

This is an Affidavit in support of a Search and Seizure Warrant for a person known as: Adnan Syed 7034 Johnnycake Road Woodlawn, Maryland 21444.M/P/17 05/21/81.

Evidence Sought: plucked head hair, two vials of blood.

Your Affiant, Detective Police Agent Gregory S. MacGillivray, has been a duly sworn member of the Baltimore City Police Department January, 1994. Your Affiant was assigned to the Homicide Unit in January, 1995. Your Affiant has received numerous hours of specialized training of all facets in the field of death investigations.

Since being assigned to the Homicide Unit, your Affiant has been directly involved in approximately 25 homicide investigations which have occurred in Baltimore City State of Maryland. During your Affiant's tenure in the Baltimore City Police Department, he has written numerous Search and Seizure Warrants, and several warrants for evidence pertaining to the crime of murder. Your Affiant has testified at Federal Court, Circuit and District Court levels as an expert in the field of homicide investigations.

On 09 February 1999, at approximately 2pm., the Baltimore City Police Department responds to the 4400 block N. Franklinton Road, for a body that has been discovered by a passerby.

Members of the Armed Services Medical Examiners Office respond and retrieve the remains. A post mortem examination is conducted by the Office of Medical Examiner. At the conclusion of the examination, Doctor Korrel, Deputy Chief Medical Examiner, rules the manner and cause of death a homicide strangulation. Subsequently, the victim is identified as Hae Min Lee, 1971, who has been reported missing by Baltimore County Police on 13 January 1999.

On 15 March 1999, your Affiant along with Detective William F. Ritz on the occasion to interview a witness to this offense at the offices of the Homicide Unit. This witness indicates that on 13 January 1999, he/she meets Adnan Syed at a location specified by Syed. Syed, who is driving the victim's auto, opens the trunk and shows the witness the victim's body.

This witness observes Syed who buries the victim in a shallow grave in Leakin Park. Subsequently, Syed parks the victim's automobile at a location in Baltimore City. Syed then gets into his car and drives the witness to a location in Baltimore County where the digging tools are discarded in a dumpster, along with several items from the victim's purse.