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- 1 Q. Okay. So, it is --
 2 THE COURT: Mr. Wilds, if you will pull the
 3 microphone and point it at your mouth and talk into it?
 4 THE WITNESS: Yes, sir.
 5 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 6 Q. So the only thing you testified about was
 7 things that are alleged to have occurred on the 13th?
 8 A. The only events I testified about.
 9 Q. The only events that you testified yesterday;
 10 is that correct?
 11 A. Right. I received a phone call.
 12 Q. Now, yesterday, sir, was not the first time
 13 that you were asked to speak about the events on the
 14 13th, was it?
 15 A. No, ma'am.
 16 Q. The very first time you were asked to speak
 17 about the events was on the early morning hours of
 18 February 28th?
 19 A. Yes, ma'am.
 20 Q. Is that correct? In fact, beginning before
 21 1:30 a.m. in the morning; correct?
 22 A. Yes, ma'am.
 23 Q. And at that time, at 1:30 a.m. in the morning,
 24 of February 28th, you were down the street at Police
 25 Headquarters building; were you not?
- 1 that correct?
 2 A. Yes, ma'am.
 3 Q. Now, back at the time, sir, between the 13th
 4 and the 28th of February, you worked at the porn store,
 5 did you not?
 6 A. Yes, ma'am.
 7 Q. Okay. You rented pornographic material; is
 8 that correct?
 9 A. I myself?
 10 Q. Yes?
 11 A. No, ma'am.
 12 Q. Did you work there as a clerk?
 13 A. Yes, ma'am.
 14 Q. Okay. And you rented videos, did you not?
 15 A. To customers.
 16 Q. To customers?
 17 A. Yes, ma'am.
 18 Q. Is that correct? And what you rented to those
 19 customers was pornographic material, was it not?
 20 MR. URICK: Objection.
 21 THE COURT: Basis?
 22 MR. URICK: Relevance.
 23 THE COURT: Overruled.
 24 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 25 Q. You can answer?

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- 1 A. Yes, ma'am.
 2 Q. You weren't there because you had just happened
 3 to walk in there to visit, were you?
 4 A. No, ma'am.
 5 Q. You were brought there, were you not?
 6 A. Yes, ma'am.
 7 Q. And that was the very first time you were asked
 8 about these events; correct?
 9 A. Yes, ma'am.
 10 Q. And on that day, you were in a little room in
 11 the Homicide Unit, and you were speaking to Homicide
 12 detectives; is that correct?
 13 A. Yes, ma'am.
 14 Q. Okay. And between the 13th and the 28th, sir,
 15 you were aware, were you not, that the body of Hae Min
 16 Lee had been discovered buried in Leakin Park; isn't that
 17 correct?
 18 A. Yes, ma'am.
 19 Q. You saw that on the news, didn't you?
 20 A. Yes, ma'am.
 21 Q. You heard that on the radio?
 22 A. No, ma'am.
 23 Q. Okay. But you saw it on the news?
 24 A. Yes, ma'am.
 25 Q. And you knew that she had been discovered; is
- 1 A. Yes, ma'am.
 2 Q. That's a yes. So what you rented to customers
 3 between the 13th and 28th of February was pornographic
 4 material; is that correct?
 5 A. Yes, ma'am.
 6 Q. And you worked there before the 13th, did you
 7 not?
 8 A. Yes, ma'am.
 9 Q. Excuse me. You worked full-time, did you not?
 10 A. Yes, ma'am.
 11 Q. Yes. And you worked full-time meant you worked
 12 40 hours a week; correct?
 13 A. 35 to 40, yes.
 14 Q. 35 to 40. And you worked generally at least
 15 five days a week, did you not?
 16 A. Yes, ma'am.
 17 Q. You don't work there anymore; do you?
 18 A. No, ma'am.
 19 Q. You had also worked at other places before you
 20 worked at the porn store?
 21 A. Yes, ma'am.
 22 Q. Isn't that correct? You didn't leave working
 23 at the porn store, renting pornographic material,
 24 voluntarily, did you?
 25 A. Yes, ma'am.

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1 Q. Okay. You left on your own volition?		1 you?
2 A. Yes, ma'am.		2 A. Yes, ma'am.
3 Q. Okay. You were, however, chastised for working		3 Q. Did you work there?
4 at the porn store because you didn't always show up?		4 A. No, I did not.
5 A. Pardon me?		5 Q. Okay. You didn't take any classes?
6 Q. You were chastised. Do you understand that		6 A. No, ma'am, I did not.
7 word, Mr. --		7 Q. So were no longer a student; correct?
8 A. I see what you're saying.		8 A. Yes.
9 Q. You were cautioned, you were counseled, because		9 Q. So you were not going to Woodlawn to be a
10 you didn't always show up at work --		10 student or to participate --
11 A. From whom?		11 A. No, ma'am, I was not.
12 Q. -- when you were supposed to?		12 Q. -- in any class work, were you?
13 A. By whom?		13 A. No, ma'am.
14 Q. By anyone, sir?		14 Q. And you weren't an athlete, Mr. Wilds; were
15 A. No, ma'am.		15 you?
16 Q. A woman by the same of Sis, or who refers		16 A. Pardon me?
17 herself as "Sis"?		17 Q. You were not an athlete?
18 A. Yes, ma'am.		18 A. Yes. I did play high school lacrosse.
19 Q. Is essentially the Manager of that store;		19 Q. That was before you graduated --
20 correct?		20 A. Yes, ma'am.
21 A. Yes, ma'am.		21 Q. -- in May of 1998; is that correct?
22 Q. Okay. And you worked there selling and renting		22 A. Yes, ma'am.
23 pornographic material for how long?		23 Q. After you graduated, you were no longer an
24 A. I'd say about three months.		24 athlete, were you?
25 Q. You graduated from Woodlawn High School in May		25 A. No, ma'am.
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1 of 1998, did you not?		1 Q. And you had no reason to be there to
2 A. Yes, ma'am.		2 participate in athletic events --
3 Q. You were not a member, or you were not assigned		3 A. Yes, I did, ma'am.
4 to gifted and talented classes, were you?		4 Q. -- as an athlete --
5 A. No, ma'am.		5 A. Oh, I'm sorry.
6 Q. You were not a member of the Magnet Program for		6 Q. -- did you?
7 those students, were you?		7 A. No, ma'am.
8 A. No, ma'am.		8 Q. No, sir. Now, before you graduated, you know
9 Q. No. And you were not a very good student, were		9 Adnan Syed, did you not?
10 you?		10 A. Yes, ma'am.
11 A. I myself would say no.		11 Q. He was a fellow student at Woodlawn; was he
12 Q. You would say no?		12 not?
13 A. Yes, ma'am.		13 A. Yes, ma'am.
14 Q. Correct? And not to your surprise, everybody		14 Q. And Woodlawn is a very large high school in
15 else would say no, too, wouldn't they?		15 Baltimore County; is it not?
16 MR. URICK: Objection.		16 A. Yes, ma'am.
17 THE COURT: Sustained.		17 Q. And you live in the catchment area of Woodlawn,
18 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:		18 do you not?
19 Q. Now, Mr. Wilds, after you graduated in May of		19 A. Yes, ma'am.
20 1998, did you take any more classes at the school?		20 Q. Meaning that you were required by the Board of
21 A. At Woodlawn High?		21 Ed to attend that school, because it was located in
22 Q. Yes, sir?		22 closeness to where you lived; is that correct?
23 A. No, ma'am.		23 A. Yes, ma'am.
24 Q. So after May, after you graduated in May, you		24 Q. Now, Adnan Syed was not in your year, was he?
25 had no reason to be at Woodlawn on a regular basis, did		25 A. Pardon me.

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1	Q. He was not in your year, was he? A. No, ma'am. Q. He was behind you; correct? A. Yes, ma'am. Q. And he was a gifted and talented student, was he not? A. To the best of my knowledge. Q. You knew that, didn't you? A. Yes. MR. URICK: Objection. BY MS. GUTIERREZ: Q. And you knew it back then -- THE COURT: Basis? MR. URICK: Asked and answered. THE COURT: Overruled. BY MS. GUTIERREZ: Q. You knew that he was a gifted and talented student back then, did you not? A. Yes, ma'am. Q. And you knew that he was an athlete, did you not? A. Yes, ma'am. Q. Okay. He played football for the Woodlawn team, did he not? A. I do not recall.	1 correct? 2 A. Yes, ma'am. 3 Q. And there are four years at Woodlawn; correct? 4 A. Yes. 5 Q. And each class is roughly -- not exactly, but roughly the same size; is it not? 6 A. No. The freshman class is always much larger. 7 Q. Okay. And you were once a freshman; correct? 8 A. Yes, ma'am. 9 Q. A year before Stephanie? 10 A. Yes, ma'am. 11 Q. And a year before Adnan -- 12 A. Yes, ma'am. 13 Q. Is that correct? You knew other students who were not just in your year; did you not? 14 A. Yes, ma'am. 15 Q. Okay. And among those other students was a woman by the name of Aisha [REDACTED] 16 A. Yes, ma'am. 17 Q. Okay. And you knew her because she was also in the same year behind you; is that correct? 18 A. The same year behind me? 19 Q. Well we've discussed Stephanie. 20 A. Okay. 21 Q. The woman that you said you knew was a year
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1	Q. You don't know that, because you really didn't know him well before you graduated, did you? A. No, ma'am. Q. You knew a woman, a young woman, a girl by the name of Stephanie [REDACTED] did you not? A. [REDACTED] yes. Q. [REDACTED] You knew her back there before you graduated; did you not? A. Yes, ma'am. Q. Okay. And Stephanie [REDACTED] she was a G.T. student, was she not? A. Yes, ma'am. Q. Okay. And you knew that then; is that correct? A. Yes, ma'am. Q. She got good grades, did he not? A. Yes, ma'am. Q. And you knew that; correct? A. Yes, ma'am. Q. Okay. And you knew many other students in your grade; correct? A. Yes, ma'am. Q. And in each grade, there are about 1700-plus students at Woodlawn; correct? A. I'll take your word for it. Q. There were a lot of students at Woodlawn;	1 behind you -- 2 A. The class of '99. 3 Q. -- was she not? 4 A. Yeah. She was in the class of '99. 5 Q. As Adnan Syed was a year behind you? 6 A. Yes, ma'am. 7 Q. Was he not? 8 A. Yes, ma'am. 9 Q. There's another student by the name of Aisha Pittman; correct? 10 A. Yes, ma'am. 11 Q. And you knew her, did you not? 12 A. Yes, ma'am. 13 Q. She was also gifted and talented student, was she not? 14 A. Yes, ma'am. 15 Q. She was also a good student, was she not? 16 A. Yes, ma'am. 17 Q. Unlike your grades; correct? 18 A. Yes, ma'am. 19 Q. She, and Stephanie, and Adnan, to your knowledge, were gifted and talented students who got good grades; did they not? 20 A. Yes, ma'am. 21 Q. Unlike your grades; correct? 22 A. Yes, ma'am. 23 Q. And all of those students, Aisha, Stephanie,

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1 and Hae, you knew from your own knowledge, they hung out 2 together; did they not? 3 A. I wasn't aware of how they hung out, but, yes, 4 I knew they knew each other. 5 Q. You knew that they knew each other; correct? 6 A. Yes, ma'am. 7 Q. And you knew that there was a very tight-knit 8 group of the gifted and talented students at Woodlawn; 9 did you not? 10 A. Yes, ma'am. 11 Q. In addition to the three that I've mentioned, 12 Adnan, Stephanie, and Aisha, there were another bunch of 13 kids that also fit the same category; did they not? 14 A. Yes, ma'am. 15 Q. Kids at Woodlawn a year behind you, all of whom 16 were G.T. students; correct? 17 A. Magnet students, yes. 18 Q. Okay. Magnet? 19 A. Yes. 20 Q. And magnet means gifted and talented; does it 21 not? 22 A. Not necessarily. 23 Q. You are aware that gifted and talented students 24 take a more demanding curriculum; are you not? 25 A. Yes, ma'am.	1 Q. A biology class? 2 A. Yes, ma'am. 3 Q. Okay. And you would not have considered Hae 4 Lee your friend, would you have? 5 A. No. More like an acquaintance. 6 Q. An acquaintance. But that's the same word you 7 used yesterday to describe Adnan? 8 A. Yes, ma'am. 9 Q. Is it not? Not somebody you really knew well? 10 A. No, ma'am. 11 Q. Not somebody you really socialized with? 12 A. No, ma'am. 13 Q. Not somebody you really shared the same things 14 in high school? 15 A. No, ma'am. 16 Q. That was both by reason -- the reason you 17 didn't share the same things, was both by reason of their 18 age, because they were behind you; correct? 19 A. No, ma'am. 20 Q. And it was also because they were all gifted 21 and talented students; correct? 22 A. No, ma'am. 23 Q. Okay. You don't know that? 24 A. Pardon me? 25 Q. You don't know that?
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1 Q. Okay. And that they are smarter kids? 2 A. No, ma'am. 3 Q. No. You're not aware that gifted and talented 4 students to be so designated have to perform better than 5 other students -- 6 A. Yes, ma'am. 7 Q. -- is that correct? But you're not aware that 8 they are designated as smarter kids than standard kids? 9 A. Right. 10 Q. You are not aware of that? 11 A. I do not see it that way. 12 Q. You're ignorant of that fact? 13 MR. URICK: Objection. 14 THE COURT: Sustained. 15 BY MS. GUTIERREZ: 16 Q. Now, Mr. Wilds, there were other students who 17 also fit that category. Among them was a person by the 18 name of Hae Lee; was there not? 19 A. Yes, ma'am. 20 Q. You knew Hae Lee; did you not? 21 A. Yes, ma'am, I did. 22 Q. And you knew her because she was a student the 23 year behind you; is that correct? 24 A. I knew her because I had a biology class with 25 her.	1 A. You're asking my reasons for them just being 2 acquaintances? 3 Q. No, sir. I asked you, you don't know that they 4 were all gifted and talented students? 5 A. Oh, yes, I do. 6 Q. So they all were; is that correct? 7 A. Yes, ma'am. 8 Q. And all of those students that I've mentioned 9 were a year behind you; -- 10 A. Yes, ma'am. 11 Q. -- is that correct? Now, you've never been to 12 Hae Lee's house, have you? 13 A. No, ma'am. 14 Q. You've never gone to a party at her house, have 15 you? 16 A. No, ma'am. 17 Q. You've never called her, have you? 18 A. No, ma'am. 19 Q. Okay. And so she fit the category as an 20 acquaintance; correct? 21 A. Yes, ma'am. 22 Q. She was just somebody you knew; correct? 23 A. Yes, ma'am. 24 Q. And other than sharing the biology class that 25 you did, you really didn't pursue a relationship with

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1	her, did you?	1	A. As far as?
2	A. No, ma'am.	2	Q. As far as anything?
3	Q. Stephanie, on the other hand, was more than an	3	A. Not further than any other religion.
4	acquaintance, was she not?	4	Q. You are aware, sir, that Muslims have to pray
5	A. Very much so.	5	five times a day; are you not?
6	Q. Stephanie was a special friend, was she not?	6	A. Yes, ma'am.
7	A. Very much so.	7	Q. And you are aware because you observed it at
8	Q. She was your girlfriend, was she not?	8	Woodlawn, that the month, a specific month during the
9	A. Yes, ma'am.	9	year, generally between December and January, is a month
10	Q. And, sir, Mr. Wilds, do you have a religion in	10	of special prayer and other things; are you not?
11	which you have been brought up?	11	A. Yes, ma'am, but --
12	A. My birth certificate says Baptist, but I do not	12	Q. And --
13	practice.	13	A. I'm sorry.
14	Q. You've never practiced, have you?	14	Q. You are aware that among the other things that
15	A. No, ma'am.	15	are special during that special month of prior, is a
16	Q. You're not a church-going young man, are you?	16	requirement that Muslims fast from sunup to sundown?
17	MR. URICK: Objection.	17	A. Yes, ma'am.
18	BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	18	Q. And you observed that; did you not?
19	Q. You're not a young man given to pray on a	19	A. Yes, ma'am.
20	regular basis?	20	Q. Now, among the friends that I have mentioned,
21	MR. URICK: Objection.	21	Hae Lee was not a Muslim; was she?
22	THE COURT: Sustained.	22	A. No, ma'am.
23	BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	23	Q. And Stephanie was not a Muslim; was she?
24	Q. Mr. Wilds, you're aware that there's a	24	A. No, ma'am.
25	significant contingent of Muslim students at Woodlawn;	25	Q. And Aisha was not a Muslim; was she?
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1	are you not?	1	A. No, ma'am.
2	A. Very much so.	2	Q. But Adnan Syed was a Muslim?
3	Q. You know that from your own personal	3	A. Yes, ma'am.
4	observation; correct?	4	Q. Was he not? Now, this acquaintance of yours,
5	A. Yes, ma'am.	5	Stephanie, at a point in time became much more than that,
6	Q. There were Muslims in your class?	6	as we were discussing; correct?
7	A. Yes, ma'am.	7	A. Yes, ma'am.
8	Q. And you are aware that Muslims practice the	8	Q. Stephanie became your special girlfriend; did
9	religion of Islam; are you not?	9	she not?
10	A. Yes, ma'am.	10	A. Since seventh grade, ma'am.
11	Q. You're away that they pray regularly?	11	Q. Okay. And she was always a year behind you,
12	A. Some do, yes.	12	was she not?
13	Q. And you're aware that there are strict	13	A. Yes, ma'am.
14	guidelines as to when they pray throughout the day?	14	Q. But Stephanie was always assigned to gifted and
15	A. The Muslim religion, you're asking?	15	talented curriculum, was she not?
16	Q. Yes.	16	A. Yes, ma'am.
17	A. Yes, ma'am.	17	Q. She's a smart girl; is she not?
18	Q. Okay. You know that from your own observation;	18	A. I would say so.
19	do you not?	19	Q. You could tell early on throughout your
20	A. Yes, ma'am.	20	relationship with her that she was going to college;
21	Q. And you're aware, because you were a student at	21	could you not?
22	Woodlawn, that Woodlawn, among other schools, Woodlawn,	22	A. Yes, ma'am.
23	as a matter of policy, makes guidelines for behavior and	23	Q. And you could tell from your life early on that
24	accommodation in school life for those who are practicing	24	you were not?
25	Muslims?	25	MR. URICK: Objection.

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1 THE COURT: Overruled.	1 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
2 THE WITNESS: No, ma'am, I could not.	2 Q. By your own definition; is that correct?
3 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	3 A. Yes, ma'am.
4 Q. You could tell at some point; could you not?	4 Q. By reason of your relationship with Stephanie,
5 A. Pardon me?	5 you began to come in contact on a more regular basis with
6 Q. You could tell at some point; could you not?	6 6 students at Woodlawn after you graduated; is that
7 A. Yes.	7 correct?
8 Q. And you didn't go to college; did you?	8 A. Yes, ma'am.
9 A. No, ma'am.	9 Q. Okay. Now, Mr. Wilds, yesterday, Mr. Urick
10 Q. Your grades wouldn't have permitted you to be	10 asked you were you presently a drug dealer; do you
11 accepted; would they have?	11 remember that?
12 A. Community college did accept me.	12 A. Yes, ma'am.
13 Q. The community college?	13 Q. And you understood by those terms what they
14 A. Yes, ma'am.	14 meant; did you not?
15 Q. But you didn't go?	15 A. Yes.
16 A. No, ma'am.	16 Q. And you answered him by saying, "Not presently.
17 Q. Stephanie, on the other hand, is in college; is	17 Presently not."
18 she not?	18 A. Yes, ma'am.
19 A. Yes, ma'am.	19 Q. Do you recall that? By that, you meant that
20 Q. Out of town?	20 right now, currently, yesterday, today, you are not
21 A. Yes, ma'am.	21 currently dealing drugs; correct?
22 Q. Okay. And that's no surprise to anybody; is	22 A. By that, I mean as of three months, yes.
23 it?	23 Q. As of the last three months?
24 A. No, ma'am.	24 A. Yes, ma'am.
25 Q. Now, your non-practicing status of being a	25 Q. From today, stepping back three months of time;
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1 Baptist didn't prevent you from dating girls; did it?	1 correct?
2 A. No, ma'am.	2 A. That was the last time.
3 Q. And your status as a non-practicing Baptist	3 Q. That would mean, Mr. Wilds, that back in
4 didn't prevent you from having sex with girls; did it?	4 January of 1999, you were a drug dealer; were you not?
5 MR. URICK: Objection.	5 A. Yes, ma'am.
6 THE COURT: Sustained.	6 Q. And you dealt drugs?
7 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	7 A. Marijuana, yes.
8 Q. Mr. Wilds, Stephanie became your girlfriend	8 Q. Okay. Marijuana is a drug; is it not?
9 when?	9 A. You said drugs, plural. I only dealt one.
10 A. Seventh grade.	10 Q. Okay. Marijuana is a drug; is it not?
11 Q. And remained your girlfriend all the way	11 A. Yes, ma'am.
12 through high school?	12 Q. It is an illegal substance; is it not?
13 A. Uh-huh.	13 A. Yes, ma'am.
14 Q. Is that correct?	14 Q. And it is sold illegally to people who wish to
15 A. Brief period, we were separated my freshman	15 use that substance; is that correct?
16 year, but other than that, yes.	16 A. Correct.
17 Q. Okay. And remains your girlfriend today?	17 Q. And that's no different than any other illegal
18 A. Yes, ma'am.	18 drug; is it?
19 Q. Okay. Even though she's away at college?	19 A. No, it isn't.
20 A. Yes, ma'am.	20 Q. Okay. And in January of 1999, you were a drug
21 Q. And you're here?	21 dealer; were you not?
22 A. Yes, ma'am.	22 A. Yes, ma'am.
23 Q. Okay. Even though she was a gifted and	23 Q. And in February of 1999, you were a drug
24 talented student and you worked in a porn store?	24 dealer; were you not?
25 MR. URICK: Objection.	25 A. I would not consider myself.

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1	Q. Pardon?	1	A. Yes, ma'am.
2	A. I would not consider myself, but --	2	Q. And your signature appears on it; does it not?
3	Q. But you were dealing drugs; were you not?	3	A. Yes, ma'am, (inaudible).
4	A. I was procuring for friends. I had stopped.	4	Q. And a date appears next to your signature; does it not?
5	Q. So, sir, it is your testimony that you stopped	5	A. Yes, ma'am.
6	dealing drugs, you just told us, from today going back	6	Q. That date is September the 7th; is it not?
7	three months; is that correct?	7	A. Yes, ma'am.
8	A. Completely, yes.	9	Q. In addition to your signature, there appears
9	Q. Okay.	10	the signature of your lawyer; does it not?
10	A. Completely, yes.	11	A. Yes, ma'am.
11	Q. But up until then, in three months back, today	12	Q. Your lawyer's name is Anna Benaroya; is it not?
12	is December the 15th?	13	A. Yes, ma'am.
13	A. Yes, ma'am.	14	Q. And Ms. Benaroya was present yesterday and is
14	Q. Is that correct? That would take us back to	15	present today; is she not?
15	November the 15th?	16	A. Correct.
16	A. Yes, ma'am.	17	Q. She's the woman sitting in the white or beige
17	Q. Correct? October the 15th?	18	suit who's waving her hand; is she not?
18	A. Yes, ma'am.	19	A. Correct.
19	Q. And September the 15th?	20	Q. And she signed this document that you
20	A. Yes, ma'am.	21	identified yesterday with you on September 7th?
21	Q. Is that correct?	22	A. Yes, ma'am.
22	A. Yes, ma'am.	23	Q. Is that correct?
23	Q. And so when you told us, that meant that you	24	A. Yes, ma'am.
24	stopped dealing drugs --	25	Q. And September 7th was the day in which,
25	A. Right.		
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1	Q. -- as of September 15th?	1	according to your testimony, that you were still dealing
2	A. Right.	2	drugs; is that correct?
3	Q. Is that correct?	3	A. Yes, ma'am.
4	A. Yes, ma'am.	4	Q. Now, dealing drugs, sir, you said, you used the
5	Q. Now, September the 15th was an important month	5	term "procuring" drugs for your friends?
6	for you; was it not?	6	A. Yes, ma'am. And -- I'm sorry.
7	A. I do not recall, no, it wasn't.	7	Q. Is that what you used, sir?
8	Q. You don't recall anything significant that	8	A. Yes. May I explain myself?
9	occurred in September?	9	Q. You used that term; did you not?
10	A. No, ma'am.	10	A. Yes, ma'am.
11	MS. GUTIERREZ: Madam, can I have -- I don't	11	Q. My question is, did you use that term; is that
12	know what number it is, the plea agreement?	12	correct? And you used that term to mean that you
13	THE CLERK: I'm sorry.	13	procured, that is, you got drugs, a drug, for your
14	MS. GUTIERREZ: The plea agreement that was	14	friends; is that correct?
15	identified yesterday.	15	A. Yes, ma'am.
16	THE CLERK: The plea agreement?	16	Q. In addition to getting drugs for --
17	MR. URICK: State 35.	17	THE COURT: Can you hold on for a moment,
18	MS. GUTIERREZ: 35.	18	please?
19	May I approach the witness, Your Honor?	19	(Pause.)
20	THE COURT: Yes.	20	BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
21	BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	21	Q. In addition to getting drugs for your friends,
22	Q. Mr. Wilds, you identified this document	22	you also got drugs for acquaintances; did you not?
23	yesterday; did you not?	23	A. No, ma'am.
24	A. Yes, ma'am.	24	Q. You got drugs for Adnan; did you not?
25	Q. You made a point of reading it; did you not?	25	A. Yes, ma'am.

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1 Q. And you described him as an acquaintance?	1 A. No, ma'am.
2 A. Are you asking as of --	2 Q. Okay. So you started sometime in 1997?
3 Q. Did you not?	3 A. Yes, ma'am.
4 A. -- the date in question, or are you asking	4 Q. So by January of 1999, you were already an
5 altogether?	5 experienced drug dealer; were you not?
6 Q. Well, sir, you said you dealt drugs on	6 A. I wouldn't say so.
7 September 7th; is that correct?	7 Q. You had had two years of experience; had you
8 A. Yes.	8 not?
9 Q. Because that's outside your three-month time	9 A. Yes.
10 line that you told us about; is that correct?	10 Q. '97; correct?
11 A. Yes.	11 A. Yes.
12 Q. And you were dealing drugs back in January of	12 Q. And 1998?
13 1999; correct?	13 A. On and off.
14 A. Yes.	14 Q. Is that correct?
15 Q. And you dealt drugs before January of 1999 --	15 A. Yes.
16 A. Yes, ma'am.	16 Q. And as you've told us, you dealt drugs for at
17 Q. -- did you not? You dealt drugs in 1998; did	17 least nine months out of this year; correct?
18 you not?	18 A. Yes, ma'am.
19 A. Yes, ma'am.	19 Q. 1999? You just stopped on September 15th; is
20 Q. Even while you were a student, albeit not a	20 that correct?
21 good one, at Woodlawn High School?	21 A. It's been a slow process.
22 MR. URICK: Objection.	22 Q. Okay. So, sir, understanding you were already
23 THE COURT: Sustained. You might want to	23 experienced in procuring drugs and drug dealings in
24 rephrase.	24 January of 1999; correct?
25 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	25 A. Yes, ma'am.
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1 Q. You dealt drugs in '98; did you not?	1 Q. And people knew about you; did they not?
2 A. Yes, ma'am.	2 A. Yes, ma'am.
3 Q. Before you graduated from (inaudible); is that	3 Q. Students who wanted drugs would come to you?
4 correct?	4 A. Some of them.
5 A. Yes, ma'am.	5 Q. Some of them. And you would procure the drugs
6 Q. Now, procurement means the obtaining of drugs;	6 for them?
7 correct?	7 A. Yes, ma'am.
8 A. Yes.	8 Q. Okay. And by procuring meant that you would
9 Q. You didn't procure drugs altruistically; did	9 have to go obtain it?
10 you?	10 A. Yes, ma'am.
11 A. Altruistically? Can you define that for me?	11 Q. From somewhere else; is that correct?
12 Q. Or, well, when you procured drugs, you had to	12 A. Yes, ma'am.
13 buy them from a source; is that correct?	13 Q. From some other drug dealer; is that correct?
14 A. Yes.	14 A. Yes, ma'am.
15 Q. And you, during the time that you dealt drugs -	15 Q. And when a student would come to you and wanted
16 - well, let me ask you this. You dealt drugs before	16 drugs, you would charge them money; would you not?
17 1998; did you not?	17 A. Yes, ma'am.
18 A. Yes, ma'am.	18 Q. Money more than what it cost you to for the
19 Q. You dealt them in 1997; correct?	19 drugs?
20 A. Yes, ma'am.	20 A. Yes, ma'am.
21 Q. While you were a high school student?	21 Q. Is that correct? You made money off of your
22 A. Yes, ma'am.	22 drug dealing; did you not?
23 Q. At Woodlawn?	23 A. Yes, ma'am.
24 A. Yes, ma'am.	24 Q. Every single procurement?
25 Q. Correct? And you dealt them in 1996?	25 A. No, ma'am.

