

Naming Names: The Abuse, Legal Case and Suicide of Islam Elkaryoney, Age 12

Re: PASSAIC COUNTY NJ SUPERIOR COURT
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Judges from the Passaic County NJ Superior Court, beginning with Mary Margaret McVeigh, Glen Wenzel and others, along with NJ of Department of Youth & Family Services (DYFS) caseworkers Catherine Gluckoski and supervisor Candace Paska knowingly, and with conscious indifference, sent a child back to a life of misery and torture before his suicide, at age 12. The suicide was a result of young Islam Elkaryoney's defiance, not of his despair. Islam told everyone around him of his abuse, the same abuse experienced by his younger brothers, and the beating of his mother, by his father.

The Court suppressed photos of Islam's mother battered so badly that it was impossible to recognize her because her face was so distorted, bloated, black and blue; her body similarly brutalized by her husband. The photo is part of the US Whistleblower.org archive, in which the father is sitting on a couch with his three boys, the father holding a hair brush in his hand, his youngest son's eyes fearfully averted from the brush.

The above unprofessional Court actors were given the imprimatur of professional approval via the corrupted reports and recommendations of Court appointed psychologist Paul Dasher, who we allege to be a henchman for the highest bidder. Dasher was well known to the Elkaryoney children, as he wrote numerous reports which included false information, including distortions and lies about the reports of the children, sometimes using his friend/colleague/ co-conspirator Paul Fulford as a back-up support for his heinous lies.

The psychiatric reports and records of Dr. Paul Kennedy, Psychiatric Director of the St Clare's Children's Unit, and Dr. Laura Fillerius, who treated Islam when psychiatrically hospitalized with acute situational and PTSD, attest to the acute terror experienced by the child. The only person who could comfort Islam was his mother. Recommendations that Islam never have contact with his father, as supported by Dr. Jill Jones-Soderman, were repeatedly ignored by the Court.

In 2000, Jill Jones-Soderman was a consultant to the development of an organization, FIT, Families in Transition, an organization that was designed to keep high-conflict custody litigants out of court. Jones-Soderman was also a volunteer consultant to a Domestic Violence shelter in NJ, Save Our Sisters, where she was contacted by the mother of Islam Elkaryoney and asked without any reason or explanation to see her sons. When the children were seen, Jones-Soderman immediately contacted the police and DYFS. The children's father then contacted Jones-Soderman, who is also a family mediator. Family members were then seen individually, and jointly with both parents for a period of more than five hours, in an attempt to arrive at a Separation/Termination of Custody Agreement, allowing the children to leave with their mother so they could all join her family in another state. An initial Temporary Restraining Order in place against the father gave further hope to a positive future for the family with a non-litigated, peaceful resolution.

Unfortunately, the father facilitated the entrance of attorneys to the proceedings, who procured a Court Order demanding that "ALL NECESSARY FORCE BE USED TO COMPEL COMPLIANCE WITH PATERNAL VISITATION". This ended all hope of escape from the viciously controlling and abusive father, who should have been facing criminal charges, and began the farce in the NJ Court.

The case went to Court before Judge McVeigh, allegedly well known as a corrupt judge whose repugnant acts while serving in Family Court and Superior Court have been well documented and published by Jones-Soderman, after her initial court experience with this case revealed threats and payoffs made during the case. Jones-Soderman's prior successful experience with high-conflict custody cases all revolved around keeping clients out of litigation, by using mediation practices.

This case, however, revealed a level of overt, approved and uninhibited threats by lawyers against witnesses, who initially were prepared to testify on behalf of the family and who would have presented forensic, documented evidence against the father, which could have resulted in his being sent to jail. However, the behind-the-scenes affiliation of Dasher, McVeigh, and DYFS caseworkers altered the fate of the protective parent mother and her children. In defense of the mother and children, Jones-Soderman became the focal point of retaliation by the father, and the Court. The first point of retaliation was DYFS caseworkers demanding that, "Dr. Soderman would no longer be the children's therapist and that DYFS caseworkers would be taking over therapeutic services". Jones-Soderman fought back, initially unaware of the internal machinations and corruption of the Court, placing faith in the legal and criminal process. However, as the case made its way through the Court, the father's attorneys, along with the Family Court Judges and Court appointed psychologist Dasher ensured a stacked-deck against the protective mother and her children. Despite a series of horrific incidents in the home, perpetrated by the father but ignored by the authorities, the situation for little Islam grew desperate. On the cold Autumn night of October 25, 2005, Islam took his own life by strangulation, after leaving the family dinner table to go to his room.

The miscreants of the Courts can run, but they cannot hide behind their "sealed reports" and their ex parte communications, as staff of the USWhistleblower.org has all of the records: court, medical, psychiatric, as well as forensic evaluations and domestic violence photos, showing the abuse heaped upon the helpless victims of Elkaryoney family. As long as the Passaic County Superior Court continues its lawless, criminal activities, the staff of the USWhistleblower.org will follow the trail.

Post Script

The father received permission from the Superior Court to remove his remaining children from the US to Egypt. Jones-Soderman publishes internationally, discussing the events of the Superior Court Action. Father sells all his property in the US and moves back to Egypt, but abandons his children here, officially leaving custody with NJ DYFS.

Relevant Dates:

Psychiatric Report by Paul Kennedy, MD – July 13,2001

Dasher Report to Superior Court - 7/19/2001

Fulford Report to Superior Court – 7/27

7/26/2001 – transfer of case from Dr. Soderman – refer to DFS report 7/26/2001

Litigation continues – ending in 10/ 2005 with final demand that children's custody be transferred to Salah Elkaryoney

Islam Elkaryoney commits suicide 10/25/2005

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