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LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

But he take care of everything pay.

HUBKEY

He takes care of the bills?

LEIBEL

Everything.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Yeah. Sometimes I am not even look.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

I am not (unintelligible). Maybe he do somethings ... uh privacy or

whatever. I am not even look.

HUBKEY

Okay, okay. Do you need anything to eat or ...

LEIBEL

No, I am not eat. I need smoke cigarette.

HUBKEY

You need smokes?

LEIBEL

Smoke.

**HUBKEY** 

What do ... what do you smoke?

LEIBEL

Virginia Slim.

HUBKEY

Virginia Slims?

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay, let me see if I can get you some, okay?

LEIBEL

Yeah?

HUBKEY

Yeah.

LEIBEL

Thank you.

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HUBKEY

You need some?

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay, just hang tight here. I'll be right back, okay?

(Hubkey exits)

(Hubkey enters)

HUBKEY

Hey would you like a coffee?

LEIBEL

Oh this is good.

HUBKEY

Coffee would be good?

**LEIBEL** 

Wonderful.

HUBKEY

What kind of coffee would you like from Starbucks?

**LEIBEL** 

Okay, regular.

HUBKEY

Regular coffee?

LEIBEL

Milk and sugar.

HUBKEY

With milk and sugar? Here, let me write it down. We'll get you some coffee. So you want black ... regular black coffee with milk and

sugar?

LEIBEL

Milk and sugar.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Milk and sugar.

HUBKEY

Excuse me. Okay, so he's going to go get us some coffee. And he's also going to go up there and talk to them in case your daughter

shows up.

LEIBEL

Thank you.

HUBKEY

Okay?

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LEIBEL

Yeah. Because ...

**HUBKEY** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

... it's very important ... because she (unintelligible).

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

Okay, not a problem. (talking to someone else) Here you go, and can you tell the guys that her daughter may show up at some point? She was going to LAX to get on an airplane so ... okay. So where were we? You guys own the house?

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

And you pay thirty-six hundred dollars a month?

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay, okay.

LEIBEL

And he make a ... about thirty years. I said I take thirty years. I am not fifty and (unintelligible). Thirty years what I have old woman.

HUBKEY

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

(unintelligible)

HUBKEY

Now how old are you?

LEIBEL

I'm already fifty.

HUBKEY

You're fifty?

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

And he's how old?

LEIBEL

Sixty-five. He's ...

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HUBKEY So fifteen years older than you?

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL When ... on 2005 I meet him, he look totally different. You not even

tell if you look now ... you not even tell the same person or not.

HUBKEY How did he look?

LEIBEL Look ... like you know man.

HUBKEY Oh, okay.

LEIBEL And after operation he skinny.

HUBKEY Oh, okay.

LEIBEL Face skinny. Everything skinny.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY Okay, okay. So is it routine that every day he gets up at 4:00 in the

morning?

LEIBEL Yes.

HUBKEY And what time does he go to bed?

LEIBEL He going bed 9:00.

HUBKEY He goes to bed at 9:00? What time do you go to bed?

LEIBEL 11:00.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL I watch T.V. more.

HUBKEY Okay.

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LEIBEL

I can't going to sleep 9:00 o'clock because if I going sleep 9:00

o'clock I wake up 2:00 o'clock morning ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

... and I can't sleep.

HUBKEY

Okay, okay. So your ... your relationship is a happier relationship?

LEIBEL

Normal, yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

You guys have a normal sex life?

LEIBEL

Okay. This interesting. 2005 ... sex ... 2005 he have operation.

HUBKEY

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

Remove from him ... remove bladder.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Because inside bladder cancer.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

So he remove his bladder. And instead bladder, put kishka. How to explain to you ... where you make poo-poo, this is what ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

... not exactly poo ... here poo-poo for example ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

... this one ... kishka.

**HUBKEY** 

Okay.

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**LEIBEL** 

He got it ...

**HUBKEY** 

Now ... so sex life no good?

LEIBEL

One second. Not only not good, not have it.

HUBKEY

Oh, no sex?

LEIBEL

No sex at all.

HUBKEY

Okay. Is that acceptable? It wasn't an issue?

LEIBEL

For me like (unintelligible) ...

**HUBKEY** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

... you know feelings ...

HUBKEY

Okay. But it wasn't like something that was a huge issue?

**LEIBEL** 

No, no.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

I am focusing going to ...

HUBKEY

School.

**LEIBEL** 

... school when I coming here.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

(unintelligible)

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Graduate ... very good graduate ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Give me scholarship.

HUBKEY

Okay.

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LEIBEL

I am going to UNR.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Graduate. So I have 3.6 or 3.7 ... this not bad ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

... score.

HUBKEY

Okay. What are you trying to get a degree in?

LEIBEL

My degree International Affair.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

And when I have this degree ... my degree become diplomat.

HUBKEY

Oh?

**LEIBEL** 

International.

HUBKEY

To Russia?

LEIBEL

Yeah, Russia. Whatever where you ... where you going to.

HUBKEY

I assume you speak fluent Russian still.

LEIBEL

Yes, of course.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

So ... but because he always not feel good ...

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HUBKEY

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

... but I am already pick this measure.

HUBKEY

You .. what? A business manager?

LEIBEL

No, no ... I pick this measure.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

You understand?

HUBKEY

No.

**LEIBEL** 

No. Um ...

HUBKEY

You said pick this measure.

LEIBEL

Yeah. International Affair.

HUBKEY

Okay. Oh, you pick this major.

LEIBEL

Thank you.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Okay. So all I need going to Washington D.C. and continue my ...

HUBKEY

Education.

LEIBEL

... education ... and step by step. I have internship ... Carson City Legislature.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Legislature. I am assistance 2011 ... I have Legislature and my assistance Senator ... Senator Lee ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

... yeah. And I have a diploma from him.

**HUBKEY** 

Okay.

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LEIBEL Yeah, so I am student. And so when I graduate 2011 ... I start

thinking I am not going Washington D.C. I joke myself ... how I going

to Washington D.C. if Harry not going anywhere.

HUBKEY Uh-huh.

LEIBEL So this is what my major. So ... but still this is good for me. Kind of

more ... start speak English and more understanding ... you know ...

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY Have you understood everything I've asked you today?

LEIBEL Yes, everything.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL Only my language not proper.

HUBKEY We're getting along. We're figuring it out.

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY So ...

LEIBEL When after I have company.

HUBKEY Okay, okay. So I'm trying to figure out why Harry would do this.

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY Why this happened.

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY And none of it makes sense.

LEIBEL Yeah, me too.

HUBKEY So I ... I kind of want to go through this morning again.

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LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

And you said that ... well you said you were in the kitchen and you

heard "boom".

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

HUBKEY

And you ...

LEIBEL

One shot ...

HUBKEY

... and you ...

LEIBEL

... first shot.

HUBKEY

... ran into the room.

LEIBEL

Yeah. You need see this room.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

You understand?

HUBKEY

I ... I kind of understand. It's the kitchen, and then there's a hall here or something here, and then there's a room here, and he was here?

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

So you ran from here to here?

LEIBEL

No, no, no, no. Where you show kitchen?

HUBKEY

Kitchen here?

LEIBEL

No, no.

HUBKEY

You want to draw it?

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LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Okay, so ...

HUBKEY

So this is ... you know north?

LEIBEL

Oh, i don't know.

HUBKEY

You know what north means?

LEIBEL

No, I know means north but I am not know what means this part of

this north or ... because our ... our ...

HUBKEY

North is that way.

LEIBEL

No, if I know where I'm here right now. I am not know where I ...

HUBKEY

North.

LEIBEL

... where I am right now.

HUBKEY

South.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

West. East.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

So when you draw kind of ...

LEIBEL

One second. This ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Yeah. And you understand.

HUBKEY

Here, here. Use this piece.

**LEIBEL** 

So um ... so this bedroom.

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HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

This bedroom (unintelligible). This kind of I draw (unintelligible).

(unintelligible) ... night stand?

HUBKEY

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

Night stand. Here what I talk about wall.

HUBKEY

The guns.

**LEIBEL** 

Gun.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

The wall. (unintelligible) picture, yes?

HUBKEY

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

So he always keep guns over ... here ... corner ...

**HUBKEY** 

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

... and here.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Most time he sleep here.

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

He sleep here, I sleep here. He put gun here together ...

HUBKEY

Where is the kitchen in here?

LEIBEL

Kitchen ...

HUBKEY

Same floor?

LEIBEL

This is second floor.

HUBKEY

Second floor.

LEIBEL

Our first floor for guest room.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

One room ... two room. One room pool room.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

So this first. This is second.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Because kitchen (unintelligible) have second. So tired. I need

coffee.

HUBKEY

Coffee?

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

HUBKEY

It's on its way.

LEIBEL

Okay. Okay, here ... here bathroom.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Inside here, huh? Here are ... this calls (unintelligible). Here

bathroom.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

This bedroom. Okay, so I going ... going from here. (unintelligible)

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Okay. So start (unintelligible). (unintelligible). Here stairs ... stairs

to second floor.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

This here (unintelligible). Here have wall ... make this high and very

big ... have ...

HUBKEY

Where?

LEIBEL

... (unintelligible).

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

And this is what I told you here balcony.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

And I always open balcony door ...

HUBKEY

Okay, so is this the kitchen over here?

LEIBEL

No, no. This is dining room.

**HUBKEY** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

Dining room, yeah? Here already kitchen. Here already kitchen ... kitchen come in here. (unintelligible) So here door, door, door. (unintelligible). You have another room (unintelligible).

**HUBKEY** 

Big house.

LEIBEL

Yeah. Yeah, not like (unintelligible). Very ... very unique.

(unintelligible)

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

You understand?

HUBKEY

And this is the kitchen?

LEIBEL

This is kitchen.

HUBKEY

And this is where he was?

LEIBEL

Yeah, this is where couch. This couch.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

This is what (unintelligible). Okay, make this ... I can't ... here couch.

Here what ... corner ... glass ... glass night stand.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Glass night stand. Here glass night stand. (unintelligible). Here have couch. And (unintelligible). And here have couch. Here have (unintelligible) living room. Big. big window.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

(unintelligible). And now I no long ... I not know what to do. Winter time. He always going to winter time (unintelligible).

HUBKEY

He what?

LEIBEL

He shove ... shovel.

HUBKEY

Shovel?

**LEIBEL** 

Snow.

HUBKEY

Shovel snow in the winter time.

LEIBEL

Many snow.

HUBKEY

Yeah.

LEIBEL

Many snow. And our home going like this up from ... from (unintelligible) driveway ..

HUBKEY

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

... to our home. And this is driveway and need always ...

**HUBKEY** 

Shoveled.

LEIBEL

Shoveled. And he buy, you know, this one. And he always shovel (crying). I always tell him ... I going help him. He said no, no, no sweetie. No, you have back problem. I not know what happen. I still not know what happen. Okay.

HUBKEY

Well you do know what happened though.

LEIBEL

No. I know this happen. I don't know why.

HUBKEY

Okay, well we're going to discuss what you know.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

So where was he sit ... seated?

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Put an X.

LEIBEL

X? Okay.

HUBKEY

Yes.

LEIBEL

With this couch ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

... he sit here.

HUBKEY

Okay, where were you?

LEIBEL

Beginning I sit here too this couch.

HUBKEY

No, no, no. When you heard the "boom".

LEIBEL

Oh, okay. So when ... when start with pool T.V. ... talk about pool ... and ... and I stand up. This is what I show you ... when I show you ... I stay here ... stay here.

**HUBKEY** 

Did he have the gun with him here?

LEIBEL

Yeah, yeah here. He here and gun here.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Together with him.

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

Our Bo sit together with him.

HUBKEY

Huh?

LEIBEL

Big ... big Bo (unintelligible). I have Doberman.

**HUBKEY** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

I told you.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

You not understand?

HUBKEY

I didn't know what kind of dog you had.

LEIBEL

Oh, okay. I have Doberman. Big ... big ...

HUBKEY

Big Doberman.

LEIBEL

Big Doberman.

HUBKEY

I thought it was a little dog.

LEIBEL

No, no. No.

**HUBKEY** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

Big Doberman. And ...

HUBKEY

So he sits here, the gun's here, and the dog's here?

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

You get up here.

LEIBEL

Yeah. And I take him ... I tell him next my statement ...

HUBKEY

That you're leaving.

LEIBEL

... I ... I going. And ... and this is kitchen. This have refrigerator here ... refrigerator. I go in here. I open door and this time what I hear. So after I running here, I stop here ... here this is what I show you.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL I stop here and I said Harry what you doing. (unintelligible). I don't

know why.

HUBKEY Okay. You come around that corner ...

LEIBEL Why .... yeah.

HUBKEY Okay?

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY I'm going to give you this again, okay?

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY Here, slide your chair around.

LEIBEL I not remember this, I tell you ...

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL ... I'm so shock.

HUBKEY Well let's do the best we can.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY That's all we can do.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY Alright?

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY Okay, you're doing really good.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY Okay? And I know I ask the same thing over and over.

LEIBEL That's okay.

HUBKEY

Um ...

**LEIBEL** 

I know this is your job. I remember ...

HUBKEY

... um ... so ...

LEIBEL .

... I understand.

HUBKEY

... so when you come to here ...

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

HUBKEY

... slide your chair back again.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay ... and you say Harry what are you doing ...

LEIBEL

Yeah.

**HUBKEY** 

... okay, when you come around that corner ...

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

... what do you see?

LEIBEL

No, I see he down.

HUBKEY

Okay. He's laying down?

LEIBEL

He head like this ...

HUBKEY

Okay. Legs are up?

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

This is ... I make couch like this already.

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

When I pull him down ... because not have place ... floor.

HUBKEY Oka

Okay, but when you ... when you come around that corner, are his

feet on the ground or are they up?

LEIBEL

Up.

HUBKEY

Okay, so his feet are up.

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

Is he leaning back?

LEIBEL

He like this. No ... yeah ... not ... not too much, no. Not ... not ...

HUBKEY

Okay, but his feet are up off the ground?

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

Okay, that's good. Because we didn't discuss that last time.

LEIBEL

Oh, okay.

HUBKEY

Okay?

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

And you see him ...

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

... and he's got the gun.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

HUBKEY

So if you were him ...

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

... how was he holding this?

LEIBEL Yeah, but he hold ...

HUBKEY ---- So ....

LEIBEL ... I tell you how he hold.

HUBKEY ... this is the barrel.

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY Bullet comes out of here.

LEIBEL Bullet, yes.

HUBKEY Okay. I want you to show me how he was holding it.

LEIBEL He was down like this ...

HUBKEY Okay, so if I'm Harry ... I'm going to be Harry.

LEIBEL Please, yeah, please.

HUBKEY I'm going to be Harry.

LEIBEL No you go in here.

HUBKEY Okay ... no, because you were standing over there ...

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY ... right?

LEIBEL I stay here.

HUBKEY Right?

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY So I'm Harry on the couch. My feet are up.

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Like up.

HUBKEY

Yep, they're up.

LEIBEL

And you ... and you little bit like this (unintelligible) ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Yeah. So not up like this ... like straight up.

HUBKEY

Like this?

LEIBEL

Couch.

HUBKEY

Okay, yeah, like this.

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah, I'm sorry.

HUBKEY

That's okay.

LEIBEL

Yeah. Okay.

HUBKEY

This is the barrel.

LEIBEL

This is the barrel.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

No, I ... I see like ... like somethings like this. 'Somethings

like ... I don't know.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Somethings look my ... my ... but I coming I see like this. And I Harry what you doing. This is shot. And this is going ... going like this.

HUBKEY

So this is ...

LEIBEL

Like this.

HUBKEY

Okay. Okay. That's what you saw?

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

Okay, so it was never over here?

LEIBEL

Where?

HUBKEY

The ... the gun. Like ... this is the barrel. It was never in this

direction?

**LEIBEL** 

No.

HUBKEY

It was always over here?

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Kind of like this, yeah.

HUBKEY

So ... well, you show me. How do you want me to hold this? Where

do want me to put this hand?

LEIBEL

I ... I don't know. I not remember already.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

I see hand ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

... (unintelligible). And I see ... and I see ... what is it ... the gun.

HUBKEY

Here's the trigger.

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Trigger?

LEIBEL

Yeah, okay.

**HUBKEY** 

So was his hand here, here, here?

LEIBEL

So much quick.

HUBKEY

I know. Just take your time.

LEIBEL

I don't know.

HUBKEY

Take your time. I don't want you to guess, okay?

LEIBEL

No, I am not guess.

HUBKEY

I don't want you ...

LEIBEL

This is means ...

HUBKEY

... to guess but ...

**LEIBEL** 

... this is means ...

HUBKEY

... I just want ...

**LEIBEL** 

... this is means I tell you I am not remember.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

But I remember going like this.

**HUBKEY** 

You kind of remember it like this? Okay. Was it ... was it here?

LEIBEL

No.

HUBKEY

It was definitely over here?

LEIBEL

Because ...

HUBKEY

Okay, what is ...

LEIBEL

... because ... because this arm ... and I am not know where ...where

it is going ... or ... or like this or like this ... I am not ...

**HUBKEY** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

... (unintelligible).

HUBKEY

Okay, okay.

LEIBEL

You understand?

**HUBKEY** 

Let me ask you this.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

So he ... you come around the corner. He's something like this.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay, what was he doing? Was he looking at you?

LEIBEL

No. He already ... ahhh ... like this.

HUBKEY

Ahhh ... okay.

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

**HUBKEY** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

But when I coming.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Okay? And when I make like this ... ahhh ... shoot ... shoot coming.

HUBKEY

So did he ...

LEIBEL

No, this not (unintelligible).

HUBKEY

... did he cock it? Did you see that?

LEIBEL

Uh ... I think already have cock it when I coming.

HUBKEY

So when you come around the corner it's already cocked?

LEIBEL

Already cocked.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Already cocked. I think cocked.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

So ...

HUBKEY

Did you see him put his finger in here?

LEIBEL

Yeah. What kind of ... I don't know ... my imagination ... I don't know ... (unintelligible) ... I don't know. When I coming I see him ... I don't know. I think maybe when I close eyes maybe this moment he do this.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

You understand?

HUBKEY

It goes "boom".

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah, "boom".

**HUBKEY** 

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

And I ... and I open ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

... and ... and ...

HUBKEY

And what's he ... does ...

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

But down ... what kind of like this ...down ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

... and ... and he like ahh, ahh ... like this.

**HUBKEY** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

Okay. So I come ... I come to him. He look... ahh ... ahh ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

... like ... not have breathe.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

So I run into kitchen.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

9-1-1.

**HUBKEY** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

You know I start calling and this instruction told me put him down.

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

I hear already ahh ... and ... and I put him down two times.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Because he (unintelligible).

HUBKEY

By his feet?

**LEIBEL** 

Yes. Two ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

... two times I take his feet ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

... and I start pulling here.

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

But he's too heavy and I ... and I pull ... he have robe.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

And I take robe and start pulling robe ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

... and couch going like this.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Pull couch ...

HUBKEY

Because the feet are out so it starts to tip forward.

LEIBEL

Yeah, pull couch.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

So I am like waiting for little bit couch going down again and I pull him, pull him. And pull him here. This is what ... not heavy.

HUBKEY

Yeah, correct.

**LEIBEL** 

And I pull him here.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Because this is glass ... glass stand ... and this glass stand. And this is very small ...

HUBKEY

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

... stuff ... when need to put floor.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Instruction told me ... put him floor ... no, no, put him floor. So I am so (unintelligible) ... I ... I need put him floor ...

**HUBKEY** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

... yeah? So I put him floor. This is what ... what ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LÈIBEL (uni

(unintelligible) ... falling.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

I pull him, I pull him. And when I pull him his head (unintelligible)

coming to this gun.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Yeah? So I take this (unintelligible) ... this one ... yeah?

HUBKEY

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

I take this one and ... and pulling.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Pulling away.

HUBKEY

Throw it away.

LEIBEL

No, pulling.

**HUBKEY** 

Pulling is pulling.

**LEIBEL** 

I'm sorry.

HUBKEY

Throwing.

LEIBEL

Throwing.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Throwing, I'm sorry.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Yeah. And ... and ... I pull ... I ...

**HUBKEY** 

Here, sit down.

LEIBEL

... I pull him floor.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

And that's ... then I start him ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

... (unintelligible).

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

**HUBKEY** 

Okay. So did you see his injuries?

LEIBEL

I see hand.

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

That I am not see ...

HUBKEY

So where ...

LEIBEL

... when I pull him I see little bit blood.

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

(unintelligible)

HUBKEY

So tell me what you saw on his hand.

LEIBEL

Uh ... something injure.

HUBKEY

Okay. How do you think he got that injury?

LEIBEL

How ...

HUBKEY

Here, sit back over here.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Or you want to trade ... want to sit here?

LEIBEL

I don't know.

HUBKEY

Yeah, you can sit there.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Um ... how do you think ... here I got it for you. Coffee will be here in

a minute.