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1	Q. There were some procurements you made nothing?	1	A. Yes, ma'am.
2	A. Yes, ma'am.	2	Q. Because you knew it to be against the law; is
3	Q. So that's what I meant when I used the term	3	that correct?
4	altruistic, Mr. Wilds. It means that you did something	4	A. Yes, ma'am.
5	not for motive, --	5	Q. And, sir, prior to working at the video store,
6	A. Yes.	6	you worked elsewhere; did you not?
7	Q. -- but for some other good purpose.	7	A. Yes, ma'am.
8	A. Okay.	8	Q. You worked at the Pet Smart?
9	Q. Is that correct?	9	A. Yes, ma'am.
10	A. Yes.	10	Q. The Pet Smart is located, at least the one that
11	Q. So there were times when you altruistically	11	you worked, off of Route 40?
12	procured drugs?	12	A. Yes, ma'am.
13	A. Yes, ma'am.	13	Q. Above the Beltway?
14	Q. Not to gain any money for yourself; is that	14	A. West of the Beltway, yes.
15	correct?	15	Q. West of the Beltway? Outside the loop of the
16	A. Correct.	16	Beltway; is that correct?
17	Q. Okay. And that was what percentage of your	17	A. Correct.
18	drug dealings, sir?	18	Q. And it's actually above Rolling Road; is it
19	A. The latter part. Like I said, as I've been	19	not?
20	moving out.	20	A. West of Rolling Road, yes.
21	Q. So as you've been moving out from drug dealing;	21	Q. Okay. And the F and M is located on the left;
22	is that correct?	22	is it not?
23	A. Yes, ma'am.	23	A. Yes, ma'am.
24	Q. In January and February, 1999, you were not	24	Q. In a sort of shopping center of sorts?
25	moving out from drug dealing; were you?	25	A. Yes, ma'am.
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1	A. Pardon me?	1	Q. In that same shopping center is located a Super
2	Q. In January and February, 1999, you were not	2	Baby Store?
3	moving out of drug dealing; were you?	3	A. Yes, ma'am.
4	A. Yes, ma'am, I was.	4	Q. Is it not? I don't remember the name, but they
5	Q. You were? And yet, you told us yesterday, on	5	sell baby and children's things; correct?
6	Mr. Urick's questioning, that one of the reasons there	6	A. Yes, ma'am.
7	was such a difference between your first statement to the	7	Q. And near that same shopping center, perhaps
8	police, your second statement to the police, and	8	within it, is located the Pet Smart where you worked; is
9	yesterday's testimony was because you were scared about	9	it not?
10	information that Adnan and others knew about you and	10	A. Correct.
11	criminal activity; correct?	11	Q. Okay. And you worked at that Pet Smart for how
12	A. Yes, ma'am.	12	long?
13	Q. Including your drug dealing; correct?	13	A. Excuse me. From the 12th of '97, until March
14	A. Yes, ma'am.	14	14 of '98.
15	Q. So in January and February, sir, how much of	15	Q. The 12th? The 12th month?
16	your drug dealing was altruistically motivated, meaning	16	A. The 12th -- January the -- 1-12-97 to --
17	you didn't make money off of it?	17	Q. Lots of things seems to occur on your birthday,
18	A. I'd say at least 70 percent.	18	Mr. Wilds; do they not?
19	Q. 70 percent of your activities as a drug dealer	19	A. I don't think so.
20	were procurement of drugs where you made no money?	20	Q. You start new jobs; correct?
21	A. Yes, ma'am.	21	A. Yes. It was my 17th birthday.
22	Q. Okay. So you really weren't doing anything	22	Q. Okay. And, now, you didn't work there very
23	wrong; were you?	23	long; did you?
24	A. Yes, ma'am.	24	A. A little over a year.
25	Q. You were?	25	Q. A little over a year. You were ultimately --

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1 well, you left; did you not?	1 Q. Physically?
2 A. Yes, ma'am.	2 A. Yes, it is.
3 Q. And, sir, you are aware that on your discharge	3 Q. Now, sir, you are aware that there were
4 summary, it was noted "do not rehire"; right?	4 dumpsters right near the Pet Smart?
5 A. No.	5 A. Yes, ma'am.
6 Q. You're not surprised?	6 Q. They're plainly visible; are they not?
7 A. I didn't read it, but --	7 A. Yes, ma'am.
8 Q. But that's not a surprise to you; is it?	8 Q. Now, in the front and in the back?
9 A. No, ma'am.	9 A. No, ma'am. They're not visible in the front.
10 Q. You had a hard time getting to work when you	10 Q. Your duties didn't include your putting items
11 were supposed to?	11 into the dumpsters; did it?
12 A. No, ma'am.	12 A. Yes, it did.
13 Q. You are aware, are you not, your employment	13 Q. Okay. So you were intimately aware of where
14 records from Pet Smart --	14 those dumpsters were located; is that correct?
15 THE COURT: Please keep your voice up, Ms.	15 A. Correct.
16 Gutierrez. We're losing you.	16 Q. Now, F and M, is that located on the other side
17 MS. GUTIERREZ: Yes, Your Honor.	17 of the baby store?
18 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	18 A. No, ma'am.
19 Q. You are aware, Mr. Wilds, that your employment	19 Q. It's on the same side as Pet smart; is it not?
20 records from Pet Smart indicate that you had a hard time	20 A. Yes, ma'am.
21 getting to work when you were supposed to?	21 Q. In fact, it's closer to Pet Smart; is it not?
22 A. I may have been late, but I wouldn't say a hard	22 A. Yes.
23 time.	23 Q. Okay. And you are aware that there were
24 Q. Now, sir, there were often times you --	24 dumpsters that belonged to F and M; is that correct?
25 (Pause.)	25 A. Yes, ma'am.
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1 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	1 Q. Now, sir, back in January of 1999, when you had
2 Q. There were often times when you were constantly	2 two years of experience of dealing drugs, and you were,
3 written up because you just didn't show up?	3 as you tell us, doing 70 percent of your drug dealing for
4 A. Yes, ma'am.	4 no money, were you a person who also used drugs?
5 Q. And that you would not be surprised to know	5 A. Yes. I smoked marijuana.
6 that Pet Smart wouldn't rehire you?	6 Q. Okay. Now, sir, you described for us the
7 A. No, I'm not.	7 events of January 13th yesterday; did you not?
8 Q. Okay. Now, sir, you know where the location	8 A. Yes, ma'am.
9 is, where Pet Smart is; right?	9 Q. And among those events, you spoke of drugs; did
10 A. Correct.	10 you not?
11 Q. Because for over a year, you reported there on	11 A. Yes, ma'am.
12 a regular or irregular basis; did you not?	12 Q. Well, you told us yesterday it was in the
13 A. Yes, ma'am.	13 afternoon of the 13th, while waiting for a call, you went
14 Q. And you know its proximity to F and M?	14 to Crysta Vinson's house; is that correct?
15 A. Yes, ma'am.	15 A. Yes, ma'am.
16 Q. Correct? In the same shopping center?	16 Q. Now, Crysta Vinson was a friend of yours, was
17 A. Yes, ma'am.	17 she not?
18 Q. Correct? It's on the side of, it's closer to	18 A. Yes, ma'am.
19 Route 40 than F and M and the baby store are; isn't it?	19 Q. Not just a mere acquaintance?
20 A. They're about equal distance.	20 A. No, ma'am.
21 Q. Okay. Now, the Pet Smart is on the side; is it	21 Q. Correct? And when you went -- and that was in
22 not?	22 the afternoon; correct?
23 A. Yes.	23 A. In the evening, yes.
24 Q. It's not connected to the baby store; is it?	24 Q. In the evening?
25 A. Office Depot.	25 A. Yes.

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1 Q. Now, by evening, what would be the cut-off 2 between the afternoon and the evening?	1 yesterday, is that you described searching for a strip; 2 do you recall that?
3 A. I take it as afternoon ending about 3:00.	3 A. Yes, ma'am.
4 Q. Okay. So 3:00, anything below, meaning later 5 than 3:00, you would call the evening; is that correct?	4 Q. And that was a term that you used earlier; was 5 it not?
6 A. Early evening.	6 A. Yes, ma'am.
7 Q. So you expected when you went to Crysta's house 8 after 3:00; is that correct?	7 Q. You used it when you spoke to the police for 8 the first time on February 28th; is that correct?
9 A. Yes, ma'am.	9 A. Yes, ma'am.
10 Q. And you were expecting a phone call; were you 11 not?	10 Q. The time that you spoke to the police, you 11 defined, because they asked you what did that mean; did 12 you not?
12 A. Pardon me? When are you -- I'm sorry. At 13 Chrystie's?	13 A. Yes, ma'am.
14 Q. Yes?	14 Q. And you told them that a strip was a term that 15 meant where you (inaudible); is that correct?
15 A. Yes.	16 A. Yes, ma'am.
16 Q. Okay. And the phone call that you expected, 17 what you told us yesterday, was from your acquaintance 18 Adnan; is that correct?	17 Q. Strip as you used it doesn't refer to a place 18 like a strip mall; right?
19 A. Yes.	19 A. No, ma'am.
20 Q. But while you were at Crysta Vinson's house, 21 your friend?	20 Q. Or a strip of land; right?
22 A. Yes.	21 A. No, ma'am.
23 Q. You imbibed in drugs; did you not?	22 Q. Or a strip of a curb; right?
24 A. Yes.	23 A. No, ma'am.
25 Q. That was a place were you often did that; did	24 Q. Or a strip of anything else; correct?
	25 A. In context, no, ma'am.
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1 you not?	1 Q. You use that word to describe a place where 2 drugs are bought; is that correct?
2 A. Yes, ma'am.	3 A. Yes, ma'am.
3 Q. And generally, when you went to Crysta's house, 4 who brought the dope?	4 Q. And you, sir, back in January, specifically, 5 January 13, 1999, knew where the bulk of strips were; did 6 you not?
5 A. Marijuana.	7 A. Yes, ma'am.
6 Q. Who brought it?	8 Q. That's part of your trade; was it not?
7 A. I did.	9 A. I wouldn't call it a trade, but part of my 10 knowledge, yes.
8 Q. You did? Generally, you would bring the dope 9 to her house; is that correct?	11 Q. Mr. Urick asked you were you still drug 12 trafficking. Is that a better term for you?
10 A. Generally, I would bring the marijuana, yes.	13 A. Okay.
11 Q. And when you would show up to her house with 12 marijuana, she would smoke it with you?	14 Q. Is it?
13 A. Yes, ma'am.	15 A. It's fine with me.
14 Q. Would she not?	16 Q. So trafficking is fine to describe what you 17 did?
15 A. Yes, ma'am.	18 A. No, ma'am.
16 Q. You smoked several times a day; did you not?	19 Q. Now, sir, would you agree that trafficking in 20 drugs is a business?
17 A. Yes, ma'am.	21 A. No, ma'am.
18 Q. Almost every day; did you not?	22 Q. Sir, when you dealt drugs, or trafficked in 23 drugs, or dealt in the drug trade in 1997, --
19 A. Yes, ma'am.	24 A. Yes, ma'am.
20 Q. Okay. And you, sir, procured your own dope for 21 yourself; did you not?	25 Q. -- were you engaged in the procurement of drugs
22 A. Marijuana, yes.	
23 Q. Okay. And, but you procured it; did you not?	
24 A. Yes, ma'am.	
25 Q. One of the terms that was used, Mr. Wilds,	

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1 whereby 70 percent of your trade didn't involve your 2 getting a piece?	1 A. Yes, ma'am.
3 A. In '99.	2 Q. She usually did; did she not?
4 Q. 1997?	3 A. Yes, ma'am.
5 A. '97 you're asking?	4 Q. It was one of the reasons you had a
6 Q. Yes?	5 relationship with Crysta Vinson; was it not?
7 A. No, ma'am.	6 A. In the beginning, yes.
8 Q. In 1997, a hundred percent of your trade 9 involved your getting a piece; isn't that correct?	7 Q. Because you met Crysta Vinson through your 8 friend Jan, who's a --
10 A. No, ma'am.	9 A. Jen.
11 Q. Most of your trade?	10 Q. Jen?
12 A. Yes, ma'am.	11 A. Yes.
13 Q. Okay. And by "most," that would be fair to 14 say, it was more than 50 percent; correct?	12 Q. J-E-N; correct?
15 A. Yes, ma'am.	13 A. Yes.
16 Q. And it was more than 60 percent; was it not?	14 Q. Her real name is Jennifer?
17 A. Yes, ma'am.	15 A. Yes, ma'am.
18 Q. It was more than 70 percent; is that correct?	16 Q. Okay. And Jennifer Pusateri was your friend,
19 A. A little more, yes.	17 was she not?
20 Q. But somehow, between 1997 and 1999, you flip- 21 flopped that?	18 A. Yes, I'm sorry.
22 A. Yes, ma'am.	19 Q. She went to Woodlawn at the same time that you 20 did?
23 Q. Correct? Now, sir, you went to Crysta Vinson's 24 house that day sometime after three o'clock; is that 25 correct?	21 A. Yes, ma'am.
	22 Q. You two were very, very close; were you not?
	23 A. Yes, ma'am.
	24 Q. And Jen introduced you to Crysta; did she not?
	25 A. Yes.
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1 A. Yes, ma'am.	1 Q. Thereafter, meaning after that event, you then 2 felt free enough to go visit Crysta alone?
2 Q. But before it was dark; correct?	3 A. Yes, ma'am.
3 A. Yes, ma'am. Just as it was getting dark.	4 Q. You didn't need Jen to be along, did you?
4 Q. Just as it was getting dark?	5 A. No, ma'am.
5 A. Yes, ma'am.	6 Q. But sometimes you would still visit Crysta with 7 Jen; correct?
6 Q. And it was getting dark back then in January of 7 1999, shortly before five o'clock; was it not?	8 A. Correct.
8 A. Yes, ma'am.	9 Q. But every time you went to Crysta's generally, 10 you smoked marijuana?
9 Q. Much like now?	11 A. I wouldn't say every.
10 A. Yes, ma'am.	12 Q. Every, but most?
11 Q. Correct?	13 A. Most, yeah.
12 A. Yes, ma'am.	14 Q. And every time, the most times that you smoked 15 marijuana, you would do so together with Crysta?
13 Q. Very much like this time of year?	16 A. Yes, ma'am.
14 A. Yes, ma'am.	17 Q. And if Jen went along, together with Jen also?
15 Q. Was it not?	18 A. Yes, ma'am.
16 A. Yes.	19 Q. And if Jeff, Crysta's boyfriend happened to be 20 there, with him also?
17 Q. The days were short?	21 A. Yes, ma'am.
18 A. Yes, ma'am.	22 Q. It's something you all did?
19 Q. Isn't that correct?	23 A. Yes, ma'am.
20 A. Correct.	24 Q. But you were always the one to bring the drugs?
21 Q. And so just before it was getting dark, you 22 went to Crysta Vinson's house, and you smoked marijuana; 23 did you not?	25 A. Not always, but most of the time.
24 A. Yes, ma'am.	
25 Q. And Crysta Vinson, did she also smoke with you?	

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- 1 Q. Sometimes Crysta had her own?
 2 A. Yes, ma'am.
 3 Q. Did she not? And sometimes Jeff had his own;
 4 right?
 5 A. Yes.
 6 Q. And sometimes Jen had her own; right?
 7 A. Yes, ma'am.
 8 Q. But most of the times you went there, you and
 9 generally somebody else were smoking dope?
 10 A. Marijuana, yes.
 11 Q. Marijuana. Do you recall, was it marijuana
 12 every time?
 13 A. I recall that we would --
 14 Q. Weed?
 15 A. Dope is something different to me.
 16 Q. So you trafficked in weed; is that correct?
 17 A. Yes, ma'am.
 18 Q. Now, --
 19 A. No, I'm sorry.
 20 Q. Now, the strips -- well, sir, I thought we
 21 agreed. You answered Mr. Urick's question yesterday.
 22 A. You asked me if I trafficked.
 23 MR. URICK: Objection.
 24 THE COURT: Overruled. I haven't heard the
 25 question yet.

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- 1 "trafficking"; didn't you, Mr. Wilds?
 2 A. Yes, ma'am.
 3 Q. Okay. That is the procurement and the sale of
 4 any illegal substance; is that correct?
 5 A. Yes, ma'am.
 6 Q. That which you did at least back to 1997;
 7 correct?
 8 A. Yes, ma'am.
 9 Q. 1997, sir, you were how old?
 10 A. 17.
 11 Q. 17. And, sir, you were a student full-time in
 12 a public high school; is that correct?
 13 MR. URICK: Objection.
 14 THE COURT: Sustained.
 15 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 16 Q. The bulk of your trafficking in the illegal
 17 drug weed occurred at your high school; did it not?
 18 A. No, ma'am, it did not.
 19 Q. It occurred off your high school?
 20 A. Yes, ma'am.
 21 Q. Now, sir, you procured drugs for your friends,
 22 as you've described it; right?
 23 A. Yes, ma'am.
 24 Q. But early on, you would make them pay; would
 25 you not?

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- 1 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 2 Q. Mr. Wilds, you recall that yesterday Mr. Urick
 3 asked you if you were still a drug dealer?
 4 A. Yes.
 5 Q. Do you recall that?
 6 A. Yes.
 7 Q. And trafficked, sir, is a term you understand?
 8 A. Yes.
 9 Q. Do you not?
 10 A. But you asked me earlier.
 11 Q. It is the trafficking of drugs; is it not? And
 12 drugs -- is that a yes, sir?
 13 A. Trafficking of drugs is drug trafficking, yes.
 14 Q. Okay. And the trafficking means the passing on
 15 of any illegal substance that qualifies as a drug; does
 16 it not?
 17 A. Yes.
 18 Q. And that includes marijuana; is that not right?
 19 Marijuana is an illegal substance; is it not?
 20 MR. URICK: Objection.
 21 THE COURT: Sustained as to the form of the
 22 question. That's a minute we'll never have back. Can't
 23 you two agree on words?
 24 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 25 Q. You understood my use of the term

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- 1 A. Yes, ma'am.
 2 Q. You weren't somebody who brought the drugs just
 3 as a favor to your friends?
 4 A. No, ma'am.
 5 Q. No. You made your friends who wanted to smoke
 6 weed pay for it?
 7 A. My friends?
 8 Q. Yes.
 9 A. No, not my friends. My acquaintances.
 10 Q. Well, you didn't just bring drugs and procure
 11 drugs for your friends for no money, did you?
 12 A. My friends, yes.
 13 Q. Okay. So, sir, it is your testimony that from
 14 the beginning, notwithstanding that you were a drug
 15 trafficker, that you got drugs, procured drugs for your
 16 friends for no money?
 17 MR. URICK: Objection.
 18 THE COURT: Sustained.
 19 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 20 Q. Mr. Wilds, on January the 13th, we were talking
 21 about the first time that you went to your friend's,
 22 Crysta Vinson's house; correct?
 23 A. Correct.
 24 Q. Sometime after three o'clock; is that correct?
 25 A. Correct.

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1 Q. And you told us yesterday that you were waiting
2 for a call from your acquaintance Adnan; is that correct?
3 A. Yes, ma'am.
4 Q. You had his car; correct?
5 A. Yes, ma'am.
6 Q. And you had his cell phone; correct?
7 A. Yes, ma'am.
8 Q. You knew that his cell phone was a new thing;
9 did you not?
10 A. No, ma'am, I did not.
11 Q. You didn't have the cell phone; did you?
12 A. No, ma'am; I did not.
13 Q. And that day, sir, was not the only day you had
14 Adnan's car; was it?
15 A. Yes, ma'am.
16 Q. Generally -- and you didn't have his car after
17 that day; did you?
18 A. No, ma'am.
19 Q. So the only day you ever had his car was on the
20 13th of January, 1999?
21 A. Once after.
22 Q. One time after?
23 A. Yes, ma'am.
24 Q. Well, you were aware that shortly after your
25 middle-of-the-night conversation that was taped with

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1 THE COURT: Sustained.
2 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
3 Q. Sir, prior to testifying today, Mr. Urick
4 prepared you; did he not?
5 A. I met with Mr. Urick briefly on two occasions.
6 Q. On two occasions prior to taking that witness
7 stand; is that correct?
8 A. Yes, ma'am.
9 Q. And you met with Detective MacGillivary and
10 Ritz on two occasions; did you not?
11 A. Yes, ma'am.
12 Q. And you are aware, sir, that the second
13 occasion you met with Detective MacGillivary and Ritz,
14 one of the reasons it was occasioned was because they
15 knew that you lied about certain things in your first
16 statement that was made in the middle of the night, in
17 the early morning hours of February 28th?
18 A. Yes, ma'am.
19 Q. Yes. You knew that. You didn't have to think
20 about that, did you?
21 MR. URICK: Objection.
22 THE COURT: Sustained.
23 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
24 Q. You knew -- you knew before my question, before
25 Mr. Urick's question yesterday, that you had lied to the

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1 Detective MacGillivary and Detective Ritz in the bowels
2 of Police Department building, that Adnan Syed was
3 arrested?
4 A. Pardon me?
5 Q. You were aware, sir, that shortly after your
6 conversation, beginning at 1:30 a.m. on the 28th of
7 February, that Adnan Syed was arrested?
8 A. No, ma'am, I'm not.
9 Q. You are not aware of that?
10 A. No, ma'am, I'm not.
11 Q. Now, sir, at 1:30 in the morning, you were
12 picked up and taken to headquarters; were you not?
13 A. Yes, ma'am.
14 Q. And you gave them a statement; did you not?
15 A. Yes, ma'am.
16 Q. And you told us yesterday, on Mr. Urick's
17 prodding, that in that statement, you lied; correct?
18 A. Yes, ma'am.
19 Q. Okay. And you did lie, didn't you?
20 A. The first statement?
21 Q. Yes, sir?
22 A. Yes, ma'am.
23 Q. You didn't have to hesitate to think about
24 that, did you?
25 MR. URICK: Objection.

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1 police?
2 MR. URICK: Objection.
3 THE COURT: Overruled.
4 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
5 Q. Did you not?
6 A. Yes, ma'am.
7 Q. You, in fact, when you were caught lying,
8 admitted lying; did you not?
9 A. Yes, ma'am.
10 Q. And one of the reasons that you told us was
11 that because of things about your background?
12 A. Yes, ma'am.
13 Q. Okay. And the things about which you were
14 concerned was your drug trafficking; correct?
15 A. Yes, ma'am.
16 Q. Now, you said that Adnan knew about that?
17 A. Yes, ma'am.
18 Q. Lots of people knew about that; did they not?
19 A. I wouldn't say lots, but, yes.
20 Q. Well, sir, there was the period of time at
21 least when you began, before you became altruistic, that
22 you trafficked in the drug of weed for money?
23 MR. URICK: Objection.
24 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
25 Q. Did you not?

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1	THE COURT: Sustained.	
2	BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	
3	Q. Sir, there was a period of time in which you	1 with your acquaintance, Adnan Syed; is that correct?
4	had the expectation of an economic reward for the	2 A. They are very good friends.
5	business you were in?	3 Q. In January? And you knew -- in January of
6	MR. URICK: Objection.	4 1999, sir, you didn't own a car; did you?
7	THE COURT: Sustained.	5 A. No, ma'am.
8	BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	6 Q. You worked at the porn store; did you not?
9	Q. And sir, you dealt drugs to people more than	7 A. Yes, ma'am.
10	your friends; did you not?	8 Q. And that's not located within walking distance
11	MR. URICK: Objection.	9 of where you then lived?
12	THE COURT: Sustained.	10 A. I walked several times, but no, ma'am.
13	BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	11 Q. It's not really in walking distance; is it?
14	Q. You smoked drugs with people more than just	12 A. No, ma'am.
15	your friends?	13 Q. And you didn't want to have to walk to work at
16	MR. URICK: Objection.	14 the porn store, did you?
17	THE COURT: Overruled.	15 A. No, ma'am.
18	BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	16 Q. And other than the several times you've
19	Q. Did you not?	17 described to us, on your normal way to get to work meant
20	A. No, ma'am.	18 that you would dependent on someone else?
21	Q. Sir, you described Adnan Syed, when asked to	19 A. Yes, ma'am.
22	describe him by Mr. Urick, --	20 Q. And generally, your girlfriend, who was a year
23	THE COURT: Please keep your voice up, Ms.	21 behind you, she went to class every day; did she not?
24	Gutierrez.	22 A. Yes, ma'am.
25	BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	23 Q. And class at Woodlawn High School started at
		24 7:45 in the morning; did it not?
		25 A. Yes, ma'am.
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1	Q. -- as an acquaintance; do you recall?	1 Q. And it ended, depending upon whether you were a
2	A. Yes, ma'am.	2 G.T. student or a standard student, at either 2:15 or
3	Q. And an acquaintance, sir, in your definition,	3 three o'clock; isn't that correct?
4	is somebody different than a friend?	4 A. Yes, ma'am.
5	A. Yes, ma'am.	5 Q. And generally, during that winter, sir, you
6	Q. Somebody you know less well?	6 were able to have your girlfriend's car; were you not?
7	A. Yes, ma'am.	7 A. Sometimes, yes.
8	Q. Correct? Somebody with whom you have less	8 Q. Now, sir, do you recall my asking a question
9	contact?	9 about your religion?
10	A. Yes, ma'am.	10 A. Pardon me?
11	Q. Is that correct? On a social level; is that	11 Q. Do you recall my asking you questions about
12	correct?	12 your religion?
13	A. Yes, ma'am.	13 A. Yes.
14	Q. And prior to the 13th of January, you've told	14 MR. URICK: Objection.
15	us you had never borrowed or had your acquaintance's car;	15 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
16	is that correct?	16 Q. Though you don't practice it sir, you are
17	A. Yes, ma'am.	17 familiar with the tenets of the Baptist religion; are you
18	Q. You knew of him, and he held acquaintanceship	18 not?
19	status, because of his relationship with his fellow G.T.	19 MR. URICK: Objection.
20	student, Stephanie?	20 THE COURT: Sustained.
21	A. No, ma'am.	21 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
22	Q. You knew of that relationship; did you not?	22 Q. Sir, does your religion, whether ever there is
23	A. Yes, ma'am.	23 a time you practiced it, prohibit you from dating more
24	Q. Okay. And you knew of the closeness of your	24 than one girl at a time?
25	girlfriend, Stephanie, your then-girlfriend, Stephanie,	25 MR. URICK: Objection.

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1 THE COURT: Sustained.
 2 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 3 Q. Sir, while Stephanie was your girlfriend back
 4 in January of 1999, you had her car often; did you not?
 5 A. Yes, ma'am.
 6 Q. Sometimes you'd have her car every day; would
 7 you not?
 8 A. Often and every day are not the same. Often,
 9 yes. Often.
 10 Q. Often. Sometimes five days a week?
 11 A. No, ma'am.
 12 Q. Sometimes four days a week?
 13 A. Yes, ma'am.
 14 Q. Okay. And sometime that would be four days a
 15 week --
 16 THE COURT: Hold on for a second.
 17 (Pause.)
 18 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 19 Q. Sometimes that would be four days a week, week
 20 after week; is that correct?
 21 A. Yes, ma'am.
 22 Q. Generally, your girlfriend Stephanie would lend
 23 you her car; is that correct?
 24 A. On several occasions, yes.
 25 Q. Okay. Well, it was more than several

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1 occasions; was it not?
 2 MR. URICK: Objection.
 3 THE COURT: Sustained.
 4 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 5 Q. Stephanie, in January of 1999, was 17 or 18,
 6 sir?
 7 A. Pardon me?
 8 Q. Stephanie, your girlfriend in 1999, January,
 9 was 17 or 18?
 10 A. She was 18.
 11 Q. She turned 18 on January 13th; correct?
 12 A. Correct.
 13 Q. And this was a girl currently your girlfriend,
 14 a young woman you had known since you were in seventh
 15 grade, she was in sixth grade; right?
 16 A. No, ma'am.
 17 Q. When she was in seventh grade and you were in
 18 eighth grade; correct?
 19 A. Yes, ma'am.
 20 Q. But she'd been your girlfriend before January
 21 of 1999; correct?
 22 A. Yes, ma'am.
 23 Q. She lent you her car sometimes as often as four
 24 days a week; is that correct?
 25 MR. URICK: Objection.

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1 THE COURT: Sustained.
 2 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 3 Q. And she actually lent you her car more than on
 4 just several occasions; didn't she?
 5 MR. URICK: Objection.
 6 THE COURT: Overruled.
 7 THE WITNESS: No, ma'am.
 8 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 9 Q. Okay. So your testimony is that she only lent
 10 you her car on several occasions?
 11 A. Yes, ma'am.
 12 Q. So at least one week, where she lent it to you
 13 four days a week; right?
 14 A. Yes, ma'am.
 15 Q. And then a couple of other times?
 16 A. Yes, ma'am.
 17 Q. And who else's car would you borrow?
 18 A. Laura [REDACTED] Jen Pusateri's, Chris
 19 [REDACTED]
 20 Q. Your friend, Jen Pusateri's; correct?
 21 A. Yes, ma'am.
 22 Q. Your very special friend; correct? And Laura
 23 [REDACTED] was she a student?
 24 A. Yes, ma'am.
 25 Q. A student with you?

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1 A. No, ma'am.
 2 Q. Okay. And did your girlfriend, in January,
 3 know about Laura?
 4 A. Yes, ma'am.
 5 Q. Okay. And you borrowed Laura's car how often?
 6 A. I think all together, it's probably about eight
 7 times.
 8 Q. Eight times? And would eight times determine
 9 the same word to describe it? Is that several times?
 10 A. No, ma'am.
 11 Q. Okay. Is that more than several times?
 12 A. No, ma'am.
 13 Q. Or less than?
 14 A. Less than several.
 15 Q. So several, to you, as you use it, means more
 16 than eight?
 17 A. Yes, ma'am.
 18 Q. Does it mean more than ten?
 19 A. Yes, ma'am.
 20 Q. Okay. So you borrowed your friend Laura's car
 21 less than you borrowed your friend Stephanie's car?
 22 A. Yes, ma'am.
 23 Q. Is that correct? And from whom else did you
 24 borrow a car?
 25 A. Chris [REDACTED]

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- 1 Q. Chris [REDACTED] Now, Chris [REDACTED],
 2 that's a male; is it not?
 3 A. Yes, ma'am.
 4 Q. And that was also a student at Woodlawn?
 5 A. Yes, ma'am.
 6 Q. And that's a name that you mentioned to
 7 Detective MacGillivary and Detective Ritz; is it not?
 8 A. Yes, ma'am.
 9 Q. The names that you mentioned to Detective
 10 MacGillivary and Ritz included Chris Baskerville;
 11 correct? He was a friend; correct?
 12 A. Yes, ma'am.
 13 Q. He was someone with whom you had smoked the
 14 illegal substance of weed?
 15 A. On occasion.
 16 Q. On one occasion?
 17 A. Yes, ma'am.
 18 Q. That's less than several; right?
 19 A. Yes, ma'am.
 20 Q. Just a single occasion?
 21 MR. URICK: Objection.
 22 THE COURT: Sustained.
 23 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 24 Q. That you smoked --
 25 THE COURT: Sustained.

