

1 north side? We know that's not right. We know the ladies  
2 live across the street from each other, but one lived on the  
3 east side and one lived on the west side.

4 He knows these things because he's the killer.  
5 Why did he say a friend might have helped him, and by "him"  
6 he refers to the killer? Is there any evidence that there  
7 was more than one person in this house? Or is it the State's  
8 theory that there was more than one person in this house, the  
9 house of [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]? No. It's their theory  
10 that it was Robert.

11 If he was the killer, why does he say that the  
12 killer went through the house trying to find things of  
13 value? Well, we know that there was absolutely nothing of  
14 value except perhaps a pillow that Miss Hammons testified to  
15 taken from [REDACTED] house.

16 We know that robbery wasn't a motive in the  
17 [REDACTED] homicide because [REDACTED] purse was two  
18 feet from the bed and it was open and there was \$30.00 of  
19 cash money in it and there were credit cards in it. Now, if  
20 the killer went in there to rob her, then why didn't he take  
21 the money and the credit cards?

22 Robert again says that the killer might have  
23 had two dudes with him. Once again, that's certainly not the  
24 State's theory.

25 Robert says that he was going to force her to

1 have sex with him, the killer, and tell the killer where the  
2 money is. Once again, if that's true, if Robert is saying  
3 those things because he knows the -- because he's the killer,  
4 why was there no money taken? Why is there \$30.00 in cash  
5 money in [REDACTED] purse?

6 If the killer took jewelry, why was there no  
7 jewelry taken? Why was there jewelry found in her house, in  
8 [REDACTED] house?

9 If the killer took a television set, why were  
10 there several television sets found in [REDACTED] house?

11 If the killer took small objects, why is there  
12 no testimony that any small objects were taken from [REDACTED]  
13 [REDACTED]? If the killer took a radio, why is there no  
14 testimony that a radio was taken from [REDACTED]? These are  
15 things that the killer went in the house and took.

16 Robert says that the killer went in the house  
17 through a window. There's absolutely no evidence we know  
18 that the killer didn't enter through a window.

19 He says that he might have tied her hands.  
20 Well, I would submit to you, ladies and gentlemen, there's  
21 absolutely no testimony that [REDACTED] hands were tied.  
22 There are bruises on her hands, but in Dr. Balding's opinion,  
23 those bruises were caused by whoever raped and killed Miss  
24 [REDACTED] by him squeezing her arms, causing the bruises on an  
25 80-year old woman. I specifically asked Dr. Balding that,

1 are there any ligature marks around her wrists. Ligature,  
2 meaning any tie marks, any marks around her wrists or her  
3 ankles or her throat to indicate that she was tied up or had  
4 anything restricting her wrists. There's no evidence of  
5 that.

6 He says the killer cut her across her breasts.  
7 Well, we've had gruesome details of the injuries that were  
8 done to Miss [REDACTED] and we know that she was not cut across  
9 her breasts.

10 That the killer might have cut her across her  
11 stomach. We know that's not true. There were not cut marks  
12 to her stomach.

13 The killer might have cut her across her arms.  
14 We know that's not true. There were no cut marks to [REDACTED]  
15 [REDACTED] arms.

16 The killer might have stabbed her. There are  
17 no stab wounds on the body of [REDACTED].

18 Robert said that the killer -- that when Miss  
19 [REDACTED] was left she had her hands to her side. We know  
20 that's not true, because in the picture, the way she was  
21 found, she had her arms like this (indicating).

22 He said that the killer might have stabbed her  
23 close to her heart. We know that's not true. She was not  
24 stabbed.

25 He told -- he said that the killer might have

1 stabbed her until she bled to death. We know that's not  
2 true.

3                   And this is -- Mr. Elliott makes a big point,  
4 and I'm sure Mr. Macy will too, how would he know these  
5 things, how would he know these things. We saw the tapes.  
6 Now, it wasn't like they led Robert into a room and said,  
7 tell us what you know about this, and he started to rattle  
8 off these details, he started to rattle them off and they  
9 brought him a cup of coffee and they were all done in 20  
10 minutes. These tapes lasted -- by the State's own admission,  
11 they lasted over several days. They lasted all of one day  
12 and into the next day.