LEIBEL

You have special place smoke somewhere?

**HUBKEY** 

Yes.

LEIBEL

Uh-huh.

HUBKEY

So how do you think he got that injury to his hand?

LEIBEL

I tell you too I am not notice the (unintelligible). I am not given a

clue.

HUBKEY

Okay, you don't have a clue?

LEIBEL

No, I not even have clue.

HUBKEY

Okay, okay.

LEIBEL

Because I hear what this is two shots.

HUBKEY

Two shots, okay.

LEIBEL

Two shots.

HUBKEY

Do you know where he shot himself?

LEIBEL

Where?

HUBKEY

Yes.

LEIBEL

No, I think this one.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

And this ... somewhere blood I am not see because I am so panic ...

instructions said pull him, pull him.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

You know?

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

I am not even have clue.

HUBKEY

Okay. So here's the problem.

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

Okay, you said he was standing like this, right? Something like this.

LEIBEL

Something ... so down like this what ... what I see, yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay. Well so he has a bullet wound in this hand right here.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Okay? And his other bullet wound is way back here.

LEIBEL

Where?

HUBKEY

Here. Right here.

LEIBEL

Uh-huh.

HUBKEY

Okay. So I don't know ... how does he have a bullet wound right

here?

LEIBEL

Uh-huh.

HUBKEY

It doesn't make sense.

LEIBEL

This is what ... uh ... I am not understand how he injure hand because when ... when this first bullet coming ... our Bo ... Doberman ... start running to couch and running to living room ...

**HUBKEY** 

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

... living room like crazy.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

You know? So I don't know. Maybe he pull him somethings ... or I

... I am not have idea. Because he going crazy.

**HUBKEY** 

Okay, okay. But how did he get a bullet hole in his hand and a bullet

hole in his armpit back here? Because this doesn't make sense,

right? If the gun's here ...

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

HUBKEY

... it goes "boom".

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

It's going to go that way.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Right?

LEIBEL

Yeah, okay.

HUBKEY

Okay? So it either hit him here, right? Do you agree?

LEIBEL

Yeah, I agree.

HUBKEY

Okay. And it would go that way, okay? The bullet wound is this way

and goes that way.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

So that doesn't make sense what you're saying.

**LEIBEL** 

But I ...

**HUBKEY** 

Because to me, the bullet came from over here.

LEIBEL

Okay. Maybe he shoot like this and when I come into living room he

change position. I am not have clue.

HUBKEY

Okay. And that's what I'm trying to ask you.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

So you ... when you come in he's this way but you think maybe he

may have already shot over here. So he went ...

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

... like this? Okay. Somebody's at the ... maybe your coffee is here.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

(Hubkey has conversation with unidentified person).

HUBKEY

Okay, so you're saying maybe he did this?

LEIBEL

Yeah. Because ...

HUBKEY

Okav.

LEIBEL

... because doggie ... doggie together with him this way.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

You understand?

HUBKEY

I do.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

When I am coming he kind of like this what I ... what I tell you.

HUBKEY

Like this?

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

And he's holding the gun.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

And he's going ahh ... ahh.

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LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

Because he already ... he already like this.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

This moment.

HUBKEY

So he had already shot himself when you showed up?

LEIBEL

Yeah, but what happened ... second ... second shot?

HUBKEY

You tell me.

LEIBEL

No, I ... I can't ... I can't tell you because I am not have clue.

HUBKEY

Okay, because you didn't see it?

LEIBEL

No.

HUBKEY

Okay, okay. So that's ... you know ... um ... I can't tell it very well. Um ... so that's ... I ... your story I think is very good but I'm

concerned about this.

LEIBEL

Yeah, yeah of course. But I am not know where he ... he shot

(unintelligible). I am not ... I only see hand.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

When I pull this one ...

HUBKEY

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

... I show hand ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

... and like one minute police coming. I am going downstairs, open

door, and police right away told me going, going away, going away.

So that's it.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

This is what ... second here, moment here, and that's it.

HUBKEY

Okay. Do you understand my concern though?

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

I understand your concern.

HUBKEY

Because my ... you know ... from what I'm hearing ...

**LEIBEL** 

Yes.

HUBKEY

... it sounds like he was shot right here.

LEIBEL

Yeah, but he ... if he shot himself like this and when I coming from kitchen to living room this moment he hurt himself and he lay down ... I don't know ... kind of like this.

HUBKEY

Okay, do that again.

LEIBEL

If he ... my concern here ... if he kill him like this ... you know ... and when I coming to from kitchen to living room this moment ... yeah ... so this moment he already shot and he hurt himself ...

HUBKEY

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

... and he already have different position.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

You understand ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

... what I said?

HUBKEY

You're saying that he moved positions ...

LEIBEL

Different positions, yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay. Okay. It just looks weird.

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

**HUBKEY** 

You understand what I mean?

LEIBEL

Yeah, yeah.

HUBKEY

It looks like he was shot from over there.

LEIBEL

Uh-huh.

HUBKEY

If I was on the couch and I was him ...

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

HUBKEY

... looks like the bullet came from where you were standing.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Does that make sense?

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

So if your concern I coming and shoot him ...

HUBKEY

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

... yeah ... and how I shoot him ...

HUBKEY

And hit him right here.

**LEIBEL** 

How?

HUBKEY

That's my concern.

LEIBEL

Yes, exactly.

HUBKEY

So ...

**LEIBEL** 

If I shoot him, yeah.

HUBKEY

Yes.

LEIBEL

Yeah. Impossible.

HUBKEY

How is it impossible?

LEIBEL

No, because he sit like this for example.

HUBKEY

Okay. What ...

**LEIBEL** 

What ...

HUBKEY

... if he had his hand out?

LEIBEL

... what the person see, yeah. Person see. I come ...

HUBKEY

Okay, I'm sitting ... I'm sitting here ...

LEIBEL

... yeah ... I come to him ... Harry I kill you ... yeah ... Harry I kill you.

HUBKEY

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

Yeah?

HUBKEY

Yes.

LEIBEL

And what?

HUBKEY

What do you mean, and what?

LEIBEL

And I ...

HUBKEY

(laughing)

LEIBEL

... I never do this my life.

**HUBKEY** 

Okay. But ...

LEIBEL

I am never have criminality my life. Never do anything my life.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

I always good woman. If you check my record ... FBI ... whatever

what you check ... I am not ... I am not criminal.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

You know? I can't ...

HUBKEY

But do you understand what it looks like?

LEIBEL

Yes, yes, but I can't ... going ... okay ... for example if I ... if I shoot

person, do you think people start lying about this one? Of course,

but I tell you too what happened.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

You understand?

HUBKEY

Well, you're telling a story. I don't know that it to be true ...

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

... or not true.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

You know?

**LEIBEL** 

Okay.

HUBKEY

You seem like a very genuine person.

LEIBEL

Because I am never ... how I kill person?

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

And especially my husband.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Do you understand? Do ... do you understand one moment if my

husband die and I am alone, do you understand what happen?

**HUBKEY** 

What happens?

LEIBEL

I am alone.

**HUBKEY** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

My children gone. His children gone.

HUBKEY

Do you want to be alone?

LEIBEL

No, I am not want alone.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

But if ... if ... I going to see children.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

You know? I have menopause. Nobody love me.

HUBKEY

What's that?

LEIBEL

Menopause.

HUBKEY

Menopause. (laughing) Okay.

LEIBEL

(unintelligible) fat woman.

HUBKEY

Okay. Okay, so take a break, okay? Do you need to use the

bathroom again?

LEIBEL

No.

HUBKEY

Okay. I'm going to go outside real quick. I'll be right back, okay?

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Okay. Here, I'm going to give you the water. Are we almost out of

tissues? No, we're doing okay. Let me ...

LEIBEL

And ... and ...would ... would you concern ... why I need change my

life. I (unintelligible). You know never good and ...

**HUBKEY** 

Never good?

LEIBEL

No. Never ... never good. Never. Never?

HUBKEY

Never?

LEIBEL

No. Have people here.

HUBKEY

There are people here.

LEIBEL

Yeah. No, Lake Tahoe people.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Friends and ...

HUBKEY

Okay, you have a good life.

LEIBEL

Good life.

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

Beautiful life.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

You know sometimes friends and ... and Harry and I going to

restaurant and so normal ...

HUBKEY

Normal.

LEIBEL

Normal.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Like everybody live.

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

You know I am never fighting. If you ask people ... never fighting

together with Harry.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

I don't know what happen. Only I think this is ... Bo sit here ...

doggie ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

He big.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

He ... sometimes move ... you can't even move him.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Because one hundred ... what a ...

**HUBKEY** 

**Hundred pounds?** 

**LEIBEL** 

Hundred twenty pounds he have.

HUBKEY

Okay. How many kilos?

LEIBEL

I don't know.

HUBKEY

(laughing). Okay, give me a minute, okay?

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

My doggie take care of? Do you ask please my doggie take care of?

I have put pee-pee ... him pee-pee.

HUBKEY

Does he need to go pee-pee? Will he bite?

LEIBEL

No, if ... if you good, he good.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

I don't know what he reaction.

HUBKEY

Okay, okay.

(Hubkey exits)

(Hubkey enters)

HUBKEY

Coffee and cigarettes. Come on.

LEIBEL

Oh yeah? Thank you so much.

HUBKEY

Let's ... let's head up this way. You have all that stuff?

(Hubkey and Leibel exit)

(Hubkey and Leibel enter)

HUBKEY

Okay.

**MILBY** 

Did I get the right cigarettes?

HÜBKEY

Yes.

LEIBEL

Yes please.

**MILBY** 

Alright.

HUBKEY

No, you can keep them.

LEIBEL

Oh, okay, thank you so much.

HUBKEY

Just have a seat over there. I'll be right back.

(Hubkey exits)

(Hubkey enters)

HUBKEY

How are you doing? What's going on?

LEIBEL

(unintelligible)

**HUBKEY** 

Huh?

LEIBEL

(unintelligible) ... thinking about this (unintelligible).

HUBKEY

What are you thinking?

LEIBEL

How this happen. I can't believe ... I still can't believe it.

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

(unintelligible)

HUBKEY

Where did that white piece of paper go?

LEIBEL

(unintelligible)

**HUBKEY** 

It was sitting right here wasn't it?

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Where did it go?

**LEIBEL** 

Somebody took it.

**HUBKEY** 

Did somebody take it?

(Garren enters)

**GARREN** 

Nadine might have grabbed it.

HUBKEY

Okay.

**GARREN** 

You want me to go find it?

HUBKEY

The Miranda form?

GARREN

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Yeah.

GARREN

Let me go see if they found it ... if they have it.

(Garren exits)

HUBKEY

Um ... let me read you this form again.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY That's the right thing to do. Then we'll talk about what you're

thinking about. And then Ed is going to talk to you a little bit

because he was up at your house.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY So he wants to clarify some questions ...

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY ... about ...

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY ... the house and then we'll talk. So tell me about your dog. Can

somebody go in there and get ... let your dog out?

LEIBEL I don't know.

HUBKEY Or do you think your dog will bite somebody?

(Garren enters)

LEIBEL No, he very nice if one person ...

GARREN I don't know where it is.

LEIBEL ... if another person ...

HUBKEY Huh?

GARREN You want another form?

HUBKEY Yeah.

LEIBEL (unintelligible)

HUBKEY It was right here, wasn't it?

LEIBEL Yeah.

GARREN We'll find it.

HUBKEY

I didn't take it with me. I left my notebook in here.

**GARREN** 

You want me to go find one?

HUBKEY

Yeah, please do. I don't understand what happened to it. Not in the

trash can.

(Garren exits)

**LEIBEL** 

(unintelligible) ghost.

**HUBKEY** 

What do you think of that? Was it a ghost?

LEIBEL

Ghost (laughing).

**HUBKEY** 

That's crazy.

**LEIBEL** 

Harry always (unintelligible) me about ghost. For example ... I am ...

coming kitchen and he like (unintelligible) ...

HUBKEY

(laughing)

LEIBEL

(unintelligible)

HUBKEY

Ah.

LEIBEL

(unintelligible) all the time.

HUBKEY

Well I'll have you sign it again.

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

I don't ...

LEIBEL

I have not have problem sign.

HUBKEY

You didn't put it in your pocket did you?

LEIBEL

No (unintelligible).

HUBKEY

It was ... it was literally right there. Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

Here (unintelligible).

(Garren enters)

**HUBKEY** 

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

We'll find it.

HUBKEY

Okay. Well, I'm going to read it to you again and just ...

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

... I'll have you sign it again.

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

Um ... you remember this, right?

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

I read it to you.

LEIBEL

Yeah, I remember.

HUBKEY

Okay. So you have the right to remain silent.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Anything you say can and will be used against you in a court of law. You have the right to talk to a lawyer and have him present with you while you're being questioned. If you cannot afford to hire a lawyer, one will rep be ... represent ... to represent before any questioning if you wish. Do you understand these rights as I have explained them

to you?

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

Having these rights in mind, do you wish to talk to me now?

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

Okay, I just need you to sign these and these two.

**GARREN** 

Who did?

LEIBEL

Her husband.

GARREN

Oh, her husband, okay. Well back to Friday when ...

LEIBEL

What I tell you?

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

Yeah, what I tell you. This is means when I am going to Reno she

always need me, you know.

**GARREN** 

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

And when she ... when she ... when he finish academy, come back to

Los Angeles because he said they had my uncle fire work ...

GARREN

Yeah.

LEIBEL

... position maybe help me ...

GARREN

Okay.

LEIBEL

... blah, blah. And come back Los Angeles and ... and I always ... of course think about her. She send me message what happen to her ... I message to her and he always ... check in message to you ...

she had message.

GARREN

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

And this time Friday same ... same story ... she send me message and I answer to her and would he tell me again she message to you.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

GARREN

But you were planning on leaving on Saturday. Did you tell him on

Friday you were going to leave on Saturday?

LEIBEL

Yes.

GARREN

And what did he say?

LEIBEL

He said no you not going ... no beginning he said whatever.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

He said whatever.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

Okay ... I think myself he said whatever this is means after he agree I

think.

GARREN

Does he normally respond that way when you're going to go down?

LEIBEL

Yeah.

GARREN

So that ... that's normal for him?

LEIBEL

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

Norm ... sorry ... that's a normal reaction.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

GARREN

Okay.

LEIBEL

So ... and ... yeah.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

And ...

GARREN

So when did he tell you no, you can't go?

LEIBEL

When I tell him already Saturday evening ...

GARREN

Okay.

LEIBEL

... after dinner I said I am going 10:00 o'clock.

**GARREN** 

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

He going nuts. This ...

**GARREN** 

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

... this moment.

**GARREN** 

What do you mean going nuts? What does he do?

LEIBEL

For ... for ... for our relationship how he going nuts ... verbally. Of

course not ...

**GARREN** 

Okay, verbally.

LEIBEL

Verbally.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

Only verbally.

GARREN

What's he saying?

LEIBEL

And he said no you not going. I have ... I give ... I not feel good ... and who take care of me and blah, blah, blah. But he okay this time.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

Because he not tell me ... for example yesterday he have kidney

stone ...

**GARREN** 

Yeah.

LEIBEL

... you know.

**GARREN** 

Like he did before.

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah, yeah.

**GARREN** 

So how does that make you feel if you know he's not sick and he's

telling you he's not feeling well. How do you feel?

LEIBEL

For me this is normal because he ... before ... same ...

GARREN

Okay.

LEIBEL

... same thing.

**GARREN** 

Okay. And he's told you before no you're not going and ...

LEIBEL

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

... and you still left?

LEIBEL

Yeah, and in the end ... in the end I am like ... like this and ...

GARREN

Okay.

HUBKEY

Hey, can I interrupt real quick?

GARREN

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Who's Leann Brooks?

LEIBEL

Leann Brook ... she ex-wife ... doctor Steve Brook.

**GARREN** 

She's a friend. She came up when we were at the house. Why?

HUBKEY

Because she's calling me.

GARREN

Is that the number?

HUBKEY

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

Okay, well she stopped by the house and ...

HUBKEY

Do I have to call her?

LEIBEL

She ... she ...

**GARREN** 

No.

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

Okay.

**GARREN** 

She was worried about her ...

LEIBEL

Yes.

**GARREN** 

... because I said we were down talking to her ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

GARREN

... when we first got on the scene so ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

**GARREN** 

... she's just probably concerned.

LEIBEL

Yes.

**GARREN** 

Okay, so he's normally told you no and you've gone anyway?

LEIBEL

Uh-huh.

GARREN

How come you didn't leave Saturday night ... last night?

LEIBEL

Because I said to him I going three days.

HUBKEY

Or you're going to be gone for three days?

LEIBEL

Yes, because my daughter and I make reservation.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Alréady hotel.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

And ... and when I said I coming to you Sunday already hotel ...

HUBKEY

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

... three, three days. So ... and he go ... and he going crazy. Three

days for him is just like you know very long time.

HUBKEY

Okay. Have you left for three days before?

LEIBEL When I visit ... when I visit ... twins going ... twins going ... I said to

him I going to two days.

HUBKEY Uh-huh.

LEIBEL And I come twins and I help and ... and after my car broken ...

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL ... and my car ...

GARREN But you've never planned to be away that long before then?

LEIBEL No.

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL No.

GARREN So it was kind of hard on him for you to be gone for three days.

LEIBEL Yeah. Oh for him three days this is big.

GARREN How come you didn't leave on Saturday night though like you

normally do?

LEIBEL Well he said ... he take this gun ...

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL ... and he start scare me.

GARREN How?

LEIBEL He said ... he said I kill myself if you going.

GARREN Okay, is that something new that he said before?

LEIBEL No, before he always told me I kill myself.

HUBKEY Yeah.

LEIBEL But like play. I don't know how explain to you.

GARREN

No, I understand.

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

I ... I understand what you mean by that.

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

Okay. So he said ... he said it before.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

It's a recurring thing.

**GARREN** 

But did he ever say how he was going to do it before?

LEIBEL ..

What this means how you do before?

GARREN

How he was going to kill himself. Did he ever take a gun out and say

I'm going to kill myself if you leave before?

LEIBEL

Oh, no ... he like ... make funny whatever. For example he ... after with the shooting ... not long time ago ... shooting Carson City ...

GARREN

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

... shooting place.

**GARREN** 

Shooting range, yeah.

LEIBEL

Yeah. And he always take to ... to me. And sometimes I am sitting watching. Sometimes I am not interesting. No shoot, no shoot. Shoot, shoot. Sometimes I am not interesting. So he ... he shoot his guns and going home he start cleaning ... for example he start cleaning. When he finish cleaning he said now look ... for example revolver he have wood. Two revolver ... no three revolver ... he got two revolver ... no four revolver. He have revolver .38, and three

revolver .45. He teach me.

GARREN

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL Before I am not even ... before coming ... before when I married Los

Angeles he have like three ... three ... three rifle.

GARREN Uh-huh.

LEIBEL Three rifle. He not ... no he have one revolver I think. Yeah, he have

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GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL ... no he have two revolver. He never have pistol before.

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL Revolver. And he always keep safe ... safe ... safe ... he always keep

Los Angeles safe. But I always scare because I am from Russia and

I never touch my life.

GARREN Well let me ask you this. Because you ...

LEIBEL Yeah.

GARREN ... said he's said in the past he was going to kill himself.

LEIBEL Yeah.

GARREN And you said last night he took the gun out and said he's going to

kill himself.

LEIBEL Yeah, and he ...

GARREN Has he ever done that in the past where he's taken the gun out ...

LEIBEL No, but he for example clean ... clean ... the ... what ...

GARREN The gun, yeah.

LEIBEL ... revolver and he said I kill myself.

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL For example, yeah?

GARREN But not when you're leaving. Is this the first time he's ever done it

when you said you're leaving for ...

LEIBEL Yes, this is first time he play ... for example when I going to ... when

... twins born ...

GARREN Uh-huh.

LEIBEL ... he not say I kill myself.

GARREN Okay. So this is the first time when you were saying you're going to

leave ...

LEIBEL Yeah.

GARREN ... that he takes a gun out ...

LEIBEL Yeah.

GARREN ... and says he's going to kill himself.

LEIBEL Because ... because what happen is more and more and more for

him gun very important.

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL Because what ... what I see he always going to Reno show ... show

... show convention.

GARREN Gun shows, yeah.

LEIBEL Show convention. And he always bring guns.

GARREN Well ... so what do you think made him say that last night and take

the gun out if you're leaving if he's never done that before? Why do

you think that is?

LEIBEL No, I ... I think yesterday ... I think he scare me.

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL Like if you not going I kill myself, yeah?

GARREN So he's just trying to scare you?

LEIBEL But ... but if he only said I kill myself, me ... I am not ...

**GARREN** Going to leave?

LEIBEL ... no ... trust him ... he kill himself and I am going, yeah?

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL So he take rifle ... 9:00 o'clock ... and he put sleep with rifle like this.

He ... he sleep together with rifle.

GARREN Has he ever done that before?

LEIBEL No.

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL Rifle always stay loading ... stay ...