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- 1 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 2 Q. -- with Chris [REDACTED] But he was a name
 3 that you gave to the detectives in the early morning
 4 hours of February 28th; is that correct?
 5 A. Uh-huh.
 6 Q. Okay. Is that a yes?
 7 A. I'm sorry. Yes.
 8 Q. Okay. Now, Mr. Wilds, the other name that you
 9 gave to the detectives was your good friend Jen; is that
 10 correct?
 11 A. Yes, ma'am.
 12 Q. Now, you told us yesterday that you went to
 13 that house where Jen lives to see your friend Mark; is
 14 that correct?
 15 A. Yes, ma'am.
 16 Q. And that you spent a period of time there
 17 playing video games; is that correct?
 18 A. Yes, ma'am.
 19 Q. Mark is your good friend Jen's baby brother; is
 20 he not?
 21 A. Yes, ma'am.
 22 Q. He was 15 years old on January the 13th; was he
 23 not?
 24 A. I do not know. Okay, yes.
 25 Q. That's sounds right; doesn't it?

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- 1 A. Yes.
 2 Q. You don't have to think about that?
 3 MR. URICK: Objection.
 4 THE COURT: Sustained.
 5 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 6 Q. You knew, sir, because you had just turned 19,
 7 that this was a boy four years younger than you; did you
 8 not?
 9 A. I wasn't aware of his age, but yes, he was
 10 younger than me.
 11 Q. You knew he went to high school; did you not?
 12 A. Yes, ma'am.
 13 Q. You knew he was barely a sophomore then; did
 14 you not?
 15 A. Yes, ma'am.
 16 Q. So you knew that he was three-plus years
 17 younger than you were; is that correct?
 18 A. That's correct.
 19 Q. But, you told us yesterday that your purpose
 20 was that you went there to see him, your friend; is that
 21 correct?
 22 A. Correct.
 23 Q. So you described 15-year old sophomore student
 24 Mark Pusateri as your friend?
 25 A. Yes, ma'am.

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- 1 Q. Is that correct? And you met that friend
 2 through your other good friend Jen?
 3 A. Yes, ma'am.
 4 Q. And your purpose in going there that day was
 5 not to see Jen, it was to see your friend Mark?
 6 A. Yes, ma'am.
 7 Q. And did you smoke weed with him?
 8 A. No, ma'am, I did not.
 9 Q. You were already high?
 10 A. No, ma'am, I was not.
 11 Q. Now, sir, that day, the 13th, was your
 12 girlfriend's birthday; is that correct?
 13 A. That's correct.
 14 Q. You knew that it was her birthday before the
 15 13th; did you not?
 16 A. Yes, ma'am.
 17 Q. For as long as you've known Stephanie, you've
 18 known that your birthday is on the 12th and her birthday
 19 is on the 13th; is that correct?
 20 MR. URICK: Objection.
 21 THE COURT: If she wants to use her hour this
 22 way, and it has been an hour, I will let her do it.
 23 Overruled.
 24 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 25 Q. Is that correct, sir?

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- 1 A. Could you ask me the question again.
 2 Q. You didn't understand it?
 3 A. I want to make sure I'm clear about it.
 4 Q. Sir, your birthday is on the 12th; is it not?
 5 A. Yes.
 6 Q. Her birthday is on the 13th; is it not?
 7 A. Yes.
 8 Q. That wasn't news to you on the 13th, was it?
 9 MR. URICK: Objection.
 10 THE COURT: Sustained.
 11 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 12 Q. You knew ahead of time that you had to prepare
 13 for her birthday; did you not?
 14 A. Yes, ma'am.
 15 Q. Your sole contact with Stephanie that day on
 16 the 13th was late that evening; was it not?
 17 A. Yes, ma'am.
 18 Q. You had your good friend Jennifer Pusateri ride
 19 you over to Stephanie's house late at night; did you not?
 20 A. Yes, ma'am.
 21 Q. And your good friend Jennifer Pusateri waited
 22 in the car?
 23 A. Yes, ma'am.
 24 Q. While you delivered your present to Stephanie?
 25 A. Yes, ma'am.

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- 1 Q. After all the events of the day; is that
 2 correct?
 3 A. Yes, ma'am.
 4 Q. Now, Jennifer stayed in the car on purpose; did
 5 she not?
 6 A. No, ma'am.
 7 Q. You didn't normally socialize with Stephanie
 8 and Jen together, did you?
 9 A. No, ma'am.
 10 Q. You would socialize with Stephanie separate and
 11 apart from your socializing with Jen; is that correct?
 12 A. Yes, ma'am.
 13 Q. And, of course, there would never be joint
 14 socializing with Mark and Stephanie; right?
 15 A. Yes, ma'am.
 16 Q. Even though he was your friend; is that
 17 correct?
 18 A. I'm sorry. Yes, there was.
 19 Q. Mark was your friend?
 20 A. Mark was my friend, and it would --
 21 Q. Mark wasn't an acquaintance?
 22 A. There would be -- there would be joint
 23 socializing.
 24 Q. Okay. Mark wasn't an acquaintance?
 25 A. No.

- 1 Q. Was he? And he wasn't an independent friend of
 2 your girlfriend's, was he?
 3 A. Yes.
 4 Q. Yes? Independent of you?
 5 A. Of me? Yes.
 6 Q. Okay. And -- but Stephanie and your friend Jen
 7 didn't independently socialize?
 8 A. Yes, they did.
 9 Q. Sir, on the 13th of January, the birthday of
 10 your girlfriend, though, you didn't see her until late in
 11 the evening, you, of course, spoke to her; did you not?
 12 A. No, I don't remember speaking to her earlier.
 13 Q. And you didn't speak to her -- she didn't have
 14 a cell phone, did she?
 15 A. Not at this time, I don't believe.
 16 Q. Not back then; is that correct?
 17 A. Right.
 18 Q. And to your knowledge, sir, when Adnan Syed
 19 gave you his car, you knew that his cell phone was a new
 20 thing; did you not?
 21 A. No, ma'am, I did not.
 22 Q. Okay. So you didn't know, because he was just
 23 an acquaintance, whether or not he had a cell phone
 24 before that?
 25 A. Right.

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- 1 Q. Is that correct?
 2 A. Correct.
 3 Q. Okay. And, sir, you've told us that your first
 4 contact with your acquaintance Adnan Syed was sometime in
 5 the morning hours of the 13th; is that correct?
 6 A. Yes, ma'am.
 7 Q. He called you?
 8 A. Yes, ma'am.
 9 Q. Correct? To hook up on that particular day?
 10 A. The morning, yes.
 11 Q. Is that correct? You didn't call him?
 12 A. No, ma'am, I did not.
 13 Q. And you had no idea whether or not he had his
 14 cell phone; correct?
 15 A. Yes, ma'am, I did.
 16 Q. Well, did you know that before the 13th when
 17 you hooked up?
 18 A. No, ma'am, I did not.
 19 Q. Did you have his number?
 20 A. No, ma'am, I did not.
 21 Q. Now, sir, you saw Adnan on a fairly regular
 22 basis at Woodlawn; did you not?
 23 A. At Woodlawn, yes.
 24 Q. Because on at least the several, more than
 25 eight occasions in which you borrowed the car, you'd have

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1 to go pick up your girlfriend; would you not?	1 were friends from school, than dealings.
2 A. Yes, ma'am.	2 Q. So out of the 1700, more than 50 percent were
3 Q. Unless someone else would agree to take her	3 people that you just knew by sight, because you attended
4 home; right?	4 the same school; right?
5 A. Yes, ma'am.	5 A. Correct.
6 Q. Because you would have her car; correct?	6 Q. Less than that number were people you had dealt
7 A. Yes, ma'am.	7 drugs?
8 Q. And because you had attended there, you were	8 A. Correct.
9 familiar with the entranceways to Woodlawn?	9 Q. You had dealt drugs to a lot of people; had you
10 A. Yes, ma'am.	10 not?
11 Q. Were you not? You knew where the gym was; did	11 A. No, ma'am.
12 you not? You knew that to be a separate entrance from	12 Q. No. How many?
13 the front entrance of the school; did you not?	13 A. I'd say there's probably a dozen.
14 A. Yes, ma'am.	14 Q. Only a dozen?
15 Q. You knew that there was a circular driveway	15 A. Yes, ma'am.
16 that went around the whole thing; did you not?	16 Q. And the people that you dealt drugs with who
17 A. Around the front?	17 attended Woodlawn, did they fit the category or friends
18 Q. Around the front?	18 that you didn't make any money off of?
19 A. Yes, ma'am.	19 A. Pardon me?
20 Q. And you knew that there was a way to drive	20 Q. Did those people at school, less than a dozen,
21 further and get toward the gym entrance, and beyond that,	21 did they fit the category of friends, people that you did
22 the fields?	22 not make money off of in your drug dealing?
23 A. Yes.	23 A. No, ma'am.
24 Q. None of that was a surprise to you?	24 Q. No. Those are people, actually, that you did
25 A. No, ma'am.	25 make money off of every time you dealt them drugs?
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1 Q. And your friend Stephanie, your girlfriend,	1 A. Not every, but most.
2 played basketball; did she not?	2 Q. Mr. Wilds, you've described that day for us, is
3 A. Yes, ma'am.	3 that the first time you smoked weed was at Crysta's
4 Q. Okay. And that wasn't the only sport she	4 house; is that correct?
5 engaged it, was it?	5 A. No, ma'am.
6 A. No, ma'am.	6 Q. Okay. Did you smoke weed before you arrived at
7 Q. She was an athlete, was she not?	7 Crysta's?
8 A. Correct.	8 A. Yes, ma'am.
9 Q. In addition to being a scholar; is that right?	9 Q. In the early morning?
10 A. Correct.	10 A. No, ma'am.
11 Q. And on the days that you would pick her up or	11 Q. Okay. In the afternoon?
12 drop her off, you would engage in conversations with	12 A. Yes, ma'am.
13 other students; would you not?	13 Q. And while you were by yourself?
14 A. Yes, ma'am.	14 A. No, ma'am.
15 Q. Some of which you knew by sight; correct?	15 Q. With your acquaintance Adnan; is that right?
16 A. Yes, ma'am.	16 A. Yes, ma'am.
17 Q. Many of which you knew, because you had	17 Q. Now, in addition to the friends, 12 or so you
18 procured the drug of marijuana for them?	18 said, that you dealt drugs and you made money off of your
19 MR. URICK: Objection.	19 dealing from drugs, there were acquaintances other than
20 THE COURT: Overruled.	20 Adnan; correct?
21 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	21 A. Yes.
22 Q. Isn't that correct?	22 Q. Okay. And that number of acquaintances that
23 A. More or less than not.	23 you also dealt drugs to were how many?
24 Q. More or less? You mean less?	24 A. I would say maybe 15.
25 A. I knew -- I knew more of the people -- they	25 Q. Maybe 15. So, and the acquaintances, sir, when

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- 1 you dealt them drugs, did you make money off of them?
 2 A. Sometimes.
 3 Q. Sometimes, but not always?
 4 A. Not always.
 5 Q. But always, you told us, the friends, you did
 6 make money off of?
 7 A. Always, I did?
 8 Q. Yes.
 9 A. No, ma'am.
 10 Q. Well, you didn't qualify it; did you?
 11 A. Pardon me?
 12 Q. You answered that you did make money when you
 13 dealt drugs to the 12 friends; did you not?
 14 MR. URICK: Objection.
 15 THE COURT: Sustained. Sustained.
 16 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 17 Q. So, sir, it would be fair to say that you
 18 treated your acquaintances, in regard to your drug
 19 dealing, better than your friends?
 20 A. No, ma'am.
 21 Q. You wouldn't do that?
 22 MR. URICK: Objection.
 23 THE COURT: Sustained.
 24 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 25 Q. Aisha [REDACTED] --

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- 1 A. Excuse me. May I have some more water, please?
 2 THE COURT: Yes. Madam Clerk, would you fill
 3 that water for the witness?
 4 (Pause.)
 5 THE COURT: Yes, Ms. Gutierrez?
 6 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 7 Q. Aisha [REDACTED] Mr. Wilds, was she an
 8 acquaintance or a friend?
 9 A. She was an acquaintance.
 10 Q. She was an acquaintance. And Stephanie, was
 11 she someone to whom you dealt drugs?
 12 A. No, ma'am.
 13 Q. No. And was she someone with whom you smoked?
 14 A. Around her, yes.
 15 Q. Around her? So together with her, you would
 16 smoke weed; is that correct?
 17 A. Pardon me?
 18 Q. Together with her, you would smoke weed?
 19 A. She would not smoke, but I would smoke around
 20 her, yes.
 21 Q. You would smoke around her?
 22 A. Yes.
 23 Q. So your girlfriend was aware of your drug
 24 dealing; right?
 25 A. Yes.

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- 1 Q. And these 15 acquaintances were aware of your
 2 drug dealing; right?
 3 A. Vaguely, yes.
 4 Q. And these 12 -- well, is that a yes or a no?
 5 They were or weren't aware?
 6 A. In terms of "aware," what -- what -- how are
 7 you --
 8 Q. Well, you described to us that you procured
 9 drugs for at least 15 acquaintances; right?
 10 A. Correct.
 11 Q. Some in which you made money; right?
 12 A. Yes.
 13 Q. And some you didn't; correct?
 14 A. Correct.
 15 Q. All 15 of those were aware of your drug
 16 dealing; correct?
 17 A. They knew how to get in contact with me, yes.
 18 Q. Okay. People who wanted drugs knew how to get
 19 in contact with you; correct?
 20 A. Yes, ma'am.
 21 Q. And you, sir, knew where to get in contact
 22 -- in contact with the drugs; correct?
 23 A. Yes, ma'am.
 24 Q. And one of the places where you got in contact
 25 with drugs were the strips?

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- 1 A. No, ma'am.
 2 Q. Okay. Well, sir, you knew where the strips
 3 were; did you not?
 4 A. Correct.
 5 Q. Just for your own personal knowledge?
 6 A. No, ma'am.
 7 Q. Not related to your drug dealing, however;
 8 right?
 9 A. The strips are dangerous.
 10 Q. The strips are dangerous. You don't go there;
 11 right?
 12 A. No, ma'am.
 13 Q. There are strips on Edmondson Avenue, are there
 14 not?
 15 A. Correct.
 16 Q. And you were aware of that?
 17 A. Correct.
 18 Q. And you are familiar with Edmondson Avenue; are
 19 you not?
 20 A. Vaguely, yes.
 21 Q. Edmondson -- vaguely, sir?
 22 A. Yes. I've never --
 23 Q. Edmondson Avenue was an address that in the
 24 middle of the night on the 28th of February, that you
 25 give out of your mouth to Detectives MacGillivray and

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1 Ritz; isn't that correct?	1 Q. Okay. Now, on the 13th, when you picked out
2 A. Yes, ma'am.	2 the name and the location of Edmondson and Franklintown,
3 Q. And later, you admitted that that was a lie;	3 knowing it to be a strip, meaning to be a place where
4 did you not?	4 drugs are dealt, you knew physically where it was; did
5 A. Yes, ma'am.	5 you not?
6 Q. And you exchanged the Edmondson Avenue address,	6 A. Physically, yes, I knew where it was.
7 that today, you tell us you're not really familiar with,	7 Q. Physically. That place is down in Baltimore
8 for another address; did you not?	8 City; is it not?
9 A. Pardon me?	9 A. Yes.
10 Q. You exchanged the Edmondson Avenue address for	10 Q. Yes. And physically, sir, you know that
11 another address; did you not?	11 Franklintown Road is a road that starts in Baltimore
12 A. Correct.	12 City, in fact, downtown?
13 Q. Yes. So you understand what I'm saying; do you	13 A. No, ma'am.
14 not?	14 Q. Aren't you aware of that?
15 A. Yes.	15 A. I am not.
16 Q. On February 28th, in the middle of the night,	16 Q. You're aware that Franklintown Road cuts
17 starting at 1:30 in the morning, you gave Detectives	17 through Leakin Park and turns into Dogwood Road; are you
18 MacGillivary and Ritz the address of Edmondson Avenue and	18 not?
19 Franklintown Road; did you not?	19 A. I am not.
20 A. Yes.	20 Q. You aware of Dogwood Road; are you not?
21 Q. And on January 13th, you knew the name; did you	21 A. Yes, I am.
22 not?	22 Q. Dogwood is a stone's throw from Woodlawn High
23 A. Yes.	23 School; is it not?
24 Q. Because you used it. Is there a question in	24 A. Yes, ma'am.
25 there, Mr. Wilds?	25 Q. Woodlawn High School is located on Woodlawn
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1 MR. URICK: Objection.	1 Drive; is it not?
2 THE COURT: Sustained. Ms. Gutierrez, I'm	2 A. Yes, ma'am.
3 trying to get this finished again before Christmas.	3 Q. And that street runs, at some point from
4 You've used an hour. Perhaps we can be more pointed in	4 Woodlawn to the south, and that would take you to
5 the cross-examination. It might be helpful to all of us.	5 Security Boulevard, would it not?
6 Sustained.	6 A. I do not know. I'm sorry.
7 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	7 Q. You're lost at Security Boulevard; correct?
8 Q. Mr. Wilds, you picked out the address of	8 A. I know Dogwood Road, and I know Dogwood
9 Edmondson and Franklintown; did you not?	9 Station, but --
10 A. I picked out an address of a strip, yes.	10 Q. You are aware that Dogwood Road would be on the
11 Q. Okay. Of a strip?	11 north side of Woodlawn High School; are you not?
12 A. Yes.	12 A. To my recollection, that was Whitehead, but --
13 Q. Meaning a place where you buy drugs; right?	13 Q. Do you know where Dogwood Road is?
14 A. Yes, ma'am.	14 A. I know where Dogwood Road is, yes.
15 Q. Now, Adnan Syed was one of those 15	15 Q. Do you not?
16 acquaintances; was he not?	16 A. Yes.
17 A. Correct.	17 Q. And you know that Dogwood Road continues south
18 Q. A person who procured because he knew that you	18 into the city; do you not?
19 were the man to get weed up at Woodlawn?	19 A. I do not know where Dogwood Road goes.
20 A. Excuse me. Yeah, Stephanie told him so.	20 Q. You don't?
21 Q. Stephanie told him so?	21 A. No, I know of Dogwood Road, the beginning. I
22 A. He had asked her, and she had told him.	22 do not know where it goes.
23 Q. And you knew that because he told? So he came	23 Q. Franklintown Road, sir, though, is the address
24 to you through his good friend Stephanie?	24 that you used on the 28th; is it not?
25 A. Actually, it was kind of reversed, but yes.	25 A. Edmondson Avenue, yes.

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1 Q. And Edmondson Avenue. That's two streets;	1 A. That I was actually sitting down speaking with
2 right?	2 them, yes.
3 A. Yes.	3 Q. At any time, anywhere, you could have been
4 Q. Two separate streets; right?	4 standing --
5 A. Yes.	5 A. Well, I don't recall the other -- I received a
6 Q. And you know that Edmondson Avenue turns into,	6 phone call, they were trying to get in touch with me.
7 below, in Baltimore City, to Route 40?	7 Sometimes they would come and say, "We need to speak with
8 A. Yes, ma'am.	8 you at this time," but never an extensive conversation.
9 Q. Okay. It's the same road; right?	9 Q. Okay. But there were other times you spoke to
10 A. Yes, ma'am.	10 them; right?
11 Q. It just changes its name; correct?	11 A. Yeah.
12 A. Yes, ma'am.	12 Q. But the two big times you spoke to them, you
13 Q. Much like Dogwood changes its name to	13 spoke to them while a tape recorder was running?
14 Franklintown; isn't that correct?	14 A. Yes.
15 A. I'm taking your word for it. I'm not sure.	15 Q. Is that correct?
16 Q. Okay. Because you don't know where it is?	16 A. Yes.
17 A. I -- I'm sorry.	17 Q. And that was with your consent; was it not?
18 Q. But you are aware that Franklintown	18 A. Yes.
19 intersecting with Edmondson exists inside the city	19 Q. And you didn't have Ms. Benaroya present to
20 limits; is that correct?	20 represent you, did you?
21 A. I physically know that Edmondson Avenue goes	21 A. No, ma'am.
22 into the city. I don't know where the line is, or where	22 Q. No. You didn't have a lawyer, did you?
23 -- I would say it was in the city.	23 A. No, ma'am.
24 Q. Okay. You don't have much question about that,	24 Q. You gave up the right to a lawyer; did you not?
25 do you?	25 MR. URICK: Objection.
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1 MR. URICK: Objection.	1 THE COURT: Basis?
2 THE COURT: Sustained. Sustained.	2 MR. URICK: Relevance?
3 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	3 THE COURT: Okay. Overruled.
4 Q. Now, Mr. Wilds, that address is known to you to	4 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
5 be a strip?	5 Q. You gave up the right to a lawyer; did you not?
6 A. Correct.	6 A. I did not obtain a lawyer, because I had not
7 Q. Is it not?	7 been charged. I did not have the money.
8 A. Correct.	8 Q. On the 28th -- well, you recall on the 28th,
9 Q. Edmondson Avenue below the city line, below	9 you had long conversations with Detective MacGillivary
10 Hilton Parkway, contains a lot of strips; does it not?	10 and Ritz; did you not?
11 A. Correct.	11 A. Yes, ma'am.
12 Q. And at the strips, they deal all kinds of	12 Q. You signed a document; did you not?
13 drugs; do they not?	13 A. Yes, ma'am.
14 A. Correct.	14 Q. That gave up your right to have a lawyer; did
15 Q. And you've already told us they're pretty	15 you not?
16 dangerous places?	16 A. Present at that time, yes.
17 A. Correct.	17 Q. And that document told you that a lawyer would
18 Q. You know the locations; is that correct?	18 be appointed for you if you wanted one; did it not?
19 A. Correct.	19 A. Yes, ma'am, but --
20 Q. And that's the first place that you told	20 Q. Yes. So you knew that; did you not?
21 Detectives MacGillivary and Ritz was where you're buying	21 A. No, ma'am.
22 drugs; is that correct?	22 Q. So, sir, notwithstanding what Detectives
23 A. Correct.	23 MacGillivary and Ritz told you that, you didn't believe
24 Q. And you told them later, on the 15th of March -	24 them?
25 - now, those are the only two times you spoke to them?	25 A. Pardon?

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<p>1 Q. Notwithstanding the fact that they told --</p> <p>2 THE COURT: Could you please keep your voice</p> <p>3 up, Ms. Gutierrez?</p> <p>4 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:</p> <p>5 Q. Mr. Wilds, you recall signing the document?</p> <p>6 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>7 Q. Giving up the right to a lawyer; is that</p> <p>8 correct?</p> <p>9 A. At the present time, yes.</p> <p>10 Q. You didn't tell Detectives MacGillivary or Ritz</p> <p>11 that you wanted to lawyer; did you?</p> <p>12 A. One occasion, yes.</p> <p>13 Q. And they questioned you notwithstanding that?</p> <p>14 A. Pardon me?</p> <p>15 Q. They continued to question you, even though you</p> <p>16 asked for a lawyer?</p> <p>17 A. I asked how would I go about getting one.</p> <p>18 Q. And they told you that you'd have to hire one?</p> <p>19 A. They told me I'd have to contact the State's</p> <p>20 Attorney's Office or I would have to hire one myself.</p> <p>21 Q. The State's Attorney's Office?</p> <p>22 A. I'm sorry. Not the State's Attorney's Office,</p> <p>23 the Public Defender's Office.</p> <p>24 Q. The Public Defender's Office?</p> <p>25 A. Yes, ma'am.</p>	<p>1 you that question; were you not?</p> <p>2 A. Yes.</p> <p>3 Q. When you walked in to speak with them, you knew</p> <p>4 that they perhaps suspected you; did you not?</p> <p>5 A. No, ma'am.</p> <p>6 Q. You knew as soon as they asked you that</p> <p>7 question; did you not?</p> <p>8 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>9 Q. And at that point, sir, you didn't shut down</p> <p>10 the questioning; did you?</p> <p>11 A. No, ma'am.</p> <p>12 Q. You didn't stop questionings and insist that</p> <p>13 they get you a lawyer; did you?</p> <p>14 A. No, ma'am.</p> <p>15 Q. That questioning went on for several hours; did</p> <p>16 it not?</p> <p>17 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>18 Q. And you answered every single one of their</p> <p>19 questions; did you not?</p> <p>20 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>21 Q. You came to know, through their questions, but</p> <p>22 they didn't put the words in your mouth; did they?</p> <p>23 A. Came to know what?</p> <p>24 Q. So there were certain things that they put the</p> <p>25 words in your mouth on?</p>
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<p>1 Q. And even though you asked them that question,</p> <p>2 they continued to question you?</p> <p>3 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>4 Q. And they didn't provide you a lawyer?</p> <p>5 A. I could acquired one for myself.</p> <p>6 Q. You could have acquired one for yourself? But</p> <p>7 see, you signed the document giving up the right to a</p> <p>8 lawyer at 1:30, before 1:30 a.m., on February 28th; did</p> <p>9 you not?</p> <p>10 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>11 Q. And you signed again, giving up the right to a</p> <p>12 lawyer on March 15th, the second day that you spoke to</p> <p>13 them; is that correct?</p> <p>14 A. Correct.</p> <p>15 Q. On the 28th, at 1:30 a.m. in the morning, one</p> <p>16 of the first questions they asked you was, "Did you kill</p> <p>17 Hae Lee"; did they not?</p> <p>18 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>19 Q. They asked you that question a number of times;</p> <p>20 did they not?</p> <p>21 A. Yes.</p> <p>22 Q. And they only later -- and you, of course, told</p> <p>23 them no; right?</p> <p>24 A. Yes.</p> <p>25 Q. Okay. And you were down there for them to ask</p>	<p>1 A. You said I "came to know." I came to know</p> <p>2 what?</p> <p>3 Q. Well, sir, they didn't put the words in your</p> <p>4 mouth; did they?</p> <p>5 A. No, ma'am.</p> <p>6 Q. Okay. The words that came out of your mouth</p> <p>7 that were recorded on a tape recorder operated by them</p> <p>8 were words from your mouth?</p> <p>9 A. Yes.</p> <p>10 Q. Is that correct?</p> <p>11 A. Yes.</p> <p>12 Q. They, however, told you certain information;</p> <p>13 did they not?</p> <p>14 A. No, ma'am.</p> <p>15 Q. They asked you if you knew Adnan Syed?</p> <p>16 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>17 Q. And they explained to you that they had gotten</p> <p>18 information from some source that they should look at</p> <p>19 Adnan; did they not?</p> <p>20 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>21 Q. Yes. And they told you that they had gotten</p> <p>22 anonymous calls from persons that they described as Asian</p> <p>23 over the phone, that they called and said, "Look at</p> <p>24 Adnan;" did they not?</p> <p>25 A. No, ma'am, they did not.</p>

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1 Q. Now, sir, on the 28th, when you told them where 2 your initial arrangement to meet Adnan, your 3 acquaintance, that location was out of your mouth; was it 4 not?	1 your fingerprints? 2 A. Yes. 3 Q. They really already had those, though; didn't 4 they?
5 A. Yes, ma'am.	5 A. Yes. 6 Q. From your prior arrests?
6 Q. The location of Franklintown and Edmondson, 7 whether it's in the city or the county, was not something 8 they suggested to you?	7 A. Yes. 8 Q. The ones that you've described for us?
9 A. No, ma'am.	9 A. The same ones, yes.
10 Q. Was it? And on the 28th of February, you knew 11 that the body of Hae Lee had already been discovered?	10 Q. Right? And sir, you said that arrest had 11 occurred two weeks before?
12 A. Yes, ma'am.	12 A. The arrest, I believe, shortly about two weeks 13 before, disorderly conduct.
13 Q. Okay. And that it had been discovered from 14 inside of Leakin Park; was that correct?	14 Q. Okay. Two weeks before the day that you're in 15 the early morning hours, you're in the Homicide Unit 16 speaking --
15 A. I just caught that on the news. I didn't know.	17 A. No. Further than that.
16 Q. But inside Leakin Park?	18 Q. Okay. More than two weeks before that?
17 A. That's where it turned out to be, yes.	19 A. Yes.
18 Q. And you knew, when you heard about the 19 discovery of the body, where Leakin Park was; did you 20 not?	20 Q. So what is the point in time that you're 21 referring to the two weeks being from?
21 A. Yes, ma'am.	22 A. I don't know. Like, I'd say it was --
22 Q. You knew that Franklintown Road ran through it; 23 did you not?	23 Q. You got arrested at the end of January, 1999; 24 did you not?
24 A. No, ma'am, I did not.	25 MR. URICK: Objection.
25 Q. Well, sir, you described that night, on the	
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1 28th, all of your activities; did you not?	1 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
2 A. Yes, ma'am.	2 Q. At a time when you were --
3 Q. Okay. And you knew that there were 4 circumstances that brought you to Homicide that made you 5 a suspect; did you not?	3 THE COURT: Overruled.
6 A. Yes, ma'am.	4 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
7 Q. You weren't there of your own free will; were 8 you?	5 Q. -- together with Jen Pusateri?
9 A. No, ma'am, I was not.	6 A. Yes.
10 Q. And on many levels, you were treated like a 11 suspect, were you not?	7 Q. Is that correct?
12 A. That's correct.	8 A. That's it, yes.
13 Q. Until after this statement; correct?	9 Q. Okay. You and she were in her car?
14 A. Even after that.	10 A. Yes.
15 Q. But until after the statement, you had been 16 treated like a suspect; correct?	11 Q. Is that right? Because you didn't acquire a 12 car after these arrests, did you?
17 A. After that also.	13 A. No, ma'am.
18 Q. No, but my question is --	14 Q. No. And you also consented to give them blood?
19 A. Oh, after the statement, correct.	15 A. Yes, ma'am.
20 Q. Right. At least until then.	16 Q. And hair?
21 A. Correct.	17 A. Yes, ma'am.
22 Q. On some levels, you continued to be treated as 23 a suspect; isn't that correct?	18 Q. From your head?
24 A. Yes.	19 A. Yes, ma'am.
25 Q. And being a suspect meant that you consented to	20 Q. From your pubis?

