

Book review

The Murder of Ed Bozarth By J. Harold Lowry

Circumstantial-Evidence Getting Away with Murder in the Florida Keys The Murder of Ed Bozarth By J. Harold Lowry.

Someone is getting away with murder in the Florida Keys.

It was a torrid July heat that led Deputies to a decomposing body in a Florida Keys marina.

Was it a Mob hit, a drug deal gone wrong, an angry lover? The Sheriff had a long list of suspects. But one stood out from the rest.

In the backwaters of the

Florida Keys there is no fancy crime lab. No modern medical office. And the Investigators are underpaid.

The State Attorney had only passed the Florida Bar 6 years before, and is ill equipped to charge the prime suspect and take them to trial.

This is the true story of a brutal murder that shocked the Keys.

J. Harold Lowry takes you through the evidence and the court documents hidden from view. He steps you through this brutal crime that can happen to any family in the

Florida Keys. The book is not only well written but it is written in a way that lets you see and feel as though you are there. It is one of the first books not only written from first hand accounts and court records but from actual emails between Government Officials, Witnesses, the Lead Detective and even a United States Senator.

J. Harold Lowry is using first hand accounts, actual emails and even the actual postings and messages from Facebook explore the trail

from Miami, Tampa, and the backwaters of the Florida Keys.

This is a book where you will smell the shrimp beginning to boil. It takes you into the Keys life only the locals see. If you want to see the side of the Keys hidden and overlooked by the tourists then this book is a must read.

You can get your copy of *Circumstantial-Evidence Getting Away with Murder in the Florida Keys The Murder of Ed Bozarth* on Amazon in either Kindle or Printed edition.

Learn more about J. Harold Lowry at www.jharoldlowry.com

Mr. Lowry also writes a Legal Blog for the average person at www.circumstantial-evidence.com

When life gives you lemons make lemonade!

Krista raises funds for Japan disaster relief.



Krista Stanford, age 7, recently opened a lemonade stand for disaster relief in Japan. She raised \$110 for the Red Cross in one day.

Her motto: When life gives you lemons make lemonade! In the reflection in the background is her proud mom, Tammy Patten.

Our Publisher, Denise, bought the Lemonade Stand kit for Krista, thinking it would be fun for the neighborhood kids.

Krista took it upon herself to have the stand at her parents office Key Largo Realty on a Sunday during the flea market and to donate all the money to the Red Cross for Japan. Krista just turned 7 years old! Her parents Chris Stanford and Tammy Patten are active in the community with the VFW and American Legion and Krista loves to help whenever she can too.

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Feeling Threatened Afraid of the Truth

We avoid the truth because it scares us, or makes us angry, or makes us feel like we don't know what to do.

Most of us have had the experience of being in possession of a piece of truth that we were afraid to share because we knew it would not be well received. There are also instances in which we ourselves have been unable to handle some truth confronting us. This might be a small truth, such as not wanting to see that our car needs repairs because we don't want to pay for them, or a large truth, such as not fully accepting that someone close to us is pushing us away. Usually the truth is evident, and we can see it if we choose, but we have elaborate ways of hiding the truth from ourselves, no matter how apparent it is.

For the most part, we avoid the truth because it scares us, or makes us angry, or makes us feel like we don't know what to do. We often create our lives based on a particular

understanding, and if that understanding turns out to be fully or even partially incorrect, we may feel that our whole sense of reality is being threatened. It takes a strong person to face the truth in circumstances like these, and many of us run for cover instead. Nevertheless, we can only avoid the truth for so long before it begins to make itself known in ever more forceful ways.

Ultimately, there is no way to avoid the truth, no matter how painful it is, so the sooner we let down our defenses, the better. When we know the truth and accept that we may have to adjust our lives to accommodate, we are in alignment with reality. At the same time, we can be patient with people around us who have a hard time seeing the truth, because we know how painful it can be. Whatever the truth is, we make a sincere effort not to close our eyes to it, but instead to be grateful that we have access to it.



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