GARREN And you didn't leave because he made the comment about killing

himself?

LEIBEL Yes.

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL I ... I ... I'm sorry ... I ... I said to my daughter ... I said I can't leave

now. I have ... I explain to you later. I can't explain to her what ...

GARREN Was that on a phone call or a text message?

LEIBEL It's text message. You ...

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL ... have text message my phone if ...

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL ... you want to read.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

And ... and after morning she again writing Mommy where are you. I

wait for you. She think I am already start driving.

**GARREN** 

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

And I said I'm sorry I have uncomfortable situation.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

I never explain my children my relationship ...

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

... my hus ... and he never explain ...

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

... his children. Everything fine.

**GARREN** 

Is your phone ... is your screen locked? Do you have to enter a

code to unlock your screen on your phone?

LEIBEL

No, no.

**GARREN** 

Okay, so just swipe it and it opens up?

LEIBEL

Swipe and Lana (unintelligible) ... Lana (unintelligible).

**GARREN** 

You have to put in a word?

LEIBEL

No, no, no. Message. How explain ... message.

HUBKEY

I'll get it.

(Hubkey exits)

**GARREN** 

Yeah, I just want to know. Because ...

LEIBEL

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

... because I'm going to need to look at it if you'll let me just to ...

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LEIBEL

Yes, of course.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

Of course. So morning she said Mommy where are you.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

Yeah. And so ... you need to talk to him about it ... again about ...

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

... the subject. You know?

**GARREN** 

And did ...

LEIBEL

So ...

**GARREN** 

... you talk to him this morning?

LEIBEL

... he ... he shave today and he said I ... I going take (unintelligible).

Do you want going shooting today?

**GARREN** 

Does he always shave every day?

**LEIBEL** 

No.

GARREN

How often?

LEIBEL

I don't know. If he stay home he shave I don't know maybe two days.

GARREN

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

But he shaved this morning?

LEIBEL

Yeah, he shave ...

**GARREN** 

Okay, and asked you to go shooting.

LEIBEL

And ... and ... yeah he said after I going take (unintelligible) you want

going to shooting.

**GARREN** 

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

I said no I am not going to shooting because I need going to Los

Angeles.

**GARREN** 

Uh-huh.

**LEIBEL** 

And argue.

**GARREN** 

And what did he say?

LEIBEL

He said no you not going.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

You know. And ... and I am so ... and I am so ... my heart like this because if I going this is means I fighting together with him. He never forgive me if I going and he said yes (unintelligible) said no or

whatever.

(Hubkey enters)

LEIBEL

Okay. This is ...

**GARREN** 

Okay, so just ...

LEIBEL

... I have another message ...

GARREN

Okay. Okay, so it just ... it will just unlock by itself.

HUBKEY

Can I see?

LEIBEL

No, no, no.

**GARREN** 

No, I got it. Yeah, I got it. No, I just ... when it's locked I just want to

know how to unlock it. And it's just ... swipe it.

LEIBEL

Like this.

**GARREN** 

Okay, that's all I needed.

LEIBEL

Going to message. And Lana ...

HUBKEY

Can I look at it?

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Or do you want to wait?

GARREN

Let's wait.

**HUBKEY** 

Okay.

GARREN

I just ... (unintelligible).

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah, go into message and ... and ...

**GARREN** 

So you said that kind of ... that kind of went like this. How did that

make you feel this morning when he said you're not going?

LEIBEL

Yeah, because I feel ... how I feel ...

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

... you know. I am ... I am think myself if I am going ... because

yesterday I am not going because ...

**GARREN** 

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

... you know if I going I don't know what happen, yeah? He kill

himself what he said ...

**GARREN** 

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

... or not kill ... kill him ... or he play or something you know. I am

not going.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

So if he said to me morning you not going if I going and he ...

together with this rifle today ... all the time he sleeping and after he

take this rifle like he finish ...

**GARREN** 

Shaving.

LEIBEL

... shaving. Before shaving he put rifle his bed and night stand ...

**GARREN** 

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

... he put here. And he finish shaving he going to bedroom and take

this rifle ...

GARREN

Okay.

LEIBEL

... together with him and sit together with rifle couch.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

But my doggie always sit together with him.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

He lay down like this and he said always move. And he heavy ...

doggie.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

You know and he push and ... and doggie sometimes farting.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

You know ... and he push him ...

**GARREN** 

Dogs will do that.

LEIBEL

Yeah. And he push him all the time and he again coming to him like

you know somethings. And Bo together with him ...

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

... this time. So when he tell me you not going, I am so like ...

thought ... my think I am not going.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

And my daughter said Mommy where are you, you know.

GARREN Did you text your daughter and let her know you weren't coming?

LEIBEL I ... no ... I tell ... I text her ... I said I planning going. She said do

you coming Mommy. I said yes I planning going. I planning ...

planning ... this is ...

GARREN Uh-huh.

LEIBEL ... I don't know what time I going because I need talk to my ... talk to

Harry and convince him ...

GARREN Uh-huh.

LEIBEL ... you know. So ...

GARREN So did you try to talk to him?

LEIBEL ... he ... probably he have different plan. He see I am not going

yesterday ...

GARREN Uh-huh.

LEIBEL ... and he think I am already not going.

GARREN Did you try to talk to him about it?

LEIBEL Yeah, I try talk to him ...

GARREN Today?

LEIBEL ... today morning.

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL Today morning. Very, very calm.

GARREN Uh-huh.

LEIBEL You know very calm. And he said no you not going. So after watch

little bit T.V. with pool ... pool T.V.

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL

T.V. have ... how said ... pool game ...

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

... pool game.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

It got Canada guy and another American guy.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

Have a ... a trick shoot.

**GARREN** 

What did you do after that?

LEIBEL

And I get up ... get up from ... from my couch and I go to drink ...

**GARREN** 

Did you make him breakfast somebody said?

LEIBEL

Oh no, this is before. I talk already ... I tell you already in the end.

**GARREN** 

Okay, well what time did you guys have breakfast?

LEIBEL

(unintelligible) he finish ... he woke up 4:00 o'clock today ...

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

... morning. He going to computer to read the news or whatever what he do. And after I (unintelligible) my doggie ... our doggie ... always sleep ...

**GARREN** 

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

... our bed.

GARREN

He sleeps on the bed with you?

LEIBEL

This is what means yesterday I am so worry because doggie sleep

together with us ...

**GARREN** 

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

... and he hold this gun ...

**GARREN** 

The gun. So you were worried?

LEIBEL

Worry because doggie when sleeping he always running.

**GARREN** 

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

And our bed start shaking and ... and sometimes Harry said stop it,

stop it.

**GARREN** 

Okay. So what time did you ... do you guys have ... did you guys

have breakfast this morning?

LEIBEL

Breakfast ... around (unintelligible).

**GARREN** 

What did you guys have?

LEIBEL

I make him carson ... carsons ... carsons?

GARREN

**Croissant?** 

LEIBEL

Croissants. I open two croissant ... put mustard cheese and put out.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

And this time I wait when ... oven ... no ready this croissants and

have dining cloth balcony. Harry always sit and smoke this place

and I ...

GARREN

So you guys ate on the balcony?

LEIBEL

No, no, no.

**GARREN** 

Oh, in ...

LEIBEL

I am so sorry.

**GARREN** 

Okay, I just ... I ...

LEIBEL

So when ... when ... when I make oven I close out and I going dining

room ...

**GARREN** 

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

... and I sit chair. I open balcony and I smoke cigarette.

**GARREN** 

Oh, okay, okay.

LEIBEL

I wait ... I wait when oven finish. When oven finish I open oven. He

sit couch. He always sit couch.

**GARREN** 

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

He ... he have routine. I always give him like this breakfast.

GARREN

Okay.

LEIBEL

He never sit table breakfast. He always sit couch.

**GARREN** 

So after breakfast, what did you guys do?

LEIBEL

No what after breakfast ... finish breakfast. I take plate. One moment he said very interesting pool shot. And I said okay. He sit couch together with Bo and he have rifle (unintelligible). And this couch I sit ...

GARREN

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

... (unintelligible) couch and watch this and ... and watch this ...

**GARREN** 

What did you do with the plates?

LEIBEL

This is ... this is pepper plate.

**GARREN** 

Oh, paper plates.

LEIBEL

Pepper plate.

GARREN

Okay, okay.

LEIBEL

Paper plate.

**GARREN** 

Oh, okay, okay, because we ... I looked in the kitchen and there were

no ...

**LEIBEL** 

Oh it ...

**GARREN** 

... dirty dishes. Your kitchen is spotless.

LEIBEL

Yeah, because if you open ...

GARREN

Okay, okay. That would explain it. I just ...

LEIBEL

... have paper plate.

GARREN

Okay.

LEIBEL

Harry and I always use paper plate.

GARREN

Okay, so then at some point you said you ... you started to talk to

him about going to L.A. and he said no.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

GARREN

Okay, and you said you kind of ...

LEIBEL

I kind of ...

GARREN

... argued a little bit?

LEIBEL

... and I kind of already start crying because hurt me feelings you

know.

**GARREN** 

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

And when ... when this happen I need somethings drink this moment

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

... you know. So I go kitchen, open the refrigerator. And I open the

refrigerator at this time I hear what this boom.

GARREN

Okay.

LEIBEL

I am like confusing.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

You know because one time some neighbor boom too.

**GARREN** 

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

And Harry said somebody boom.

**GARREN** 

But you've shot guns before, right?

LEIBEL

Yes.

GARREN

So what did you hear?

LEIBEL

Boom.

GARREN

Was it a boom or was it a gunshot? You've fired guns before so you

would know if it was a gunshot, right?

**LEIBEL** 

No, no, no. Gunshot.

GARREN

So it was a gunshot?

LEIBEL

Yes, boom.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

Yeah, this is what I call ...

GARREN

So what did you do?

LEIBEL

... but ... I start away going to living room.

GARREN

Okay.

LEIBEL

You know I am not even drink. I start away going to living room.

And I see this ... and I see this is picture. (unintelligible) ... guns ...

and ... and I said Harry what you do. And when I say that ...

GARREN

What did you see when you first came out and saw him?

LEIBEL

What ... what this is picture ... one second.

GARREN Okay. But describe it for me. What did he look like?

LEIBEL Okay. Couch have opening.

GARREN Uh-huh.

LEIBEL He look down.

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL You know ... Bo running ... couch ... running. Harry back ... you

know ... and ... and the gun ... I don't know ... this is what explain to

you ...

GARREN (unintelligible)

LEIBEL (unintelligible)

GARREN Yeah.

LEIBEL I think when I am running from kitchen to living room maybe he make

like this some ... somehow ... you know. And when I am close an

another shot ... shot.

GARREN Did you see his face at all when you walked in the living room?

LEIBEL When ... when second ... when second opening ...

GARREN Oh the ...

LEIBEL ... ahh ... ahh ...

GARREN ... you didn't see him before that?

LEIBEL No, before he like ... he like ... like this and I said ... for me he open

eyes. He ... he ... normal like ...

GARREN He looked normal?

LEIBEL No, like not dead or whatever.

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL

But second shot he already ahh ... ahh ...

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

He not have breathe ...

**GARREN** 

Now before the second shot, did you see anything else around him?

LEIBEL

No I ...

**GARREN** 

You said to my partner something about his hand. You see

anything in his hands before the second shot?

LEIBEL

I not remember.

**GARREN** 

Okay, okay.

**LEIBEL** 

i tell you i am not remember.

GARREN

Okay, okay. Have another drink. Have a sip. My partner and I are

going to talk real quick.

(Garren exits)

(Garren and Hubkey enter)

**GARREN** 

Okay. Do you ever watch T.V.?

LEIBEL

Huh?

GARREN

Do you ever watch television?

LEIBEL

Yes.

**GARREN** 

What kind of shows do you like to watch? What kind of T.V. shows?

**LEIBEL** 

T.V. shows ... any ... any movies ...

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

... any movies.

**GARREN** 

Okay. Um ...

LEIBEL

But he always like watch T.V. and he try ... I am together with him

watch T.V. too. My daughter always ...

**GARREN** 

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

... Mommy what you doing. Watch T.V.

**GARREN** 

Did he ever watch ... does he ever watch police shows?

LEIBEL

Watch police shows.

**GARREN** 

Okay, how about ...

LEIBEL

I am ... one time I remember.

**GARREN** 

Okay, okay. Because there's things we can look at, okay, that kind of

tell a story, okay? And unfortunately right now Harry can't talk. He

can't tell us anything but he can still tell us a story.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

Okay? And the crime lab ... is they investigate ... they look at

everything and they looked at Harry and Harry has told us a story.

**LEIBEL** 

Okay.

**GARREN** 

Okay? It's not the story that you're telling us.

LEIBEL

What this means?

**GARREN** 

Okay, there are injuries on Harry ...

LEIBEL

Yeah.

GARREN

... that aren't consistent with what you're saying, okay?

LEIBEL

What this means?

GARREN

It means that I believe you shot Harry.

LEIBEL

I shot Harry?

GARREN

Yeah, I believe that.

LEIBEL

How I am shot Harry?

**GARREN** 

Probably because you were mad at him. I don't know ... here's the

thing ... I'm not there.

LEIBEL

Once second.

**GARREN** 

Okay? Hold on, hold on. I'm not there.

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

Okay?

LEIBEL

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

I think you guys got in an argument and you got mad and something

happened and he got shot.

LEIBEL

This is not first time and I shot my husband because I need going to

Los Angeles?

GARREN

I don't know.

LEIBEL

This is not first time.

GARREN

What's not the first time?

LEIBEL

No, of ... he not ... not ... he argue I going to children and ...

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

... and his children.

**GARREN** 

Okay, I understand.

LEIBEL

This is not first time.

**GARREN** 

I understand.

HUBKEY

But it's the last time.

**GARREN** 

It's the last time, okay?

**LEIBEL** 

And because I am angry I shoot my husband because I need going to

L.A. ....

**GARREN** 

Tatiana, it happens all the time.

LEIBEL

... three days?

**GARREN** 

It happens all the time. People have shot people for less Tatiana.

Here's the thing ...

**LEIBEL** 

I am never shoot person.

**GARREN** 

... I'm not ... listen to me. I'm not saying you calculated this out and you had this big plan to do this. I think it just happened. I think you were arguing. You grabbed the gun from him. I don't know if it was

a ... if ...

LEIBEL

He ...

**GARREN** 

... how this came about but there are injuries ... there's injuries on

him that he couldn't have done to himself.

LEIBEL

But I told you ... maybe this is doggie push him. I don't know.

HUBKEY

No.

**GARREN** 

No, no, no. This ...

LEIBEL

I don't know.

GARREN

... this ... he ... there ... he could not have done this to himself.

LEIBEL

I don't know. I don't know.

**GARREN** 

No, I'm telling you.

LEIBEL

I am not ...

**GARREN** 

He couldn't have.

LEIBEL

... I am not have idea.

**GARREN** 

You're there. He's there. Okay?

LEIBEL

I am not shoot him.

**GARREN** 

Well he ...

LEIBEL

I ...

HUBKEY

Tatiana ... listen ...

**GARREN** 

... he didn't shoot himself.

HUBKEY

Listen. Look at me.

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

Okay?

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

He didn't shoot himself. Okay? Somebody shot him.

LEIBEL

No, I am not ...

HUBKEY

Listen, listen.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Somebody else ... somebody besides him shot him, okay? The dog

didn't shoot him, okay?

LEIBEL

Of course, yeah.

HUBKEY

That leaves you in the house.

**GARREN** 

And he didn't shoot himself.

HUBKEY

So the science doesn't lie. That's the one thing that doesn't lie.

Okay? So if ... if you shot him, okay, which the signs say you did,

okay, what ... what we need to discuss is why and how.

**GARREN** 

People want to know why things happen ...

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

... okay?

LEIBEL

Okay, number one I am not shot him.

**GARREN** 

Okay, but we ...

LEIBEL

I am innocent. I am not shot him. I am never shot person my life.

**GARREN** 

Okay, but ... then he didn't shoot himself ...

LEIBEL

I don't know ...

**GARREN** 

... okay? No, no, I'm telling you ...

LEIBEL

... my question how he shoot himself.

**GARREN** 

Okay ... and that's what we're doing ... I'm telling you ...

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

... he didn't shoot himself. Okay? He didn't, okay? Secondly, somebody had to have done it. If it's not him ... we know it's not the dog ...

LEIBEL

This is ...

**GARREN** 

... the only other person is you ...

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

... okay? I don't have ... the science is telling us this is what happened ... that this is not something he could have done to himself, okay? People are going to want to know why. People are going to want Tatiana's story as to what happened, how this happened, why it happened. Why it happened is important, okay? From looking at what we have the science is telling us he didn't do it. Somebody else had to have and the only other person is you.

LEIBEL

I don't know how he do it.

GARREN Okay, but ... I understand that but I'm not saying this was something

you calculated out. This could have been you got mad ....

LEIBEL No.

GARREN ... and it was ... and it just happened ...

LEIBEL No.

GARREN ... okay?

LEIBEL I look at eyes. I look at other people eyes. I am not do this.

GARREN Okay. But he didn't do it either.

LEIBEL I don't know how he do this but I ...

GARREN But I'm telling you he ... he could not have done it.

LEIBEL I don't know ...

GARREN It's not possible.

LEIBEL ... I don't know how he do this.

GARREN Well...

LEIBEL I am not even look how he do this.

GARREN ... I don't need to know how he did it. I ...

LEIBEL Maybe ... maybe ...

GARREN ... i ...

LEIBEL ... he maybe ...

GARREN ... Tatiana, hold on. I know he did not do it, okay? It's not a matter

of how did he do it. He could not have done it, okay? The ... there's other injuries on him. There's no way he could have done it

himself.

LEIBEL I don't know.

**GARREN** 

There's no way.

LEIBEL

I don't know.

**GARREN** 

Okay? I understand what we're saying is a hard thing ... it's a difficult thing to come to terms with but this is not something that Harry did. He did not do this, okay?

LEIBEL

I don't know how he do this.

**GARREN** 

You can sit there and say I don't know how he did it. I didn't do it. That doesn't change the science.

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

Okay? The facts of the case, what we have, what we see ... the science tells me it wasn't Harry.

LEIBEL

Okay, maybe ...

GARREN

But that doesn't change anything.

LEIBEL

... you make another investigation and see how he do this. I am not

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GARREN

We ...

LEIBEL

... know ...

**GARREN** 

... we ... that's what we're doing.

LEIBEL

... how he do this.

**GARREN** 

But he couldn't have done it. This is what I'm telling you. He could not have done it, okay? This is not something that ... that he did. Somebody else had to do it. The only other person there is you, okay? We don't have anybody else to look at, okay? Everything tells me unfortunately something happened. You ended up shooting Harry.

**LEIBEL** 

No, I never shoot person.

GARREN

Well ...

LEIBEL

I never my life ...

GARREN

... I don't believe that. Not today. Today was different.

**LEIBEL** 

No, I never ...

**GARREN** 

Okay? You may not like to hear that but based on the science that

we have, that's what we have, okay?

LEIBEL

Think about ... think about. Because I go ...

GARREN

I don't need ... I don't need to think about it, okay? I don't need to think about it because the science is telling me Harry didn't do this, okay? The injuries on him can't be done by himself. Somebody else had to do this. Okay? I'm not saying this is a long, planned out that you thought long and hard. This could have been something that ...

**LEIBEL** 

I am not ...

**GARREN** 

... it just happened.

LEIBEL

... I am not have idea how he do this.

**GARREN** 

l ... I don't ...

LEIBEL

I am not ...

**GARREN** 

... I don't think he did it either. Because I know he didn't do it

because it couldn't have been done by himself, okay?

LEIBEL

This is ridiculous.

GARREN

It's not ridiculous.

LEIBEL

No.

**GARREN** 

Okay? This is ... this is the science. This is what we do. Okay?

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

We look at it from every different possibility, okay?

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

But right now none of those possibilities make sense. The only one

that makes sense based on the science and the injuries ...

LEIBEL

Science ...

**GARREN** 

... is you.

LEIBEL

... and you make investigation.

**GARREN** 

That's what we've done.

LEIBEL

Okay ...

GARREN

We've done that.

LEIBEL

... okay.

GARREN

And the investigation says somebody else shot him.

LEIBEL

Okay, so this ...

GARREN

Which only leaves you.

LEIBEL

... so this is only me?

**GARREN** 

Yes.

LEIBEL

So you ... you ...

**GARREN** 

Unless ... unless you're going to tell me somebody else was in the

house.

LEIBEL

No, nobody house.

**GARREN** 

Okay, well ...

**LEIBEL** 

Nobody house.

**GARREN** 

... well I think he ...

LEIBEL

And I am not ...

GARREN

... listen ... I think he ... he finally pushed you past the point ...

LEIBEL

No.

**GARREN** 

... where you were tired of him telling you no. You got upset and

something happened.

LEIBEL

No, I am not shoot him.

**GARREN** 

Tatiana, it could have even been an accident. I don't know.