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1	A. Yes, ma'am.	1	of the details of your drug dealing, were you?
2	Q. You signed away your rights to a lawyer or to	2	A. No, ma'am.
3	not give up personal things from your own body; did you	3	Q. Although they asked you to clarify that your
4	not?	4	reference to a strip meant a place where drugs are dealt?
5	A. Yes, ma'am.	5	A. Yes, ma'am.
6	Q. Okay. And you knew, and you felt, that you	6	Q. They asked you that; right?
7	were treated as a suspect; is that correct?	7	A. Yes, ma'am.
8	A. Yes, ma'am.	8	Q. And you confirmed to them that that's what you
9	Q. After the 28th, which occurred in the middle of	9	meant; isn't that right?
10	the night, were you ever taken to a grand jury?	10	A. That's right.
11	A. No, ma'am.	11	Q. They knew about your drug dealing; did they
12	Q. No. And you knew, sir, that Adnan got arrested	12	not?
13	at some point?	13	A. I believe so.
14	A. Yes, ma'am.	14	Q. They asked you about it; did they not?
15	Q. Did you not? And you knew that it occurred	15	A. Yes, ma'am.
16	based on what you told them?	16	Q. But they never asked you to provide any details
17	A. No, ma'am, I did not.	17	of what you did?
18	Q. Now, sir, yesterday, Mr. Urick, you admitted	18	A. Pardon me?
19	that you lied; did you not?	19	Q. Dealing drugs? They never asked you to provide
20	A. Yes, ma'am.	20	any details of what you did?
21	Q. You lied when you spoke to the police on the	21	A. They told me that wasn't their department.
22	28th; is that correct?	22	Q. So they told you that they weren't going to ask
23	A. Yes, ma'am.	23	you about your drug dealing?
24	Q. You lied about some critical things; did you	24	A. Correct.
25	not?	25	Q. Okay. And that relaxed you; did it not?
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1	A. Yes.	1	A. Some.
2	Q. In the first statement where you spoke to the	2	Q. Okay. Because you told us yesterday that you
3	police, you didn't mention Crysta; is that correct?	3	lied because you were afraid about your drug dealing;
4	A. Yes.	4	right?
5	Q. Crysta, the person you describe as a friend;	5	A. Yes, ma'am.
6	correct?	6	Q. But once they told you on the 28th that they
7	A. Yes, ma'am.	7	weren't going to ask you about that which you were most
8	Q. That you met through your very good friend Jen	8	concerned about yesterday, you tell us you lied anyway;
9	Pusateri?	9	9 didn't you?
10	MR. URICK: Objection.	10	A. Yes, ma'am.
11	MS. GUTIERREZ: Correct?	11	Q. Yeah. And the location of where you say you
12	THE COURT: Overruled.	12	met Adnan, in the trunk pop, you know what I'm referring
13	THE WITNESS: Yes, ma'am.	13	to, the trunk pop; correct?
14	BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	14	A. Yes, ma'am.
15	Q. You never mentioned her existence in the middle	15	Q. There was only one real trunk pop; right?
16	of the night on February 28th, did you?	16	A. Yes, ma'am.
17	A. No, ma'am.	17	Q. Now, you knew Hae; correct?
18	Q. And, sir, you never mentioned Crysta's	18	A. Yes, ma'am.
19	boyfriend, Jeff Johnson, did you?	19	Q. And you knew what she looked like; correct?
20	A. No, ma'am.	20	A. Yes, ma'am.
21	Q. And, sir, you never mentioned that you went	21	Q. You had spoken to her and seen her frontally;
22	there in the afternoon and you smoked dope, did you?	22	correct?
23	A. No, ma'am.	23	A. Yes, ma'am.
24	Q. You were not -- I'm sorry. Sir, you weren't	24	Q. And you knew that she was Adnan's girlfriend
25	asked on the 28th in the middle of the night, to tell any	25	for a period of time?

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- 1 A. Yes, ma'am.
 2 Q. Did you not? And because he was just an
 3 acquaintance and not a friend, you knew nothing about the
 4 status of their relationship until he spoke you about it
 5 that day?
 6 A. The prior day, the 12th.
 7 Q. The prior day?
 8 A. No. I'm sorry. The 13. The morning of the
 9 13th.
 10 Q. On the 12th. Okay. Well, let's get it
 11 straight.
 12 A. The morning of the 13th.
 13 Q. Would you agree with me, Mr. Wilds, it's hard
 14 to keep lies straight?
 15 MR. URICK: Objection.
 16 THE COURT: Sustained. Sustained.
 17 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 18 Q. On the 13th, you lied to the police; did you
 19 not?
 20 A. The 13th?
 21 Q. Yes?
 22 A. No, I did not.
 23 Q. I'm sorry. On the 28th of February, you lied
 24 to the police about the events of the 13th; correct?
 25 A. The 28th, yes.

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- 1 Q. You didn't tell them about the 12th; did you?
 2 A. I received a phone call on the 12th. No I did
 3 not tell them.
 4 Q. You didn't tell them. So would you agree that
 5 that's a lie of omission?
 6 A. I'm not understanding you.
 7 Q. That you didn't tell them?
 8 A. Yes.
 9 Q. You didn't consider that to be a lie?
 10 A. Yes, I did.
 11 Q. You did? So you did lie to them about events
 12 that you subsequently said occurred on the 12th; correct?
 13 A. On the 13th.
 14 Q. Sir, did you have any conversation with Adnan
 15 on the 12th?
 16 A. Yes. A brief phone call.
 17 Q. About these events?
 18 A. About these events?
 19 Q. Yes?
 20 A. No, ma'am.
 21 Q. No. And on the 28th, did you tell them you had
 22 any conversation with Adnan about events on the 13th --
 23 on the 12th?
 24 A. I do not recall.
 25 Q. On the 13th of January, your girlfriend

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- 1 Stephanie's birthday, the day after your own birthday,
 2 did you know before you spoke to Adnan the status of his
 3 relationship with Hae?
 4 A. No, ma'am, I did not.
 5 Q. Adnan would not call you up on any regular
 6 basis, would he?
 7 A. I'm sorry?
 8 Q. Adnan, your acquaintance?
 9 A. I didn't -- irregular or regular? I didn't
 10 hear you.
 11 Q. He would not call you up on a regular basis?
 12 A. A regular, no, ma'am.
 13 Q. Would he? The only time he would call you is
 14 to ask you to procure some dope?
 15 A. Marijuana, yes.
 16 Q. Marijuana. There wouldn't be any other reason
 17 that he would contact you, would it?
 18 A. On occasion.
 19 Q. He didn't invite you places; did he?
 20 A. One time.
 21 Q. You, sir, wanted the car that day; did you not?
 22 A. Yes, ma'am.
 23 Q. You wanted a car, because it was your
 24 girlfriend's birthday; correct?
 25 A. Yes, ma'am.

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- 1 Q. And even though you knew that ahead of time,
 2 you did nothing about getting her a present or
 3 remembrance before that day; right?
 4 A. No, ma'am, I did not.
 5 Q. So you needed a car to take you where you
 6 wanted to go; correct?
 7 A. Yes, ma'am.
 8 Q. The trip to the mall was for your purposes; was
 9 it not?
 10 A. Yes, ma'am.
 11 Q. Not Adnan's?
 12 A. No, ma'am.
 13 Q. Correct? And your getting the car afterward
 14 was because you requested it; did you not?
 15 A. No, ma'am.
 16 Q. You had never requested the car before then?
 17 A. No, ma'am.
 18 Q. Okay. And you've told us that you were not
 19 present during the killing of Hae Lee; correct?
 20 A. That's correct.
 21 Q. And you had nothing to do with it; correct?
 22 A. That's correct.
 23 Q. And that's what you told the police the day
 24 that you lied to them on the 28th; correct?
 25 A. That's correct.

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- 1 Q. And you only found out about it from Adnan
2 later?
3 A. The events of the killing?
4 Q. Yes?
5 A. Yes.
6 Q. But you got your girlfriend's present in the
7 morning; did you not?
8 A. Yes.
9 Q. He took you where you wanted to go; did he not?
10 A. Correct, in the morning.
11 Q. And he didn't need you to help kill Hae,
12 according to you; right?
13 A. No, ma'am, he did not.
14 Q. Because you weren't there; right?
15 A. Correct.
16 Q. And he never asked you for any help; right?
17 A. Pertaining to?
18 Q. To killing Hae Lee?
19 A. No, ma'am, he did not.
20 Q. Isn't that what brings us here?
21 A. Yes, ma'am.
22 Q. Isn't that the only thing that brings us here?
23 A. Yes, ma'am.
24 Q. Okay. So your acquaintance Adnan told you
25 nothing until after the fact; right?

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- 1 A. No, ma'am.
2 Q. Well, he didn't tell you how the killing
3 occurred before the killing; did he?
4 A. No, ma'am.
5 Q. No. And he didn't seem to need his car; right?
6 A. No, ma'am.
7 Q. Because he left it with you; right?
8 A. Correct.
9 Q. And he had already taken you where you needed
10 to go to get the birthday present, which was the reason
11 you needed the car; right?
12 A. I wasn't finished shopped yet, but, yes.
13 Q. Okay. So you really still needed the car, even
14 though he had taken you to the mall?
15 A. Right.
16 Q. Right?
17 A. Uh-huh.
18 Q. And you wanted the car; right?
19 A. It would have been nice, yes.
20 Q. And you asked for the car; did you not?
21 A. No, I did not.
22 Q. Okay. So it just so happened that he left the
23 car with you and that met your need to have a car that
24 day?
25 A. Yes, ma'am.

- 1 Q. Is that correct? Okay. Because you didn't ask
2 for it?
3 A. Correct.
4 Q. Even though you needed it?
5 A. I didn't need it, but it would have been nice,
6 yes.
7 Q. It would have been nice?
8 A. Correct.
9 Q. That's a difference than needing it; right?
10 A. Yes. Everything was walking distance.
11 Q. It would have been nice, because it would have
12 made your life easier; correct?
13 A. Correct.
14 Q. And when you dropped Adnan off at school, you
15 dropped him off in the front; did you not?
16 A. No, ma'am.
17 Q. In the back?
18 A. Yes.
19 Q. Is that closer to the gym entrance or behind?
20 A. Which occasion are you talking about?
21 Q. The first time?
22 A. Okay. That's in the rear. It's further from
23 the gym entrance.
24 Q. Further from the gym? That's where most of the
25 students park and then come in?

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1 A. No, he did not.	1 "I'm not going to lie to the police anymore"; isn't that
2 Q. Did he not? So you knew nothing about his	2 accurate?
3 preparations to get a present for his friend before the	3 A. Correct.
4 actual day?	4 Q. And you took yourself at that point voluntarily
5 A. Right.	5 down to the Police Department?
6 Q. And, sir, when you dropped Adnan off the first	6 A. No, ma'am, I did not.
7 time, you did not make arrangements to pick him up for a	7 Q. Okay. They came and got you; did they not?
8 specific time, did you?	8 A. Yes, ma'am.
9 A. Correct.	9 Q. They came and got you specifically to ask you
10 Q. You expected a phone call from him; right?	10 about all the discrepancies in what you had told them
11 A. Correct.	11 about on the 28th; right?
12 Q. And, in fact, you told us you did receive a	12 A. Yes, ma'am.
13 phone call; right?	13 Q. The time you lied; right?
14 A. Correct.	14 A. Yes, ma'am.
15 Q. At Jen's house; right? Now, Jen, your friend,	15 Q. And then you told them about Jen?
16 is another person you lied to the police by not telling	16 A. Yes, ma'am.
17 them about her on the 28th; right?	17 Q. Did you not? The calls to Jen that appear on
18 MR. URICK: Objection.	18 Adnan's cell phone records were made by you; were they
19 THE COURT: Sustained.	19 not?
20 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	20 A. Some of them, yes.
21 Q. So you were -- Jen, however, you went right	21 Q. Okay. Adnan wasn't an independent friend of
22 from dropping off Adnan over to her house?	22 Jen Pusateri's was she?
23 A. Yes.	23 A. No, ma'am.
24 Q. Even though you had things that you've already	24 Q. Had she even met him before?
25 told us it might be nice if you had a car to do; right?	25 A. On occasion.
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1 A. Yes.	1 Q. On occasion. They didn't independently
2 Q. You didn't go right out and do those things;	2 socialize, did they?
3 did you?	3 A. No, ma'am.
4 A. No, ma'am.	4 Q. And she wasn't a person who procured dope for
5 Q. You went and you played video games with a 15-	5 acquaintances, was she?
6 year old?	6 A. Not to my knowledge.
7 A. Yes, ma'am.	7 Q. Not to your knowledge. So she may have been?
8 Q. Right?	8 A. Possibly.
9 A. Yes, ma'am.	9 Q. Are you suggesting that she may also be a drug
10 Q. And waited for Jen?	10 dealer like you were?
11 A. Yes, ma'am.	11 A. I don't know.
12 Q. But your purpose wasn't to go there and play	12 Q. You don't know. You don't know that fact about
13 video games with a 15-year old; was it?	13 your good friend?
14 A. Yes, ma'am.	14 A. That's true. No, I do not.
15 Q. It was?	15 THE COURT: We're going to take our morning
16 A. Yes, ma'am.	16 break at this time. It will be a brief break.
17 Q. It just so happened that your good friend Jen	17 Ladies and gentlemen, we will call for you at
18 came home?	18 11:45. You may retire to your jury room. Do not discuss
19 A. Yes, ma'am.	19 the case with anyone or let anyone discuss the case with
20 Q. You knew about when she came home; did you not?	20 you.
21 A. No, ma'am, I did not.	21 (The jury was excused from the courtroom.)
22 Q. You hung with -- you did not expect her at any	22 (Brief recess.)
23 given time?	23 (The jury was not present upon reconvening.)
24 A. I didn't know her school schedule.	24 THE COURT: Counsel, may we get the jury?
25 Q. Well, sir, there came a point when you decided,	25 MR. URICK: Yes, Your Honor.

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1	MS. GUTIERREZ: Yes, Your Honor.	1 A. Correct.
2	(Pause.)	2 Q. You lied to them again when you took them out
3	(The jury entered the courtroom.)	3 to show it to them?
4	(Pause.)	4 A. Well, that's why I lied to them.
5	THE COURT: Madam Clerk?	5 Q. Well, you lied to them first on the 28th?
6	THE CLERK: I remind you, you're still under	6 A. Correct.
7	oath. Please be seated.	7 Q. At the police station; right?
8	THE COURT: Ms. Gutierrez.	8 A. Correct.
9	MS. GUTIERREZ: Thank you, Your Honor.	9 Q. You didn't speak to them before then, did you?
10	BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	10 A. No, ma'am.
11	Q. Mr. Wilds, we've been talking about the place	11 Q. You didn't go to the police or tell anybody
12	at Edmondson Avenue and Franklinton Road before the	12 what you knew?
13	break; right?	13 A. No, ma'am.
14	A. Yes.	14 Q. Between the 13th, when these things you tell us
15	Q. You never had to point out that place, --	15 happened; right?
16	THE COURT: Can I have the air-conditioning	16 A. Right.
17	off, please?	17 Q. And the 28th, in the middle of the night;
18	BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	18 correct?
19	Q. -- did you?	19 A. Correct.
20	A. I'm sorry. I just couldn't hear you.	20 Q. And on the 28th, you were already 19; were you
21	Q. You never had to point out that place to the	21 not?
22	police; did you?	22 A. Yes.
23	A. Yes, I did.	23 Q. And their very first questions made you
24	Q. You had to point out the place on Edmondson	24 understand that you were a suspect?
25	Avenue?	25 A. Yes.
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1	A. Yes, ma'am.	1 Q. Is that correct?
2	Q. Okay. And that was the first place in your	2 A. Correct.
3	first statement to the police when you were brought down	3 Q. You understood that, even though they didn't
4	to headquarters in the middle of the night as a suspect,	4 spell it out and say to you, I'm a suspect; correct?
5	that you told them that the trunk pop occurred?	5 A. Yes.
6	A. Yes, ma'am.	6 Q. Okay. And you knew that as a person who had
7	Q. Is that correct? And by the trunk pop, you're	7 attained the age where society considered you to be an
8	describing what may we assume was a short interval, the	8 adult, that you could face the death penalty for a
9	trunk pop itself?	9 murder?
10	A. Oh, the time?	10 A. Correct.
11	Q. Yes?	11 Q. Did you not?
12	A. Yes.	12 A. Yes.
13	Q. The trunk pop was a quick thing; was it not?	13 Q. Okay. And that was in your mind; was it not?
14	A. Yes, ma'am.	14 A. Partially.
15	Q. And you said in your first statement that that	15 Q. Partially in your mind was concern about your
16	event took place at a place close to a strip on Edmondson	16 own welfare; was it not?
17	Avenue; is that correct?	17 A. Yes, but --
18	A. Yes, ma'am.	18 Q. So after you lied to them about where things
19	Q. And the police asked you to show them that	19 occurred, they asked you to take them around and show
20	place; did they not?	20 them; is that correct?
21	A. Yes, ma'am.	21 A. Yes.
22	Q. And you did so; did you not?	22 Q. So the first time you went around to show them,
23	A. Yes, ma'am.	23 you picked a place on Edmondson Avenue; did you not?
24	Q. So you not only lied to them that in the middle	24 A. Correct.
25	of the night statement that was taped; right?	25 Q. And the place on Edmondson Avenue was close to

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- 1 where the entrance is to Leakin Park, was it not?
 2 A. I'm not aware of that.
 3 Q. Not aware? Sir, the strips that you were
 4 familiar with included Edmondson Avenue and Poplar Grove;
 5 did it not?
 6 A. Okay. Yes.
 7 Q. Okay. That's an area you know?
 8 A. Yes.
 9 Q. Do you not?
 10 A. Yes.
 11 Q. As a major strip; is it not?
 12 A. Yes.
 13 Q. A very dangerous place; is it not?
 14 A. Yes.
 15 Q. And that location, Edmondson Avenue and Poplar
 16 Grove was close to the place where you took the police;
 17 correct?
 18 A. Yes.
 19 Q. And you described to them where the trunk pop
 20 was; is that correct?
 21 A. Yes.
 22 Q. Now, according to your first statement to the
 23 police, you had not seen Hae Lee that day; correct?
 24 A. Alive?
 25 Q. Well, before the trunk pop?

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- 1 A. Correct.
 2 Q. You hadn't seen her at all; right?
 3 A. Correct.
 4 Q. So it wasn't a question of a lot or a little
 5 bit. You hadn't seen her at all; correct?
 6 A. I asked if you said if I had seen her alive.
 7 Q. You hadn't seen her at all that day before the
 8 trunk pop; right?
 9 A. Correct.
 10 Q. Dead or alive?
 11 A. Correct.
 12 Q. Is that correct?
 13 A. Correct.
 14 Q. That's what you told the police in the middle
 15 of the night on the 28th?
 16 A. Correct.
 17 Q. When you were considered a suspect?
 18 A. Correct.
 19 Q. Right? Okay. And you hadn't seen her; right?
 20 A. No, ma'am.
 21 Q. So you didn't lie about that?
 22 A. No, ma'am.
 23 Q. Right? According to what you're saying today?
 24 A. Correct.
 25 Q. Right? And that was not one of the concerns of

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- 1 the police on the 15th of March, when once again, they
 2 hauled you downtown to speak to you?
 3 A. I do not know.
 4 Q. Well, --
 5 A. What the police thought, I do not know.
 6 Q. Yesterday, Mr. Urick asked you about the ways
 7 in which you lied; do you recall that?
 8 A. Yes.
 9 Q. Okay. And you remember them; did you not?
 10 A. Yes.
 11 Q. His question was not a surprise, was it?
 12 A. No, ma'am.
 13 Q. He asked you about lying about Edmondson
 14 Avenue?
 15 A. Yes.
 16 Q. And Franklintown Road?
 17 A. Yes, ma'am.
 18 Q. Right? The Franklintown Road that you today
 19 don't know goes through Leakin Park; right?
 20 A. Correct.
 21 Q. Because you don't know the names of the roads;
 22 is that right?
 23 A. Correct.
 24 Q. But you had picked out, it was your picking
 25 out, from your brain, the address of Edmondson and

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- 1 Franklintown on the 28th; was it not?
 2 A. I had said Edmondson Avenue, yes, ma'am.
 3 Q. Okay. You said Edmondson Avenue and
 4 Franklintown Road; did you not?
 5 A. No, ma'am. Franklintown Road was not added
 6 until we actually drove there. They did not -- I said
 7 off Edmondson Avenue.
 8 Q. Okay. So Franklintown Road, sir, is a place
 9 that you actually picked out?
 10 A. Yes, ma'am.
 11 Q. Was it not? A location that you knew; correct?
 12 A. Yes, ma'am.
 13 Q. You knew it then on that day; did you not?
 14 A. Yes, ma'am.
 15 Q. And that day that you picked it out occurred
 16 after that middle of the night interrogation; right?
 17 A. Yes, ma'am.
 18 Q. But before your second interrogation; is that
 19 right?
 20 A. Yes, ma'am.
 21 Q. And though you don't remember that there was
 22 another occasion which you came downtown, there were
 23 other days in which either Detective MacGillivray or Ritz
 24 called with questions?
 25 A. A few, yes.

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<p>1 Q. Is that right? Not questions about your drug 2 dealing; right?</p> <p>3 A. No, ma'am.</p> <p>4 Q. That never came up after the 28th; right?</p> <p>5 MR. URICK: Objection.</p> <p>6 THE COURT: Sustained.</p> <p>7 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:</p> <p>8 Q. But questions about the events of the 13th; is 9 that right?</p> <p>10 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>11 Q. Now, on the 28th, what you told them was that 12 Adnan told you before you dropped him off at school, 13 after the outing to the mall, that he was going to kill 14 his girlfriend Hae?</p> <p>15 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>16 Q. Is that right? That's what you told them that 17 night in the middle of the night?</p> <p>18 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>19 Q. Is that correct? And you knew that Hae was his 20 girlfriend; correct?</p> <p>21 A. I didn't think they were together, but I knew 22 they were involved, yes.</p> <p>23 Q. Okay. You knew that they had been involved 24 over a substantial period of time; did you not?</p> <p>25 A. Yes.</p>	<p>1 A. Correct.</p> <p>2 Q. And that Hae, being so heartless had all of a 3 sudden said, "Like, I don't want to be with you"; do you 4 recall that?</p> <p>5 A. Yes.</p> <p>6 Q. Yes. And that's what you told the detectives 7 that night; correct?</p> <p>8 A. Be with Adnan.</p> <p>9 Q. That Hae all of a sudden had told them she 10 didn't want to be with him?</p> <p>11 A. Correct. Yes.</p> <p>12 Q. Like it was a sudden surprise; is that correct?</p> <p>13 A. Yes.</p> <p>14 Q. And that's what you told the detectives on the 15 28th?</p> <p>16 A. Correct.</p> <p>17 Q. That Adnan's upsetness was because she appeared 18 so heartless and it was such a surprise; is that right?</p> <p>19 A. Correct.</p> <p>20 Q. From the junior prom, and that occurred in 21 April -- April the 25th of 1999 -- or 1998?</p> <p>22 A. I'll agree.</p> <p>23 Q. You kept track of Hae and Adnan, did you not?</p> <p>24 A. No, ma'am, I did not.</p> <p>25 Q. No. But on the 28th, you told us you knew that</p>
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<p>1 Q. You had seen them together at the junior prom 2 the previous year, had you not?</p> <p>3 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>4 Q. Yes. You had gone with your girlfriend 5 Stephanie; right?</p> <p>6 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>7 Q. The same Stephanie that's your acquaintance 8 Adnan's good friend; right?</p> <p>9 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>10 Q. And you saw him there together with Hae; did 11 you not?</p> <p>12 A. Pardon me?</p> <p>13 Q. You saw your acquaintance Adnan at the same 14 junior prom that you attended with your girlfriend; did 15 you not?</p> <p>16 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>17 Q. And so you knew that they were an item; did you 18 not?</p> <p>19 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>20 Q. One of the other things you told Detectives 21 MacGillivray and Ritz in the middle of the night on the 22 28th that Hae was described by your acquaintance Adnan as 23 being so heartless; did you not?</p> <p>24 A. Yes.</p> <p>25 Q. You said that that's what Adnan said; right?</p>	<p>1 they weren't together anymore; correct?</p> <p>2 A. The 28th of February?</p> <p>3 Q. Correct?</p> <p>4 A. Yes.</p> <p>5 Q. Okay. And your only knowledge of that event 6 was from what you tell us that your acquaintance Adnan 7 said to you on the morning of the 13th?</p> <p>8 A. Correct.</p> <p>9 Q. Is that correct?</p> <p>10 A. Correct.</p> <p>11 Q. Prior to then, you didn't know the track of 12 their relationship, did you?</p> <p>13 A. Vaguely. Hearsay.</p> <p>14 Q. You had never procured drugs for Hae Lee, had 15 you?</p> <p>16 A. No, ma'am.</p> <p>17 Q. No. And you had never socialized together with 18 her, had you?</p> <p>19 A. No, ma'am.</p> <p>20 Q. And you had not kept track of whether, from 21 April, your acquaintance Adnan and your acquaintance Hae 22 were still together as girlfriend or boyfriend, did you?</p> <p>23 A. No, ma'am.</p> <p>24 Q. It didn't really concern you?</p> <p>25 A. No, ma'am.</p>

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1 Q. Did it? So the first knowledge that you had 2 that they were not together was, from what you said to 3 Detectives MacGillivary and Ritz in the middle of the 4 night on the 28th, was what Adnan said to you, according 5 to you, on the 13th; is that correct? 6 A. Correct. 7 Q. Now, and that was in the same statement that 8 you've already admitted lying about the location of where 9 the trunk pop was; right? 10 A. That's correct. 11 Q. Now, the trunk pop you described to the 12 detectives on the 28th, you popped the trunk, and you 13 looked inside; correct? 14 A. Yes. 15 Q. And he described it, it was Hae; correct? 16 A. Adnan? 17 Q. Yes? 18 A. No, ma'am, he did not. 19 Q. Before the trunk popped, he never indicated 20 that who was in the car was Hae? 21 A. No, ma'am. He did not. 22 Q. You didn't tell the detectives that evening, 23 the 28th, or that early morning hours, that he told you 24 that he'd done it before he popped the trunk; right? 25 A. Yes, ma'am, he did, but he never said --	1 sudden, like, "I don't want to be with you"? 2 A. Yes. 3 Q. Okay. And if that's what they recorded, that 4 would be accurate; right? 5 A. Yes, yes. 6 Q. Because you did speak to them, and they did 7 record what you said; right? 8 A. Yes, ma'am. 9 Q. Okay. And that information came from entirely 10 you; correct? 11 A. Yes, ma'am. 12 Q. They didn't suggest to you that, did they? 13 A. No, ma'am. 14 Q. At some point after they stopped asking you if 15 you killed Hae, they began to ask you, "What about the 16 boyfriend," did they not? 17 A. No, ma'am, they did not. 18 Q. No. You just volunteered the information about 19 the boyfriend after the interview began? 20 A. No, ma'am, I did not. 21 Q. No. You didn't just volunteer it, they asked 22 you; did they not? 23 A. They didn't ask me did the boyfriend kill her, 24 no. 25 Q. No. They never asked you that?
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1 Q. Now, what he had done -- 2 MR. URICK: Objection. 3 THE COURT: Please let him finish his answer. 4 BY MS. GUTIERREZ: 5 Q. What he had done you understood to mean he 6 killed Hae; right? 7 A. Correct. 8 Q. Because that morning on the 13th, the first day 9 that you had ever had his car; right, -- 10 A. Correct. 11 Q. -- and the first day you had ever had his 12 phone, while you're in the mall, you told the detectives 13 Adnan said, "I'm going to kill her"; right? 14 A. Correct. 15 Q. Because she was so heartless; right? 16 A. Correct. 17 Q. And their break-up had been so sudden and 18 unexpected? 19 A. Correct. 20 Q. That she didn't want to be seen with him; is 21 that correct? 22 A. I don't recall him saying that, but something 23 along that lines. 24 Q. Well, you recall telling the detectives that 25 Adnan said that Hae was so heartless, because all of a	1 A. No, ma'am. 2 Q. But you told them that anyway; didn't you? 3 A. Yes, ma'am. 4 Q. Okay. And you told them what Adnan said after 5 they asked you about Adnan; correct? 6 A. Yes. 7 Q. And on the 28th, you told them that all events 8 occurred on the 13th? 9 A. Except for the phone call, yes. 10 Q. Except for the phone call that you said had 11 occurred late at night? 12 A. Right. 13 Q. Correct? 14 A. Correct. 15 Q. And that -- well, I thought you said it was at 16 like 10:30 or so? 17 A. No, I received a phone call on the 13th at 18 10:30. 19 Q. On the 13th. But no, my question was, all of 20 those events that you said on the 28th, while you were 21 being treated as a suspect, you told Detectives 22 MacGillivary and Ritz that they all occurred on the 13th; 23 did you not? 24 A. Yes. 25 Q. Except for a phone call?

