidence of vulnerabilities, for example specific versions of vulnerable Web applications. We don't always have to use techniques for their intended purposes. This is where thinking outside the box comes into play and trying to be innovative to produce results.

Aliases that Elmer Ngo used, Contact may have occurred in person or through social media accounts, or any account believed to be used by Ngo. Ngo's aliases include Elmer, Zach, and DODO. Snapchat usernames include: greynestle2020 (DODO), treypo2020, monster\_hun7503, e1m3r12.

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Example: **e1m3r23**, **e1m3r22**, **e1m3r21**, **e1m3r20** all the way down to 1. You may not get search results with each variation. **e1m3r9** gave us a hit from google.com



Heres how this can help:

This will provide more evidence for the FBI. We are now strengthening the pattern that the criminal uses with social media sites which is what we learned from [John Douglas \(Masterclass\)](#). We will have more information such as [Geotagging](#) which we can find the locations where that account may have been logged in at and the possible device used. This device may not have been confiscated during the investigation and this new device can produce evidence that may involve messages with the victims we did not know about. This can also lead to extra IP addresses the criminal may have used depending on the log in locations, Wi-Fi used such as Starbucks Wi-Fi. Which can then lead us with dates accessed and investigate security footage from the locations and get images of the criminal. By the way the logs from searches using public Wi-Fi could stay there for a quite a while depending on the security settings used by Starbucks.

There you have it. Hopefully this lesson can help you find more information for what you need it for. Remember you don't have to use this technique for investigations, be creative and see what else you can use it for.

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#### [Geotagging](#)

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