LEIBEL

No, no.

**GARREN** 

But if ... was it an accident?

LEIBEL

I think this is accident.

**GARREN** 

Did you shoot him on accident?

LEIBEL

No, I am not shoot him.

**GARREN** 

Okay, but you did.

**LEIBEL** 

No, I am not shoot ...

**GARREN** 

I don't ... everything I have said you did it.

LEIBEL

No, I am not ...

**GARREN** 

Okay, I don't have anything that says Harry did it. I can't put it together and say Harry did this. Okay, I don't have anything at the scene. The wounds on his body he can't ... he could not have done

himself.

LEIBEL

I ... I don't know where he even shooting. I ...

GARREN

I understand that. But ...

LEIBEL

... when I ... when I pull him ...

GARREN

... but you've got to understand I don't have anything else.

LEIBEL

... when I pull him ...

GARREN

It doesn't matter.

LEIBEL

... I only see one hand.

**GARREN** 

I understand that. But there's other injuries on him that he could not

have done to himself. Somebody else had to shoot him.

LEIBEL

Okay.

GARREN

The only other person home is you.

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

I'm trying to understand ... it ... to me it's not a matter of who did it

...

LEIBEL

Yeah.

GARREN

... it's a matter of why it happened ...

LEIBEL

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

... and how it happened. That's what we need to talk about.

LEIBEL '

Okay.

GARREN

How it happened and ...

LEIBEL

I tell ...

GARREN

... why it happened.

LEIBEL

... I tell you what happen.

GARREN

Okay.

LEIBEL

Okay? And I am not shoot him.

GARREN Okay, but see that's not ... we know this is what happened. The

science is telling us somebody else shot him and if there's nobody

else there, it's you.

LEIBEL Okay ...

GARREN Okay, we do this all the time. This isn't ... we're not ... we're ... to

me we're past who shot him. We know you shot him. Okay? We're

... we're past that. We know you shot him.

LEIBEL I am not shot him.

GARREN We're just trying to understand how and why that happened.

LEIBEL No, I am not shot him.

GARREN We don't believe that. Tatiana ...

LEIBEL You need ... you need make more investigation who shot.

GARREN No we don't. We're at the point now where we're past how this

happened.

LEIBEL No.

GARREN We ... or who did this. We know you did it. It's just a matter of who

did it ... or how it happened and why. We know who did it, okay?

We know Harry didn't do it ...

LEIBEL I don't know how ...

GARREN ... and you ...

LEIBEL ... Harry do this.

GARREN He did not do it. That's ... there's no ...

LEIBEL. You need make more investigation because I am not ...

GARREN No we don't.

LEIBEL ... I am not do this.

GARREN Tatiana, listen to me, no we don't. It's a matter of how it happened

and why it happened, okay? There's ... everything there is telling us

he couldn't have done it. Which means there's only one other

person there ...

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN ... which was you. I'm sure you feel sorry for it.

LEIBEL No, because I am ...

GARREN Okay? I don't think this is something that you planned to do or you

wanted to do.

LEIBEL No, because I never ...

GARREN I think it just happened.

LEIBEL ... because I never shoot person my life.

GARREN Maybe not before today.

LEIBEL No, I am never shoot person my life.

GARREN Is this something that ... that ... did you ... did you shoot the gun to

scare him?

LEIBEL What this means?

GARREN Did you shoot at him to scare him and accidentally hit him?

LEIBEL I not even shoot him.

GARREN I don't believe that.

LEIBEL I am not even shoot him.

GARREN Tatiana, I don't believe that.

LEIBEL How I shoot him if rifle together with him? What ... tell me

something.

GARREN I am not there. The rifle's ...

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LEIBEL

What ... what ...

**GARREN** 

... the rifle's on the couch. I didn't see the rifle with him. I didn't see

him holding the rifle. The only person ...

LEIBEL

He put ...

**GARREN** 

... that is telling me that story is you. You're the only person that's

there ...

LEIBEL

Yes, yes ...

**GARREN** 

... okay?

LEIBEL

... but I pull him floor.

**GARREN** 

But the wounds ...

LEIBEL

Because I pull him ...

HUBKEY

... Tatiana ...

LEIBEL

... floor.

HUBKEY

... Tatiana.

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

Listen, listen, okay? The wound on his hand ...

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

... there's also a wound on his shoulder.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Okay? This and this line up.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Okay? You understand that it's impossible to have this wound, this

wound, and the couch wound right?

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LEIBEL

Okay ...

HUBKEY

Okay, so they're on ...

LEIBEL

... no I am not ...

HUBKEY

Listen, listen, listen.

LEIBEL

Okay.

**HUBKEY** 

They're on the left side of his body.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Okay? The other wound is in his back.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Okay? It's ... it's ... science doesn't lie, okay? It is what it is. Just

listen.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

And based on science and fact, okay, these things say that he wasn't

holding the gun.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Okay? He ... he couldn't have been. It's impossible.

LEIBEL

So what ... I tell ... I tell you about this rifle and Harry always like

would ...

HUBKEY

I understand.

LEIBEL

One second. And like this rifle because he said when ... and ... and ... and he try this rifle before and I try the rifle before. When ... when you put like this, this is like one second if you touching ... bullet

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coming.

HUBKEY

Yeah.

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LEIBEL

Okay?

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

So I don't know how he turn around. I am not idea, okay?

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

I am not see this, okay?

HUBKEY

Okay, but here's the problem.

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

The wound in his hand ...

LEIBEL

Okay.

**HUBKEY** 

... is right here.

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

Okay? And it's in his shoulder right here.

**GARREN** 

Uh-huh.

HUBKEY

His left shoulder.

LEIBEL

No going bullet like this.

**GARREN** 

Yes, and then behind him is the hole in the couch.

HUBKEY

Okay?

LEIBEL

Okay ...

HÜBKEY

So ...

LEIBEL

... so what this means?

HUBKEY

What this means is that somebody was standing in front of him ...

LEIBEL

Yeah.

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HUBKEY

... holding the gun, pointing it at him ...

**GARREN** 

And pulled the trigger.

HUBKEY

... okay ... and pulled the trigger. Okay? And the bullet hit him in the

hand right here. Now just listen.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Left a big powder burn.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Okay? You know what powder is?

**LEIBEL** 

Yes, I know this powder ...

HUBKEY

Okay ...

LEIBEL

... yeah.

**HUBKEY** 

... left a big powder burn right here.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

So the bullet hit him here, exited his hand, hit him in the shoulder  $\dots$ 

okay right here ...

LEIBEL

Yeah, okay.

HUBKEY

... and then went into the couch ...

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

... taking pieces of his robe with it.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Okay? There's no way that he was able ...would be physically ...

even if he was Superman ... that he would be able to do this. Okay?

LEIBEL

Do you see this rifle?

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HUBKEY

Yes.

**LEIBEL** 

You make investigation with this?

HUBKEY

Yes, yes.

LEIBEL

Okay, make second time investigation how he do this.

**GARREN** 

Okay, Tatiana, you have to cock the hammer back ...

LEIBEL

Yes.

**GARREN** 

... and pull the trigger ...

LEIBEL

Yes.

**GARREN** 

... okay? He would have had to done that twice ...

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

... for ... you said two shots.

LEIBEL

Yes.

GARREN

Okay? The gun is on the floor with the hammer cocked back.

LEIBEL

On the ... on the floor because when I ...

**GARREN** 

Okay ...

LEIBEL

... pull him ...

**GARREN** 

... but here's the problem though.

LEIBEL

Yes.

GARREN

If you have to pull the trigger ...

LEIBEL

Yes.

GARREN

... to cock it ...

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LEIBEL

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

... to fire it ...

LEIBEL 1

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

... so you pull the thing, fire it, cock it again, shoot again ...

**LEIBEL** 

Yes.

GARREN

... cock it again ...

LEIBEL

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

... and then you don't have to shoot him because he's on ... he's ...

you shot him now.

**LEIBEL** 

Okay.

**GARREN** 

There's ... there's no way he could have re-cocked that hammer ... he would have done it himself. There's no way that bullet path goes through his wrist, his shoulder and the couch. He couldn't have

done that.

LEIBEL

I told you because dog get together with him. Maybe this ...

GARREN

The dog didn't do it.

LEIBEL

Not ... not doggie doing. Maybe doggie push him or something. I am not ...

**GARREN** 

But that doesn't explain how after he ... if he pulled the trigger twice and shoots himself twice, there's no way he could have re-cocked the hammer on the rifle. That's somebody that's getting ready to shoot a third time but doesn't need to.

**LEIBEL** 

But he make left side ... right side ... I don't know how ... how he make it.

**GARREN** 

It takes a lot of pressure to do that. It just doesn't happen.

LEIBEL

But he first time (unintelligible). He not like ... second time he already ahh ... ahh ... like this.

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GARREN Yeah, and there

Yeah, and there's no way he could have cocked it again. It doesn't

happen that way.

LEIBEL I don't know, I don't know,

GARREN Somebody else ...

HUBKEY Whose gun is that gun?

LEIBEL Huh?

HUBKEY That silver revolver. That big silver revolver ... whose gun is that?

LEIBEL This is his gun.

HUBKEY It's not your gun?

LEIBEL No.

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HUBKEY Are you sure?

LEIBEL My ... my gun ... he give me present ... three ... five years ago.

Maybe six years ago. He gave me a present ... my Magnum .22.

Magnum .22. This is my rifle.

HUBKEY Okay. So do you understand the issue that we're having?

LEIBEL Yes, okay, I understand your issue. But I said ...

HUBKEY Okay, what is our issue?

LEIBEL Your issue you think he not kill himself and I kill ... I ... and I kill him.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL But this is not true. I am not kill him.

HUBKEY Okay, but do you understand why we think you shot him?

LEIBEL Yeah, because different shooting quote you said to me.

HUBKEY Okay.

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LEIBEL And I ... and I tell you this is Bo push him. I don't know how this

happen.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL Because Bo going crazy.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL When I come into living room Bo going crazy. He ...

HUBKEY Of course, okay.

LEIBEL ... running here and there.

HUBKEY So let me regress a little bit.

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY You told him you were leaving.

LEIBEL Yes.

HUBKEY Okay, and what was your plan at that point?

LEIBEL What my planning? I go and drink water because he said no.

HUBKEY Okay, no, but you told him you were leaving.

LEIBEL Yes.

HUBKEY So what were you going to do? Were you going to leave?

LEIBEL I tell ... I told my daughter ... I said yes I planning leave morning.

HUBKEY Okay, did you tell him you were going to leave anyway?

LEIBEL No, I make statement this point.

HUBKEY Okay, what were you going to do at that point? Had he not shot

himself, what were you going to do?

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LEIBEL

If he said no ... and my children this is no too ... if he said no I am

not do this, I am not going.

HUBKEY

Okay, what if he had said yes?

LEIBEL

If he said yes, I going.

HUBKEY

Okay. So you had a suitcase packed.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

From yesterday.

HUBKEY

So you packed it yesterday?

**LEIBEL** 

Yes.

HUBKEY

Okay, tell me about that.

LEIBEL

And I am not going. Huh?

HUBKEY

Tell me about that?

LEIBEL

What this means?

GARREN

Tell me about packing your suitcase.

LEIBEL

What I packing my suitcase? Or ...

HUBKEY

No, did you pack?

**LEIBEL** 

... why ... why ...

HUBKEY

You did pack?

LEIBEL

... when I packing?

HUBKEY

You packed yesterday?

LEIBEL

Yesterday.

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HUBKEY

Okay, why didn't you leave yesterday?

LEIBEL

Because I told you ... he start scare me about this I kill myself and he hold this gun and he sleep together with this gun.

HUBKEY

Okay, then ... then why didn't you unpack?

LEIBEL

I am not even think about. Because I think I going today.

HUBKEY

Okay, okay. Well, I have to tell you, it ... it's ... it doesn't look good

right now.

LEIBEL

If I kill him do you think somebody call police and like everything this ... this investigation? Why ... why ... why ... why for me this is needed? I am going to for example Los Angeles take care of my daughter situation and I call police and I do this. Why? Because I ... because I kill him?

HUBKEY

Well ...

LEIBEL

I am not understand ...

HUBKEY

... it looks like you ... the evidence indicates that you shot him,

okay? So look ...

LEIBEL

Okay.

GARREN

That's what I'm saying. I don't think you ... you woke up today with

the intention of killing him.

HUBKEY

I don't think you're ...

GARREN

I think it just happened.

LEIBEL

I am not ...

**GARREN** 

And you don't know what to do and people panic ...

LEIBEL

Because ...

GARREN

... people panic and make up stories, okay?

LEIBEL

Okay, he ...

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GARREN And people will think I feel sorry for her and then you can go be with

your family. I think you got tired of him telling you no ...

LEIBEL Okay ...

GARREN ... and you guys got in a ... I think you were going to leave ...

LEIBEL Okay tell me to like this situation. Tell me like this situation. He sit

couch together with rifle and Bo. So for example ... if you said I ...

one second ... you said I kill him so I need come to him ...

GARREN Well hold on. I ... how do I ... well no, you're the one telling me the

rifle is on the couch. How do I know ... how do I know the rifle's not

in the bedroom and you grabbed it and walked up?

LEIBEL Because he take this rifle together.

GARREN But that's what you're telling me. Okay, I don't know ... here's what I

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LEIBEL And ...

GARREN ... here's what I know. I know at the end of this the rifle ends up on

the couch. I don't know where it is before that. I'm not there, okay?

You can tell me it's anywhere you want to.

LEIBEL You're right ...

GARREN Okay?

LEIBEL ... you're right. l agree.

GARREN So I ... I don't ... just because you're telling me he's holding it ...

LEIBEL Yeah.

GARREN ... he could have left it in the bedroom. You guys argue or maybe he

did try to grab it ...

LEIBEL Yeah ... and ...

GARREN ... and you guys fought ...

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LEIBEL

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

... and the gun went off.

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah. Because ... because I need going to Los Angeles?

**GARREN** 

Yeah, I think you wanted to go to Los Angeles.

LEIBEL

And I kill ... and I kill person ... my husband?

**GARREN** 

You wouldn't be

**LEIBEL** 

When I ...

**GARREN** 

... the first person to do that.

LEIBEL

... one second ... when I live together with him ten years and ...

**GARREN** 

You wouldn't ...

LEIBEL

... and small ... small argument?

**GARREN** 

Tatiana, you wouldn't be the first person that this would have

happened to.

LEIBEL

I am not do this. I am not do this.

GARREN

Okay. I'll be right back.

(Garren exits)

HUBKEY

I'm going to sit in your seat. Listen, I'm not going to yell at you like

he did.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Look ...

LEIBEL

i understand.

HUBKEY

... look at me.

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LEIBEL

Yes.

**HUBKEY** 

Look at me. Something happened in there.

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

HUBKEY

You agree?

**LEIBEL** 

l agree.

HUBKEY

Something happened and Harry got shot. Okay? You understand that there's people out there that make a career out of looking at crime scenes.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

And they ... they look at them and they look at the evidence, okay? And the evidence always tells the story, okay?

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

And ... and ... after looking at this ... okay we've already brought in people from Washoe County ... all over the place, okay?

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

And they looked at this. Okay? And the evidence doesn't say that Harry shot himself. It doesn't. It just doesn't. It ... it ... and here's the problem with it ... is it can't lie, okay?

LEIBEL

Okay. You need to make some investigation more.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Because ... because I am not do this.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

But it looks that way.

LEIBEL

Maybe ...

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HUBKEY

Okay?

LEIBEL

... beginning look this way but I am not do this.

**HUBKEY** 

So ... but it does. Okay?

**LEIBEL** 

Maybe beginning this is does.

HUBKEY

But ... but the evidence can't lie. Do you understand that? We ...

we are doing ... right now at your house ...

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

... there's ... there's crime scene technicians. There's

photographers. There's people with lasers ...

LEIBEL

Uh-huh.

HUBKEY

... okay? All these things, okay? Evidence. He has a powder burn

on the back of his hand ...

LEIBEL

Okay ...

**HUBKEY** 

... right here.

LEIBEL

... okay, yeah.

HUBKEY

... okay? And there's a bullet hole right here.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

And it exits right here.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Do you see that?

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Okay? And then it hits him right here.

LEIBEL

Okay.

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HUBKEY

Okay? And then it hits the couch ...

LEIBEL

Maybe he hold ...

HUBKEY

... okay?

LEIBEL

... maybe he hold like this and ... and ...

HUBKEY

Okay ...

LEIBEL

... have like this. I don't know.

HUBKEY

It ... it's not possible. That's ... that's the problem.

LEIBEL

I am not understand how ...

HUBKEY

Okay?

LEIBEL

... this possible.

HUBKEY

It's not possible.

LEIBEL

But you need more ... make more physical investigation ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

... how this possible.

HUBKEY

Okay, it's not possible.

LEIBEL

Maybe this is jumping. Maybe Bo pushed him. I don't know.

HUBKEY

Okay, but it's not possible.

LEIBEL

I don't know.

HUBKEY

Okay, it's just not. So here's the thing.

LEIBEL

l ...

HUBKEY

Listen.

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LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Listen ... sometimes ...

(Garren enters)

HUBKEY

... you know sometimes shit just happens. And ... and ... and right, wrong or indifferent, it happens. Okay? So what we have to go on is what ... what is the truth ... what the science says, okay? And ..

LEIBEL

Okay, maybe science said beginning you can ... you ... you must

make more investigation.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

How this do this ...

HUBKEY

And we will.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

We will.

**LEIBEL** 

Okay.

HUBKEY

We will.

**LEIBEL** 

Okay.

HUBKEY

Okay?

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

HUBKEY

You have no doubt about it, we will.

LEIBEL

Yes, yes.

**HUBKEY** 

Okay, but the ... the facts of what we have aren't going to change.

Okay? They're just not, okay?

LEIBEL

So you from beginning think I am kill and this is ...

HUBKEY

I didn't think that in the beginning.

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LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY I didn't.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY Okay? But ...

GARREN More investigation is not going to change the science of what we've

learned.

HUBKEY The ... the science ...

GARREN It's not.

HUBKEY ... the science is not going to change, okay? But I didn't know the

science when we talked earlier, okay?

LEIBEL Uh-huh.

HUBKEY But now there's people there that know the science. The science

says something different ...

LEIBEL Uh-huh.

HUBKEY ... than what you and I discussed.

LEIBEL Uh-huh.

HUBKEY So when you ... you told me earlier ...

LEIBEL Yes.

HUBKEY ... that you saw him holding the gun like this.

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL Kind of like this.

HUBKEY That's fine ...

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LEIBEL

(unintelligible) one ... one ...

HUBKEY

Okay, and the ...

LEIBEL

... one moment ...

HUBKEY

... the barrel was over here.

LEIBEL

... one moment ...

**HUBKEY** 

The barrel was over here, right? And the stock was over here.

LEIBEL

I told you maybe because this is ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

... fallen already from his hand. I don't know how this happen.

HUBKEY

But you said when you walked in you saw him like this.

LEIBEL

Yeah, kind of like this.

HUBKEY

Okay, his left hand by the stock, right?

LEIBEL

I am not remember all of this one of the ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

... I am not remember.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

So just based on all of these things ...

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

... it's impossible to have a wound here, a wound here, and a wound

here. Okay? You can't do it.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

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HUBKEY Okay. You can't, okay?

LEIBEL So you think I shoot him?

HUBKEY So I think you shoot him ...

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY ... okay?

LEIBEL Uh-huh.

HUBKEY So the question then becomes is why.

LEIBEL I am not shoot person. (unintelligible)

HUBKEY Okay. Well, it looks like you did.

LEIBEL No.

HUBKEY Okay?

LEIBEL No.

HUBKEY So you have to decide, do you want to stick with I didn't do it and

look like, you know, some cold blooded killer, okay ...

LEIBEL I don't know. You make more investigation.

HUBKEY ... or ...

LEIBEL Maybe some jumping because Bo here. I don't know.

HUBKEY Okay, the dog has nothing to do with this.

LEIBEL I understand but ...

HUBKEY Okay ...

LEIBEL ... maybe he push him.

GARREN No.

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HUBKEY

... okay.

LEIBEL

Bo ...

HUBKEY

He didn't, he didn't, he didn't.

**LEIBEL** 

Okay.

HUBKEY

It's impossible.

**LEIBEL** 

Okay.

HUBKEY

Okay? So here's the thing. Right now you look like a cold blooded

murderer.

LEIBEL

Really?

HUBKEY

Okay?

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

You do.

LEIBEL

Okay. So I ... I shoot my husband?

**HUBKEY** 

That's what it looks like.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Okay? And ... so you have to decide, do I want to say no I didn't do it, or ... or do you want to say ... make a decision and say well I did do it but this is the reason, okay? And if you have a reason, okay, that reason can be very important, okay? Very, very important, okay? And if there is a reason, okay, we need to know that reason.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Okay? And that reason is extremely important in ... in ... in how you

are feeling. Do you understand that?

**LEIBEL** 

I understand.

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HUBKEY And ... and those are the things that we want ... that we really need

to know, okay?