13                   It wasn't Robert coming in and rattling over  
14 facts. It was Jerry Flowers saying, did he leave something,  
15 did he leave something, Robert; use your powers, use your  
16 powers, Robert, use this special gift that you have; put your  
17 hand on the Bible, Robert, tell us what you see; did he leave  
18 something. And Robert said, well, he might have. Did he  
19 leave something, Robert. He might have; I don't know. Did  
20 he leave something. I don't know. Did he leave something.  
21 What did he leave, Robert, what did he leave. He might  
22 have left his shoes. We know the killer did not leave his  
23 shoes. Flowers again asked him, what did he leave. He  
24 might have left his shoe. We know the killer didn't --  
25 finally, after Flowers had asked him seven or eight times

1 what did he leave, and Robert gives an answer, and Flowers  
2 asked him, what did he leave, finally after Robert has gone  
3 thorough every article of apparel, he finally comes up with  
4 underwear.

5 Robert said that the killer scratched her.  
6 There are no scratch marks on either [REDACTED] or [REDACTED]

7 [REDACTED].

8 Once again, Robert said that [REDACTED] was  
9 stabbed lots of time. We know that's not true.

10 Robert says that the killer didn't leave the  
11 same way that he came in. Well, that's not the State's  
12 theory. There's no evidence that he left except from the  
13 back door in which he entered.

14 Robert says that in the [REDACTED], once  
15 again, that he took a lot of valuables. There's no evidence  
16 of that.

17 He says -- you folks heard the tape. It's not  
18 my memory that he said that the [REDACTED] bedroom is on the west  
19 side of the driveway. It's my memory that he said it was on  
20 the west side of that house. That's not true. That doesn't  
21 conform with the physical evidence. Her bedroom is on the  
22 east side of the house.

23 He said that the killer put a cord around her  
24 neck. There's no evidence of that.

25 And he said, when they asked to describe, well,

1 Mrs. [REDACTED], Robert said, she's not too old, she's middle-  
2 aged. Well, we know that's not true. [REDACTED] was 83  
3 years old.

4 As to the Cutler, when they were asking him  
5 questions and trying to get him to give them details about  
6 the Cutler homicide, he said that the second lady lives on  
7 the north side of the street. Well, we know that's not  
8 true. She doesn't live on the north side of the street.

9 He said that he crawled -- the killer crawled  
10 through the west side of the house. We know that's not  
11 true. The entry was made from the back door.

12 He said that her head's bleeding maybe on the  
13 temple. Well, you can look at the autopsy diagrams that were  
14 introduced by the State and she doesn't have any injuries to  
15 her temple. She's not bleeding from the temple.

16 He said that the killer hit Miss [REDACTED] with a  
17 metal object. We know that's not true from what Dr. Balding  
18 told us. There was no trauma to her head to indicate that  
19 she was struck hard with a metal object. So, we know that's  
20 not true.

21 He said, once again, that the killer stabbed  
22 Miss [REDACTED], stabbed her all over more than once, that he  
23 stabbed her in the heart. We know that's not true. There's  
24 no evidence of that.

25 He said that the killer tied her hands to the

1 bedposts with some kind of string. Once again, there's no  
2 evidence of that.

3 He thinks the killer cut Miss [REDACTED] on her  
4 arm. She wasn't cut on her arm.

5 That the killer cut the light cord and used it  
6 to tie her hands. Well, they did a thorough examination,  
7 Detective Horn did of Miss [REDACTED] home. He found none of  
8 her appliances and cords cut. So, there's no evidence of  
9 that. And as we said previously, there's no evidence that  
10 Mrs. [REDACTED] hands were tied with any kind of cord.

11 He said that the killer tied her hands to the  
12 bedposts. There's no evidence of that.

13 He said that the killer broke her lamp. Look  
14 at the pictures of Miss [REDACTED] bedroom. Remember the  
15 testimony of Detective Horn. There's no lamp broken.  
16 There's no signs of any struggle on her bed table.

17 He said that the killer ripped the phone off  
18 the wall. There's no evidence of that. There's no phone on  
19 the wall.

20 He said that the killer cut the line with wire  
21 cutters. We know that's not true. That the line was pulled  
22 apart, that it wasn't with wire cutters.

23 He said that he knows that the lady had a car.  
24 There's no evidence that she had a car.

25 He said, as to the Lendvay house, that the

1 killer pulled the fuses out at the meter. We know that's not  
2 true. The fuses weren't pulled out.

3 And he talks about Mrs. Kaiser. Now, the  
4 reason we brought up Miss Kaiser in this case is that -- even  
5 the State knows, even the police know that Robert has  
6 absolutely nothing to do with Mrs. Kaiser's killing.  
7 Everybody knows that, and yet Robert wants to tell them about  
8 Mrs. Kaiser.