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1	MR. URICK: Objection.	1 THE COURT: Sustained.
2	THE COURT: Overruled.	2 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
3	BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	3 Q. You continued to lie them even after you felt
4	Q. Isn't that what you just said?	4 more comfortable; isn't that correct?
5	A. Correct.	5 A. Yes, ma'am.
6	Q. The phone call that you're referring to, you	6 Q. And you continued to lie about many things?
7	told them occurred the night before on the 12th; correct?	7 A. Yes, ma'am.
8	A. Yes.	8 Q. Isn't that correct?
9	Q. Your birthday; correct? Is that correct?	9 A. On?
10	A. Correct.	10 Q. On the 15th, when Detective MacGillivray and
11	Q. And that that phone call came from Adnan;	11 Ritz again interrogated you, they started out telling you
12	correct?	12 there were so many inconsistencies they couldn't get to
13	A. Yes.	13 them all, didn't they?
14	Q. Who wasn't your friend, who's just an	14 A. Yes, ma'am.
15	acquaintance; right?	15 Q. Yes. And you understood what they were about,
16	A. Yes.	16 weren't they?
17	Q. Who called to arrange picking you up the	17 A. Yes, ma'am.
18	following morning; is that correct?	18 Q. Because you knew you had lied; right?
19	A. Yes.	19 A. Yes, ma'am.
20	Q. And that was the only thing that occurred in	20 Q. About many things; right?
21	the phone call, according to what you told the detectives	21 A. Yes, ma'am.
22	on the 28th; is that correct?	22 Q. You had lied about the Edmondson and
23	A. Yes.	23 Franklintown Road; right?
24	Q. Later there came a time on the 15th, when they	24 A. Yes, ma'am.
25	again hauled you down; is that correct?	25 Q. And you had already taken them to that specific
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1	A. Yes.	1 location; is that correct?
2	Q. Yes. They did, didn't they?	2 A. Yes, ma'am.
3	A. Yes.	3 Q. A location identified as Edmondson and
4	Q. And you still felt like you were treating --	4 Franklintown Road; that is correct?
5	being treated like a suspect; were you not?	5 A. Yes, ma'am.
6	A. Yes.	6 Q. You picked out that location to show them; is
7	Q. Between the 28th and the 15th, you had to give	7 that correct?
8	up your head hair; did you not?	8 A. Yes, ma'am.
9	A. Yes.	9 Q. I'm sorry?
10	Q. And have fingerprints taken?	10 A. Visually, yes.
11	A. Yes.	11 Q. Visually?
12	Q. Is that right? And have blood drawn?	12 A. Yes, ma'am.
13	A. Yes.	13 Q. Well, you actually took them there; right?
14	Q. Is that right? All of which you agreed to;	14 A. Right.
15	right?	15 Q. To a specific location; right? And that
16	A. Yes, ma'am, I did.	16 location was, in fact, Edmondson and Franklintown; is
17	Q. Were you quick, you had nothing to hide	17 that not right?
18	from them?	18 A. Uh-huh.
19	A. No, ma'am.	19 Q. You were physically there?
20	Q. And even though they didn't ask you about your	20 A. Correct.
21	drug dealing --	21 Q. With them?
22	MR. URICK: Objection.	22 A. Correct.
23	MS. GUTIERREZ: -- although they knew about it,	23 Q. In a police car; is that right?
24	you continued to lie to them on the 28th; did you not?	24 A. Correct.
25	MR. URICK: Objection.	25 Q. And you told them, "Oh, this is the place the

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1 trunk popped?"	1 MR. URICK: Objection.
2 A. Yes, ma'am.	2 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
3 Q. Isn't that right? And that location is below	3 Q. -- you can't recall which you lied about?
4 Hilton Parkway; is it not?	4 THE COURT: Sustained.
5 A. Yes, ma'am.	5 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
6 Q. Yes. And it is close to Poplar Grove; is that	6 Q. Mr. Wilds, the sequence of events, you're only
7 right?	7 asked ultimately about events that you said all occurred
8 A. Yes, ma'am.	8 on the 13th; is that correct?
9 Q. Very close; is it not?	9 A. Correct.
10 A. I believe so.	10 Q. Other than the single late-night phone call to
11 Q. Well, you knew it; did you not? It's not a	11 make arrangements to pick you up; correct?
12 place you don't know; is it?	12 A. Correct.
13 A. I don't know the street names.	13 Q. And the sequence of events are exactly what
14 Q. You don't know the street name, but you picked	14 Detectives MacGillivray and Ritz spent so much time in
15 out and took them in their car to show them the truth of	15 the middle of the night on a Saturday night to a Sunday
16 what it is you said?	16 morning asking you about; isn't that correct?
17 A. Yes, ma'am.	17 A. Correct.
18 Q. Even though it was a lie?	18 Q. How things happened, in what order, how long
19 A. Yes, ma'am.	19 they took; correct?
20 Q. So after that all-night interrogation, you	20 A. Yes, something like that.
21 continued to lie to them about the same things?	21 Q. And the sequence of events went from the trunk
22 A. Yes, ma'am.	22 pop; right?
23 Q. But on March the 15th, when once again you were	23 A. Yes.
24 hauled down there, you decided to come clean on several	24 Q. And when you took them to the place and you
25 things?	25 continued to lie about where that occurred, you described
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1 A. Yes, ma'am.	1 what you saw; right?
2 Q. Once you were confronted; is that correct?	2 A. Correct.
3 A. Yes, ma'am..	3 Q. And what you described was Hae Lee in the car,
4 Q. You knew, sir, you said you didn't know whether	4 in the trunk of the car?
5 or not or how long Adnan, your acquaintance had a cell	5 A. Yes, ma'am.
6 phone; right?	6 Q. You described her as being scrunched up; did
7 A. Correct.	7 you not?
8 Q. But when you got the car, which was a good	8 A. Yes, ma'am.
9 thing for you, although you tell us you didn't request	9 Q. You described the clothing she was wearing; did
10 it?	10 you not?
11 A. Yes, ma'am.	11 A. Yes, ma'am.
12 Q. He left his cell phone whenever you've gotten	12 Q. And you described that you knew it was Hae Lee,
13 it, or to whoever it belonged, with you?	13 although she was scrunched up; is that correct?
14 A. Yes, ma'am.	14 A. Yes, ma'am.
15 Q. Is that right?	15 Q. And you described it as occurring right after
16 A. Correct.	16 Adnan told you he had killed her?
17 Q. And the arrangement that was made was that he	17 A. Yes, ma'am.
18 was to call you on the cell phone he left with you in his	18 Q. Right? And you described her lips as blue; is
19 car; is that correct?	19 that correct?
20 A. Correct.	20 A. Yes, ma'am.
21 Q. On the 28th, you lied about the sequence of	21 Q. Even though you told us you couldn't really see
22 events; did you not?	22 her face?
23 A. I do not recall.	23 A. Yes, ma'am.
24 Q. Is that because you lied about so many things,	24 Q. Okay. But you knew from what you saw
25 sir --	25 sufficient detail to describe all of those items?

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1 A. Yes, ma'am.	1 sign away then your rights to a lawyer?
2 Q. The skirt that she was wearing?	2 A. I read papers and I signed the paper.
3 A. Yes, ma'am.	3 Q. And you signed them, and those papers told you
4 Q. The color of her pantyhose?	4 those things; right?
5 A. Yes, ma'am.	5 A. Told me my rights, yes.
6 Q. Is that right?	6 Q. They told you that you didn't have to talk to
7 A. Yes, ma'am.	7 anybody; right?
8 Q. The absence of shoes; is that right?	8 A. Yes.
9 A. Yes, ma'am.	9 Q. And you knew that on the 15th of March, you
10 Q. A white blouse; is that right?	10 still felt considered like a suspect; right?
11 A. Yes, ma'am.	11 A. Yes.
12 Q. A light white jacket?	12 Q. They had at that time, because they shared with
13 A. I do not recall.	13 you your acquaintance Adnan's cell phone records; did
14 Q. You don't recall the jacket?	14 they not?
15 A. No.	15 A. Yes.
16 Q. But you do recall the toast pantyhose?	16 Q. Okay. And in fact, they asked you about
17 A. Toast, taupe.	17 numbers on the cell phone records; did they not?
18 Q. Toast. Taupe?	18 A. Yes, ma'am.
19 A. Taupe, yes.	19 Q. And they asked you to describe numbers on a
20 Q. And taupe was a word you used?	20 cell phone printout; did they not?
21 A. Yes.	21 A. Yes, ma'am.
22 Q. Is that right?	22 Q. And you described for them the number 390-0384
23 A. Yes.	23 as Jen Pusateri's number; did you not?
24 Q. They didn't select any of those descriptions	24 A. Yes, ma'am.
25 for you?	25 Q. And on that day, the 13th, you had
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1 A. No, ma'am.	1 conversations with Jen Pusateri; right?
2 Q. Is that right? You described that as your	2 A. Yes, ma'am.
3 observations from a quick trunk pop near a major drug	3 Q. But on the 15th, you hadn't told the detectives
4 strip?	4 that; right?
5 A. Yes, ma'am.	5 A. No, ma'am.
6 Q. Is that right?	6 Q. You had not mentioned Jen's name, Jennifer
7 A. Yes, ma'am.	7 Pusateri; right?
8 Q. And you subsequently continued that lie by	8 A. Yes, ma'am.
9 showing them where that occurred; is that correct?	9 Q. Never at all? Not her last name or her first
10 A. Yes, ma'am.	10 name --
11 Q. Now, on the 15th of March, did you have warning	11 A. No, ma'am.
12 that they were coming to get you?	12 Q. -- as someone that you had contact with and saw
13 A. No, ma'am.	13 and spoke with; correct?
14 Q. They hadn't made a special arrangement and	14 A. Yes, ma'am.
15 said, "Oh, by the way, sir, would you kindly come down to	15 Q. Okay. But they confronted you with a list of
16 the Homicide" --	16 numbers, and you were forced to identify that Jen
17 A. No, ma'am.	17 Pusateri was your friend?
18 Q. -- Office"; did they? They just came and	18 A. Yes, ma'am.
19 hauled you in there; did they not?	19 Q. Right? And when you called Jen Pusateri on the
20 A. Yes, ma'am.	20 13th, and the call was made, you made that call; did you
21 Q. And they advised you in the very same way of	21 not?
22 things like, "Oh, if you want a lawyer, a lawyer can be	22 A. Yes, ma'am.
23 appointed for you"; correct?	23 Q. The cell phone that you say your acquaintance
24 A. They give me no legal advice.	24 Adnan gave you on the 13th was in your hands; correct?
25 Q. They gave you no legal advice, and they didn't	25 A. Yes, ma'am.

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- 1 Q. On more than one occasion; correct?
 2 A. Yes, ma'am.
 3 Q. And your friend Jennifer Pusateri also had a
 4 pager, did she not?
 5 A. Yes, ma'am.
 6 Q. That was your other way of getting -- excuse
 7 me, to get to know her -- to get in touch with her; was
 8 it not?
 9 A. Yes, ma'am.
 10 Q. And you knew that pager number by heart; did
 11 you not?
 12 A. Yes, ma'am.
 13 Q. Okay. And that pager also appeared on the cell
 14 phone records; did it not?
 15 A. Yes, ma'am.
 16 Q. And so you knew you were going to be confronted
 17 with evidence that established that there was a person
 18 that they could go talk to that you had told them nothing
 19 about; correct?
 20 A. Yes, ma'am.
 21 Q. You so were sort of forced to give up the truth
 22 on that; correct?
 23 A. Yes, ma'am.
 24 Q. Okay. Now, sir, Mr. McFurley, or Forley,
 25 Furlew?

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- 1 A. Oh, I'm sorry. Furlew.
 2 Q. Furlew. What was his first name, Patrick?
 3 A. Yes, Patrick.
 4 Q. Okay. Patrick was not a name that you had told
 5 them about on the 28th in the dead of the middle of the
 6 night, had you?
 7 A. No, ma'am.
 8 Q. And Patrick was your friend; was he not?
 9 A. Yes, ma'am.
 10 Q. He was someone you called; is that correct?
 11 A. Yes, ma'am.
 12 Q. You called via the phone that you didn't know
 13 existed from your acquaintance Adnan, on the one and only
 14 day up until that point that you had ever been in his
 15 car, or borrowed his car? You knew that he wasn't
 16 friends with Patrick, --
 17 MR. URICK: Objection.
 18 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 19 Q. -- Furlew; didn't you?
 20 THE COURT: Overruled.
 21 THE WITNESS: I'm not understanding your
 22 question.
 23 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 24 Q. Well, you knew that Patrick wasn't a friend of
 25 Adnan's right?

- 1 A. Yes.
 2 Q. He was your friend; right?
 3 A. Yes.
 4 Q. And you had called him looking for weed; right?
 5 A. Yes.
 6 Q. You were always looking for weed; right?
 7 A. No, ma'am.
 8 Q. To either smoke or to sell; right?
 9 A. No, ma'am.
 10 Q. Or to give away to some of your friends?
 11 A. No, ma'am.
 12 Q. You knew once they confronted you with that,
 13 that Patrick, whose number appeared, could easily be
 14 traced; right?
 15 A. Yes, ma'am.
 16 Q. And you didn't know on the 15th of March
 17 whether or not Detectives MacGillivray or Ritz had
 18 already spoken to your friend, did you?
 19 A. No, ma'am, I did not.
 20 Q. And you didn't know whether or not they had
 21 already spoken to your friend Jen; right?
 22 A. No, ma'am, I did not.
 23 Q. And you didn't know if they had spoken to them,
 24 what they had told them; right?
 25 A. Correct.

- 1 Q. So that sort of worried you; did it not?
 2 A. No, ma'am, it did not.
 3 Q. There's another number that appears on that
 4 day, sir. Let me give you an unmarked copy. That
 5 appears, if you would look at Number 24 --
 6 MS. GUTIERREZ: I'm showing him a copy of
 7 State's Exhibit --
 8 THE COURT: 34.
 9 MS. GUTIERREZ: -- 34.
 10 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 11 Q. You've seen that list before; haven't you?
 12 A. Yes, ma'am.
 13 Q. And that wasn't the list you were confronted
 14 with on the 15th of March, was it?
 15 A. No, ma'am.
 16 Q. It looked like a cell phone bill; did it not?
 17 A. A lot like one.
 18 Q. But it had all the same numbers on it; did it
 19 not?
 20 A. I cannot recall.
 21 Q. Well, sir, you recall it had the numbers Jen
 22 Pusateri, your friend; right?
 23 A. Yes, ma'am.
 24 Q. And that those numbers appeared on at least
 25 four occasions, did it not?

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1 A. Yes, ma'am.		1 between then, had you?
2 Q. Okay. And the number you are familiar with		2 A. No, ma'am.
3 that I've asked you to look at, could you read that out?		3 Q. Now, Mr. Mendez, is he a fellow procurer of
4 A. 24?		4 weed?
5 Q. 24?		5 A. No, ma'am.
6 A. 301-695-8485.		6 Q. No. But he's your friend; correct?
7 Q. And that's a number that you were asked about;		7 A. Yes, ma'am.
8 were you not?		8 Q. You called him on that day; correct?
9 A. Yes, ma'am.		9 A. Yes, ma'am.
10 Q. That's a number that you know?		10 Q. He doesn't even know who Adnan is; does he?
11 A. Yes, ma'am.		11 A. No, ma'am, he does not.
12 Q. Was it not? That's a number that you dialed on		12 Q. No contact with him?
13 that day?		13 A. No contact with him.
14 A. Yes, ma'am.		14 Q. And you knew that; did you not?
15 Q. And when the police were asking you about this,		15 A. Yes, ma'am.
16 you knew because they told you that the numbers they were		16 Q. And that conversation lasted for a minute and
17 asking about did not appear on the cell phone records of		17 25 seconds?
18 Adnan Syed's phone except on this day, no other day. Did		18 A. Yes, ma'am.
19 they tell you that?		19 Q. Is that correct?
20 A. No, ma'am.		20 A. Yes, ma'am.
21 Q. Well, sir, you knew when they asked you, you		21 Q. And so once confronted with those numbers, you
22 identified that number; did you not?		22 gave up Jen Pusateri's name; right?
23 A. Yes, ma'am.		23 A. Yes, ma'am.
24 Q. That's a number that physically located, it's a		24 Q. That you had lied about by not mentioning her
25 hard line, not a cell line; is it not?		25 at all; correct?
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1 A. Yes, ma'am.		1 A. Yes, ma'am.
2 Q. And it is located not in Baltimore City;		2 Q. And you gave up Mr. Furlew's number; correct?
3 correct?		3 A. Yes, ma'am.
4 A. No, ma'am.		4 Q. And you gave up Phillip Mendez's number;
5 Q. And not in Baltimore County; correct?		5 correct?
6 A. No, ma'am.		6 A. Yes, ma'am.
7 Q. But in Frederick County; correct?		7 Q. All names that you never mentioned to them
8 A. Yes, ma'am.		8 before?
9 Q. Frederick County, way up I-70; is that correct?		9 A. Yes, ma'am.
10 A. Correct.		10 Q. Either on the 28th or on the day that you took
11 Q. I-70, the same road that you've identified --		11 them to the place where you told them about, at Edmondson
12 excuse me, as a place you visited on the 13th; correct?		12 Avenue and Franklintown Road; is that correct?
13 A. Yes, ma'am.		13 A. On the 15th? I don't believe I told them on
14 Q. And that number is a friend of yours; correct?		14 the 15th. On the 28th?
15 A. Yes, ma'am.		15 Q. You didn't tell them about it on the 28th;
16 Q. Not a friend of Adnan Syed's; correct?		16 right?
17 A. Yes, ma'am.		17 A. Right. Correct.
18 Q. And that phone call, 24, whose home is that?		18 Q. And you didn't tell them about it on the day
19 A. Phil Mendez.		19 that you took them to see the place that you told them
20 Q. Pardon?		20 about on the 28th; right?
21 A. Phil Mendez.		21 A. Correct.
22 Q. Phil Mendez. And that's not a name that you		22 Q. And that day occurred before the 15th; correct?
23 had mentioned to the police on the 28th; had you?		23
24 A. No, ma'am.		24 A. Yes, ma'am.
25 Q. And you had not mentioned of any time in		25 Q. Is that correct?

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- 1 A. Yes, ma'am.
 2 Q. Okay. On the 15th of March, you still felt
 3 like you were being treated like a suspect; were you not?
 4 A. Yes, ma'am.
 5 Q. Okay. Now, Best Buy came up on the 15th; did
 6 it not?
 7 A. Yes, ma'am.
 8 Q. You were familiar with Best Buy; were you not?
 9 A. Yes, ma'am.
 10 Q. You knew where Best was -- Best Buy was long
 11 before the 28th of February; correct?
 12 A. Yes, ma'am.
 13 Q. And long before the 13th of January; correct?
 14 A. Yes, ma'am.
 15 Q. It wasn't a surprise to you; is that correct?
 16 A. Yes, ma'am.
 17 Q. And you are familiar and had discussed Best Buy
 18 with your friend Jen Pusateri before the 15th of March;
 19 had you not?
 20 A. Yes.
 21 Q. You had many conversations with Jen Pusateri
 22 before the 15th of March; had you not?
 23 A. Yes. We spoke several times.
 24 Q. Because you're such good friends; right?
 25 A. Yes.

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- 1 Q. But you didn't speak to her about what had
 2 occurred to you on the early morning of the 28th of
 3 February?
 4 A. No, ma'am. She was upset with me.
 5 Q. She was upset with you from the 28th until
 6 after the 15th?
 7 A. She was upset with me for a while. I don't
 8 recall how long.
 9 Q. Sir, you recall that the police ultimately
 10 spoke to Jen Pusateri; do you not?
 11 A. Yes.
 12 Q. You forgot when that happened, did you not?
 13 A. She came to my job afterwards, yes.
 14 Q. You knew before it happened that it was going
 15 to happen, sir?
 16 A. No, I did not.
 17 Q. You spoke to Jen Pusateri before she spoke to
 18 the detectives; did you not?
 19 A. Yes. I speak to her every day.
 20 Q. So you spoke to her before her interrogation?
 21 A. I speak to her every day, yes.
 22 Q. So is the answer to my question, sir, yes, you
 23 spoke to your friend Jen Pusateri before she spoke to the
 24 police?
 25 MR. URICK: Objection.

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- 1 Q. But you had spoken to her about these events?
 2 A. Yes, ma'am.
 3 Q. Before the 15th; did you not?
 4 A. Of March? Yes, ma'am.
 5 Q. You had spoken to her about it before the 28th
 6 of February; had you not?
 7 A. Yes, ma'am.
 8 Q. And you had spoken to Jen Pusateri after you
 9 spoke to the police on the 28th; isn't that correct?
 10 A. No, ma'am.
 11 Q. After you were interrogated on the 28th, it is
 12 your testimony that you didn't speak to Jen Pusateri
 13 about what had occurred on the 28th?
 14 A. No, ma'am, I did not.
 15 Q. You were so concerned with protecting her;
 16 correct?
 17 A. Yes, ma'am.
 18 Q. She was such a good friend to you; correct?
 19 A. Yes, ma'am.
 20 Q. She was the one you turned to in trouble; is
 21 that not right?
 22 A. Yes, ma'am.
 23 Q. And she was one with whom you shared weed, was
 24 she not?
 25 A. Yes, ma'am.

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- 1 THE COURT: Sustained as to tone. You need not
 2 yell at the witness, Ms. Gutierrez.
 3 MS. GUTIERREZ: Thank you, Your Honor.
 4 THE COURT: When you phrase a question.
 5 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 6 Q. Mr. Wilds, she was still your friend between
 7 the 28th and the 15th of March, was she not?
 8 A. Yes, ma'am.
 9 Q. Okay. And you spoke to her every day like you
 10 always spoke to her?
 11 A. No, ma'am, I did not. She was upset with me.
 12 Q. Okay. Because she was upset with you; correct?
 13 A. Yes, ma'am.
 14 Q. So you didn't share with her what had occurred
 15 in the middle of the night when you were a suspect in a
 16 murder that would have carried the death penalty, did
 17 you?
 18 MR. URICK: Objection.
 19 THE COURT: Sustained as to the convoluted form
 20 of the question.
 21 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 22 Q. Did you, sir, speak to any other good friend
 23 about what had occurred with you in the early morning
 24 hours of February 28th?
 25 A. No, ma'am.

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1	Q. You didn't confide in anybody?	1 A. Yes, ma'am.
2	A. Maybe Stephanie.	2 Q. Your good friend? You didn't want her to be
3	Q. Stephanie, your girlfriend.	3 accused of anything?
4	A. Maybe.	4 A. Yes, ma'am.
5	Q. Other than that, you didn't seek the services	5 Q. Isn't that correct?
6	of an attorney?	6 A. Yes, ma'am.
7	A. No, ma'am.	7 Q. And at no time between the 28th of February and
8	Q. You didn't consult with Ms. Benaroya?	8 the 15th of March did you correct that lie; did you?
9	A. Pardon me?	9 A. No, ma'am, I did not.
10	Q. You didn't consult with Ms. Benaroya?	10 Q. You clung to it; did you not?
11	A. No, ma'am, I did not.	11 A. You're speaking on the first and second time?
12	Q. And you didn't speak -- or seek to speak with	12 Q. Yes?
13	any other lawyer?	13 A. Between the first and second time?
14	A. No, ma'am, I did not.	14 Q. Yes. No. Right. Correct.
15	Q. And although you recall that at some point, she	15 A. Between the first and second time.
16	didn't speak to you, there came a time when your very	16 Q. Between the first and second time, you made no
17	good friend, Jen Pusateri spoke to the police?	17 effort to correct your lie; is that correct?
18	A. Yes, ma'am.	18 A. Correct.
19	Q. Okay. And you knew about that before it	19 Q. Even though you spoke to the police --
20	happened; did you not?	20 A. Correct.
21	A. No, ma'am. She was interviewed first.	21 Q. -- by telephone on occasions before the 15th;
22	Q. She what?	22 correct?
23	A. She was interviewed first.	23 A. Yes, ma'am.
24	Q. She was interviewed first?	24 Q. Even though they had questions challenging what
25	A. Yes, ma'am.	25 you had said; is that correct?
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1	Q. Before you got to her?	1 A. Yes, ma'am.
2	A. No, ma'am. The police, they contacted her	2 Q. That's, in fact, how it came about that they
3	first, and then they contacted me.	3 asked you to take them to the place that you did say,
4	Q. Well, sir, so it is your testimony that on that	4 Franklinton and Edmondson Avenue; correct?
5	28th, when you first spoke to them in the middle of the	5 A. I believe so.
6	night, they knew about Jen Pusateri?	6 Q. And although you, again, once Jen continued to
7	A. Yes, ma'am.	7 speak to you, she did so; did she not?
8	Q. Her name was already out on the table; right?	8 A. After a period of time.
9	A. I believe so.	9 Q. Well, you said she stopped speaking to you for
10	Q. But you knew of the Jen Pus -- and that was	10 a while; right?
11	because the cell phone --	11 A. Yes, I did.
12	A. Yes, ma'am.	12 Q. You didn't stop speaking to her; did you?
13	Q. Was it not?	13 A. Yes, I did.
14	A. Yes, ma'am.	14 Q. Okay. You stopped speaking to her because she
15	Q. But you didn't tell them you knew her; did you?	15 stopped speaking to you?
16	A. Which occasion?	16 A. Yes, ma'am. I felt as though she wanted to be
17	Q. On the first occasion, sir?	17 left alone.
18	A. No, ma'am, I did not.	18 Q. And you left her alone?
19	Q. No. And you didn't answer their questions?	19 A. Yes, ma'am.
20	You directly lied to them about her; is that correct?	20 Q. But there came a time when you resumed your
21	A. Yes, ma'am.	21 friendship with your very good friend?
22	Q. And you lied about her, you told us, to protect	22 A. Yes, ma'am.
23	her?	23 Q. Is that correct?
24	A. Yes, ma'am.	24 A. Yes, ma'am.
25	Q. Correct?	25 Q. And when you resumed it, you began to speak to

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1 her every day, the same way you had spoken to her every 2 day before she stopped speaking to you; correct? 3 A. Yes, ma'am. 4 Q. She stopped speaking to you over these events; 5 is that correct? 6 A. Yes, ma'am. 7 Q. You knew, when you spoke to the police in the 8 early morning hours of February 28th, that Jen Pusateri 9 had told them a lie; did you not? 10 A. Yes, ma'am. 11 Q. Because she hadn't identified you, had she? 12 A. No, ma'am. 13 Q. She hadn't given them any information that 14 might connect her with you; correct? 15 A. Correct. 16 Q. And that made you feel more comfortable in your 17 lie; did it not? 18 A. No, ma'am, it did not. 19 Q. Well, you realized, when they started asking 20 you questions, that they knew nothing about your 21 relationship with Jen Pusateri; did you not? 22 A. That's an assumption. 23 Q. Now, Jen Pusateri had gone to Woodlawn; had she 24 not? 25 A. Yes, ma'am.	1 to others? 2 A. Yes, ma'am. 3 Q. And that drug dealing included not just 4 customers who were either then or former students at 5 Woodlawn, but others as well? 6 MR. URICK: Objection. 7 THE COURT: Overruled. 8 BY MS. GUTIERREZ: 9 Q. Yes. And she knew all about you; right? 10 A. Yes, ma'am. 11 Q. And when, on the 28th, they asked you about 12 her, it was clear they knew nothing about anything that 13 might connect her to you? 14 A. I don't understand. 15 Q. Well, when they asked you about -- her name 16 came up on the 28th; did it not? 17 A. The first occasion? 18 Q. Yeah? 19 A. I believe so. 20 Q. Well, you've already told us, Mr. Wilds, that 21 you recall that they had the cell phone records; correct? 22 A. That wasn't until the 15th, wasn't it? 23 Q. No, sir. 24 A. That was the 28th? 25 Q. That's what you answered, sir. Do you now not
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1 Q. She had been in your class? 2 A. Yes, ma'am. 3 Q. And she was over 18, was she not? 4 A. Yes, ma'am. 5 Q. At the time, in January of 1999, she was 6 attending college, was she not? 7 A. Yes, ma'am. 8 Q. But in January, she was on her break from 9 school, was she not? 10 A. I believe so. 11 Q. And in addition to speaking to her every day, 12 you saw her very regularly; did you not? 13 A. In general, yes. 14 Q. Sometimes -- and before then; right? 15 A. Yes. 16 Q. Sometimes you'd see her every day in addition 17 to speaking to her every day? 18 A. Yes, ma'am. 19 Q. And you got high with her off weed regularly; 20 correct? 21 A. Yes, ma'am. 22 Q. And she knew about your drug dealing; did she 23 not? 24 A. Yes, ma'am. 25 Q. That you procured and sold an illicit substance	1 recall? 2 A. The police presented me -- 3 MR. URICK: Objection. 4 THE COURT: Sustained. 5 BY MS. GUTIERREZ: 6 Q. Mr. Wilds, you're asking me. Is that because 7 you don't remember what you just told the ladies and 8 gentlemen of the jury? 9 A. The second occasion that I spoke to the police, 10 they confronted me with the cell phone record, and that's 11 when I told them about Jen Pusateri. 12 Q. So you're telling them that you only told them 13 on the second occasion about Jen because you were 14 confronted with the cell phone records? 15 A. Yes, ma'am. 16 Q. Are you aware that they had the cell phone 17 records? 18 A. No, ma'am. 19 Q. Now, Mr. Wilds, on the 13th, you went to Mark 20 Pusateri's house, -- 21 A. Yes, ma'am. 22 Q. -- not to see Mark, but to wait for Jen; right? 23 A. No, ma'am. 24 Q. No. You went there for the 15-year old to play 25 video games; is that correct?