LEIBEL I am not shoot him.

HUBKEY If ... if there was something going on between ... that he was doing,

okay ...

LEIBEL What things he doing?

HUBKEY Um ... something he was doing wrong that you perceive ... you

believe is wrong, okay?

LEIBEL I ... because he play ... play ... yesterday start play ...

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL ... I kill myself, I kill myself.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL So ...

HUBKEY But what I'm talking about is what ... what do you believe he was

doing wrong to you, okay?

LEIBEL (unintelligible)

HUBKEY So, you know, we look at this and we go okay he ... he couldn't have

done this to himself. So she had to have done it because you admit

there's no one else in the house.

LEIBEL Nobody ...

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL ... only me.

HUBKEY So then ... then the question becomes why, okay? And so we have

to look at that why and decide what is the ... the real reason. Is it because she is a mean, vindictive person? Is it because she's tired

of being mistreated? Is it because she's tired of him being an

asshole and treating her badly?

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LEIBEL

He very nice person.

HUBKEY

Okay. But ... but there has to be a reason.

LEIBEL

I told you this is what happen.

**GARREN** 

But ... see Tatiana, saying he's a very nice person ... a very nice person doesn't take a gun and say if you leave I'm going to kill myself and then sleeps with it because it makes you scared. That's not a very nice person, okay?

LEIBEL

But he good husband.

**GARREN** 

I'm ... I'm not saying he's not, but I'm sure he does some things that are ... that are mean, okay?

HUBKEY

He doesn't let you go see your daughter.

**GARREN** 

Yeah.

HUBKEY

That's not right.

**GARREN** 

That's not right.

HUBKEY

That's not right at all.

**GARREN** 

But so ...

LEIBEL

And because ... because this one I kill person?

HUBKEY

I don't know.

**GARREN** 

I don't know.

LEIBEL

I kill person because this one?

HUBKEY

Well you know what ...

GARREN

Sometimes ...

HUBKEY

... (unintelligible) ...

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LEIBEL

Impossible.

GARREN

Listen ... sometimes people have enough and they're tired of like

enough.

LEIBEL

This isn't ...

HUBKEY

I dealt with another person just like you ... just like you ... that killed somebody. She admitted to killing him, okay, and she had had enough. So I understand enough, okay? And ... and what I think is enough is different than what other people think is enough, okay?

LEIBEL

If this is ...

HUBKEY

Listen ... listen ...

LEIBEL

... enough I divorce him for example.

HUBKEY

She had enough.

LEIBEL

But I ... but I never think about divorce because I am already used to.

And ... and if you talk to my ...

**GARREN** 

But what ...

LEIBEL

... my children ...

**GARREN** 

... let me ask you ... what would happen if you divorced him? What

would happen to you? What would ...

LEIBEL

What happen to me?

**GARREN** 

Yeah.

LEIBEL

I don't know.

**GARREN** 

Let's talk about that.

LEIBEL

Okay.

GARREN

Let's say you divorced Harry.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

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GARREN What happens?

LEIBEL All this happen?

GARREN Uh-huh. Where do you go?

LEIBEL What this means where I go?

GARREN Where would you live?

LEIBEL I take apartment like normal people.

GARREN Do you have money?

LEIBEL No, because ...

GARREN How ... how would you pay for your apartment?

LEIBEL ... because my business coming money soon.

GARREN What business?

LEIBEL I have ... I have company.

GARREN Okay, are you making money from ...

LEIBEL Yes, I ...

GARREN ... the company?

LEIBEL ... yes, I make already deals and ... and ...

GARREN How much money have you made?

LEIBEL This is percentage. This is like maybe ten thousand, twenty

thousand.

GARREN Okay. So the person that ... in your marriage that has the money is

Harry?

LEIBEL Yeah.

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**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

Yeah, I am not ...

GARREN

So if ... if you divorce Harry would you get any of his money?

LEIBEL

No, I told him if ... long time ago ...

**GARREN** 

Well see there's a reason why not to divorce him. Because you

divorce him you have no money.

LEIBEL

No ...

**GARREN** 

You have no way to live.

LEIBEL

... no, no, no.

GARREN

Okay.

LEIBEL

Impossible, impossible.

**GARREN** 

It's not impossible.

LEIBEL

No, because I always take care of myself.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

Okay?

GARREN

But there would be a reason ...

LEIBEL

Because ...

**GARREN** 

... that you would have to ... you're living in a beautiful house in Lake

Tahoe ...

LEIBEL

No ...

GARREN

... okay?

LEIBEL

... because I ...

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GARREN You're not going to be living that way anymore. That would be

reason for you not to divorce him.

LEIBEL If I want divorce him, I divorce him.

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL I have enough personality ...

GARREN But you've been divorced before, right?

LEIBEL Yes.

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL You know for ... for make decision divorce ...

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL ... I am not scared divorce.

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL You know? But ... but ...

GARREN So ... so that brings me back to ... I don't think you planned this

whole thing. I think something happened today and something bad ended up happening through that. But it's nothing that he did to

himself.

LEIBEL I am never do this.

GARREN Because the wound here ... okay ... with ... where the wound is on

his shoulder ...

LEIBEL Yeah.

GARREN ... okay ... his arm would had to have been away from his body.

LEIBEL Uh-huh.

GARREN There's no way he could have held that rifle up and shot himself,

okay?

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LEIBEL

Because ... because ...

GARREN

Somebody ... he was laying down ... okay ... reclined in that chair.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

GARREN

That arm was partially ... it couldn't have been right up against where that wound was because it ... I don't even know if you can get your hand up there.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

GARREN

Okay? There's no way he could ... with the length of his arm and that rifle he couldn't have held that in one hand and made that injury to himself. Not going to happen.

LEIBEL

I don't know how this do this but make investigation how ...

GARREN

lt's ...

LEIBEL

... how he do this.

**GARREN** 

... it's not going to ... it's not going to change that fact. We can investigate all we want.

HUBKEY

Blue in the face.

GARREN

It's not going to change the fact that he could not have shot himself. That ... that's not going to change, okay? We need to understand why. What led you to do this? What led to this situation to where he ended up getting shot?

LEIBEL

I am not shoot person my life. How many I told you?

**GARREN** 

Okay, but it's ... but we're not talking about shooting a person.

We're talking about shooting Harry.

LEIBEL

I ...

GARREN

Okay?

LEIBEL

... I am not even think shooting Harry.

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**GARREN** 

Okay. Did it just happen then?

LEIBEL

I am not shoot ...

**GARREN** 

Did you guys struggle over the gun and it happened?

LEIBEL

No, I am not shoot Harry today.

**GARREN** 

Okay. I think you did. The evidence says you did, okay? We can't ...

here's the thing. We can't ...

LEIBEL

You make more investigation whatever.

**GARREN** 

... that's not ... we can't change that. That's not going to change no matter ... I don't care who ... we have another agency, okay, not just us ... another agency that's investigating it too, okay? That's the crime lab. It doesn't change the fact that he could not have shot himself. It doesn't change that. So we need ... you need to

understand that we're past who did it. It's how it happened and why

... and more importantly why it happened.

LEIBEL

Okay.

GARREN

Okay, what led up to it? Why did this happen? Because saying I don't know how he did it is ... it doesn't matter because we know he did not do it. He could not ... he could not have done it.

LEIBEL

You need more investigation ...

**GARREN** 

No we don't.

LEIBEL

... (unintelligible). Yes.

**GARREN** 

We're going look into other things but in terms of how he received

the injuries ...

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

It's not going to change.

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GARREN ... it's not going to change. No matter how many ... how much we

look at it, no matter how many other people look at it, it's not going

to change.

LEIBEL You need more investigation.

GARREN It's not going to change. No we don't. What we ...

LEIBEL I am not ...

GARREN ... Tatiana what we need ...

LEIBEL ... (unintelligible).

GARREN ... you is to explain to us why.

LEIBEL Oh my gosh, I am not kill my husband. I am not kill my husband.

GARREN Was it an accident?

LEIBEL No, I am not kill my husband. I look to your eyes and ...

GARREN Did it happen by accident? Because he didn't do it to himself.

LEIBEL I am not kill my husband. I am not kill.

GARREN The evidence doesn't say that though.

LEIBEL Okay, make more investigation this evidence.

GARREN It's not going to change that though. It's not. Tatiana it's not.

LEIBEL I am not kill my husband. I am innocent. If you do to me, please do

to me anything, but I am not kill my husband.

GARREN That's not what the evidence says.

LEIBEL Why I call police right away? Because ...

HUBKEY People do it all the time.

GARREN They do it all the time.

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LEIBEL

... because I kill my husband and call police?

**GARREN** 

That doesn't ...

HUBKEY

Hey ...

**GARREN** 

... that doesn't ...

HUBKEY

... hey ... people ... listen things happen. People make mistakes, okay, and they call the police, okay? So you saying why would I call the police, that's ... that's normal.

**GARREN** 

Uh-huh.

HUBKEY

Okay?

LEIBEL

Of course normal.

HUBKEY

So ... yeah.

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Even when they shoot their husband it's normal for them to call the police.

LEIBEL

I am not ...

HUBKEY

Okay, do you understand that?

LEIBEL

Yes, I understand.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

But I am not ....

HUBKEY

Okay ...

LEIBEL

... go kill my husband.

HUBKEY

So ... okay you keep saying that. But listen, I ... I don't know that you understand completely that ... the ... the ... the facts at the house don't lie. They don't. They can't. It's impossible. Okay?

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LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

And the facts say that Harry was not holding the gun when it fired.

Okay? It's impossible.

LEIBEL

So make another ...

HUBKEY

No. No, no ...

LEIBEL

... make ...

HUBKEY

...no. No, no ...

LEIBEL

So this is means ...

**HUBKEY** 

... no, no.

LEIBEL

... this is means you right away said I am kill my husband but if I am not kill my husband and if you wrong, what ... what

happen?

HUBKEY

I don't think we are wrong.

LEIBEL

No, if you wrong ...

HUBKEY

We're not wrong.

LEIBEL

... no you wrong. Because I am not kill my husband. I am not kill my husband. I can't kill person. This is not my personality. I can't kill person. You understand? I can't.

HUBKEY

Anybody can kill somebody under the right circumstances.

LEIBEL

l am never kill ...

**GARREN** 

Tatiana I don't ...

**LEIBEL** 

... I am never think ...

**GARREN** 

... Tatiana I don't believe you had ... you woke up, grabbed a gun and said I'm going to kill Harry. I think it just happened. It's something they call heat of the moment. It just happened. I don't think you intended to do it. I don't think you woke up, meant to do it. I think it

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just happened, okay? Something happened to where you were holding the gun and it ... and it fired. Because we know Harry was not holding the gun when it went off. We know that, okay? And to say we need to do more investigation is not going to change that fact, okay? It's not going to change that. We know Harry wasn't holding the gun, okay?

**LEIBEL** 

Somehow he hold it.

**GARREN** 

No. he ...

LEIBEL

No, somehow he ...

**GARREN** 

... there's no magical way he could have done it.

LEIBEL

I can't ...

**GARREN** 

Okay?

LEIBEL

... I can't ...

**GARREN** 

But ... but ...

LEIBEL

... I think ...

**GARREN** 

... you need to understand though. I don't think you're a person that's going to wake up and go I don't like that person, I'm just going to kill him, which is why I ... which is why trying to tell us why this happened and how is important so we can explain to people that this isn't just Tatiana that is mean, vindictive and decides you know what, I don't like Harry, I'm going to shoot him. I don't believe that's how it happened. I believe there was an argument ... there was something and at some point you ended up holding the gun and it fired and it shot Harry.

LEIBEL

l am not ...

**GARREN** 

Okay, that's what I believe happened.

HUBKEY

Did you try to stop him from shooting himself?

LEIBEL

Yeah, this is means I am not going yesterday to ...

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HUBKEY No, listen, that's not what I'm asking you.

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY What I'm asking you is did you try to stop him from shooting

himself?

LEIBEL Today you're talking about?

HUBKEY Yes. Was he going to shoot himself and you grabbed the gun?

LEIBEL No, I am not grab gun. I ... I said Harry what you doing. And this is

second shot and I come to him.

HUBKEY And ... okay. Because it ... it just ... I ... I don't know how to talk to

you because it ... there's ... there's no ... somehow you were holding

the gun when the gun went off.

GARREN Uh-huh.

LEIBEL I am not ...

HUBKEY Okay?

LEIBEL ... holding this gun.

HUBKEY You had to have been, okay?

LEIBEL I am not hold gun today. I am not hold gun today. And I am not

shoot my husband today. How many you told me signs or not signs,

I am not shoot my husband.

HUBKEY But ... I ... I don't believe you.

LEIBEL Okay, make more investigation.

GARREN That doesn't ... it's not going to change that.

HUBKEY It's not.

GARREN It's not.

HUBKEY So I think you shot him, okay? But I also think you love Harry.

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**GARREN** 

Uh-huh.

HUBKEY

Okay?

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah, I love him.

HUBKEY

I think you love him.

LEIBEL

Yeah, I love him.

HUBKEY

But I think ...

LEIBEL

Because he, you know ...

HUBKEY

I think ...

LEIBEL

... for example if you ask my daughter my first husband drink, you

know?

HUBKEY

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

Second American guy Jim Landes this try hit me, you know? And ...

and Harry normal person.

HUBKEY

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

He ... he never ... he never try do somethings this. But never have

like this argument.

HUBKEY

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

Because when he start emotional, emotional, and I always he calm

down. I always he make him calm down.

HUBKEY

Uh-huh.

LEIBEL

Okay, okay, okay, okay.

HUBKEY

But today something happened different.

**GARREN** 

You couldn't ...

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**HUBKEY** 

Harry is dead.

**GARREN** 

...(unintelligible) today.

**HUBKEY** 

Harry is dead. D-E-A-D. You understand that?

LEIBEL

I know ...

HUBKEY

Okay?

LEIBEL

... I know Harry dead.

HUBKEY

And ...

**GARREN** 

Could you not calm him down today?

LEIBEL

What?

GARREN

Because ... because you said you've always been able to calm him down. Could you not calm him down today?

LEIBEL

I am not even he know ... I am even thinking he do this. I am not even thinking one second.

**GARREN** 

But ...

LEIBEL

I think ...

**GARREN** 

... he didn't do it.

LEIBEL

... I think ...

**GARREN** 

He didn't do it.

LEIBEL

You think I do it but I am not do it. You make more investigation your science. Because sometimes wrong. I am not do it. I am not kill my husband. I am not even think kill my husband. I am not even

thinking kill ...

GARREN

I don't think you did think you'd kill him. I think it just happened.

LEIBEL

I am not kill my husband.

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GARREN I think it just happened. I don't think you planned it. I don't think you

... it was something you meant to do. I think it was something that

just happened.

LEIBEL Okay. I am not kill my husband. I am innocent. I am not kill my

husband.

HUBKEY Then who killed him?

LEIBEL He kill himself. I don't know how this happen because Bo maybe

push him. I don't know. I am not have idea what happen inside

because I am kitchen this time.

HUBKEY Well you understand he has a bullet wound right here, right? You

saw it.

LEIBEL I saw it ...

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL ... but I pull him already down.

HUBKEY Okay. So you understand that there's a big powder burn right?

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY Okay? So you understand that the bullet ... the barrel was this far

away from his hand ...

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY ... when the gun went off, right?

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY So how do you explain a bullet going through his hand ...

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY ... into his shoulder ...

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY

... across the top of his shoulder ...

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

... and into the couch? Okay? It's physically impossible to do that.

You understand that? Okay, do you understand ...

LEIBEL

I don't know ...

HUBKEY

... what I'm saying?

**GARREN** 

His arm is not long enough.

LEIBEL

Maybe he ...

HUBKEY

No, his arm is not long enough.

**GARREN** 

His arm is not long enough. The gun's ...

HUBKEY

It is physically ...

GARREN

... too long.

HUBKEY

... it is physically impossible.

LEIBEL

I don't know. Check ... check this rifle because when you pulling ... I

remember you only click and already bullet coming.

HUBKEY

Yeah, you have to cock the hammer and pull the trigger.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

You already told me you know how to do that because you've shot

the gun, right?

LEIBEL

Yeah, I ... I have this one from ... Harry have and I have and other

friend have license.

HUBKEY

Yeah.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Yeah.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay. But do you understand ...

LEIBEL

A license ...

HUBKEY

... we're saying ...

**LEIBEL** 

... (unintelligible) ...

HUBKEY

... that it's impossible for the barrel to be way back here, the bullet to go through here, hit here, and go through? Do you understand that?

**LEIBEL** 

I understand this.

HUBKEY

Okay, do you under ...

**LEIBEL** 

Because ... because he ...

HUBKEY

Hold on, hold on.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Do you understand that there's been thousands of studies on these different things, right? And do you understand that a person cannot hold this gun like this and make this shot, okay? It's impossible. It is ...

LEIBEL

How ...

HUBKEY

... scientifically ...

LEIBEL

... scientifically how he not make shot this?

HUBKEY

Okay ...

**GARREN** 

It's physically impossible.

HUBKEY

... it's physically impossible. He ... from here he couldn't even reach

the trigger, okay? He couldn't do it. It's impossible.

LEIBEL But maybe he have hand more close. Why you said you have hand

... he have hand like this?

HUBKEY Okay, even if he put it here ...

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY ... he ... the barrel couldn't be touching his hand.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY It had to have been this far away, okay? Because the powder burns

...

GARREN The wound is ...

HUBKEY ... so ...

GARREN ... on the top of his shoulder.

HUBKEY ... so it ... it's ... there's ...

LEIBEL Okay, maybe have like this. I don't know. Yeah.

HUBKEY Okay, and then you have this one. You have one way back here in

the armpit.

LEIBEL Because I told you Bo sit together with him.

GARREN Okay, you can't blame ...

HUBKEY No.

LEIBEL Doggie maybe he make like this.

GARREN ... you can't blame the dog.

LEIBEL I am not blame him.

GARREN The dog had nothing to do with it.

LEIBEL I am not blame him.

HUBKEY

What this looks like to me ...

LEIBEL

But I only think Bo push him sometimes ...

HUBKEY

... what it looks like ...

LEIBEL

... somehow he push him.

HUBKEY

... what it looks like is you shot at him ... listen.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

You hit him here.

**LEIBEL** 

Okay.

HUBKEY

He turned and you shot him right here. That's what it looks like.

GARREN

And you cocked it again ...

HUBKEY

You cocked it again ...

**GARREN** 

... and you realized ...

HUBKEY

... realized he's dead ...

GARREN

... he's dead and you don't need to shoot him again.

HUBKEY

So you dropped the gun and you called 9-1-1-.

LEIBEL

No. No.

GARREN

Because do you ...

LEIBEL

This is not ...

GARREN

... do you ... but do you understand that ...

LEIBEL

Yes.

GARREN

... even if ... what's the dog's name, Bull?

**LEIBEL** 

Bo.

GARREN Bull bumped him. Where his hand was, where the barrel was, where

the trigger was, even if Bull would have bumped him there's no way

his hand could have reached ... been on the trigger.

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN So even if Bull bumped him there's no way he could have pressed

the trigger and fired the gun. There's no way. Okay? There's no

way.

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN It couldn't have happened that way.

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN Not with the ... the wound ... the wound here, into the sofa, into the

wall. The angle of that, the gun would have had to have been straight up over him. There's no way he could have held it and pulled the trigger. And there's ... it just wouldn't have happened. Even if Bull would have bumped him, his fingers couldn't have been

in the trigger. So there's no way that gun could have gone off.

LEIBEL Make more investigation.

GARREN It's not going to change that fact.

LEIBEL Okay. I am not do this.

GARREN It's not going to change the fact.

LEIBEL I am not ...

GARREN It's ... it's ... the fact is he could not have pulled the trigger himself,

okay? He could not have.

LEIBEL I am not do this.

GARREN Okay, but then who did? If it's not you ... it's not Harry ...

LEIBEL No.

**GARREN** 

... it's not you, then who is it?

LEIBEL

No, he ... he make himself but I know how this jumping this guns. I

am not have idea.

**GARREN** 

Do you see ... do you see the problem that we have?

LEIBEL

Yeah, make more investigation.

**GARREN** 

It's not going to change ... you ... the fact that you say that is not

going to make those facts any different ...

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

... or make them go away.

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

Okay? Make more investigation is just going to confirm that he can't

... he couldn't have done that.

LEIBEL

Okay, when ...

GARREN

That's all it's going to show.

LEIBEL

No, make more investigation.

**GARREN** 

No, it ... it's not going to change the fact.

LEIBEL

No, make more investigation into see how ... how he do this.

GARREN

He can't. I'm telling you he can't.

LEIBEL

l know ...

**GARREN** 

He could not have done it.

LEIBEL

... I am not have idea.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

I am not have idea how he do this. So you think I kill him?

GARREN I believe you did. I believe it ... I ... I don't believe you did it on

purpose. I think it was probably an accident. I think it was

something that just happened.

