

**NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE POLICE**  
**CONTINUATION OF INVESTIGATION REPORT**

**1025**

1. CASE NO. MCI00-0216	2. INVESTIGATING TROOPER J. C. Rockey	3. I.D. NO. 696	4. TOWN OF CRIME Rochester	5. TN. CD.	6. DATE OF REPORT 02/07/2001
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On February 7, 2001 I interviewed:

Gautreau, Craig E.  
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at the Rockingham County Jail. I asked Gautreau if he could remember anything Chad Evans had told him while they were cell mates. Gautreau said Evans wanted to kill himself. He remembered Evans was released the day before Thanksgiving. He met Evans when Evans was assigned to his jail cell, cell H1. He said Evans was moved out of the cell because everyone wanted to beat him up. Evans was in Gautreau's cell for about a week.

I again asked Gautreau if Evans had said anything to him. Evans told Gautreau it was negligence on his behalf, they should have brought the baby to the hospital. I asked Gautreau if Evans had said this the first day they were in the cell together. Gautreau replied, yeah, Evans told him he had nothing to do with it. Evans was trying to blame the babysitter.

I asked Gautreau if Evans tried to blame Amanda. Gautreau said yes, but it was like Evans was trying to hide something. But Evans wanted to kill himself. He even asked Gautreau to bang him out. Gautreau explained bang out is jail slang for killing someone.

I asked Gautreau if Evans said why he wanted Gautreau to bang him out. Evans again told Gautreau it was negligence on his part. The baby had fallen out of the truck and he didn't take her to the hospital, Evans told Gautreau.

Gautreau said there was a lot Evans wasn't saying. There was a lot going on in the cell at the time. Evans was in a cell by himself for a while and then they brought him into H1 with Gautreau and Merrill. Evans was very teary eyed. He asked Gautreau for a bible and Gautreau gave him one.

Gautreau said at first Evans blamed the babysitter, and then tried to blame the wife. I asked Gautreau if he meant Evans' ex-wife or the mother of the child. Gautreau said the mother of the child. I asked Gautreau how he blamed her. Gautreau said a few days after Evans moved into the cell he blamed his girlfriend. He couldn't remember what Evans said exactly.

I asked Gautreau if Evans ever told him how he disciplined the child. Gautreau couldn't recall. I asked Gautreau if Evans talked to Merrill a lot. He said Evans did talk to Merrill a lot.

I asked Gautreau if he remembered Evans talking about running after he was bailed if his parents hadn't put up the money. Gautreau said he remembered Evans saying that, as well as telling Gautreau he would probably do life. To Gautreau it was like Evans had guilt written all over him.

I asked Gautreau if Evans ever talked to him about being woken up by Cassidy or about spanking Cassidy. Gautreau said yes, but most of the time Evans tried to blame the mother, but then he'd act guilty and get scared because he thought he'd do life in state prison and guys do get killed up there.

I asked Gautreau to tell me what Evans said when he tried to blame Amanda. Gautreau said Evans told him Amanda would spank Cassidy to discipline her.

I asked Gautreau if Evans ever said he spanked Cassidy. Gautreau said no, it was like he was trying to cover his own tracks and blame her. Evans did tell Gautreau he was under a lot of stress at work before Cassidy died, working a lot of hours.

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I asked Gautreau if he thought Evans killed Cassidy. He said, truthfully yes. I asked Gautreau if Evans knew this. He said yes. Gautreau said Evans was teary eyed all the time and didn't talk about it that much. Every time he spoke to Gautreau, Evans blamed the babysitter or Amanda. Gautreau said he was always trying to cover his tracks and blame others. Evans did tell Gautreau there were times he would just let the baby cry.

I asked Gautreau if Evans told him how he felt when the baby cried. Gautreau said no. Gautreau said Evans was mostly teary eyed and reading the bible when they were in the cell together. When Evans first came in, Gautreau said he looked at him like he was a murderer, he knew something wasn't right. Gautreau said he couldn't really remember anything else.

I cleared the jail at the conclusion of the interview.

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