1 A. Yes, ma'am.
 2 Q. And, but you waited for Jen to arrive; did you
 3 not?
 4 A. She called and she said she was coming, yes.
 5 Q. Okay. Well, and you waited for her; right?
 6 A. Yes, ma'am.
 7 Q. It's not unusual for you to go to her house and
 8 wait for her, was it?
 9 A. No.
 10 Q. Oh, okay. And notwithstanding the fact that
 11 you went there with the expressed purpose to play video
 12 games with a 15-year-old brother, once she called, you
 13 decided to wait until she came home; correct?
 14 A. Yes, ma'am.
 15 Q. You had not seen her earlier that day; correct?
 16 A. No.
 17 Q. And you had not been to your mutual friend,
 18 mutual with her, Crysta Vinson's house already; correct?
 19 A. Not as of yet, no.
 20 Q. And you had not yet smoked your weed?
 21 A. No, ma'am.
 22 Q. That came later?
 23 A. Yes, ma'am.
 24 Q. And was that a usual pattern for you, to smoke
 25 your weed later in the day as opposed to in the morning?

1 A. I don't have a pattern.
 2 Q. Sir, you were aware prior to January 13th that
 3 your friend, Jen Pusateri, didn't really care about Hae
 4 Lee; were you not?
 5 A. It never was discussed. I mean --
 6 Q. Because Hae Lee wasn't close to either of you;
 7 right?
 8 A. Correct.
 9 Q. But you had had a conversation with Hae Lee
 10 -- with Jennifer Pusateri about Hae Lee at some point
 11 after the 28th; did you not?
 12 A. Yes, ma'am.
 13 Q. And in that conversation, you described that
 14 Jen Pusateri didn't really care about Hae Lee?
 15 A. Correct.
 16 Q. And that Jen Pusateri didn't like Hae?
 17 A. I wouldn't go as far to say that?
 18 Q. She thought that Hae was one of those stuck-up
 19 girls, didn't she?
 20 A. Yes.
 21 Q. Those were words that she used to describe Hae
 22 Lee; is that correct?
 23 A. Correct.
 24 Q. They clearly weren't friends?
 25 A. Yes.

1 Q. And they clearly didn't have a lot of contact?
 2 A. Correct.
 3 Q. By choice?
 4 A. They never saw each other.
 5 Q. They never saw each other. They would not do
 6 so?
 7 A. Right.
 8 Q. Jen Pusateri was not a member of the Magnet
 9 Program, was she?
 10 A. At one time, yes.
 11 Q. But not in her last two years at Woodlawn?
 12 A. No, ma'am.
 13 Q. No. She didn't attend the same gifted and
 14 talented classes as Hae Lee did?
 15 MR. URICK: Objection.
 16 THE COURT: Sustained.
 17 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 18 Q. She didn't attend the same classes with your
 19 girlfriend, did she?
 20 MR. URICK: Objection.
 21 THE COURT: Sustained.
 22 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 23 Q. Your friend Jen Pusateri didn't really like
 24 your girlfriend Stephanie either, did she?
 25 MR. URICK: Objection.

1 THE COURT: Sustained.
 2 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 3 Q. Between the 28th of February, in the middle of
 4 the night, and the 15th of March, you had no conversation
 5 with Jen Pusateri about events which had occurred on
 6 January 13th?
 7 A. She had stopped talking to me. She was upset
 8 with me.
 9 Q. And she remained upset with you from the 28th
 10 of February, all the way through the 13th of -- I mean,
 11 all the through the 15th of March?
 12 A. She remained upset with me for a very long
 13 time.
 14 Q. So is the answer to my question, sir, yes?
 15 A. I'm not sure of specific dates. I can't tell
 16 you.
 17 Q. Well, sir --
 18 THE COURT: Objection.
 19 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 20 Q. -- would it be fair to say, would it not, that
 21 the 15th, when the police again hauled you down --
 22 A. She was upset after that.
 23 Q. -- to 601 -- please wait for my question --
 24 A. I'm sorry.
 25 Q. -- East Fayette, that that was a momentous

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1 occasion?
 2 MR. URICK: Objection.
 3 THE COURT: Overruled.
 4 THE WITNESS: Yes, it was.
 5 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 6 Q. For you. Is that correct?
 7 A. Yes.
 8 Q. Just like being hauled down as a suspect on the
 9 28th of February was a momentous occasion; is that
 10 correct?
 11 MR. URICK: Objection.
 12 THE COURT: Overruled.
 13 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 14 Q. They're not occasions you would easily forget,
 15 are they?
 16 A. No, ma'am.
 17 Q. And Jen Pusateri was your very best friend, was
 18 she not?
 19 A. No, ma'am.
 20 Q. No. But she was your very good friend, was she
 21 not?
 22 A. Yes, ma'am.
 23 Q. And although these two momentous occasions
 24 occurred, and you recall that she was angry with you, you
 25 can't recall whether she spoke to you during that time

1 Q. 4th?
 2 A. Yes, ma'am.
 3 Q. 5th?
 4 A. Yes, ma'am.
 5 Q. 6th?
 6 A. Yes, ma'am.
 7 Q. 7th?
 8 A. Yes, ma'am.
 9 Q. 8th?
 10 A. Yes, ma'am.
 11 Q. 9th?
 12 A. Yes, ma'am.
 13 Q. 10th?
 14 A. Yes, ma'am.
 15 MR. URICK: Objection.
 16 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 17 Q. 11th?
 18 THE COURT: Overruled. Let's get to the
 19 conclusion.
 20 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 21 Q. The 11th?
 22 A. Yes.
 23 Q. The 12th?
 24 A. Yes.
 25 Q. The 13th?

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1 period?
 2 A. She did not.
 3 Q. She did not? So now it is your recollection
 4 that you did not speak with her at all in that two-week
 5 plus one day time period; is that correct?
 6 A. Correct. And a while after that.
 7 Q. Now, sir, on the 15th, you told us that you
 8 still felt like a suspect?
 9 A. Yes, ma'am.
 10 Q. And you were treated like a suspect; were you
 11 not?
 12 A. Yes, ma'am.
 13 Q. And you had to sign the same suspect things,
 14 giving up your rights; right?
 15 A. Yes, ma'am.
 16 Q. And you weren't coerced into do that; were you?
 17 A. No, ma'am.
 18 Q. And I would imagine, Mr. Wilds, that you
 19 continued to feel like a suspect on March 1st, the day
 20 after the middle-of-the-night interrogation?
 21 A. Yes, ma'am.
 22 Q. And on March 2nd?
 23 A. Yes.
 24 Q. 3rd?
 25 A. Yes, ma'am.

1 A. Yes.
 2 Q. The 14th?
 3 A. Yes.
 4 Q. And the 15th, up until they came and hauled you
 5 away; right?
 6 A. Yes, ma'am.
 7 Q. It was not a good time for you, was it?
 8 A. No, ma'am.
 9 Q. You needed your friends, didn't you?
 10 A. Yes, ma'am.
 11 Q. But having lied about Jen Pusateri, and being
 12 aware that she was angry at you not talking to her, you
 13 also made no effort to talk to her?
 14 A. I'm sorry. I'm not understanding your
 15 question.
 16 Q. Sir, you said she didn't talk to you?
 17 A. Correct.
 18 Q. Because she was angry with you?
 19 A. Yes.
 20 Q. Correct?
 21 A. She was -- I know she said --
 22 Q. No, sir. I didn't ask you what you said. You
 23 told us --
 24 MR. URICK: Objection.
 25 THE COURT: Sustained. Sustained. You may

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1 rephrase.
 2 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 3 Q. Mr. Wilds, you told us that she was the one not
 4 speaking to you; correct?
 5 A. Correct.
 6 Q. It wasn't that you weren't speaking to her;
 7 right?
 8 A. Correct.
 9 Q. After all, on the 28th, you had done your very
 10 good friend a great favor, had you not?
 11 MR. URICK: Objection.
 12 THE COURT: Sustained as to form.
 13 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 14 Q. You had not mentioned her name in any
 15 connection to the events of January 13th, about which you
 16 lied on the 28th to protect her; correct?
 17 A. Yes, ma'am.
 18 Q. Yes. Because she was your friend; right?
 19 A. Yes, ma'am.
 20 Q. So she should be grateful to you; right?
 21 MR. URICK: Objection.
 22 THE COURT: Sustained.
 23 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 24 Q. You didn't go and tell her, "Jen, my very good
 25 friend, I could have mentioned you. But because I'm so

1 A. No.
 2 Q. She had stopped talking to you before that
 3 frightful moment when the police treated you like a
 4 suspect and hauled you down; right?
 5 MR. URICK: Objection.
 6 THE COURT: Overruled.
 7 THE WITNESS: Before my first occasion, yes.
 8 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 9 Q. Yes. And she already wasn't talking to you;
 10 right?
 11 A. It was the day before she had been questioned,
 12 yes.
 13 Q. And you, sir, had some anxiety about the events
 14 on the 13th, did they not -- did you not?
 15 A. I don't understand. Anxiety?
 16 Q. Well, on the 13th, sir, what you told us
 17 yesterday was that you participated in the burial of a
 18 girl; is that correct?
 19 A. Correct.
 20 Q. A girl that you knew but were not friends with;
 21 is that correct?
 22 A. Correct.
 23 Q. And you told us that you knew that her death
 24 would occur before it happened; did you not?
 25 A. No, I did not.

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1 concerned about you, my friend, I didn't even mention
 2 your name, so no police officer will do to you what they
 3 did to me, haul me down at 1:30 a.m. and treat me like a
 4 suspect to a murder"?
 5 MR. URICK: Objection.
 6 THE COURT: Sustained.
 7 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 8 Q. You, of course, called her right up to tell her
 9 those things; did you not?
 10 MR. URICK: Objection.
 11 THE COURT: Sustained.
 12 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 13 Q. And somehow, you found out that she was angry
 14 with you; correct?
 15 A. Yes, ma'am.
 16 Q. Her anger, however, came after the 13th?
 17 A. Yes, ma'am.
 18 Q. And it occurred before the 28th?
 19 A. Yes, ma'am.
 20 Q. So you didn't conceal her identify in any way
 21 related to her being angry at you, did you?
 22 A. Pardon me?
 23 Q. You didn't conceal her identify and her
 24 presence and involvement on the 13th in any way because
 25 she was angry with you?

1 Q. So, sir, it is your testimony you had no
 2 knowledge that her death was going to occur?
 3 A. Prior to the 13th?
 4 Q. Prior to the 13th?
 5 A. No, ma'am, I did not.
 6 Q. The first knowledge that you've admitted to
 7 knowing was the trunk pop; correct?
 8 A. Correct.
 9 Q. Whether that trunk pop took place at a location
 10 you named, or it took place somewhere else entirely;
 11 right?
 12 A. Correct.
 13 Q. The first thing you knew about it was that; is
 14 that correct?
 15 A. Correct.
 16 Q. Now, on the 15th, once you were confronted with
 17 certain information, you corrected some of the many lies
 18 that you had told the police on the 28th; did you not?
 19 A. Correct.
 20 Q. You gave them other information; did you not?
 21 A. Correct.
 22 Q. You gave them different information; did you
 23 not?
 24 A. Correct.
 25 Q. You told them and admitted that you had lied to

1 them already in the middle of the night; right?
 2 A. Yes.
 3 Q. But that now, you were ready to come clean; is
 4 that right?
 5 A. I believe so.
 6 Q. And once confronted with the identification of
 7 those numbers that showed up on the phone bill, you
 8 fessed up to knowing those people; did you not?
 9 A. Yes.
 10 Q. And you fessed up to the phone being in your
 11 hand; did you not?
 12 A. Yes.
 13 Q. And you fessed up and said you had lied on the
 14 28th?
 15 A. Yes.
 16 Q. Because you were scared?
 17 A. Yes.
 18 Q. And because you were confused?
 19 A. No, ma'am.
 20 Q. You didn't tell them that you were confused?
 21 A. I told them I was trying to protect some
 22 people.
 23 Q. Okay. Yesterday, you told Mr. Urick that you
 24 were confused; right?
 25 A. Yes.

1 Q. Okay. So yesterday, you were confused?
 2 A. Yes.
 3 Q. Okay. Now, Mr. Wilds, on the 15th, you were
 4 asked about things that the sequence of events, to
 5 explain it again; isn't that correct?
 6 A. Pardon me?
 7 Q. On the 15th?
 8 A. Yes.
 9 Q. You were hauled down again; right?
 10 A. Yes.
 11 Q. By Detectives MacGillivary and Ritz; right?
 12 A. Yes.
 13 Q. Whom you knew to be in charge of the murder
 14 investigation, into the murder of Hae Min Lee; correct?
 15 A. Yes.
 16 Q. And on the 15th, that was at the end of a very
 17 long, painful and anxious two weeks for you; right?
 18 A. Yes.
 19 Q. During which you were deprived of the comfort
 20 from your very good friend; correct?
 21 A. Yes.
 22 Q. Who was angry with you; correct?
 23 A. Yes.
 24 Q. Now, Jen Pusateri, your -- by the way, who is
 25 your best friend?

1 A. My girlfriend, Stephanie [REDACTED]
 2 Q. Your girlfriend? And did you tell Stephanie of
 3 what had happened on the 28th?
 4 A. Yes.
 5 Q. Okay. And did you tell her that you had lied
 6 to the authorities?
 7 A. I don't believe the conversation went that far.
 8 Q. And did you tell her that you had lied about
 9 Jen Pusateri, your very good friend?
 10 A. The details of my meeting were not discussed?
 11 Q. You never got to the details with your
 12 girlfriend?
 13 A. No, I did not.
 14 Q. With your best friend?
 15 A. Correct.
 16 Q. And, of course, you never spoke to your other
 17 good friend, because she wasn't speaking to you?
 18 MR. URICK: Objection.
 19 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 20 Q. Now, on the 15th, the police asked you about
 21 Jen and confronted you --
 22 THE COURT: Actually, why don't we break there
 23 for lunch, Ms. Gutierrez.
 24 Ladies and gentlemen, we're going to take a
 25 briefer lunch than ordinary today. I'll ask you when you

1 are released to go have lunch and return to the jury room
 2 by five minutes before 2:00.
 3 Good afternoon.
 4 Don't discuss the case among yourselves, ladies
 5 and gentlemen, nor with anyone else.
 6 (A luncheon recess was taken at 12:42 o'clock,
 7 p.m.)
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1	AFTERNOON SESSION	
2	(2:02 p.m.)	
3	(The jury was not present upon reconvening.)	
4	THE COURT: May we bring the jury down,	
5	counsel?	
6	MR. URICK: Yes, Your Honor.	
7	(Whereupon, the jury entered the courtroom,	
8	after which the following proceedings ensued.)	
9	THE COURT: Ladies and gentlemen, thank you for	
10	your promptness.	
11	Mr. Wilds, you are reminded that you are still	
12	under oath.	
13	Ms. Gutierrez, you have one half hour, thirty	
14	minutes.	
15	MS. GUTIERREZ: Thank you, Your Honor.	
16	CONTINUED CROSS EXAMINATION	
17	BY MS. GUTIERREZ	
18	Q. Mr. Wilds, we were speaking before lunch about	
19	the various times that you spoke to the detectives, do	
20	you recall that?	
21	A. Yes.	
22	Q. You've admitted speaking to them and having	
23	that interrogation taped on the 28th; correct?	
24	A. Yes, ma'am.	
25	Q. And that's the interrogation that you've	
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1	admitted you lied?	
2	A. Yes, ma'am.	
3	Q. About several things?	
4	A. Yes, ma'am.	
5	Q. More things than we've had time to discuss,	
6	right?	
7	A. So far, yes.	
8	MR. URICK: Objection.	
9	THE COURT: Sustained. You've had enough time	
10	to discuss everything.	
11	BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	
12	Q. Well, more things than we have discussed; is	
13	that correct?	
14	A. A few, yes.	
15	Q. And you've lied about a few things, right?	
16	A. Yes.	
17	Q. Those few things were numerous things that	
18	Detective Ritz referred to as too many inconsistencies to	
19	deal with on the 15th of March; is that correct?	
20	A. Pardon me?	
21	Q. Those things about which you've lied are what	
22	Detective Ritz discussed with you on the 15th of March as	
23	describing as too many inconsistencies to deal with,	
24	isn't that correct?	
25	A. I do not recall the terms he used to describe	

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- 1 A. I do not believe so.
 2 Q. You don't believe so?
 3 A. No.
 4 Q. You were on the 13th of April no longer a
 5 suspect, right?
 6 A. I recall being taped twice.
 7 Q. No, sir, my question was on the 13th of April
 8 you were no longer a suspect, were you?
 9 A. No, I was still considered a suspect.
 10 Q. Well, sir, you were aware that the 13th of
 11 April is the very day that the Grand Jury indicted my
 12 client, your acquaintance, Adnan Syed, do you not?
 13 A. No, I'm not aware of that.
 14 Q. Okay. And you're aware that he had been
 15 arrested prior to the 13th and charged with the murder,
 16 isn't that correct?
 17 A. At that time I was aware of that.
 18 Q. Okay. And that he had been arrested and he
 19 has remained at the Baltimore City Detention Center?
 20 A. Yes, ma'am.
 21 Q. You are aware of that; correct?
 22 A. Yes.
 23 Q. You've never been in the Baltimore City
 24 Detention Center in relationship to this case, have you?
 25 A. No, ma'am.

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- 1 Q. Other than -- so it would be fair to say that
 2 on the 13th you were a much more relaxed guy; is that
 3 correct?
 4 A. No.
 5 Q. No. You were still an uptight guy --
 6 A. Yes.
 7 Q. -- about these events?
 8 A. Yes.
 9 Q. You were still concerned about being charged?
 10 A. Yes.
 11 Q. And you weren't charged, sir, in April, were
 12 you?
 13 A. No, ma'am.
 14 Q. And you weren't charged in May?
 15 A. Hmm, I do not believe so.
 16 Q. Well, you know whether you were or not, don't
 17 you?
 18 A. Yes.
 19 MR. URICK: Objection.
 20 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 21 Q. That's not something you easily forget, is it?
 22 A. Yes, I'm not aware of the specific date I was
 23 charged.
 24 Q. But you're aware when you got charged, weren't
 25 you?

- 1 A. Yes, ma'am.
 2 Q. Now, sir, you identified and signed the plea
 3 agreement this morning; is that correct?
 4 A. Pardon me?
 5 Q. You identified the plea agreement this
 6 morning, isn't that correct?
 7 A. Yes.
 8 Q. That's when you got charged, wasn't it?
 9 A. Prior to that.
 10 Q. Right prior to that, isn't that correct?
 11 A. I believe so, yes.
 12 Q. You signed this plea agreement in the
 13 momentous month of September of this year, did you not?
 14 MR. URICK: Objection.
 15 THE COURT: To?
 16 MR. URICK: It's been asked and answered
 17 several times.
 18 THE COURT: Sustained.
 19 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 20 Q. Mr. Wilds, that was your signature at the
 21 bottom, was it not?
 22 A. Yes, ma'am.
 23 MR. URICK: Objection.
 24 THE COURT: Sustained.
 25 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:

- 1 Q. And that was the signature of your lawyer?
 2 MR. URICK: Objection.
 3 THE COURT: Sustained.
 4 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 5 Q. Now, Mr. Wilds, we'll get back to the plea
 6 agreement. On the 13th when you gave another interview
 7 at the Homicide Unit, sir, that wasn't taped?
 8 A. The 13th of which month?
 9 Q. The 13th of April.
 10 A. Oh.
 11 Q. That wasn't taped, that interview that your
 12 recollection is was not taped. Were you again confronted
 13 about other inconsistencies about what you had said on
 14 either the 28th that was taped or on the 15th of March
 15 that was taped?
 16 A. Yes, ma'am.
 17 Q. Okay. And you again attempted to explain to
 18 the detectives what all of these inconsistencies were;
 19 correct?
 20 A. Yes, ma'am.
 21 Q. And at that point they already knew who Jen
 22 was, right?
 23 A. Yes, ma'am.
 24 Q. On the 13th of April at the second interview
 25 you had attempted to clear up things that they had

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- 1 questioned you about?
- 2 A. Correct.
- 3 Q. And that they questioned you about on tape in
4 a manner that clearly accused you of lying to them at
5 first; correct?
- 6 A. No, ma'am.
- 7 Q. On the 15th of March, sir, you admitted that
8 you lied to them --
- 9 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 10 Q. -- did you not? That was after they
11 confronted you with having lied to them, was it not?
- 12 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 13 Q. So that when you answered their questions, you
14 knew that they knew that you had lied; is that correct?
- 15 MR. URICK: Objection.
- 16 THE WITNESS: Correct.
- 17 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
- 18 Q. But you hadn't admitted lying to them before
19 then, had you?
- 20 A. Pardon me?
- 21 Q. You hadn't admitted lying to them before the
22 15th, had you?
- 23 A. No, ma'am.
- 24 Q. On the 28th of February after, and that
25 conversation that began or began started to being taped

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- 1 at one-thirty in the morning lasted for a very long time,
2 did it not?
- 3 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 4 Q. Yes. Hours and hours and hours; correct?
- 5 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 6 Q. And on the 15th when you were again brought
7 down, that conversation, also taped, also lasted for
8 hours and hours and hours, did it not?
- 9 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 10 Q. Now, sir, you said that your friend Jen
11 Pusateri, your good friend Jen Pusateri whose name you
12 kept out to protect her, remember that?
- 13 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 14 Q. That she was angry at you; correct?
- 15 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 16 Q. And wasn't speaking to you; correct?
- 17 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 18 Q. And her anger related to the events that
19 occurred on the 13th?
- 20 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 21 Q. Okay. And those -- the 13th of January; is
22 that correct?
- 23 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 24 Q. Okay. And those events had occurred about
25 seven weeks before; is that correct?

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- 1 A. I believe so, yes.
- 2 Q. Now, sir, you were aware, were you not, that
3 your good friend Jennifer Pusateri appeared at the
4 Homicide Unit of this city's Homicide Unit on the 27th of
5 January, were you not?
- 6 A. No, ma'am, I was not.
- 7 Q. You were aware that when she appeared at the
8 Homicide Unit she appeared with a lawyer?
- 9 A. No, ma'am, I was not.
- 10 Q. Were you not? And she was already angry at
11 you, right?
- 12 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 13 Q. On the 27th, right?
- 14 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 15 Q. She had been angry and not speaking to you for
16 a period of time that almost equaled seven and a half
17 weeks at that point, did it not?
- 18 MR. URICK: Objection.
- 19 THE COURT: Sustained.
- 20 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
- 21 Q. The time period in which she didn't speak to
22 you started on the 13th; correct?
- 23 MR. URICK: Objection.
- 24 THE COURT: Sustained.
- 25 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:

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- 1 Q. Mr. Wilds, when you were asked about what you
2 had lied about on the 28th, Jennifer Pusateri was number
3 one on the list, was she not?
- 4 MR. URICK: Objection.
- 5 THE COURT: Sustained.
- 6 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
- 7 Q. You would not be surprised now to know that
8 she spoke with the detectives the day before that middle
9 of the night taped interview, would you?
- 10 MR. URICK: Objection.
- 11 THE COURT: Overruled.
- 12 THE WITNESS: I'm sorry, could you --
- 13 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
- 14 Q. You wouldn't be surprised to now be told that,
15 would you?
- 16 A. No, ma'am.
- 17 Q. No. Because she's no longer mad at you, is
18 she?
- 19 A. No.
- 20 Q. She still speaks to you, does she not?
- 21 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 22 Q. And you still consider her your best friend?
- 23 A. A very good friend, yes.
- 24 Q. Now, the second time that you spoke to them,
25 the time when they confronted you with your earlier lies,

- 1 you told us you then told them the truth; correct?
- 2 A. The second time?
- 3 Q. The second time --
- 4 A. Not the complete truth.
- 5 Q. -- on the 15th of March; correct?
- 6 A. No, ma'am, I did not.
- 7 Q. You didn't tell them the whole truth?
- 8 A. No, ma'am, I did not.
- 9 Q. You again lied to them; correct?
- 10 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 11 Q. At a time when they had it on tape; correct?
- 12 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 13 Q. You lied the first time and you attempted to correct some of those lies, right?
- 14 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 15 Q. But you again lied about other things, isn't that correct?
- 16 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 17 Q. And that's why they again attempted to confront you with those lies a month later on the 13th, which was a Tuesday, of April, isn't that correct?
- 18 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 19 Q. So you lied to them on the 28th; correct?
- 20 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 21 Q. And you lied to them on the 15th of March;

- 1 lies or not?
- 2 A. I'm not aware. That's their job. I'm not --
- 3 Q. So it's their job to catch you up in your lies; correct?
- 4 A. That's their job to recite what I say, yes.
- 5 Q. It's easier for them to catch you in lies that they record, is it not?
- 6 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 7 MR. URICK: Objection.
- 8 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
- 9 Q. And it's easier for them to catch you up in lies when they have other witnesses who speak to them, is it not?
- 10 A. No, ma'am, it's not.
- 11 Q. It's not?
- 12 A. No, ma'am, it's not.
- 13 Q. That's your testimony today?
- 14 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 15 Q. And, sir, when you spoke to them on the 13th what things did they ask you about?
- 16 A. Just specifics of where the cell phone was.
- 17 Q. The cell phone, the cell phone that you've said Adnan Syed gave to you on the 13th --
- 18 A. He did not give it to me.
- 19 Q. -- of January? He didn't give it to you. He

- 1 correct?
- 2 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 3 Q. And, of course, on the 13th of April you lied to them about other things, did you not?
- 4 A. No, ma'am, I did not.
- 5 Q. They hadn't caught up to all of the lies, particularly the new ones that you told them on the 15th, had they?
- 6 A. I have no knowledge of that, ma'am.
- 7 Q. Right, because they didn't -- they confronted you but they didn't tell you all of the things that you knew you had lied about?
- 8 MR. URICK: Objection.
- 9 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
- 10 Q. Correct?
- 11 THE COURT: Overruled.
- 12 THE WITNESS: No, ma'am, they did not.
- 13 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
- 14 Q. No, they didn't because they hadn't caught them all; correct?
- 15 A. Hmm, I'm not aware of that.
- 16 Q. You don't know whether they caught all of your lies or not?
- 17 A. Pardon me?
- 18 Q. You don't know whether they caught all of your

- 1 just left it in the car, isn't that correct?
- 2 A. Correct.
- 3 Q. That's what you told the detectives the second time you lied to them, isn't that correct, on the 15th of March?
- 4 A. That was my statement, yes.
- 5 Q. That was your statement that he, your acquaintance, just left it in the car, isn't that correct?
- 6 A. Yes, ma'am.
- 7 Q. The fundamental differences between the first time you lied and the second time you lied, now may we assume Mr. Wilds that you lied the second time to correct the lies of the first time; correct?
- 8 A. No, ma'am.
- 9 Q. You intended them to believe you the second time, did you not?
- 10 A. No, ma'am.
- 11 Q. So you lied to them in such a way that you expected them to think you were telling the truth?
- 12 A. Could you rephrase that question? I don't understand that.
- 13 Q. When you lied to them the first time on the 28th of February, you intended them then to believe you, did you not?

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- 1 A. Yes, ma'am.
 2 Q. You lied convincingly, did you not?
 3 A. I don't know.
 4 Q. Well, you wanted them to believe you, did you
 5 not?
 6 A. Yes, ma'am.
 7 Q. You intended for them to believe you; correct?
 8 A. Yes, ma'am.
 9 Q. And on the 15th of March when you were
 10 confronted about your lies earlier, you've told us you
 11 also lied again, isn't that correct?
 12 A. I'm not understanding. I'm sorry.
 13 Q. Sir, you just finished telling us that you
 14 lied to them at the second interview; correct?
 15 A. Correct.
 16 Q. You did that intentionally, did you not?
 17 A. Yes.
 18 Q. You chose to do so, did you not?
 19 A. Yes, ma'am.
 20 Q. Nobody made you lie? You chose to lie, did
 21 you not?
 22 A. Yes, ma'am.
 23 Q. And when you lied the second time, just like
 24 when you lied the first time, you intended for them to
 25 believe you, did you not?

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- 1 A. Yes, ma'am.
 2 Q. Okay. That they should believe your lies;
 3 correct?
 4 A. Yes, ma'am.
 5 Q. And prior to telling them a second set of lies
 6 you tried to correct the first set of lies; correct?
 7 A. Yes, ma'am.
 8 Q. And one of the things you did was to describe
 9 that, oh, there was a new location for the trunk pop;
 10 correct?
 11 A. The trunk pop?
 12 Q. The trunk pop.
 13 A. The disclosure of the body, yes.
 14 Q. Well, sir, there was only one trunk pop,
 15 wasn't there?
 16 MR. URICK: Objection.
 17 THE COURT: Overruled.
 18 THE WITNESS: Pardon me?
 19 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 20 Q. There was only one trunk pop, wasn't there?
 21 A. The disclosure of the body, yes.
 22 Q. There was only one trunk pop, was there not,
 23 Mr. Wilds?
 24 MR. URICK: Objection.
 25 THE COURT: Sustained, sustained.