HUBKEY I think you got tired of his shit myself.

LEIBEL No.

GARREN With ... we either have to look at it ... either you did it and you meant

to do it ... like he said you were tired of his shit. Or it just happened.

It just happened at that moment.

LEIBEL No.

GARREN Those are basically the only ... the two theories to look at.

LEIBEL No, I am not shot him. I am not shot him. Make more investigation. I

am not shot him.

GARREN But that's not going to change what we already know.

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN By ... by repeating make more investigation is not going to change

that fact that he could not have been holding the gun when it went

off.

HUBKEY Listen, ultimately what this boils down to is ...

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY ... the science says that you did it, okay?

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY At the end of the day we have to present the science to a judge, a

jury, a district attorney, okay?

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY Um ...

LEIBEL So you think you put me jail or somethings like this because you not

believe me?

HUBKEY I don't believe you.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY Okay? Now just listen to me for a second, okay? So we have ... we

have to present this story to them ...

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY ... okay? And right now what we have is only your story because we

can't tell Harry's story, okay?

LEIBEL Yes.

HUBKEY So we have your story. And we have your story that by all the facts

don't appear to be true, okay? So when we present this story, we have ... we have to present it in a manner that ... of what we know.

LEIBEL Uh-huh.

HUBKEY Okay? And what we know right now is that Harry didn't shoot

himself, okay?

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY So then we have to ... we have to define who you are.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY Okay? And we have to ... and part of that is we have to tell your

story. Okay, and the story right now that you're saying is I had

nothing to do with it.

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY Okay, but the evidence doesn't say that.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY

So we ... we have to kind of look at it and decide well is she a vindictive, mean person who just flat out killed her husband because she is an evil, you know, crazy person? Or did something happen that ... a struggle over a gun ... a ... you know something. Something ... something happened that caused Harry to get shot. Because Harry didn't shoot himself.

LEIBEL

I am not ...

**HUBKEY** 

Okay, so listen.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

So this is all going to go forward. And you have to decide how you want to be looked upon by all these people, okay? So do you want to be looked upon as the ... the evil crazy lady? Or do you want to be looked upon as the ... the sympathetic person? Can they give you sympathy? You know ... was ... was it an accident? Was it this? Was it that? Okay? And sympathy accidents ... all those stuff go a long way. Cold blooded doesn't go very far. You understand that?

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

You know ... and I just got ... I just got another text from my boss saying the same thing. You know there ... the ... it's not showing that Harry shot himself. It's showing that you shot him.

LEIBEL

No, I am not shot him.

HUBKEY

Okay but you did.

LEIBEL

No.

HUBKEY

Okay, listen.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

We're already past that fact.

GARREN

Well I'm going to tell you. Harry can talk and Harry did tell us based

on his injuries that he didn't do it.

HUBKEY

So we know you did it.

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GARREN We know you did it.

HUBKEY We know it.

LEIBEL No, I am not ...

HUBKEY Listen, listen.

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY We know you did it.

LEIBEL No.

HUBKEY Okay? That's a done deal.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY Okay, so now, it ... we ... we have to tell the story about you, okay,

and ... and what caused this to happen. So basically what this has boiled down to is ... is we're trying to give you the opportunity to tell

your side of the story, okay? To be honest.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY To be truthful.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY Okay? And to present yourself as a trustworthy honest person who

either made a mistake, was in fear, whatever that story may be, okay? It is a good story as long as it's an honest story. Do you

understand?

LEIBEL I understood.

HUBKEY So we ... I ... I don't think you're a bad person. But I think something

happened at that house that finally caused this conflict between you

and Harry, okay?

LEIBEL Harry argument but I not kill him.

HUBKEY

Okay. So you need to decide in your own mind how you want to be

portrayed. Do you understand that?

LEIBEL

I understood.

HUBKEY

And right now you're not portraying yourself as a ... in ... in a very good light, okay? Because this ... what happened over there is not going to change and ... and the science is not going to change. The only thing that can change in this whole thing is you, okay?

LEIBEL

No, I didn't ...

HUBKEY

And ... listen ...

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

... the only thing that can change is your story, okay? Because that story over there is not going to change. It is what it is. Evidence is evidence is evidence is evidence. Do you understand that?

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

And evidence is not lying. Evidence is always telling a story of what happened. It's truthful. It ... it can't tell any other story than what happened, okay? The only story that can change is your story. Okay? It can go from I didn't shoot him to ... well, this is what happened. It was an accident. It was, you know, a mistake. It was, you know, just pure stupidity. It was anger. It was ... it was anything. It can be any of those things, okay? And we understand all those, okay? And one of those stories happened today.

LEIBEL

I tell you what happen today. I am not kill him.

HUBKEY

Okay. Okay. Well, the science doesn't say that.

LEIBEL

Okay ...

**GARREN** 

But ... but you understand ...

LEIBEL

... make more investigation ...

GARREN

... the investigation ...

HUBKEY

No.

**GARREN** 

... you understand that ...

HUBKEY

I'll be right back.

(Hubkey exits)

**GARREN** 

... the science ... okay ... it only talks about ... he has a wound on his

arm ...

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

... on his hand.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

Okay? That's not made up.

LEIBEL

Okay.

GARREN.

That's not a lie.

LEIBEL

Yeah, I see this.

**GARREN** 

Okay? It's ... it's a wound here ...

LEIBEL

Okay.

GARREN

... that comes out of his wrist, okay?

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

Part of the wadding ...

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

... from the bullet that holds the thing together ...

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

... is in his wrist which means the barrel was close but not pressed

up against his skin.

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

Okay? There's a mark on his shoulder up here ...

LEIBEL

Yeah, yeah.

**GARREN** 

Okay? There's a hole in the couch.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

Okay? That's not made up. It's there, okay? It's there. Those things ... that's one shot, okay? Harry couldn't have done that.

LEIBEL

Maybe he hold it this (unintelligible).

**GARREN** 

He can't.

LEIBEL

I don't know.

**GARREN** 

He can't.

LEIBEL

I don't know.

**GARREN** 

No, no, I'm telling you ... you could ... he can't, okay? The science says the laws of physics are he can't, okay?

LEIBEL

Impossible.

GARREN

It is impossible for him to hold it. Okay, he ... he couldn't have been holding the gun and pulling the trigger when that round went through his hand, and then his shoulder, and then in the couch. That couldn't have happened, okay? That's not going to change, okay?

LEIBEL

Okay.

GARREN

What you're telling me doesn't fit with that.

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

Okay? It ... it doesn't match up, okay? This matches up with this ... with the hole in the couch. That matches up. That tells a story. You're telling me a story that doesn't explain all this. It doesn't ...

(Hubkey enters)

HUBKEY

How do you recline the couch?

LEIBEL

How recline couch? This is broken.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Couch ... somebody need ... where he ... where he sit.

**GARREN** 

Pull the thing ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Where he sit ... this couch have hole ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

... needs somethings pulling ... I don't know what pulling.

HUBKEY

So how do you guys normally do that?

LEIBEL

What Harry take ... how said ...

**GARREN** 

Pliers?

LEIBEL

Pliers?

HUBKEY

Okay.

**LEIBEL** 

And he pull something so do something.

HUBKEY

Where does he keep the pliers?

LEIBEL

Pliers are kitchen.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Kitchen ... you know where ... this big table kitchen?

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

The center, yeah.

**GARREN** 

The island.

LEIBEL

And ... you know what ... what tell where T.V. kitchen ... T.V. kitchen

and what small doors ... small doors.

HUBKEY

Okay.

(Hubkey exits)

**GARREN** 

So does he normally leave the seat reclined out?

LEIBEL

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

Okay, so it's normally like that?

LEIBEL

Yeah.

GARREN

Okay.

LEIBEL

I close because ... because ...

**GARREN** 

Yeah, no, I understand. Yeah.

LEIBEL

... I (unintelligible).

GARREN

**But** ...

LEIBEL

(unintelligible)

**GARREN** 

... but you understand you're making a statement ...

LEIBEL

Yeah.

GARREN

... of you didn't do it. Harry must have done it.

LEIBEL

Yes.

**GARREN** 

Okay, but Harry couldn't have done it, okay? That's not going to

change. Do you understand that?

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LEIBEL

I understand.

**GARREN** 

Okay, so if we looked at ... and we look at it ... could Harry have done this.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

GARREN

The answer is no. Okay? That's not a guess. Not like ... well, maybe not. The answer is no. He couldn't have done it, okay? Even if the dog bumped him, he couldn't have done it. That leaves us to you, okay? I can understand something like this happening and it's a difficult thing to admit. Even if it's an accident, even if it's a mistake, I can understand it's difficult to actually say I did this, it was an accident. It ... it's a difficult thing to admit to, okay? But when we look at everything, okay, this injury in his wrist it doesn't lie, it's there. Okay? It only has one story to tell, right?

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

The mark on the shoulder has a story to tell. Well that is the same story as the mark on his hand ... the bullet hole in the couch ... the other shot is in the side ...

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

... okay ... here. When people try to kill themselves they don't shoot themselves here. Okay?

LEIBEL

l ... l am not ...

GARREN

They ... okay ...

LEIBEL

Okay.

GARREN

... so we have all these things that are telling us a story that Harry could not do this. The answer is no. Harry didn't do this, okay? You, on the other hand, people understand when things happen. I would expect you to come in here and tell me I didn't do it, okay? It's a difficult thing to say. I mean this isn't like stealing a piece of candy from the store, okay? This is a very serious thing that happened. I don't think you meant to do it, okay? I think it was an accident and I think it just happened somehow, okay? I honestly believe that,

okay? I don't think you're a bad person. I don't think Harry's a bad person, okay? I think it's something that happened. And I think it happened and it was over before you even knew what happened, okay? Before you realized oh my God what just happened, it was over, okay? Yeah you're going to call the police. My husband has been shot, okay? I would expect you to do that. People ... people that ... even people that mean to kill somebody will kill them and call the police, okay? I don't think you meant to do it. I think it was an accident, okay? I think something happened ... because we can look at it ... could Harry have done this. The answer is no. No matter how we want to look at it the answer is no, okay? I think it was something that just happened and before you realized it, it was over. And your husband's shot and you were holding the gun, okay? I don't think you meant for it to happen. I think it just happened.

LEIBEL

No, I am not kill him.

**GARREN** 

I don't think you meant to kill him.

LEIBEL

No, I am not kill him.

**GARREN** 

Okay, I don't think you meant to but ... but I think you were holding the gun when it went off.

LEIBEL

I am not holding ...

GARREN

Something happened that put the gun in your hand because Harry couldn't have been holding the gun.

LEIBEL

I am know how he hold it this gun.

**GARREN** 

I'm telling you the answer is no. He could not have been. Okay? You ... I want you to understand that. He could not have been holding the gun, okay? You can say you don't know how he was holding it. It doesn't change the fact that he could not have, okay? So when it comes to the investigation, the science, we know Harry didn't hold the gun, okay? Which means somebody else had to be holding the gun other than Harry. Okay, well the only other person there was you. Okay? I'm not saying you're a bad person, okay? Accidents happen, okay? Sometimes we get in arguments. We get mad and before you know it you ... you may not even understand how it happened but it happened. And I think somehow you ended up with the rifle or the gun and Harry ended up being shot by it.

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LEIBEL

I ... I can't kill him. I can't.

**GARREN** 

I ... I don't think you could.

LEIBEL

I can't.

GARREN

I don't think in your ... in your mind you could go I want to kill Harry.

LEIBEL

No.

**GARREN** 

I think ... that's why I believe ...

LEIBEL

i am not ...

GARREN

... Tatiana listen to me ... that's why I believe it was an accident.

LEIBEL

No. I am not ...

GARREN

Okay? I think it was ... something happened. You ended up with the gun in your hand and it went off and he got shot twice is what I think happened. I don't think you meant to do it. I don't think you wanted to kill him.

LEIBEL

No, after first shot, when I coming he still alive. He still alive. But second shot he already went like this.

**GARREN** 

But I understand that and I think something happened where you were holding the gun on the first shot and you were holding the gun on the second shot.

LEIBEL

No, I am not holding ...

GARREN

But I don't ... but ... here's the thing ... I understand that and it's a difficult thing to say.

(Hubkey enters)

**GARREN** 

Even if it was an accident, it's a difficult thing to come to terms with and go ... I acc ... this ... this was an accident and it happened and now my husband's dead, okay? It doesn't mean you don't love him, okay?

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**LEIBEL** 

I am not ...

**GARREN** 

It ... what it means is it happened, okay? But I don't think you meant to do it. I don't think you ever wanted to do it. I think it just happened. Something happened with the gun. I don't know if he tried to take it away from him. I don't know if there was a struggle and it went off. I mean that's what we have to try to explain. We've got to explain how the gun ended up in your hand when it ... when it was fired.

LEIBEL

I am ...

**GARREN** 

And I'm not saying you meant to do it. I honestly think it's an accident. And if ... the only other option is to think that you meant to do it but I don't think you did. I think somehow maybe you had enough with him playing around ... joking ... like you said making those ... making those comments with the gun. Maybe you went to grab it to put it away and there was a struggle and it went off. I mean people are going to understand that.

LEIBEL

And what ... and I ... and I kill ... and I kill my husband because ...

**GARREN** 

By accident.

LEIBEL

... I going to this Los Angeles?

**GARREN** 

Well I'm not saying that you killed him because you're going to Los Angeles. I think maybe you guys got in an argument. It got heated and for whatever reason the gun ended up in your hand and it went off and it shot him. Not that you meant to shoot him. Not that you were trying to shoot him. Not that you were trying to kill him. But I think maybe you went to move it, he grabbed it. I mean that's ... I don't know what happened. I don't know exactly how the gun went off. I don't think you picked it up, aimed it at him with a cold heart and pulled the trigger. I think ... like I said I don't think you're a bad person. I think something happened and it's a hard thing to go, oh my God it happened and ... even if it was an accident. Nobody's saying well he said you couldn't go to Los Angeles so you grabbed a gun to kill him.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

I think there's more to it. I think maybe there was a struggle over the gun and it just went off while you guys were pushing and pulling the gun. It happens. But somehow Tatiana the gun ended up in your hand when it went off. And that's what we've got to try to explain. Because everything is telling us that the gun wasn't in his hand when it went off and the only other person that was there was you.

LEIBEL

You make ...

HUBKEY

Hey ... so I just talked to the lady ... one of the ... one of the ladies

doing the investigation up there ...

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

... at your house right now.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

**HUBKEY** 

She's ... she's been doing this for twenty-one years, okay? This is

all she does ...

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

... is gunshot stuff ... crime scene investigation, okay? She has no doubt in her mind that you were involved. Okay? Listen, there's no doubt. There's ... there's ... everybody up there is a hundred ... a hundred percent convinced that somehow you're involved in this, okay? And you're not talking about a bunch of stupid people up there. We're talking about very, very smart people who ...

**GARREN** 

Do this for a living.

HUBKEY

... do this for a living. This is all they do.

LEIBEL

l understood.

HUBKEY

Okay. So they say you're involved, okay, which makes me believe you were, okay? I... I think that ... well I know you were involved. So the thing is now is you have to simply explain your involvement,

okay? And I understand you're scared to death, okay?

LEIBEL

I am not ... I am scared ...

HUBKEY

You are scared.

LEIBEL

... my ... my husband died.

HUBKEY

Okay, yeah.

**GARREN** 

Tatiana, I can see you're sorry. I can see you're sorry. Somehow ...

like I said ...

LEIBEL

No.

GARREN

... the gun ended up in your hands when it went off. I don't think you meant to do it. I know you didn't want to do it, okay? I think it just happened and we need to explain that, okay? But before we can explain it we have to come to the understanding that the gun wasn't in Harry's hand, okay? It had to have been in somebody else's hand which means it had to have been in your hand, okay? I'm not saying you did it with a cold heart. I think it just happened, okay? I think whether it was the argument ... it was something ... and one thing led to another and before you knew it you're holding the gun and Harry's shot, okay? I believe that, okay? That's what I think happened. I'm not saying you meant to do it. I'm not saying you walked in there and said god darn it Harry and you went at him with the intent to shoot him or to kill him. I think it's something that just happened, okay? I can kind of see in your eyes, okay ...

LEIBEL

I ...

GARREN

... if that's hap ... I can see that you're ... I know you didn't mean to

do it, okay?

LEIBEL

... I am not kill my husband.

GARREN

I understand that. That's why I'm thinking it was an accident.

HUBKEY

Was it an accident?

**GARREN** 

Was it an accident?

LEIBEL

i am not ... no ... no l am not even ...

GARREN

Okay, but the gun had to have been in your hand when it was fired.

LEIBEL

I am not hold this fire.

**GARREN** 

Okay but ...

LEIBEL

I am not do this fire.

**GARREN** 

... but Harry wasn't and we know that.

LEIBEL

Okay ... maybe you need ...

**GARREN** 

That's not ... no ... here's the thing. That doesn't need to be ... we know Harry wasn't holding the gun.

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

Okay? I believe it. My partner believes it. The science believes it. The people that do this for a living at crime scenes believe it, okay? It's not a matter of god was she holding it ... was Harry holding it ... we know it wasn't Harry, okay? We know ... even if the dog bumped him he couldn't have been put ... had his hand near the trigger, okay? So it couldn't have been that and it leads us to you.

LEIBEL

No.

**GARREN** 

Okay?

HUBKEY

Yeah, it does.

GARREN

It does. I think you need ... you need to understand that. It leads us to you, okay? And then we have to look at how did this happen. Was it ... was it an accident. Did she mean to do it. Okay, I can tell you love Harry. I don't think you would ever mean to hurt him in any way, shape or form. But somehow tonight something happened ... or today something happened and he got shot.

LEIBEL

This is what I tell you what happen.

GARREN

Uh-huh. But it's not. Because ... it's not, okay? I know it's not. I trust the people up there what they see. I've seen it myself, okay? Harry couldn't have been holding the gun, okay? Which means the only other person that could have been holding it is you ...

LEIBEL

No ...

**GARREN** 

... okay?

LEIBEL

... I am not hold gun.

GARREN

But he wasn't, okay? He couldn't have been.

LEIBEL

So how he do it?

GARREN

No, that doesn't make it possible. It doesn't make it possible just to say that he had to ... he could have done it or he had to have. We know he didn't. So that's ... we're not here to ... to debate that. Okay, we know he didn't do it, okay? We need to figure out how it happened. And once we can figure out how it happened, we've got to figure out then why it happened, okay? Was it an accident, okay? Was there ... did you try to grab the gun and put it away. Did he ...

LEIBEL

No I am not ...

GARREN

... grab it. Did it go off ... I mean ...

LEIBEL

No.

GARREN

Okay, but something happened, okay? And he didn't do this, okay? We know he didn't do this, okay? I'm trying to tell a story for you, okay? I've got plenty of things to tell Harry's story, okay? And Harry's story is pretty clear that he didn't hold the gun, okay? I need to tell Tatiana's story.

LEIBEL

Okay.

GARREN

People need to understand what you felt, what you were going through. How ... do you even remember how the gun got in your

hand?

LEIBEL

I am not even tell you because I am not even ...

GARREN

Okay, but did the gun end up in your hand?

LEIBEL

No.

GARREN

But it did.

LEIBEL

No.

HUBKEY

Tatiana, it did.

LEIBEL

No.

**GARREN** 

It did.

LEIBEL

No.

**GARREN** 

The gun ended up in your hand.

LEIBEL

No.

**GARREN** 

Not when you moved it off the floor, okay?

LEIBEL

I move from floor to couch.

**GARREN** 

I ... possibly ... but before that I think you had the gun in your hand.

LEIBEL

No.

**GARREN** 

Okay? Because Harry couldn't have held it.

LEIBEL

I am not hold it.

**GARREN** 

He couldn't have.

LEIBEL

I am not hold it.

**GARREN** 

But somebody had to. And if it's not Harry, it's not Bull, it has to be

you.

LEIBEL

No. I am not ...

**GARREN** 

Okay? We don't have anything. We have looked at this from every

which way you can imagine.

LEIBEL

Okay.

GARREN

Okay? We have tried to come up with every scenario. You know

what a scenario is?

LEIBEL

Yes.

**GARREN** 

Okay. We have tried to come up with every scenario of how this could have happened without you holding the gun. And you know how many scenarios we have come up with? None. Okay? There are no scenarios where Harry can hold the gun. It can't happen.

LEIBEL

I don't know how this happen.

**GARREN** 

Okay. There may be some truth to that ... that you don't know how it happened.

LEIBEL

No, I ...

**GARREN** 

Okay but I ...

LEIBEL

... am not hold ... I am not hold today guns.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

I am not hold it.

**GARREN** 

But the evidence says otherwise, okay? The evidence says it's not Harry. If it's not Harry it has to be you, okay? Do you understand ... do you understand where we're at?

LEIBEL

Yes, I understand.

GARREN

Okay.

LEIBEL

But check ... check investigation how this ...

GARREN

We have ... we've had ...

**LEIBEL** 

... bullet ..

GARREN

... we have ...