9 He wants to tell them about a lady that they  
10 should find dead at 29th and Shartel. By everybody's  
11 admission he even takes them to that scene. There's  
12 absolutely no evidence, and the police check this out to  
13 their credit, that anybody was ever dead at 29th and  
14 Shartel. There's been no body found. There's no evidence.  
15 There's nothing to support that that's true.

16 Why is he telling them this in the first  
17 place? Isn't that the question you-all had? That's the  
18 question I've had for the last 15 months, since the first  
19 time I met Robert. Why is he telling them anything in the  
20 first place? If he didn't do this and if he didn't know  
21 anything about it, except as Robert tells you that he saw  
22 these things in his dreams, he heard some things from living  
23 in that neighborhood, then why's he going to talk to these  
24 police officers?

25 Well, there's several possibilities, not



1 that many.

2 Obviously the first possibility, the  
3 possibility this table is trying to get you to believe, is  
4 that he did it, he did these things. But if he did it, why  
5 is he telling the police these details? Because he wants to  
6 be caught? Because he wants to be punished? Because we all  
7 have to play amateur psychologist here? Because there's the  
8 good side and bad side of Robert? That if he wants to be  
9 caught, why does he say all these things, most of which  
10 aren't true? He wants to get caught but at the same time he  
11 wants to throw them off the track?

12 And there's other physical evidence that I'll  
13 come to shortly to indicate that Robert is not the killer.

14 But that's the first possibility.

15 The second possibility, he's crazy. Well, you  
16 heard him on the statements.

17 And let me apologize in advance to you, Robert,  
18 for saying this.

19 I've represented a lot of people over the last  
20 five years, ladies and gentlemen. Robert is one of the  
21 strangest individuals I've ever represented. I'll probably  
22 get criticized for saying it, but it's the truth. He is an  
23 eccentric person. He thinks he has dreams. He thinks he has  
24 visions. I'm not going to stand up here and tell you that he  
25 doesn't. But it's certainly strange and it's not something

1 that you and I encounter in our lives ordinarily.

2           The third possibility is to why he's telling  
3 the police officers this. It's pretty much an offshoot of  
4 the second possibility. He is strange. He doesn't have a  
5 lot to call his own. Police officers start paying some  
6 attention to him, asking him a lot of questions. They seem  
7 to be interested in his answers. He starts to supply them  
8 with some answers. They ask him some more questions. He  
9 told you he thinks of himself as an amateur detective, as a  
10 Marshall Dillon, that he comes from a long line of police  
11 officers. He told you that in those video tapes. He told  
12 you about being a descendent of Bruce Lee, how his name was  
13 Al Capone, whatever. And he talked and he talked and he  
14 talked to the police. And Jerry Flowers settled right up to  
15 him trying to be -- trying to get information out of him.  
16 They talked about going to school, in the Navy together, and  
17 they talked about his grandmother. And they put their hands  
18 on the Bible and they cast the demons out of him. And he  
19 talks some more, and they ask him some more questions.

20           And, okay, granted, he gets a few details  
21 right. But can you say, ladies and gentlemen, that it's not  
22 reasonable, that it couldn't have happened just that way,  
23 that it's just not a coincidence that he hit those two or  
24 three details right?

25           Let's talk about the other physical evidence.

1                   The thing that bothers me the most about this  
2 case is, being totally frank with you, the nail that was  
3 found in [REDACTED] bed. Now, I don't mean to be prude,  
4 but we know that [REDACTED] did not have a lot of people  
5 coming, going in and out of her bed. And by that, I mean,  
6 she didn't have grandkids or daughters or sons or other  
7 friends that would come over and stay with her or sleep in  
8 her bed when she was gone. Now, that's important because  
9 they found a nail, a fingernail in [REDACTED] bed that  
10 they can conclusively state -- even Irv Stone, the guy the  
11 State flew in here from Dallas, he can conclusively say that  
12 it's not [REDACTED] nail. So, from that piece of  
13 knowledge, from that piece of uncontroverted knowledge, we  
14 can deduce one conclusion in this case that's very  
15 important. Whoever raped her, broke into her house, whoever  
16 killed [REDACTED] left that nail there. Couldn't have come  
17 from anybody else. Whoever did this left that nail there.  
18 That's why the State was so anxious to get Robert's nails.  
19 That's why they got that court order, to get his nails so  
20 they could compare his.

21                   There are several things that are interesting  
22 about trying to say that that nail could have come from  
23 Robert. Well, we got to start with the video tape. Now,  
24 regardless when they're taken, and depending on who you  
25 believe, they're either taken February the 20th or February