- 1 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 2 Q. You understand the term trunk pop, do you not?
 3 MR. URICK: Objection.
 4 THE COURT: Sustained.
 5 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 6 Q. Mr. Wilds, was there more than one occasion in
 7 which the trunk of Hae Min Lee's car was popped open and
 8 you viewed the body? Yes or no.
 9 A. No, ma'am.
 10 Q. So there was only one occasion, right?
 11 A. Yes, ma'am.
 12 Q. Okay. And that occasion only took place at a
 13 single location, isn't that correct?
 14 A. Yes, ma'am.
 15 Q. And the first time you told them it was at
 16 that Franklintown Edmondson Avenue address; correct?
 17 A. Yes, ma'am.
 18 Q. The second time you told them it was alleged
 19 to have happened at the Best Buy; is that correct?
 20 A. Yes, ma'am.
 21 Q. A. location with which you are familiar, is
 22 that not correct?
 23 A. Excuse me, yes, ma'am.
 24 Q. Yes. And that location is directly off the
 25 intersection of Belmont Road which is the continuation of

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- 1 Ambassador Road as it runs into Security Boulevard, is it
 2 not?
 3 A. I'm not aware of the street name but --
 4 Q. Well, sir, you're aware that right across
 5 Security Square Boulevard is Security Square Mall, isn't
 6 that correct?
 7 A. Yes, ma'am.
 8 Q. And that right down the street is Westview
 9 Mall; correct?
 10 A. No, ma'am.
 11 Q. I'm sorry, Westview Mall is off of Route 40;
 12 correct?
 13 A. Yes, ma'am.
 14 Q. You can get to Westview Mall by going over
 15 Rolling Road; correct?
 16 A. No, ma'am.
 17 Q. Right at the top of Security Square Mall. Are
 18 you aware of Rolling Road?
 19 A. Yes, ma'am, I am.
 20 Q. You know where Rolling Road is --
 21 A. Yes.
 22 Q. -- and Security Square Mall is, do you not?
 23 A. Yes, ma'am.
 24 Q. And you know that Rolling Road intersects with
 25 Route 40, do you not?

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1	A. Yes, ma'am.	1 not?
2	Q. At the other end; correct?	2 A. Yes, ma'am.
3	A. Yes, ma'am.	3 Q. And it took you going on several different
4	Q. And that below Rolling Road and Route 40 is	4 routes, did it not?
5	the beltway again, isn't that correct?	5 A. Excuse me, yes, ma'am.
6	A. No, ma'am.	6 Q. And it described your stopping at times, did
7	Q. The beltway crosses Security Square Mall, does	7 it not?
8	it not?	8 A. Yes, ma'am.
9	A. Yes, ma'am.	9 Q. And leaving Hae's car at various locations?
10	Q. Below the Best Buy?	10 A. Yes, ma'am.
11	A. Yes, ma'am.	11 Q. Okay. And leaving it, meaning you and Adnan
12	Q. And the beltway crosses Route 40, does it not?	12 then rode around in his car; is that correct?
13	A. Yes, ma'am.	13 A. Yes, ma'am.
14	Q. Below the intersection of Rolling Road and	14 Q. At no point during that time did Mr. Syed
15	Route 40?	15 consult with a map, did he?
16	A. Closer to the city, yes.	16 A. No, not to my knowledge.
17	Q. Closer to the city. So below it?	17 Q. And from the observations that you described
18	A. Yes.	18 in the statement in which you lied, he never consulted
19	Q. Okay. Those are all locations with which you	19 about a specific location, did he?
20	are intimately familiar, are you not?	20 A. No, ma'am.
21	A. Intimately I wouldn't say, but yes I'm	21 Q. No. He never consulted you or asked you where
22	familiar with them.	22 to go; correct?
23	Q. You don't need a map to get around there, do	23 A. No, ma'am.
24	you?	24 Q. But it was clear from what you observed that
25	A. No.	25 he really didn't have an idea where he was going or where
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1	MR. URICK: Objection.	1 he wanted to end up, did he?
2	THE COURT: Sustained.	2 A. No, ma'am, he did not.
3	BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	3 Q. You described, sir -- now, those two days are
4	Q. You used to work right up the street above	4 important days for you, are they not?
5	Rolling Road and Route 40, did you not?	5 A. Which two days?
6	MR. URICK: Objection.	6 Q. January 12th and January 13th?
7	THE COURT: Sustained.	7 A. Yes, ma'am.
8	BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	8 Q. One's your birthday, right?
9	Q. Sir, did you work at the Petsmart which is	9 A. It's just another day, but yes, ma'am.
10	located directly above the intersection of Rolling Road	10 Q. But it is your birthday?
11	and Route 40? Yes or no.	11 A. Yes, ma'am.
12	MR. URICK: Objection.	12 Q. You don't forget it, do you?
13	THE COURT: Sustained.	13 A. No.
14	BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	14 MR. URICK: Objection.
15	Q. Mr. Wilds, you described on the first time	15 THE COURT: Sustained.
16	that you lied to the police riding around with Adnan Syed	16 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
17	in his car, did you not?	17 Q. And you described at least in one of the
18	A. Hmm -- at what point?	18 statements in which you lied celebrating that birthday,
19	Q. Do you have to think about that, sir?	19 did you not?
20	A. At what point?	20 A. Yes.
21	Q. At any point?	21 Q. Okay. Because that's something you do --
22	A. Yes, I rode in the vehicle with him.	22 A. Yes.
23	Q. And the description that you described riding	23 Q. -- do you not? Even though it's just another
24	around took you and him, according to that first	24 day?
25	statement in which you lied, all over the city, did it	25 A. Sometimes I do, yes.

1 Q. The first time that you lied, sir, you
 2 described that all events occurred exclusively on the
 3 13th; is that correct?
 4 A. Yes, ma'am.
 5 Q. And the second statement in which you lied you
 6 described some of those events as occurring on the 12th
 7 on your birthday; correct?
 8 A. Which events?
 9 Q. Any of the events. The first time you said
 10 none of them occurred on the 12th, right?
 11 A. Correct.
 12 Q. The second time that you lied to the police,
 13 you described some of them as occurring on the 12th, did
 14 you not?
 15 A. One, yes.
 16 Q. One. And one of the things that's alleged to
 17 have occurred on the 12th is that you went shopping on
 18 the 12th, isn't that correct?
 19 A. I do not recall.
 20 Q. Sir, do you recall being asked by Detective
 21 MacGillivary who asked you to start, starting with the
 22 12th and your answering, hmm, on the morning of the 12th,
 23 I had left out, went shopping with a friend of mine, an
 24 ex-friend of mine and we ah -- I just believe went to
 25 Wal-Mart. I picked up little things. It was my

1 occurred on the 12th; correct?
 2 A. Correct.
 3 Q. And you had no other conversation; correct?
 4 A. I don't recall. We had other conversation but
 5 not pertaining to Hae Min Lee, no.
 6 Q. Well, sir, you were asked by the police on
 7 the first occasion in which you lied to give up all
 8 information that concerned Adnan and Hae Min Lee, were
 9 you not?
 10 A. Yes, ma'am.
 11 Q. And the first time you were asked you lied
 12 about some significant things, did you not?
 13 MR. URICK: Objection.
 14 THE COURT: Overruled.
 15 THE WITNESS: Yes, ma'am.
 16 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 17 Q. Yes. And, sir, the second time that you lied
 18 to them on the occasion in which they confronted you
 19 about your previous lies, you lied to them again;
 20 correct?
 21 A. Yes, ma'am.
 22 Q. Well, one of the second set of lies that you
 23 told them contained that you now said you went shopping
 24 with an ex-friend whom you later dropped off at school,
 25 did you not?

1 birthday. Hmm, he dropped me at my house and returned to
 2 school. Do you remember that?
 3 A. Yes, ma'am.
 4 Q. And then you also then went on to discover
 5 that that was the day, the 12th, your birthday, not the
 6 13th your girlfriend's birthday, but your birthday that
 7 Adnan, your acquaintance, on the 12th told you ahead of
 8 time that he was going to kill Hae Min Lee, do you
 9 remember that?
 10 A. Pardon me?
 11 Q. You didn't understand what I said?
 12 A. I'm not understanding your question, no.
 13 Q. Okay, sir, let see if I can simplify. You
 14 told them the first time you lied that all of these
 15 events occurred only on the 13th, your girlfriend's
 16 birthday, right?
 17 A. Correct.
 18 Q. A day that you wouldn't forget, right?
 19 A. Correct.
 20 Q. And that the only significant thing that
 21 occurred on the 12th was a late night phone call from
 22 Adnan to set up that you would hook up in the morning; is
 23 that correct?
 24 A. Correct.
 25 Q. But that no events relating to Hae Min Lee

1 A. Yes, ma'am.
 2 Q. Okay. And you don't distrust the recordings
 3 that were made of those conversations, did you?
 4 A. No, ma'am.
 5 Q. No. And so, sir, the second set of lies
 6 included a story that on the 12th, a day before your
 7 girlfriend's birthday, on your birthday, your
 8 acquaintance on the first time you had his car told you
 9 that he was going to kill his girlfriend; correct?
 10 A. I recall so, yes.
 11 Q. Yes. And that's not so hard to recall, is it?
 12 MR. URICK: Objection.
 13 THE COURT: Sustained.
 14 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 15 Q. Mr. Wilds, that's a pretty significant
 16 difference, isn't it?
 17 A. I would say so.
 18 Q. Yes. That you had 24 hours notice ahead of
 19 time of an acquaintance of yours stated intention to kill
 20 a person you knew; correct?
 21 A. Yes, ma'am.
 22 Q. And you also in the second statement in which
 23 you lied to the police told them that on the 12th you
 24 didn't believe your acquaintance; correct?
 25 A. Yes, ma'am.

1 Q. And you told them again that the purpose of
 2 your having the car, sir, was to help Adnan; correct?
 3 A. I do not recall.
 4 Q. You don't recall what you told them. You
 5 don't recall whether you needed the car to help him?
 6 A. I mean, I recall a conversation that evening.
 7 Q. Well, sir, you recall your conversations with
 8 the police, do you not?
 9 MR. URICK: Objection.
 10 THE COURT: Overruled.
 11 THE WITNESS: Yes, ma'am.
 12 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 13 Q. Okay. Now, the next set of things in the
 14 second statement in which you lied, you said that on the
 15 12th although you did not believe your acquaintance, you
 16 called up your good friend Jen Pusateri?
 17 A. On which day?
 18 Q. On the 12th?
 19 A. On the 12th.
 20 Q. The day that we're talking about?
 21 A. Okay.
 22 Q. Is that an okay yes, that's what I did, sir?
 23 A. No, ma'am.
 24 Q. No. Sir, do you recall that you told the
 25 police that you did that?

1 A. No, ma'am.
 2 Q. No. And it's kind of hard to keep track of
 3 when you lie so regularly to the police --
 4 MR. URICK: Objection.
 5 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 6 Q. -- is it not?
 7 THE COURT: Sustained.
 8 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 9 Q. Mr. Wilds, you did tell them that though, did
 10 you not?
 11 A. Tell them?
 12 Q. That you paged your friend Jen on the 12th?
 13 A. On the 12th, yes.
 14 Q. Yes. You did tell them that? That's not so
 15 hard to remember, is it?
 16 A. No, ma'am.
 17 Q. And that you told your good friend that your
 18 acquaintance had said he was going to kill his
 19 girlfriend?
 20 A. I do not recall that conversation.
 21 Q. You don't recall telling them that?
 22 A. The police?
 23 Q. Yes.
 24 A. Yes, ma'am.
 25 Q. Okay. But you just don't recall all of the

1 details of what your lies were?
 2 MR. URICK: Objection.
 3 THE COURT: Overruled.
 4 THE WITNESS: I'm sorry, I do not recall.
 5 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 6 Q. You don't recall that particular detail?
 7 A. I do not recall the conversation. I recall
 8 speaking to the police, yes.
 9 Q. Well, sir, I didn't ask you if you recalled
 10 the conversation. I asked if you recalled telling the
 11 police that?
 12 A. Yes, ma'am, I do.
 13 Q. Okay. So you told the police that on the
 14 12th, that on your birthday that you went shopping with
 15 Adnan; correct?
 16 A. Yes.
 17 Q. And that you then later dropped him off at
 18 school; correct?
 19 A. Yes.
 20 Q. And that you then later paged your good friend
 21 Jen; correct?
 22 A. Yes.
 23 Q. And that you told your friend Jen twenty-four
 24 hours ahead of your best friend Stephanie's birthday that
 25 your acquaintance was going to kill his girlfriend,

1 right?
 2 A. I told the police.
 3 Q. You did tell the police that, right?
 4 A. Correct.
 5 Q. That's not a surprise to you that I'm asking
 6 you this, is it?
 7 A. No, ma'am.
 8 Q. Because you did tell them that; correct?
 9 A. Yes, ma'am.
 10 Q. And you know that there was a tape recorder
 11 rolling?
 12 A. Yes, ma'am.
 13 Q. Correct?
 14 A. Yes, ma'am.
 15 Q. And you know that there's a transcript made of
 16 what you told them, isn't that correct?
 17 A. Yes, ma'am.
 18 Q. Because you've had an opportunity to review
 19 the transcripts of both occasions that were recorded in
 20 which you lied to the police, isn't that correct?
 21 A. Yes, ma'am.
 22 Q. Yes. And you have in, fact, reviewed the
 23 transcripts of both occasions, isn't that correct?
 24 A. No, ma'am.
 25 Q. Mr. Wilds, you knew all of the lies that you

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1 told them on the first time; correct?	1 did you not?
2 A. Yes, ma'am.	2 A. I do not recall.
3 Q. But they didn't, right?	3 Q. You don't recall that you spoke to her about
4 A. That's speculation.	4 that?
5 Q. Okay. And you wouldn't speculate on that,	5 A. No, I don't.
6 would you?	6 Q. You are aware, sir, that there were cameras at
7 A. No.	7 Best Buy, were you not?
8 MR. URICK: Objection.	8 A. I believe so, yes.
9 THE COURT: Sustained.	9 Q. Yes. And that's a location that's familiar to
10 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	10 you even back then; correct?
11 Q. Mr. Wilds, you know the lies that you told	11 A. Yes, ma'am.
12 them on the second time; correct?	12 Q. And that location you were not yet aware
13 MR. URICK: Objection.	13 whether or not anybody had looked at those cameras, were
14 THE COURT: Overruled.	14 you?
15 THE WITNESS: Yes, ma'am.	15 A. No, ma'am.
16 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	16 Q. There was nothing particular that you sought
17 Q. But they don't?	17 to protect about the location of Franklintown and
18 A. That's speculation.	18 Edmondson Avenue, was there?
19 Q. That's speculation. And on the third time it	19 A. I am not understanding you.
20 wasn't recorded, so it was much easier to lie, was it	20 Q. Well, you didn't own it, did you?
21 not?	21 A. No, ma'am.
22 MR. URICK: Objection.	22 Q. And based on what you were telling us nothing
23 THE COURT: Sustained.	23 happened there, right?
24 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	24 A. Correct.
25 Q. Now, sir, you described for them -- you	25 Q. And there weren't any cameras, right?
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1 described for them once --	1 A. At that location?
2 THE COURT: You have two minutes.	2 Q. Yes.
3 MS. GUTIERREZ: Thank you, Your Honor.	3 A. Not to my knowledge, no.
4 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	4 Q. And you weren't concerned about protecting it
5 Q. That you were concerned about telling them	5 in any way, were you?
6 about the Best Buy, remember that?	6 A. No, ma'am.
7 A. No, ma'am, I do not.	7 Q. Okay. Now, you said you dropped Adnan off at
8 Q. Well, you were concerned about telling them	8 his school; correct?
9 about the Best Buy, were you not?	9 A. At which time?
10 A. Yes, ma'am.	10 Q. You dropped him off twice; correct?
11 Q. Edmondson and Franklintown have no special	11 A. No, ma'am.
12 significance for you, did it?	12 Q. And the first time you spoke you dropped him
13 A. No, ma'am.	13 off two times, did you not?
14 Q. It was in Baltimore City; correct?	14 A. Once for practice and once after we shopped,
15 A. Yes, ma'am.	15 yes.
16 Q. It was near some strips, places that deal	16 Q. Okay. So two times?
17 drugs, right?	17 A. Correct, I'm sorry.
18 A. Yes, ma'am.	18 Q. And you said that he said he needed to be
19 Q. It's a dangerous place, right?	19 seen; correct?
20 A. Yes, ma'am.	20 A. Yes.
21 Q. And there were no visible cameras recording	21 Q. Were you seen?
22 the events; correct?	22 A. Yes.
23 A. No, ma'am.	23 Q. Yes. And can you name anyone you saw during
24 Q. You had a subsequent conversation with Jen	24 that time?
25 Pusateri your good friend about the cameras at Best Buy,	25 A. I believe Will was out front when we went

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- 1 inside.
- 2 Q. Will. And what's Will's last name?
- 3 A. I don't know.
- 4 Q. Is he somebody that you know from the school?
- 5 A. He was one of Adnan's team mates.
- 6 Q. So team mates meaning on the track team?
- 7 A. Yes.
- 8 Q. So he would be easy enough to find, would he
9 not?
- 10 A. He should be.
- 11 Q. Okay. And you saw him?
- 12 A. I saw him, yes.
- 13 Q. And he is a name, of course, since you were
14 trying to correct one lie that you brought to the
15 detective's attention the second time you're speaking to
16 them, right?
- 17 A. I do not recall.
- 18 Q. His name doesn't appear anywhere in the
19 transcript, does it?
- 20 A. I don't know. I haven't --
- 21 Q. Anyone else's name of whom you saw?
- 22 THE COURT: Thank you, Ms. Gutierrez.
- 23 Any redirect from the State?
- 24 MR. URICK: Extremely briefly, Your Honor.
- 25 REDIRECT EXAMINATION
- 1 A. Okay.
- 2 Q. Have you had a chance to look at that line?
- 3 A. Yes.
- 4 Q. Can you identify that number?
- 5 A. That is my telephone number.
- 6 Q. I'd ask you to mark that with this magic
7 marker if you would, please?
- 8 A. (Witness complied with request.)
- 9 Q. And what time does it indicate that that call
10 was made to your number?
- 11 A. 9:18 p.m.
- 12 Q. And would that be consistent with your
13 recollection of the time that the defendant called you on
14 the night of the 12th?
- 15 A. Yes, sir.
- 16 MR. URICK: I'd like to publish that to the
17 jury, Your Honor.
- 18 THE COURT: What exhibit is this?
- 19 MR. URICK: This is exhibit 31.
- 20 THE COURT: Thank you.
- 21 MS. GUTIERREZ: May I see the exhibit, Mr.
22 Urick?
- 23 THE COURT: Have you seen this before, Ms.
24 Gutierrez?
- 25 MS. GUTIERREZ: No, Your Honor.

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- 1 BY MR. URICK
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- 3 Q. Mr. Wilds, the defense showed you and we've
4 showed you this statement which is marked for as
5 identification State's Exhibit 34?
- 6 A. Yes.
- 7 Q. The defense had you look at my 24 which has
8 the telephone number 301 [REDACTED] and you identified that
9 number. Whose number is that?
- 10 A. Phil Mendez.
- 11 Q. And that's the number that takes place sixteen
12 minutes after the call to Ms. Denisha [REDACTED].
- 13 MS. GUTIERREZ: Objection.
- 14 THE COURT: Overruled.
- 15 BY MR. URICK:
- 16 Q. What was the name again?
- 17 A. Phil Mendez.
- 18 Q. M-e-n-d-e-z?
- 19 A. I believe.
- 20 Q. Now, I'm going to show you what's already in
21 evidence as State's Exhibit 31 which is -- this is
22 derived from -- this is the 13th. This has the 12th,
23 13th, and 14th on it. I'm going to direct you to focus
24 you to phone calls that were made the 12th of January and
25 ask you to look at line number ten?
- 1 MR. URICK: She's seen it, both when we entered
2 it into evidence and on a day when we provided discovery.
3 I think they have a copy of the complete exhibit. I
4 remember making them.
- 5 THE COURT: I didn't think it was a surprise.
- 6 MS. GUTIERREZ: It is a surprise. I have not
7 seen this exhibit. What I'm looking at is now marked
8 into evidence and I have not seen it.
- 9 THE COURT: It's not in evidence?
- 10 MR. URICK: That is the certified copy of the
11 AT & T records that was entered to by stipulation.
- 12 THE COURT: On December 10. Yes, it was, on
13 December 10th.
- 14 THE CLERK: I have it in evidence.
- 15 THE COURT: Ms. Gutierrez, it's not a surprise.
- 16 MS. GUTIERREZ: What I was looking at did not
17 appear to be marked in evidence. I have not seen it.
- 18 THE COURT: It's in evidence by your agreement,
19 Ms. Gutierrez.
- 20 MS. GUTIERREZ: Judge, I agreed to the
21 admission of evidence upon --
- 22 THE COURT: Come up, counsel, come up.
23 (Counsel and the defendant approached the
24 bench, and the following ensued:)
- 25 THE COURT: Ms. Gutierrez, if you are going to

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1 stand there and lie to jury about something that you
 2 agreed would come in, --
 3 MS. GUTIERREZ: Judge, --
 4 THE COURT: I'm not going to permit you to do
 5 that.
 6 MS. GUTIERREZ: -- the fact that I agreed --
 7 THE COURT: That was a lie. You told a lie.
 8 I'm not going to permit you to do that.
 9 MS. GUTIERREZ: That's not a lie, Judge, and I
 10 resent the implication.
 11 THE COURT: It's a lie because it was by
 12 agreement.
 13 MS. GUTIERREZ: By agreement doesn't mean that
 14 I have seen it, and so it is not a lie.
 15 THE COURT: I assume --
 16 MS. GUTIERREZ: And so I resent that
 17 implication.
 18 THE COURT: I assume -- I assume that you
 19 didn't agree -- that you've seen what you agreed --
 20 MS. GUTIERREZ: I agreed to the admission of
 21 cell phone records because I did not care.
 22 THE COURT: (Inaudible.)
 23 MS. GUTIERREZ: I had not looked at them. I
 24 had not seen it. It is not a lie.
 25 THE COURT: Didn't you know what was in?

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1 MS. GUTIERREZ: Judge, I knew it was the cell
 2 phone records.
 3 THE COURT: But you read them.
 4 MS. GUTIERREZ: They didn't concern me on any
 5 other date.
 6 THE COURT: You read them.
 7 MS. GUTIERREZ: I had not, Judge. Other
 8 members of my team may have. I have not, and I resent
 9 your implications.
 10 THE COURT: Please be quiet. Please be quiet.
 11 MS. GUTIERREZ: It's very hard to be quiet when
 12 a court is accusing me of lying.
 13 THE COURT: When your -- when your conduct lays
 14 a basis for it, then I will accuse you of it.
 15 MS. GUTIERREZ: Judge, you are accusing me of
 16 lying based on assumptions that you have no busy of
 17 making.
 18 THE COURT: (inaudible) basis of your conduct.
 19 Go back.
 20 (Counsel and the defendant returned to the
 21 trial tables, and the following ensued:)
 22 THE COURT: You may publish the exhibit.
 23 BY MR. URICK:
 24 Q. Mr. Wilds, --
 25 A. Yes.

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1 Q. -- what, if anything, did the defendant tell
 2 you was significant about the parking lot at Best Buy?
 3 A. He told me that's where he and Ms. Lee used
 4 have to sex.
 5 Q. In the conversations I've had with you we've
 6 discussed the times that these events occurred, have we
 7 not?
 8 A. Yes.
 9 Q. Are you very good at recalling exactly what
 10 times things occurred?
 11 MS. GUTIERREZ: Objection.
 12 THE WITNESS: No, I'm not.
 13 THE COURT: Overruled.
 14 BY MR. URICK:
 15 Q. Now, when the defendant was driving to Leakin
 16 Park, were you in the car with him to know how he
 17 navigated to get there?
 18 A. No, I was not in the vehicle.
 19 Q. Now, when Woodlawn students need someone to
 20 obtain marijuana, they need someone who can go into the
 21 city to purchase it, do they not?
 22 A. Correct.
 23 MS. GUTIERREZ: Objection.
 24 THE COURT: Sustained as to form.
 25 BY MR. URICK:

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1 Q. Now, why did you go along with what the
 2 defendant asked you to do that day?
 3 MS. GUTIERREZ: Objection.
 4 THE COURT: Sustained as to form.
 5 BY MR. URICK:
 6 Q. Why did you do what you did that day?
 7 MS. GUTIERREZ: Objection.
 8 THE COURT: Sustained as to form.
 9 BY MR. URICK:
 10 Q. If the defendant was only an acquaintance, why
 11 did you go along with what he asked you to do that day?
 12 MS. GUTIERREZ: Objection.
 13 THE COURT: Sustained as to form.
 14 BY MR. URICK:
 15 Q. What was the defendant's demeanor when he said
 16 I did it?
 17 MS. GUTIERREZ: Objection. It's beyond the
 18 scope.
 19 THE COURT: Overruled.
 20 THE WITNESS: He had kind of a thousand-yard
 21 stare to him.
 22 BY MR. URICK:
 23 Q. What do you mean by that?
 24 A. A really blank look. Eyes big, round, no
 25 emotion, apathetic.

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1 Q. Now, in the discussions that you've had with
 2 me, have I asked you to do anything but be honest when
 3 you testify in this case?

4 MS. GUTIERREZ: Objection.

5 THE COURT: Overruled.

6 THE WITNESS: No, sir.

7 BY MR. URICK:

8 Q. And have you, in fact, been honest in your
 9 testimony today?

10 A. To the best of my ability.

11 MR. URICK: Nothing else. Thank you, Your
 12 Honor.

13 THE COURT: Any recross?

14 MS. GUTIERREZ: May I have the exhibit

15 MR. URICK: It's going to the jury right now.

16 MS. GUTIERREZ: If I could have it just for a
 17 minute and I'll return it to you.

18 RECROSS-EXAMINATION

19 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:

20 Q. Mr. Wilds, you were asked to identify a copy
 21 that appears at the very bottom of I think it's page
 22 three of this exhibit that is highlighted in yellow
 23 marker. That's your number, is it not?

24 A. Correct.

25 Q. And it indicates what time it was made, does

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1 Q. Well, no, sir, at any time on the 13th of
 2 January?

3 A. Yes, ma'am.

4 Q. Correct. You were in Leakin Park at a
 5 location that you identify as being twenty yards from the
 6 road; is that correct?

7 A. Twenty to fifty, yes.

8 Q. And when you were in the car you were inside
 9 your acquaintance's car; is that correct?

10 A. Yes.

11 Q. Okay. And you went twenty yards, twenty
 12 yards, that's sixty feet, is it not?

13 A. Maybe a little bit more than that, fifty
 14 yards, but yes.

15 Q. But the twenty yards is what you corrected;
 16 correct?

17 A. Yes.

18 Q. Those were your words, right?

19 A. Yes.

20 Q. So you're better at measuring distance than
 21 remembering time, sir?

22 A. No, ma'am.

23 Q. And, sir, you were in Leakin Park inside on
 24 the road that runs through it, were you not?

25 MR. URICK: Objection.

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1 it not?

2 A. Correct.

3 Q. And it indicates the duration of the phone
 4 call, does it not?

5 A. Correct.

6 Q. And the duration is ten seconds, is it not?

7 A. Yes, ma'am.

8 Q. Okay. You were also asked some questions that
 9 he said you're not very good at recalling exact times,
 10 sir?

11 A. Correct.

12 Q. You recall that? You're not very good at
 13 that, right?

14 A. No, ma'am.

15 Q. But you're very good at lying to the police,
 16 are you not?

17 MR. URICK: Objection.

18 THE COURT: Sustained.

19 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:

20 Q. Mr. Wilds, you were also asked about you were
 21 not in the car at the time that Adnan Syed navigated
 22 through Leakin Park; is that correct?

23 A. Correct.

24 Q. Well, you were in Leakin Park, were you not?

25 A. At the time he was navigating?

1 THE COURT: Overruled.

2 THE WITNESS: Yes, ma'am.

3 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:

4 Q. And you are now aware that the name of that
 5 road is Franklintown, are you not?

6 A. I am now, yes.

7 Q. The same road that you chose to designate for
 8 the place of occurrence of the trunk pop in the first
 9 statement in which you lied; correct?

10 A. Yes, ma'am.

11 MR. URICK: Objection.

12 THE COURT: Overruled.

13 Q. And that you described not only being on that
 14 road but twenty yards off the road to the site of the
 15 burial place; is that correct?

16 A. Yes, ma'am.

17 Q. Okay. Now, the time frame that I was asking
 18 you about, whenever it occurred, you followed your
 19 acquaintance around all over the city, did you not?

20 A. Yes, ma'am.

21 Q. And you were in a different car; correct?

22 A. Excuse me, yes, ma'am.

23 Q. You tell us that you say you were in his car,
 24 right?

25 A. Excuse me, yes, ma'am.

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- 1 Q. And he was in Hae Lee's car, right?
 2 A. Correct.
 3 Q. But you followed him all over the city;
 4 correct?
 5 A. Yes, ma'am.
 6 Q. And you followed him to Leakin Park, isn't
 7 that correct?
 8 A. Yes, ma'am.
 9 Q. A place that it clearly appeared to you he
 10 didn't have in mind when you started; correct?
 11 A. Yes, ma'am.
 12 Q. By what you could observe with your own eyes
 13 as to what took place?
 14 A. Yes, ma'am.
 15 Q. Whatever time it was --
 16 A. Yes, ma'am.
 17 Q. -- right? Over whatever time period; correct?
 18 A. Yes, ma'am.
 19 Q. Now, sir, you said that your acquaintance had
 20 what you called a thousand yard stare?
 21 A. Yes, ma'am.
 22 Q. Is that correct?
 23 A. Yes.
 24 Q. Those are your words, are they not?
 25 A. Yes, ma'am.