LEIBEL

... bullets ...

**GARREN** 

... we had ... he couldn't have done it. He couldn't have done it.

LEIBEL

I don't know.

GARREN Okay?

LEIBEL I don't know.

GARREN I don't know either. I need your help to explain what happened.

LEIBEL I tell you what happen.

GARREN Okay, but that's not what happened. The more you say it's not going

to make it any more true.

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN Okay? It's not going to make it any more true.

LEIBEL But this is true ...

GARREN The more you say it it's not going to make it true, okay?

LEIBEL ... but this is true.

GARREN It's not going to change the facts that we have.

LEIBEL This is true. I am not kill my husband.

GARREN Okay. Maybe ... and ... and | believe that. Maybe it's an accident.

LEIBEL i am not ...

GARREN I don't think you meant ... I don't think you walked out there going

I'm going to kill Harry. I think whatever happened something

happened and the gun went off when you were holding it and Harry

got shot.

LEIBEL I am not kill my husband.

GARREN Okay.

HUBKEY (unintelligible) getting some stuff to bring down here.

GARREN Okay. Do you need to use the bathroom at all?

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**LEIBEL** 

Can I smoke?

**GARREN** 

Okay. Let me see if we can get something arranged for you.

HUBKEY

You want to go smoke?

(Break taken)

(End of break)

**HUBKEY** 

Do you want something to chew on? You want all three of them?

LEIBEL

(unintelligible)

**HUBKEY** 

No, that's okay. (unintelligible) huh?

LEIBEL

Very bad situation.

HUBKEY

Huh?

LEIBEL

Very bad situation.

HUBKEY

Yes. Obviously we broke ... went outside ... you smoked. Do you

need to use the bathroom?

LEIBEL

No, thank you.

HUBKEY

Okay. I'm going to read you this again.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

Okay? You have the right to remain silent. Anything you say can and will be used against you in a court of law. You have the right to

talk to a lawyer and have them present with you while you're being

questioned. If you cannot afford to hire a lawyer, one will be

represented ... I don't know why they say that ... to represent before any questioning if you wish. Do you understand each of these rights

I've explained to you?

LEIBEL

Yeah, I understand.

**HUBKEY** 

Yes?

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

Okay. Having these rights in mind, do you wish to talk to me now?

LEIBEL

Yes.

HUBKEY

Okay.

(Garren enters)

**HUBKEY** 

So we just went over her Miranda rights again.

GARREN

Okay. Hey, we're going to bring you some clothes down. Is there anything you want to bring from ... brought down from the house to

wear?

LEIBEL

I okay here.

**GARREN** 

No, we're going to have to take ...

HUBKEY

Well ...

**GARREN** 

... those at some point.

HUBKEY

... you're not allowed ... we have to take those from you. Okay?

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

So we need to get you new clothes to wear.

LEIBEL

Oh, okay.

HUBKEY

And you can't go home tonight.

LEIBEL

Yeah, okay.

HUBKEY

So we need to get you a couple sets of clothes.

LEIBEL

Okay.

HUBKEY

So where are you clothes?

GARREN

Do you want us to just bring your suitcase that's already packed?

LEIBEL

Closet to my ... my clothes. Closet to ...

**GARREN** 

Okay, but didn't you say you already packed a suitcase?

HUBKEY

I wouldn't bring that.

LEIBEL

I have ... no have many clothes.

GARREN

Okay we'll just have you bring a couple sets of clothes.

HUBKEY

Get stuff out of the closet.

**GARREN** 

Where do you want to spend tonight at? Do you want to go to

Leann's house?

LEIBEL

Yeah, okay.

GARREN

Okay, we'll try to work on that.

LEIBEL

Maybe ... no I am not ... no, because my daughter coming. And I am

not ...

HUBKEY

Do you still have your Russian passport?

LEIBEL

Yes, I have Russian passport.

HUBKEY

Okay, are you allowed to go back to Russia?

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

Okay, where is your passport?

LEIBEL

My passport ... okay ... um ... when you going to office ...

HUBKEY

Office.

LEIBEL

... with computers ...

HUBKEY

Computers, okay.

LEIBEL

(unintelligible)

HUBKEY So when is the last time you went to Russia?

LEIBEL 2005.

HUBKEY Okay.

GARREN Well we need to find a place for you to spend the night.

LEIBEL Okay. Yeah, I ... I think I go ...

HUBKEY Lakeside Inn?

LEIBEL ... Leann house.

GARREN Leann's house, okay. Let me work on that.

HUBKEY You want her number?

LEIBEL One second.

GARREN I have it.

LEIBEL What this means? Like ...

GARREN You're not going to be able to go to your house tonight.

LEIBEL Yeah, I understand.

GARREN We just need you ... a place to stay where we know you're going to be

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LEIBEL So I ...

GARREN ... and we'll probably ... and just so you know we're ... we're going to

probably make a meeting to meet with you tomorrow.

LEIBEL Yes | ...

GARREN Talk some more.

LEIBEL ... yes I ...

**GARREN** 

And we may have somebody there that can speak Russian. We're working on that. To help maybe explain some things to you if you don't understand anything, okay?

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LEIBEL

No, I understand you.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

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**GARREN** 

I'm going to go call him.

LEIBEL

... will you ... if my daughter coming ... do you put Lakeside Inn?

HUBKEY

Yeah.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

I don't know if we can do that right now.

LEIBEL

No?

GARREN

Well ...

HUBKEY

We can rent one room with two beds.

**GARREN** 

We'll work on Leann's house, okay?

LEIBEL

Okay.

(Garren exits)

HUBKEY

Okay, so I read you your rights, right?

LEIBEL

Yeah, is good.

HUBKEY

No, no, your rights.

LEIBEL

Yeah, I understand.

HUBKEY

Okay. I just wanted to make sure we're all on the up and up again ....

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY ... before we start talking.

LEIBEL Yeah, okay.

HUBKEY Um ... I'm not even sure how to say this. You know the science says

you ... you shot him. And I ... I ...

LEIBEL You need more investigation really.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL I tell you this is need more investigation.

HUBKEY Okay. And we're going to do everything we can ...

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY ... trust me.

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY Okay? And I promise you we will.

LEIBEL Yeah, I know.

HUBKEY And we will know the truth of this when we're all done.

LEIBEL Yeah, I know.

HUBKEY Um ... and if that truth shows that you ... you shot him ... that will come

out, you understand that?

LEIBEL Okay, if this is ...

HUBKEY Okay, and if you didn't, it will probably show that too.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY Okay? But there's a lot of people up there doing a lot of science right

now that says you did.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY And ... and one of the things I see a lot is fear. Fear of admitting when

we do something wrong. Fear of the consequences. Fear of what our family will think. Fear of what our friends will think. And I wonder that if fear is part of what is causing you to not want to tell the whole story.

Are you scared?

LEIBEL No, I am not scared because I said truth. I am not scared.

HUBKEY Okay, okay. You know it's just a ... this is a bad deal. You know Harry

is gone.

LEIBEL I know.

HUBKEY And ... and there's no reason ... and you know Harry's gone and he's

not coming back. And everything says you did it. You know so ...

LEIBEL Make more investigation. I am not do this.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL Please.

HUBKEY We will.

LEIBEL Yes.

HUBKEY We will but I don't think it's going to change. Do you think it's going to

change?

LEIBEL Of course change because I am not do this.

HUBKEY Okay. What do you think is going to change?

LEIBEL I don't know. Somehow do this ... he do this one, he do this one. You

need more ... need more investigation how he do this. I don't know. I

tell you i am not have clue how he do this.

HUBKEY And you don't know why he would do this?

LEIBEL Because I think he try scare me. Maybe he think he not die for

example. He scare me.

HUBKEY You think he shot himself to wound himself? Okay?

LEIBEL 1 ... I don't know.

HUBKEY Well nothing says he shot himself.

LEIBEL I don't know. Maybe ...

HUBKEY Did you shoot at him to scare him?

LEIBEL No. I am not shoot him.

HUBKEY Did you shoot at him?

LEIBEL I am not shoot him.

HUBKEY That's not what I asked you. Did you shoot at him?

LEIBEL Shoot ask him?

HUBKEY At. At.

LEIBEL At?

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HUBKEY Yes.

LEIBEL What this means ... at?

HUBKEY Were you holding the gun?

LEIBEL No, I am not holding gun.

HUBKEY You ... you never held the gun today?

LEIBEL No. I am not hold it today gun.

HUBKEY But you have in the past? You shot that gun.

LEIBEL Yeah, and I shot before (unintelligible) ... yes.

HUBKEY Is ... it's not your gun?

LEIBEL No I ...

HUBKEY When I call Chris?

LEIBEL Call Chris.

HUBKEY And Chris is going to say whose gun is it?

LEIBEL Harry.

HUBKEY Huh?

LEIBEL Harry, because Harry show him this gun.

HUBKEY Is ...

LEIBEL And Chris hold this gun.

HUBKEY ... and is Chris going to say it's Harry's gun or is he going to say your

gun?

LEIBEL No, Chris say this is Harry gun.

HUBKEY Okay. What's Chris going to say about you?

LEIBEL I don't know. I would think I am polite ... always dinner or with lunch.

You know he ... Chris ...

HUBKEY Are you polite or obedient?

LEIBEL I always polite.

**HUBKEY** But are you obedient?

LEIBEL What this means obedient?

HUBKEY Is he going to say that you always do as Harry tells you to?

LEIBEL No he not involve inside our life.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL He not answer you because he not know.

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HUBKEY Well he must know. I'm sure he'll know something. Does Harry not

talk to people?

LEIBEL No. Why he Harry talk to people?

HUBKEY Why not?

LEIBEL No he not Harry talk to people. No ... not talk about different stuff.

HUBKEY Who's Harry's best friend?

LEIBEL Okay. Before best friend doctor Steve Brook, okay?

**HUBKEY** Steve Brooks?

LEIBEL Steve Brooks.

**HUBKEY** The doctor?

LEIBEL Doctor, yeah.

HUBKEY That's his best friend?

LEIBEL Yeah ... no before I say.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL Before.

HUBKEY What happened?

LEIBEL What happen is when Steve Brooks and Leann Brooks still wife and

husband and not think ... think people divorce. But what happen is

Steve see another woman ...

HUBKEY Uh-huh.

LEIBEL ... and divorce.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL But because I am already friend Leann ...

HUBKEY

Okay.

(Garren enters)

LEIBEL

... and continue friend Leann.

HUBKEY

Okay. But who is ... who's Harry's best friend right today?

LEIBEL

Right today ... he have friend from Reno.

HUBKEY

What's his name?

LEIBEL

I told you Joe.

HUBKEY

Joe the pilot?

LEIBEL

Joe the pilot.

HUBKEY

Okay. And what's Joe going to say about you?

LEIBEL

Normal stuff.

HUBKEY

Do you think Joe and Harry talked about you and ...

LEIBEL

No.

HUBKEY

No?

LEIBEL

No.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

Harry never talk to ... about me. I am never talked about Harry.

HUBKEY

So you guys kept your relationship pretty private?

LEIBEL

But ... yeah. I am never talk to outside.

**HUBKEY** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

Not friend. Not another ...

HUBKEY

Now who's your best friend?

LEIBEL My best friend Leann.

HUBKEY Who?

LEIBEL Leann.

HUBKEY Leann?

LEIBEL Leann.

HUBKEY The one that we were talking about earlier?

LEIBEL Yeah, yeah.

HUBKEY The one that lives right up by you?

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY She's your best friend?

LEIBEL No, because when meet other when still she married to Steve Brooks ...

HUBKEY Uh-huh.

LEIBEL ... and after divorce. And I still keep friend to Leann.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL So after Leann have boyfriend Chris ... how ... how you know this Chris

... because she have boyfriend Chris ... and after she separate ... she

never marry Chris ...

HUBKEY Uh-huh.

LEIBEL ... separate ... Chris have another girlfriend. So Chris bring girlfriend

... you know ... and ... and after Chris and ...

HUBKEY So you and Leann are best friends?

LEIBEL No, because I am not have nobody here.

HUBKEY Except for Leann?

LEIBEL (unintelligible)

HUBKEY Okay, so when is the last time you talked to Leann?

LEIBEL I think maybe three months or four months.

HUBKEY Well that's a long time.

LEIBEL Yeah because she busy and I am busy you know.

HUBKEY What are you busy doing?

LEIBEL No, I am going to UNR.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL I take care of Harry. Harry more and more have kidney stone.

HUBKEY What?

LEIBEL No kidney stone.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL Yeah, he always suffering ...

HUBKEY So Harry ...

LEIBEL ... kidney stone. I am together with him.

HUBKEY ... requires a lot of your attention?

LEIBEL Yes.

HUBKEY Is that taxing?

LEIBEL What?

HUBKEY Is it difficult taking care of Harry all the time?

LEIBEL i always take care of Harry.

HUBKEY Okay. Is it difficult?

LEIBEL No. I am used to.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL After 2005 when he have cancer I ... I ... I start used to.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL He always ... not like crying ... but he always oh I am not feel good.

Every morning ... every morning he going to bathroom like eight times.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL Eight times. You know he always suffering ...

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL ... morning. And after when he going to bathroom all the time I said

you finish. No I am not finish. Even for what ... not long time ago when

his son come to visit together with girlfriend ...

HUBKEY Uh-huh.

LEIBEL ... and Harry always going to bathroom.

HUBKEY Uh-huh.

LEIBEL So he always suffering bathroom.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL Yeah.

GARREN Well you said he suff ... was he suffering today?

LEIBEL He morning suffering. He every morning suffering.

HUBKEY Did he suffer today?

LEIBEL Yeah, he going to bathroom, yeah.

GARREN A lot of pain? Was there a lot of pain for him?

LEIBEL No, every morning he ... he explain to me every morning he going to

poo-poo and he feel inside stomach he need going to another poo-poo.

Sometimes not coming. Sometimes coming.

GARREN It is painful?

LEIBEL Every morning ...

HUBKEY Was Harry ... did Harry have a disease that was causing him to die?

LEIBEL No, he always think he ... he going to die because ...

HUBKEY Did you think Harry was going to die?

LEIBEL No, because I always think he ... no ... survive because after this 2005

he survive, 2007 he survive. He always ...

GARREN Where was his cancer at? What ... where ... what part of his body did

they operate on?

LEIBEL Oh, 2005 take him bladder.

HUBKEY Oh, his bladder?

LEIBEL Bladder.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL Have cancer inside bladder.

HÜBKEY But ... okay ...

LEIBEL Twelve hours operation.

HUBKEY So what I was asking you is ... is there any reason to believe that Harry

was going to die in the near future?

LEIBEL (unintelligible)

HUBKEY Was he suffering?

LEIBEL He suffering ...

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL ... every morning.

GARREN Was it getting worse?

LEIBEL What ... kidney stone worse.

GARREN Getting worse?

LEIBEL Yeah. He like screaming ... ahh ... ahh... ahh.

HUBKEY Did he scream today?

LEIBEL No, he not have today ...

GARREN Was he getting tired of that?

LEIBEL He tired.

GARREN No, was he getting ... was it getting more and more difficult for him to

deal with ...

LEIBEL Yeah ...

GARREN ... that every day?

LEIBEL ... yeah, yeah. He always tell I am tired already this. I am tired this

aiready.

GARREN Can lask you a question?

LEIBEL Yes.

GARREN Is this something that you did for Harry that he couldn't do himself?

LEIBEL I am not do this.

GARREN Did you shoot him because he couldn't shoot himself?

LEIBEL I am not shoot him.

GARREN Were you trying to help him?

LEIBEL I am not shoot him. Make more investigation. I am not shoot him.

GARREN Did ... were you trying to end his suffering? Did he ask you to?

LEIBEL No.

GARREN He didn't ask you to end his suffering?

LEIBEL No.

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HUBKEY Did Harry keep a log, a journal? Anything like that?

LEIBEL I no think so.

HUBKEY On his computer? You said he got up every morning at 4:00 A.M. and

was on his computer.

LEIBEL No, he ... he do always the news. In morning he always told me about

news.

HUBKEY Do you know if he kept a journal, a log or anything?

LEIBEL No, he not keep.

HUBKEY Did he keep any records of his medical problems?

LEIBEL Medical. Going to see broker for medical problem.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL Talk to ... talk to ...

HUBKEY But do you know did he put anything in his computer about it?

LEIBEL No. ·

GARREN Did he keep track of his own medical stuff himself? His medical

problems? A lot of people that deal with cancer and pain they write

down every day how they're feeling.

LEIBEL No, he not do this.

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL No. But if you talk to doctor ... doctor Steve Brook he told you. Even

when ... I remember ... why he needed this? When I Tahoe Community College ... oh when I Tahoe Community College and exactly same I need next day her final and I am inside hospital together with Harry. And I need letter from doctor I am hospital so I can't going to make

final. And final I make ...

GARREN Yeah.

LEIBEL ... next ... whatever ... next day. So doctor Steve Brook writing letter

and to Tahoe Community College.

GARREN Uh-huh.

LEIBEL And after vice president ... her name Sidney I think ... she said wow I

am never think a woman like take care of like this have. And I always

take care of him. I sit together ... I always together with him.

GARREN Uh-huh. Was it hard to see him suffer?

LEIBEL Yes of course.

GARREN Okay.

LEIBEL When not ... sort ... you see it and ...

GARREN Uh-huh.

LEIBEL ... person suffer.

GARREN Uh-huh.

LEIBEL Of course.

GARREN Every day it's tough.

LEIBEL Every morning.

GARREN Yep, every morning.

LEIBEL Every morning.

GARREN Uh-huh.

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY Well, look, you say you didn't do it.

LEIBEL No.

HUBKEY Okay? We don't believe you.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY Okay? So I'm going to ask you ... if ... if you want to contend that Harry

shot himself I want to know why Harry shot himself.

LEIBEL I think ...

HUBKEY Because you live with Harry. You know Harry better than anybody else.

LEIBEL Yeah, I think...

HUBKEY So, let me ask you this ... is Harry ... is Harry capable of putting a gun

to himself and killing himself? The man you love ...

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY ... is he capable to taking his own life?

LEIBEL I think he try scare me.

HUBKEY Okay. Explain.

LEIBEL No, if he shoot, this is means he ... he scare me.

HUBKEY By shooting himself? How is shooting himself going to scare you?

LEIBEL I don't know.

GARREN How is killing himself going ... what's that going to do?

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LEIBEL I don't know. Maybe he already think long time he ... he always told me

... he tired, he tired. This ... he tired. Who know what he thinking. I am

not know.

HUBKEY But you're his wife.

LEIBEL Yes, of course.

HUBKEY You've been married for ten years.

LEIBEL Yes, and I told you ...

HUBKEY Okay and ... you ... listen ...

LEIBEL ... he have emotional ...

HUBKEY ... he ...

LEIBEL ... emotional problem sometimes yes.

HUBKEY Okay, so he has emotional problems.

LEIBEL Emotional problem when he suffering he have ... he always ... I am

tired suffering. I am tired suffering, yes.

HUBKEY Okay. So ... but is ... is Harry the type of person that could put a gun to

himself and shoot himself?

LEIBEL I don't know what happen. I am ... I don't know. I don't know why he

do this, I don't know.

GARREN Is he ... is he the type of person that would shoot himself and kill

himself? Did you ever think of him as somebody that would be able to

do that?

LEIBEL No, because maybe he think I make statement going to Los Angeles.

HUBKEY Yeah, but you're going to Los Angeles. That doesn't mean ... were you

not coming back?

LEIBEL No, of course I coming back.

HUBKEY Okay. So what ...

LEIBEL But maybe ... but maybe he think ... he told me who take care of me,

you know, and because not long time ago he have many times like

seven ... this ...

GARREN Kidney stone.

LEIBEL ... this kidney stone, you know. And he ... he maybe think he have

another kidney stone. You know who ... who knows ...

HUBKEY Is he such a baby ...

LEIBEL He baby.

HUBKEY ... is he such a baby that he can't take care of himself?

LEIBEL No, he baby. Talk to doctor ... first doctor 2005 Los Angeles. When he

have operation I stay together with him twenty-four hours and ... and I

put him ...

GARREN But a lot of people do that when their loved one has surgery.

LEIBEL ... (unintelligible) ... and doctor said my wife never do this. But you

know situation like this. And for example he lay down. He always lay down couch. If he lay down couch ... oh ... take ... take my shoes and

but house shoes, you know.

HUBKEY Uh-huh.

LEIBEL I always do to him.

HUBKEY You would put his house shoes on for him?

LEIBEL Yes.

HUBKEY So you were kind of a subservient wife?

LEIBEL What this means?

HUBKEY Um ... did he think of you as a lesser person?

LEIBEL No. I am not think so.

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HUBKEY But it seems like you were treated as a lesser person.

LEIBEL No, I think ...

HUBKEY Because if I told my wife to put my shoes on for me every night she'd

probably punch me in the face.

LEIBEL Yeah, because you healthy person. You understand?

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL He not healthy person.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL This is different, you know?

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL How I refusing ... for example ... oh Boobah I am not ... I not feel good.

Take ... how ... how you not do this? Of course you do this.

HUBKEY But you've been doing this for ten years.

LEIBEL But I am okay. I already used to.

HUBKEY Because ...

LEIBEL I never complain.

HUBKEY Never complain to him or never ... you ever complain to your

daughters?

LEIBEL No, I am ... daughter see ... talk to my daughter. I take care of ... I

always take care of him.

HUBKEY What's your daughter going to say about your guys' relationship?

LEIBEL Good relationship. She told you.

HUBKEY That's what she's going to tell us?

LEIBEL Yes. Talk to her.

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HUBKEY Because we're ... we want to talk to her tomorrow.

LEIBEL Yes, please.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL Yeah.

GARREN So here's ...

HUBKEY We going to do dinner? Did you ask?

GARREN Yeah.

LEIBEL I am sorry.

HUBKEY Somebody's calling.

GARREN So ... you said he's ... he's ... he's ... he's a baby. He needs constant

care. He ... his suffering is getting worse. You know maybe you're tired of seeing him suffer and people are going to understand that.

LEIBEL No.

GARREN You know?

LEIBEL No, I never think kill my husband because he suffer.

GARREN Well no, I'm ...

LEIBEL Why?

GARREN ... maybe he's asking you and he's begging you and he's pleading with

you.

LEIBEL No.

HUBKEY Did he ask you to end his life?

LEIBEL No. When after operation he always ... after he have ... after operation

he always have some things problem ... no suffering.

HUBKEY

No, but I'm asking you ...

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

... did he ask you to stop his suffering?

LEIBEL

No, never.

HUBKEY

Did he ask you today?

LEIBEL

No.

**GARREN** 

Because ...

HUBKEY

That would make sense.

**GARREN** 

... look ... looking at ... I was just going to say that ... looking at the injuries on him that would completely make sense for his injuries. Because if somebody that goes out and shoots like you say all the time ... knows about guns ... okay ... would know if they were going to shoot themselves to kill themselves how to go about doing it. And most people ... I think almost everyone I've ever done that's been a suicide ... that took their own life ... it's only been with one shot, okay? And this is different. This is ... this is a different ...

HUBKEY

is that phone still ringing?

GARREN

... this is a different set of circumstances. I mean I ... I could see somebody pleading with you. Maybe you're scared. I mean I would be scared and ... and you decide you're going to do that. That would be very indicative of the injuries on Harry. People can understand that. This is ... that's what I told you ... this is where the why becomes really important.

LEIBEL

l understand.

GARREN

Okay? Otherwise we're left to ...

HUBKEY

We're left to our own vices, our own opinions.

GARREN

... to make our own opinion of ... of why. And that's why it's really important to discuss why it happened. Because we know ... like we said before Harry wasn't holding the gun, okay? We know that, okay?

So saying anything to the contrary is just ... you know doesn't make any sense because we know ... we know that didn't happen. So we're trying to figure out what happened and why. And it would make perfect sense based on his injuries what you're describing. He wakes up every morning. He's in ... he's suffering. It's this, it's that. And this happened in the morning.

LEIBEL

No ...

GARREN

Okay, this ...

LEIBEL

... maybe ...

**GARREN** 

... all kind of lines up to where ...

LEIBEL

... okay maybe ...

GARREN

... there's a possibility that maybe he's been begging and pleading with you for a while and ... and maybe he said the right things today and you decided to help him out of love. People can understand that.

LEIBEL

No.

**GARREN** 

People are going to understand that he left it to the point you couldn't stand to see him suffering. He didn't ...

HUBKEY

People do it all the time.

GARREN

... he didn't want to suffer anymore and the best thing you could have done for him was this. People are going to need to understand that, okay?

HUBKEY

But people do understand that.

GARREN

They do understand that.

HUBKEY

They understand that a lot.

GARREN

Yeah.

HUBKEY

And that's very ... it's very common for that to happen.

GARREN

And then afterward realizing ...

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HUBKEY And that's ... how do I say this ... that is something that people can ...

can grasp on to and they can ... it's believable. And ... and it's ... and it's reasonable. Okay? What ... what they can't grasp on to is no

answer at all.

GARREN Yeah.

HUBKEY And if you don't provide an answer to a question, they ... they have to

draw their own conclusions from their own belief.

LEIBEL l understand.

Okay? And right now you're not giving anybody anything to draw from. HUBKEY

LEIBEL Because I am not do this. How I make story if I am not do this?

HUBKEY Well, again and like I said, everything says you did do it.

LEIBEL Okay. Make more investigation. I ...

But see that ... that is not going to change anything. GARREN

LEIBEL How not change if I am not do this?

GARREN But ... but the evidence says you did.

Evidence ... LEIBEL

And ... and again ... with ... without ... GARREN

... this is (unintelligible) ... LEIBEL

... without ... we started talking about his medical issues and that ... GARREN

that kind of really would explain his injuries. Like very well, okay?

No, maybe he ... LEIBEL

If somebody ... if he wanted to shoot himself, okay ... he wouldn't have GARREN

shot himself in the fashion that he did if he was trying to kill himself. And it doesn't make sense to where ... to keep you from leaving he's going to shoot himself. If ... if he already told you you're not going ...

and if you didn't say you were going ... he's under the impression that

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you're not leaving ... why would he have to shoot himself? He's already accomplished what he wanted. So that doesn't make a lot of sense.

LEIBEL

No, no. Because I make statement I going I said.

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

I make statement I going.

**GARREN** 

Okay, so you did tell him you were going?

LEIBEL

Yes, I ... I told you ...

**GARREN** 

Okay.

LEIBEL

... I told you ...

**GARREN** 

Okav.

LEIBEL

... I going.

GARREN

And did he say anything?

**LEIBEL** 

What ...this is what happen.

**GARREN** 

Did he try to point the gun at you?

LEIBEL

No.

**GARREN** 

He didn't grab the gun and point it at you?

LEIBEL

No.

GARREN

He didn't threaten to kill you?

LEIBEL

No.

GARREN

No?

LEIBEL

No.

HUBKEY

He didn't say ... if you leave I'm going to kill you?

LEIBEL

No.

HUBKEY

I'm going to kill the dog?

LEIBEL

No. No. He said I kill myself if you going. This is what he said

yesterday.

HUBKEY

He said that yesterday?

LEIBEL

Yeah, when he going sleep.

HUBKEY

Did he say how he was going to kill himself?

LEIBEL

No, he not tell me.

HUBKEY

How did you assume he would do it if he was going to do it?

LEIBEL

Because he hold this gun together with him.

HUBKEY

Last night?

LEIBEL

Yeah.

HUBKEY

And how did he hold it?

LEIBEL

He hold it like baby and ... and going sleep.

HUBKEY

Okay.

GARREN

Because if he wanted to kill himself and make statement there's other ways to do it. Okay? Most people shoot themselves in other places.

HUBKEY

Shoot themselves in the head.

GARREN

The head, okay? Especially with a gun like that, they stick it under the chin and pull the trigger, okay? Then there's no needing to pull the trigger twice, okay? Shooting ... getting shot hurts, okay? Most ... it's not like ...

LEIBEL

(unintelligible)

GARREN

... ow I've got a little cut ... I can do this. It's ... it's ... it's trauma to the body and to do it once and then to do it again is very difficult. And it

doesn't make any sense where his injuries are to what his overall goal was.

HUBKEY Do you understand where his injuries are?

LEIBEL Yes, I understand.

GARREN And then you look at the fact that he couldn't have held the gun takes

... takes the fact that he took his own life out of the possible scenarios. Okay? Not possible. He did not die at his own hand, okay? He died at

somebody else's hand. We just need an answer ...

HUBKEY Your hand.

GARREN ... to figure out ... accident? Did it ... was it ...

HUBKEY Yeah.

GARREN ... the heat of the moment? I mean ...

LEIBEL No.

GARREN ... was it ... was it ... was it for mercy? Was ... was it to put him out of

his misery? I mean we need to explain that. And that's where we're at.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY And we're trying to offer you that.

LEIBEL Oh this is many you make me offer and thank you but no.

GARREN Because ... because ...

LEIBEL | am not do this.

GARREN ... with what we've found we could just not even talk to you and put you

in handcuffs and throw in jail and not even try to get a statement from you and say you're a cold blooded killer ... you just killed him because

he told you no, okay? But none of us believe that, okay?

HUBKEY That's why we're here talking to you.

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN Before we leave, I want to ... I have to make sure I've given you every

opportunity that I think somebody should have ...

HUBKEY We're trying to do right by you.

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN ... to ... to explain it.

HUBKEY We're trying to give you a fair and reasonable chance to explain it. You

understand that if you don't explain it ... okay ... we can't help you. Do

you understand that?

LEIBEL I understand.

HUBKEY Do you understand that if you explain it and tell the truth we can tell

your story to other people ...

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY ... okay who ...

GARREN And can help. And ...

HUBKEY Okay? But for you to sit here and go no, no, no, no, no, no, no, no...

GARREN Do more investigation.

HUBKEY ... it ... do more investigation ... that doesn't help you in any way.

LEIBEL No because if you make more investigation I am sure somehow find out

I am innocent. I am not do this.

HUBKEY I don't think so. Because all that other stuff that's going to come out of

the investigation is just little bits and pieces. The main investigation is

what is going on at the house ...

GARREN Right now.

HUBKEY ... okay? And what's going on at the house right now is everybody's

saying he didn't shoot himself. Everybody's saying you shot him.

LEIBEL No, I am not shoot him.

HUBKEY Okay?

GARREN Even Harry's saying that.

HUBKEY That's what Harry is saying.

GARREN Yeah, and he is. His injuries are saying you shot him.

HUBKEY Harry can't shoot himself through the hand, okay, and leave a powder

burn on the hand, and then have it go into his shoulder.

LEIBEL Maybe this is ...

HUBKEY Okay? Harry can't shoot ...

LEIBEL ... some ...

HUBKEY ... himself in the armpit.

LEIBEL ... maybe this is some ... some jumping. I don't know. I am not ...

HUBKEY Okay, you understand that?

LEIBEL Yes, I understood.

HUBKEY Harry cannot shoot himself back here. It is physically impossible. And

you sat here with this gun ...

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY ... and said it was like this. Okay? That's what you said. Do you

agree?

LEIBEL Some ... some ... somehow.

HUBKEY Okay, in some sense it was like this.

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY Right?

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LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY Okay, so in this sense there's no way that Harry has a bullet hole back

here ...

LEIBEL Then maybe he ...

HUBKEY ... going that way.

LEIBEL ... maybe he ...

HUBKEY Okay?

LEIBEL ... make before.

HUBKEY No, you said you were standing there.

LEIBEL No. I am not say I am standing. I said I am going to kitchen ...

HUBKEY Yeah.

LEIBEL ... open the refrigerator and ...

HUBKEY And you heard a boom.

LEIBEL ... yeah ... and this time ...

HUBKEY And then you run back in.

LEIBEL ... and then coming and maybe he change position because he ...

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL ... because he injure.

HUBKEY Okay. This does not happen. You don't go well, okay maybe. This

didn't happen. Okay?

GARREN That's ... that's what would have happened ...

HUBKEY This is what it shows basically.

GARREN ... (unintelligible).

Something like this. You understand that, right?

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY Okay. The trigger is way the hell out here.

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY

HUBKEY Okay? This does not happen. Basically like this.

LEIBEL Maybe ... maybe he hold more close.

GARREN He couldn't have.

HUBKEY No, he couldn't have. He couldn't have.

GARREN But ...

HUBKEY It was just like this.

GARREN ... but why would he put his hand up like this?

LEIBEL I not know.

HUBKEY Okay? What this shows ...

GARREN Even ...

LEIBEL Maybe ... maybe ...

GARREN ... even ... even if his hand was here ...

LEIBEL Yeah.

GARREN ... he couldn't have grabbed the trigger.

HUBKEY It's impossible.

GARREN It's impossible.

HUBKEY Okay? It's impossible. Because he couldn't do this, okay?

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LEIBEL Because he kind of ...

HUBKEY Look at me. Look at me.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY His hand couldn't be here ...

LEIBEL Yes.

HUBKEY ... with a powder burn on it. It has to be out here like this, right?

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY Okay? It has to be away.

LEIBEL Yeah.

HUBKEY So now you're holding the end of the gun like this, right?

LEIBEL Uh-huh.

HUBKEY Okay?

LEIBEL I hold it?

HUBKEY Somebody did.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY Not him. Okay? And for it to hit him here, come out here, and go

through his shoulder right here, okay, it's ... it's ... it's ... it's impossible because he doesn't have three hands, okay? He doesn't have a third

hand to put up there and ... and do anything, right?

GARREN And then within a few seconds he's holding the gun in both hands.

HUBKEY And then to go oh ... okay ... and then you say you went like this ... hey

what are you doing Harry?

LEIBEL No, no.

HUBKEY That's what you said.

HUBKEY You understand it looks terrible?

LEIBEL Yeah. But I am not shot.

HUBKEY You understand you look like a murderer.

LEIBEL I am not murder.

HUBKEY Okay, what are you?

LEIBEL | am not murder.

HUBKEY What are you?

LEIBEL I am innocent. I am not do this.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL Make more investigation.

HUBKEY Oh we will.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY Trust me. That's ... that's guaranteed.

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY But it just looks bad and ... and I hope that you're being honest.

LEIBEL I am honest.

HUBKEY You know I ... I hope ... you know I ... I ... I'm ... I don't want ... you

know ... this is your chance, you know? And ... and I don't know that

you appreciate the gravity of this you know ...

LEIBEL Apprec ... what?

HUBKEY Huh?

LEIBEL Apprec what?

HUBKEY Appreciate.

LEIBEL I appreciate what you tell me, yeah.

HUBKEY You know ... and I hope you appreciate the gravity of this scenario is ...

is that ... if ... if you were involved in this that nothing more than the

truth is all that needs to be told. You know?

LEIBEL If this is some accident I tell this is accident ...

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL ... you know. But I am not holded this gun.

HUBKEY You're not what?

LEIBEL I am not holded this gun.

HUBKEY I'm not holding this gun?

LEIBEL I am not holding today gun.

HUBKEY Was he holding the gun?

LEIBEL He holding this gun.

HUBKEY Did you pull the trigger?

LEIBEL No, I am not pull trigger.

HUBKEY Okay. This is a tough thing, you know?

LEIBEL Okay.

HUBKEY You're in a tough spot.

LEIBEL Look like, yes, but I am not do this.

HUBKEY Are you going to be able to make yourself available tomorrow?

LEIBEL Yes, of course.

HUBKEY Okay, you won't leave town?

LEIBEL No, I am not leave already town. This ...

HUBKEY Huh?

LEIBEL I am not leave already. Where ... where I leave?

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL I need take care of his body because Jewish have arrangement ...

arrangement.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL Jewish stuff.

HUBKEY What is the arrangement?

LEIBEL Los Angeles.

HUBKEY Huh?

LEIBEL Los Angeles have Jewish medical ...

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL ... and Jewish medical must come and he ...

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL ... take him Los Angeles. Put everything white like Jewish going inside

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HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL ... and ... and he have place. He told me he have ... I ... I know he have

place. Everybody know. Because 2004 his mom die.

HUBKEY Okay.

LEIBEL Yeah.

(Garren enters)

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HUBKEY

Are they here?

**GARREN** 

Yeah. Hey Tatiana, what's your cell phone number?

LEIBEL

Yeah. 775 ...

HUBKEY

Who's here?

**GARREN** 

Everybody,

HUBKEY

Okay, I'll be back, okay?

LEIBEL

Yes.

**GARREN** 

We're going to get her changed out.

HUBKEY

Okay.

LEIBEL

775 ... 339-1225.

(Hubkey exits)

**GARREN** 

Hold on ... 3-3-9 ...

LEIBEL

1-2-2-5.

GARREN

1-2-2-5?

LEIBEL

Yes.

GARREN

Okay. What I'm doing ... because you said I could look through your cell phone, right?

LEIBEL

Yes.

GARREN

Okay, this says I, Tatiana Leibel, being free from duress, threats, or force of any kind ... you understand what that means?

LEIBEL

Yes.

**GARREN** 

Okay. Do hereby freely and voluntarily consent to the search of my

Motorola cell phone ... and I have your phone number ...

LEIBEL Uh-huh.

GARREN ... located at the Douglas County Sheriff's Office by me ...

LEIBEL Uh-huh.

GARREN Duly authorize law enforcement officers within the County of Douglas,

State of Nevada.

LEIBEL Uh-huh.

GARREN If you could sign ...

LEIBEL I sign.

GARREN ... if you agree to that right there.

LEIBEL Yes.

GARREN Okay. And then we have a gal going to ... I'll fill all of that in.

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN Thanks. She's going to ...

LEIBEL Who?

GARREN ... there's a gal that works for us. She's going to take you across the

hall. We've got some clothes for you.

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN They're going to have to take some pictures.

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN Okay? It's all part of the protocol that we have to do ...

LEIBEL Yes.

GARREN ... in a case like this.

LEIBEL Of course.

**GARREN** 

And then we'll get a hold of Leann and ...

LEIBEL

Do you think my ... my daughter coming?

**GARREN** 

I don't know if we're going to be ... how that's going to happen but we'll

see what we can do, okay?

(Garren exits)

(Garren enters)

**GARREN** 

Okay Tatiana, come on.

**LEIBEL** 

Yeah.

**GARREN** 

This is Debra. We're going to do it right across the hall there.

(everyone exits)

(Leibel brought back in the room)

(Garren enters)

GARREN

So can you ... can we talk tomorrow? At 11:00 o'clock?

LEIBEL

Yes.

**GARREN** 

Up here?

LEIBEL

Yes.

GARREN

Okay, okay, let's do that.

LEIBEL

(unintelligible) coming here?

GARREN

Leann.

LEIBEL

Okay.

GARREN

They're up front ... she's up front right now.

LEIBEL

Oh, Leann ...

**GARREN** 

My partner is going to talk to them.

LEIBEL

Okay.

GARREN

And we're going to make arrangements to have you back up here at

11:00.

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

**Brian?** 

(Garren exits to talk to Hubkey)

(Garren enters)

**GARREN** 

Leann is going to have my card.

LEIBEL

Okay.

GARREN

Okay? And ... with my desk number on it.

LEIBEL

Okay.

GARREN

But yeah just come right back up here at 11:00.

LEIBEL

Okay.

GARREN

And ...

LEIBEL

And where I going?

GARREN

Huh? Right here to the station.

LEIBEL

No, I understand but ... what number ... no ... how ... how ... how I go

inside?

GARREN

Just walk in through the front door.

LEIBEL

Yeah.

GARREN

And we'll ... they'll ... they'll let me know you're here.

LEIBEL Oh okay.

GARREN And we'll come back here.

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN Okay? And like I said we're going to ... it's ... it's ... there's going to be

an agent here that speaks Russian.

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN Just to make sure you don't have any questions.

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN Make sure we can answer anything ...

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN ... and just to make sure you understand ...

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN ... that ... I ... that ... I want to make sure you're comfortable knowing

that what we said that you understand.

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN Okay? It's all ...

LEIBEL No, I understand.

GARREN ... it's all ... make sure you ... okay ...

LEIBEL | understand.

GARREN ... don't go up to your house.

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN Okay? It's sealed off and we're going to have policemen there all night.

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN Because we're not done yet ...

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN ... up there so ...

LEIBEL My question is will somebody take care of my doggie please.

GARREN We already took care of that.

LEIBEL Where he?

GARREN Our Animal Control people ... they're going to take ... they're going to

feed him, they're going to water him, and he's going to get taken care

of.

LEIBEL He ...

GARREN No, no ....

LEIBEL ... he very ... he very (unintelligible).

GARREN They will take ...

LEIBEL He sleep together with us.

GARREN ... they will take good care of him, okay?

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN Okay? They're our Animal Control people because they love animals.

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN Okay? They take care of them.

LEIBEL I...

GARREN And that's what they're going to do. They're going to make sure he's

okay.

LEIBEL Okay.

GARREN He's at a safe place. He's going to have a warm place to sleep. He's

going to have food and water ...

LEIBEL

Uh-huh.

GARREN

... and a place to run around and play.

LEIBEL

Okay.

**GARREN** 

So he's going to be okay. We already took care of that.

LEIBEL

Okay.

GARREN

Okay? So ...

LEIBEL

So do you give my cellular phone or do you keep it my cellular ...

**GARREN** 

I'm going to keep it and hopefully it won't be too long and I'll be done

with it. It takes some time to ... to get the information.

LEIBEL

Okay.

GARREN

So just sit tight and then ...

LEIBEL

Thank you.

GARREN

... and then we will ... as soon as my partner is done talking with them

we'll get you out of here.

LEIBEL

Okay, thank you.

(Garren exits)

(Garren enters)

**GARREN** 

Alright, come on. Grab your clothes there.

LEIBEL

Yes.

GARREN

Okay, we'll clean up.

LEIBEL

Okay.

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