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- 1 Q. Those are words you used in both statements in
 2 which you lied to the police, are they not?
 3 A. I believe so.
 4 Q. A thousand yard stare, that's a much greater
 5 distance than the twenty yards that you've described to
 6 us, is it not?
 7 A. Yes, ma'am.
 8 Q. A lot longer in distance than the mere
 9 twenty yards; is that correct?
 10 A. Yes, ma'am.
 11 Q. But the twenty yards is a pretty substantial
 12 distance, is it not?
 13 A. In what terms?
 14 Q. Twenty yards is a substantial distance, isn't
 15 it?
 16 A. I mean --
 17 Q. It's the only terms I'm asking. That's a yes
 18 or no.
 19 MR. URICK: Objection.
 20 THE COURT: Sustained.
 21 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
 22 Q. Mr. Wilds, the thousand-yard stare that you
 23 described is a stare that you're saying your acquaintance
 24 had when he popped the trunk wherever it was, whenever it
 25 was, and showed you the remains of which you were later

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- 1 able to describe the minute details of what she had on;
 2 is that correct?
 3 A. Yes, ma'am.
 4 Q. Your demeanor, sir, was what?
 5 A. Shock.
 6 Q. Shock.
 7 MS. GUTIERREZ: Nothing further.
 8 THE COURT: Okay.
 9 MR. URICK: I have something to follow-up, if I
 10 may, Your Honor.
 11 THE COURT: You may step down, sir.
 12 Thank you.
 13 (The witness was excused.)
 14 MR. URICK: Shall I get the next witness at
 15 this time?
 16 THE COURT: Yes.
 17 (Pause.)
 18 Whereupon,
 19 WILLIAM C. RODRIGUEZ,
 20 a witness produced on call of the State, having first
 21 been duly sworn, was examined and testified as follows:
 22 DIRECT EXAMINATION
 23 THE CLERK: State your name and assignment for
 24 the record?
 25 THE WITNESS: Doctor William C. Rodriguez, III,

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- 1 R-O-D-R-I-G-U-E-Z. I'm presently assigned at the Armed
 2 Forces Institute of Pathology in Washington, D.C. with
 3 the Office of the Armed Forces Medical Examiner where I
 4 serve as the Forensic Anthropologist and Chief Deputy
 5 Medical Examiner, First Special Investigations.
 6 BY MR. URICK:
 7 Q. Dr. Rodriguez, if you would, just very briefly,
 8 what sort of duties do you perform and where have you
 9 been performing them lately?
 10 A. Basically, I oversee forensic anthropological
 11 analysis that primarily deals with bodies that are
 12 decomposed, fragmented, burnt, or primarily skelatalized.
 13 I do the cases for all the U.S. military world-wide, and
 14 also serve as the primary consultant for all branches of
 15 the federal government. And so my work takes me
 16 throughout the United States and around the world.
 17 MR. URICK: Now, pursuant to stipulation, he's
 18 being accepted for his expertise and training as a
 19 forensic anthropologist?
 20 MS. GUTIERREZ: That is correct.
 21 THE COURT: Very good.
 22 Ladies and Gentleman, the doctor is an expert
 23 in forensic anthropology and may testify as an expert.
 24 BY MR. URICK:
 25 Q. Just to try to clarify, if I can in more lay

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1 terms, does that mean that a forensic anthropologist is
 2 responsible for digging bodies out of the ground?
 3 A. That's true. In dealing with the recovery
 4 where the remains be buried, submerged, in any type of
 5 state arranging from fresh to skelatalized a forensic
 6 anthropologist has an unique expertise in locating and
 7 recovering human remains.

8 Q. Now, if I may approach the witness, I'm going
 9 to give you three exhibits that are in evidence, State's
 10 Exhibits 9, 10 and 11, give you a few seconds to look at
 11 them, if you will.

12 (Pause.)

13 BY MR. URICK:

14 Q. Have you had a chance to look at them?

15 A. Yes, I have.

16 Q. Are you familiar with the location and scenes
 17 depicted there?

18 A. Yes, I am.

19 Q. Now, drawing your attention to February 9th of
 20 1999, did you have occasion to go to Leakin Park off
 21 Franklin Town Road in Baltimore City?

22 A. Yes, I did.

23 Q. How did you come to be there?

24 A. I was contacted by the Baltimore City Police
 25 through their main desk, -- I was home at the time -- and

1 work our way in very slowly to look for any type of trace
 2 evidence that may be associated on the surface of the
 3 ground before we actually got to the body.

4 We proceeded first to photograph the area. And
 5 then we did a -- a visual search from outside the
 6 perimeter using standard lights. And then we switched to
 7 using alternate and UV light sources. These are
 8 basically light sources that emit light at various wave
 9 lengths. And due to the certain nature of various
 10 objects, such as hairs and fibers and various type of
 11 evidence associated with clothing, under these various
 12 types of lights that are emitting light at a particular
 13 frequency, they -- they glow and give off a particular
 14 fluorescence.

15 And so we basically searched the whole area
 16 first using the UV and alternate light source to see if
 17 there was any fibers or any specific evidence in the area
 18 leading up to the body prior to examining the body.

19 After we had searched thoroughly using the
 20 alternate light source to search for any type of
 21 evidence, we then slowly moved in to begin examining the
 22 remains visually.

23 Q. And as you began to look at the body, what, if
 24 anything, did you observe?

25 A. We observed initially that the body was placed

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1 asked if I could provide assistance at the site in the
 2 recovery of some -- or human remains that had been
 3 discovered.

4 Q. Now, State's Exhibit 9 shows a road scene. Is
 5 that the site you went to?

6 A. That is.

7 Q. And, now, State's Exhibit 2, do you recognize
 8 that?

9 A. I do.

10 Q. What is that?

11 A. This is the actual site where the deceased's
 12 remains were located.

13 Q. And were you the one to examine the scene for
 14 purposes of disinterment of the body?

15 A. That is correct, myself along with my
 16 assistant, U.S. Air Forcer Master Sergeant Grant Graham.

17 Q. Would you please tell the Ladies and the
 18 Gentleman of the jury what you observed as you first came
 19 on the scene and what you did as a result?

20 A. Basically as we came on to the scene, we
 21 entered within the barrier tape region that had been set
 22 up by the Police Department.

23 Prior to actually going into and getting near
 24 the remains we actually set up a secondary barrier to
 25 ensure that we didn't disturb any type of evidence and

1 in a position near a very large log or tree that had been
 2 downed. It was in very close proximity to this and that
 3 the body was partially covered with dirt. It was very
 4 shallow. However, there were three components of the
 5 body that were partially exposed; that being some
 6 portions of the hair, a portion of the hip, and foot and
 7 knee area.

8 And in examining those, it was obvious that
 9 these had been exposed as a result of post-mortem animal
 10 activity; that is, animals coming to feed or that are
 11 attracted to the remains, and through their activity,
 12 they basically had teased out the hair from underneath
 13 the ground and also had uncovered dirt and removed it
 14 from areas that covered portions of the body.

15 And in doing so we saw even evidence of small
 16 scratch marks on -- that were basically on the hosiery of
 17 the deceased and also scratch marks that actually mud
 18 prints of small animals that had basically uncovered
 19 these portions of the body.

20 Q. Is there anything in those photographs that are
 21 -- is good enough to -- to -- that could be used to
 22 demonstrate what you're talking about there?

23 A. Certainly. You can see --

24 MR. URICK: Could the witness get up and stand
 25 in front of the jury, Your Honor?

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1 THE COURT: Yes.

2 BY MR. URICK:

3 Q. If you would, narrate it and start at that end
4 and show everyone, if you would? I can take the other
5 two at this time, if it's easier just to hold one.

6 A. What we have here is the site in which you're
7 looking at the body was found on the -- on the side of
8 the log. You can see it's a fairly large --

9 THE COURT: Louder, please, Doctor.

10 THE WITNESS: Fairly large log, which certainly
11 aided in concealing the body. If one was walking toward
12 it, one would not notice the body itself unless one
13 actually crossed over on the log. You can see here just
14 some remnants of the body actually sticking out. Here is
15 the head portion.

16 You can see this dark, black material which is
17 hair. We have a leaf and this portion here that is
18 partially exposed. Here in this picture here you see a
19 blowup and you can see again this dark, black material
20 which is the hair which has been exposed as a result of
21 the digging of animals; here the area of knee. Here we
22 have a pelvic.

23 And you can see this a little bit better here
24 where you have some tearing of the hosiery as a result of
25 the post-mortem animal -- animal activity which had

1 basically unearthed this material, which led to this
2 discovery.

3 BY MR. URICK:

4 Q. Could you come to this end of the jury and just
5 briefly recapitulate the things you were pointing out to
6 that end?

7 A. Here we have --

8 THE COURT: The alternates can stand if you
9 would like.

10 THE WITNESS: -- the log where the deceased was
11 found against -- right up against the log. Here you can
12 see a portion of the body. Here we have the head. You
13 can see some of the dark hair, some clothing remnants.

14 Looking over here we have some of the pelvic
15 area and area of knee and foot that were exposed. You
16 can see this up close to get a better idea (inaudible).
17 Large part here head here and has been exposed as a
18 result of an animals teasing it out through the dirt.

19 Here the hip, the knee area you can see what is
20 actually a portion of the foot which was exposed
21 underneath the stocking. We can see the knee a little
22 bit better. And you see this very light coloration here,
23 this is the -- again the animals were tearing the hose
24 and actually attempting to uncover the body.

25 BY MR. URICK:

1 Q. I'll take that. This one now. Were you the
2 one who disinterred -- well, I'll wait to you get back on
3 the stand.

4 (Pause.)

5 BY MR. URICK:

6 Q. Were you the one who disinterred the body?

7 A. Yes, sir, with the help of my assistant.

8 Q. And how did you do that?

9 A. Basically after we cleared the area for trace
10 evidence, we begin to do an examination with the
11 alternate light source, the UV light source on top of the
12 body as we begin very carefully removing the soil. And
13 it's very important that you remove the soil carefully so
14 that you do not miss any type of evidence and cause any
15 type of artifacts -- or damage to the body as you're
16 recovering it.

17 This was done primarily by hand using straw
18 whisk brooms, paint brushes, and small cement-type
19 trowels or excavation-type of tools in which the dirt was
20 very carefully scraped around the actual contour of the
21 body.

22 And then the dirt that was actually on the body
23 itself was basically removed by using the whisk brooms
24 and brushes to very carefully sweep this material away
25 until we could get down to the actual body.

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1 As we begin to get down to the body we
2 conducted an examination using the alternate light source
3 and UV light sources to see if we found any type of
4 evidence that may tell us something about this particular
5 victim.

6 And in doing so, we did locate a foreign fiber
7 that was a bright orange fluorescent color. It glowed
8 very bright orange under the alternate light source. And
9 this fiber was determined to be foreign as no other
10 fibers within the clothing on the victim gave any other
11 type of fluorescence.

12 As we begin to carefully move down and
13 carefully trowel around the body and brush and move the
14 body into a flip position, we found a second foreign
15 fiber that basically was located underneath the body. It
16 glowed a bright blue in color when exposed to the light,
17 which was also found to be foreign to the victim as none
18 of the clothing gave a similar type of fluorescence.

19 These were collected, handed over to the
20 Baltimore Police into evidence at that time.

21 THE COURT: If you could pull the microphone
22 down and talk directly into it.

22 THE WITNESS: After we had carefully completed
23 the excavation and cleaning of the body, we basically
24 placed a body bag next to the site and gently flipped the

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<p>1 body over so that the body was lying on -- on the back so 2 that we could get a good look at the victim. 3 And it was at this time we did some final 4 cleanup with small brushes such to remove the dirt and 5 debris from the deceased.</p> <p>6 BY MR. URICK:</p> <p>7 Q. What, if any, factors affect decomposition of a 8 body in a ground?</p> <p>9 A. There are many factors that effect 10 decomposition of a body. Basically decomposition above 11 ground occurs at a fairly rapid pace compared to bodies 12 that are buried or submerged in water. There are a 13 number of biological aspects to why bodies decompose much 14 slower in water and beneath earth which has to do with 15 basically cooler temperatures, which is a primary product 16 which delays the process of decomposition.</p> <p>17 When you have cool temperatures, moisture, the 18 body basically cools off and the bacterial decomposition 19 of the body does not proceed very fast, whereas if a body 20 is in a very warm climate, exposed above the ground, the 21 body will decompose fairly rapidly in a state.</p> <p>22 Also when a body is buried or is covered, it -- 23 there is an inhibition of insect activities. Insects 24 that typically feed on decomposing bodies, such as flies 25 and various types of beetles, because of either</p>	<p>1 BY MS. GUTIERREZ: 2 Q. Yes, Dr. Rodriguez, you were brought to that 3 specific location precisely because of your expertise i 4 regard to the decomposition of bodies, were you not? 5 A. That's correct. 6 Q. And you answered the call for your assistance 7 by coming out to Baltimore; right? 8 A. That's correct. 9 Q. And you brought your equipment and your 10 assistant; correct? 11 A. That's correct. 12 Q. And you had not been to that location prior to 13 that day had you? 14 A. No, ma'am. 15 Q. You were not aware that the name of that park 16 is Leakin? 17 A. I'm aware. 18 Q. You are now. But prior to then -- 19 A. No. I -- I'd been out to that park before for 20 recoveries. 21 Q. Okay. For recoveries. So you're aware that 22 that is a popular place for the disposal of bodies that 23 had been murdered? 24 A. That's correct. 25 Q. In Baltimore; is that correct?</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Page 241</p> <p>1 environmental conditions being cool or the body being 2 covered, many of these insects cannot get to the body to 3 feed and therefore because of the cool temperatures, the 4 moisture particularly in a loamy-type forest soil that we 5 had here, and being in the winter, basically had very 6 cool temperatures that would perpetuate a slow 7 decompositional process.</p> <p>8 Q. Based on your expertise and training, were you 9 able to form any opinions as to how long that body been 10 in the ground?</p> <p>11 A. Yes. At the time I told the detectives that 12 based on the state of the body, looking at the 13 environment, the climatic condition there for the scene, 14 and the extensive fungus growth, -- we had a very heavy 15 growth of white fungus beneath the body -- that under 16 these climatic conditions there at the scene that I would 17 estimate that the body could have been there anytime 18 between three to four weeks.</p> <p>19 Q. Would the state of the body as you saw it be 20 consistent with a time of death and burial of January 21 13th of 1999?</p> <p>22 A. Certainly.</p> <p>23 MR. URICK: No further questions.</p> <p>24 THE COURT: Cross?</p> <p>25 CROSS-EXAMINATION</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Page 243</p> <p>1 A. That's correct. 2 Q. Now you came to that location having been there 3 before. You were aware that exactly where it is in the 4 middle of a park; is that correct? 5 A. That's correct. 6 Q. And that to get to the site that you've 7 identified in the pictures and, if I may, a picture that 8 you described shows what you told us is a tree, is it 9 not? 10 Not one of these but -- 11 THE COURT: Let's see the other evidence items. 12 BY MS. GUTIERREZ: 13 Q. It's a tree; is that correct? 14 A. That's correct. 15 Q. And that appears in that top right photo on 16 State's Exhibit 10; is that correct? 17 A. That's correct. 18 Q. That tree is dead, is it not? 19 A. That's correct. 20 Q. And that tree would run parallel to almost the 21 same direction that the road on which you came in rur 22 would it not? 23 A. That's correct. 24 Q. Beyond the tree is a stream is it not? 25 A. That's correct.</p>

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- 1 Q. And if you walk to that place that you did that
2 day 11 months ago, you can see that the bank of the
3 stream has overrun, can you not?
4 A. It's pretty high. I didn't see evidence that
5 it -- it had overrun. That was pretty -- I mean, you --
6 you could -- you'd have to jump down.
7 Q. To get to the stream; correct?
8 A. That's correct.
9 Q. All right. And, sir, to get to the stream
10 you'd have to pass by where this tree is; correct?
11 A. Yes, ma'am.
12 Q. And the body that you described for us that you
13 carefully disinterred, attempting to preserve as much
14 evidence as possible, is on the far side of that tree, is
15 it not?
16 A. That's correct.
17 Q. Meaning the furtherest away from the road; is
18 that correct?
19 A. That's correct.
20 Q. Now, there was not a path that you clamored
21 through to get from the middle of the road, where you
22 left your car, to where the body is, is there?
23 A. No, ma'am. The only path was basically what
24 had been made by the officers, and it was fairly hard to
25 get through to --

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- 1 Q. It was. It's fairly hard to walk, was it not?
2 A. There was a lot of --
3 Q. Lot of debris?
4 A. Briar material.
5 Q. And there's a lot of undergrowth, and when you
6 call briar you mean sticky things on it; correct?
7 A. That's correct.
8 Q. It's a hard terrain to get through to the place
9 where the body was; isn't that correct?
10 A. Certainly just, you know, for a general walk.
11 Q. It's not a place where one would go for a
12 general walk, is it?
13 A. It depends if you -- you enjoy walking through
14 the woods.
15 Q. Through -- and through the briars; correct?
16 A. That's correct.
17 Q. And through the terrain that was difficult to
18 traverse; is that correct?
19 A. That's correct.
20 Q. And the body was sort of slightly nestled on
21 the far side of that tree, was it not?
22 A. That's correct.
23 Q. And that tree is a good 50 feet long, is it
24 not?
25 A. I don't recall an exact measurements, but it's

- 1 -- it's pretty long.
2 Q. I know you're not an expert in trees, but that
3 was a dead tree, wasn't it, not a live tree?
4 A. No, it was a dead tree.
5 Q. It was clearly dead and lying there for awhile;
6 isn't that correct?
7 A. That's correct.
8 Q. And the only way to get to where the body was
9 is that you literally had to traverse over the tree;
10 correct?
11 A. That or go around it.
12 Q. Right. And -- but to go around it meant a good
13 nother hike in difficult terrain, did it not?
14 A. Not necessarily, no, ma'am.
15 Q. If you approached that site from the road,
16 could you see the body before you actually got to the
17 tree?
18 A. No, ma'am.
19 Q. The tree shielded the view of the body from the
20 road all the way up to the tree?
21 A. That is correct.
22 Q. The site where you carefully disinterred this
23 body on the day that you were there would not have been
24 visible from the road where you parked your car?
25 A. No, ma'am.

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- 1 Q. After you disinterred this body and you made
2 your notations, sir, were you asked to produce a report?
3 A. No, ma'am.
4 Q. And, sir, were you asked to conduct any tests
5 on the body?
6 A. No.
7 Q. Or on any of the material that you carefully
8 collected?
9 A. No.
10 Q. There were police detectives were there, were
11 there not?
12 A. That's correct.
13 Q. And there were other police officers?
14 A. That's correct.
15 Q. And crime lab technicians?
16 A. Yes, ma'am.
17 Q. And others from the officer of -- the Office of
18 the Medical Examiner here in Baltimore; is that correct?
19 A. There was a, I believe, an assistant.
20 Q. And assistant to collect the body; right?
21 A. That's correct.
22 Q. And when you described the -- what you've
23 described to us, you attempted as carefully as you could
24 to preserve as much evidence as you could see both with
25 your naked eye; right?

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1 A. That's correct.	1 Q. And are the figures clearly visible from the
2 Q. And with the assistance of these lights;	2 road where that picture is taken?
3 correct?	3 A. Yes. You can see the individuals.
4 A. That's correct.	4 MR. URICK: I'd ask that this be published to
5 Q. And you attempted to be as careful to make sure	5 the jury after the break.
6 that you preserve anything that might lend a clue to what	6 THE COURT: After the break.
7 had happened to this decomposed body; is that correct?	7 MR. URICK: Yes. And I'm through with this
8 A. That's correct.	8 witness.
9 Q. And you that you didn't have to be asked	9 THE COURT: Any re-cross?
10 specifically to do that, that was your job, wasn't it?	10 MS. GUTIERREZ: No, Your Honor.
11 A. That's correct.	11 THE COURT: Very good. Doctor, you may be
12 Q. You knew that's why you came to bring your	12 excused. Thank you.
13 expertise there, did you not?	13 (The witness was excused.)
14 A. Yes, ma'am.	14 THE COURT: Members of the jury, we're going to
15 Q. The only two fibers that were located were the	15 take our afternoon break now. And we will call for you
16 two that you described for us; correct?	16 at 3:35. Do not discuss the case with anyone.
17 A. That's correct.	17 (Pause.)
18 Q. And in addition to that you were --	18 THE COURT: Counsel, please be in place at
19 MS. GUTIERREZ: I'm sorry, Madam Clerk but I	19 3:35.
20 think that juror wants something.	20 (Brief recess.)
21 THE CLERK: I'm sorry,	21 (The jury was not present upon reconvening.)
22 MS. GUTIERREZ: The jurors want something.	22 MS. GUTIERREZ: Judge, prior to calling down
23 THE COURT: Okay. We --	23 the jury I would like to make a record about the two
24 MS. GUTIERREZ: I just have another question,	24 separate things?
25 Judge, and then I'll be -- I'll be finished.	25 THE COURT: Yes, please come up.
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1 THE COURT: Can you hold on --	1 (Counsel and the defendant approached the
2 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:	2 bench, and the following ensued:)
3 Q. Other than the two fibers that you described	3 MS. GUTIERREZ: The only guide to the
4 for us, you didn't recover anything else, did you?	4 limitation on Jay Wilds, I personally didn't know --
5 A. No, ma'am.	5 MR. URICK: The limitation is --
6 Q. Were you aware that hair was recovered that was	6 MS. GUTIERREZ: -- as to the cross-examination
7 not hair that belonged to that decomposing body?	7 of Jay Wilds. I personally observed that we started that
8 A. I was unaware of that.	8 cross-examination at five minutes after 2:00 and that we
9 Q. Were you ever asked to produce the temperature	9 -- you stopped my cross-examination, based on your
10 chart for the temperature of the months of January and/or	10 previous order of an half an hour at 2:26.
11 February?	11 THE COURT: Actually at 2:44.
12 A. No, ma'am.	12 MS. GUTIERREZ: Okay. Well, I noted 2:26. And
13 MS. GUTIERREZ: Nothing further. Thank you.	13 in any event, although I objected to it this morning --
14 MR. URICK: Just one question.	14 THE COURT: Like 2:36.
15 REDIRECT EXAMINATION	15 MS. GUTIERREZ: I'm clear -- I'm unclear as to
16 BY MR. URICK:	16 whether or not the record adequately reflects that we
17 Q. You were asked several questions about the site	17 object to it. I had at least another half hour if not 45
18 of the body, I'm going to ask you to look at this group	18 minutes to an hour of cross-examination on Jay Wilds. I
19 of photographs again, and just the upper right hand one,	19 would not have stopped it except for the order.
20 a straight view between the two cars, and ask if you can	20 THE COURT: You had planned a four-hour cross
21 see any figures in the woods?	21 rather than a three-hour cross?
22 A. Yes. You can see, it looks to be a number of	22 MS. GUTIERREZ: Judge, I don't plan crosses by
23 individuals.	23 times. I plan crosses by what it is I need to cover with
24 Q. And was that the site where the body was?	24 the witness. There are 126 typed pages of what appears
25 A. Yes.	25 to be a transcript of two separate interviews.

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1 There are at least four interviews that this
 2 witness admitted to. There was at least 45 minutes more
 3 --

4 THE COURT: Okay.

5 MS. GUTIERREZ: -- cross-examination that I
 6 would have covered, and I object to the Court's, what I
 7 believe, arbitrariness in cutting off my cross-
 8 examination of the main witness against Mr. Syed in this
 9 trial.

10 THE COURT: Are you asking for some form of
 11 relief?

12 MS. GUTIERREZ: Well, Judge, I would like to
 13 certainly continue the cross-examination.

14 THE COURT: Okay.

15 MS. GUTIERREZ: There's much other cross-
 16 examination I could continue with Jay Wilds.

17 THE COURT: Is there another thing you want to
 18 approach about?

19 MS. GUTIERREZ: Yes, Your Honor. Over the
 20 break I spoke to Professor Douglas Culvert who was
 21 sitting in the first row, he's no longer present. He is
 22 a member of the Maryland Bar.

23 THE COURT: Uh-huh.

24 MS. GUTIERREZ: To Chris Floor who is the
 25 director of the bail project who is a member of the bar

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1 and my law clerk, Michael Lewis, who's a third-year
 2 student at the University of Maryland.

3 THE COURT: Uh-huh.

4 MS. GUTIERREZ: And they informed me that, not-
 5 withstanding what I perceive to be the white noise that
 6 the Court put on that I could audibly hear from up here
 7 that they -- that all three of them indicated that they
 8 could hear, for the most part, the bulk of what I said,
 9 although some of it was muffled since my back was to
 10 them.

11 THE COURT: Uh-huh.

12 MS. GUTIERREZ: They could clearly hear
 13 everything the Court was saying including the Courts
 14 calling me, on more than one occasion, a liar, well over
 15 the white noise.

16 Since they were sitting in the first -- into
 17 the front row I'd suggest that they are actually further
 18 if not much further, but a little bit further away from
 19 this position in front of Your Honor than the jury.

20 And I believe that if they could hear it -- and
 21 I asked several other members of the audience, they also
 22 heard the word, the distinct word, "liar," and that you
 23 were using that word to refer to me, it appears to me
 24 that unmistakably, the jury had to hear Your Honor call
 25 me a liar.

1 THE COURT: Uh-huh.

2 MS. GUTIERREZ: And is likely to have heard the
 3 bulk of the exchange between the Court and I. I believe
 4 it was impermissible for the Court to call me a liar. I
 5 certainly responded with a great deal of passion since to
 6 be called a liar by the Court about something so trivial
 7 in this trial as to whether or not I had seen a specific
 8 line in a specific exhibit to which I had stipulated to
 9 the admission of, given that the credibility of the
 10 defense lawyer is at the core of a defense theory, I
 11 would ask; number one, for a mistrial based on that,
 12 given this Court's direct re-attacking the credibility of
 13 the Adnan Syed's lawyer at a critical juncture of this
 14 case.

15 THE COURT: Okay.

16 State?

17 MR. URICK: The record is adequately made. The
 18 State would oppose both forms of relief that are being
 19 requested at this point.

20 THE COURT: Okay. The motion for reopening --
 21 anything else?

22 MS. GUTIERREZ: No, Your Honor, not till you
 23 finish.

24 THE COURT: The motion to reopen the cross-
 25 examination is denied. However, I do have a note from

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1 Alternate Number 4, "In view of that fact that you've
 2 determined that Ms. Gutierrez is a liar, will she be
 3 removed? Will we start over?"

4 Your motion for mistrial is granted.

5 MS. GUTIERREZ: Thank you.

6 (Counsel and the defendant returned to the
 7 trial tables, and the following ensued:)

8 (Pause.)

9 THE COURT: Officer, would you return Mr. Syed.
 10 Counsel, if you'll talk to the Administrative
 11 Judge about a new date.

12 MS. GUTIERREZ: Should we go there now, Judge,
 13 or wait till tomorrow.

14 THE COURT: Probably tomorrow would be
 15 adequate.

16 MS. GUTIERREZ: Should we call over there or
 17 should I --

18 THE COURT: I'll give him a call as well.

19 MS. GUTIERREZ: Okay. Thank you, Your Honor.

20 MR. URICK: When is this Court available?

21 THE COURT: Huh?

22 MR. URICK: When is this Court available?

23 THE COURT: In light of the circumstances, I'm
 24 not available for retrial of this matter.

25 Good afternoon, counsel.

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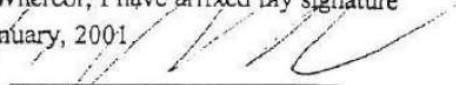
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1 PROCEEDINGS
 2 (10:40 a.m.)
 3 THE COURT: Mr. Urick, if you would formally
 4 call the case at this time?
 5 MR. URICK: Thank you, Your Honor. Good
 6 morning.
 7 THE COURT: Good morning.
 8 MR. URICK: State of Maryland versus Adnan
 9 Syed, Cases 19910342 through 46, Kevin Urick and Kathleen
 10 Murphy for the State.
 11 MS. GUTIERREZ: Good Morning, Your Honor,
 12 Christine Gutierrez on behalf of Adnan Syed.
 13 THE COURT: Good morning. We are formally
 14 here, I understand, in that your client, Mr. Syed, has
 15 requested a jury trial. We've heard preliminary motions.
 16 And I understand that you may have an additional motion
 17 or two that you'd wish to discuss.
 18 What I suggest in terms of scheduling is that
 19 we do the jury selection and then I'll take up any
 20 additional motions that you may have.
 21 Jury trial is prayed then, and I've requested a
 22 panel of 200. I did so with the abundance of caution
 23 that we'd have more than enough jurors. I am not of the
 24 mind-set of voir direing a panel, running out and then
 25 bringing over another panel and voir direing that panel.

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1 I'd rather have one panel here and to the extent that we
 2 end up with more than enough, great.

3 My expectation is that we will select 12 jurors
 4 and five alternates.

5 Mr. Urick, do you think that should be
 6 sufficient?

7 MR. URICK: Yes, Your Honor.

8 THE COURT: Ms. Gutierrez?

9 MS. GUTIERREZ: Yes.

10 THE COURT: Do you agree? Very well.

11 (Pause.)

12 THE COURT: It is taking longer than expected,
 13 they are having problems with the computers this morning.
 14 They're expected to be here by eleven o'clock, and that
 15 will suit me just fine since it will take us a few
 16 moments.

17 MR. URICK: When the Court's ready, I have some
 18 objections, Your Honor, concerns about voir dire.

19 THE COURT: All right. What I'd like to do is
 20 first start with the State's questions and what we'll do
 21 is we'll work our way through all of them and then as you
 22 object to any particular question you can tell me what
 23 that objection is. I'm just trying to get my computer
 24 situated this morning for the trial purposes.

25 (Pause.)

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