

Case No. 750-86

### REPORT OF INVESTIGATION

OFFICE OF THE CORONER, MEDICAL EXAMINER, CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA  
1707 Pinto Lane, Las Vegas, Nevada 89106

DECEDENT CAROL NADINE LAZAR M S W D, DOB [REDACTED]

Residence address [REDACTED] Tel. No. [REDACTED]

DESCRIPTION: Sex Female Race White Age 44 S.S. [REDACTED]

Height 58" Weight 128 Hair Brown Eyes Hazel Scars [REDACTED]

Tattoos, Other identifying features [REDACTED]

Rigor Mortis See narrative Livor Mortis Dependents

Clothing Black jeans, grey print blouse.

Drugs & Medications None

Occupation [REDACTED] Employed by [REDACTED]

Reported by Metro P. D. Date & Time reported 4-21-86 at 8:05 A.M.

Location of body [REDACTED]

TYPE OF DEATH: Apparent Natural [REDACTED] Violent XX At work [REDACTED] Not at work X

CIRCUMSTANCES      DATE      TIME      NAME & ADDRESS

Death Reported By [REDACTED] Approx. [REDACTED]

Last Seen Alive By [REDACTED] 4-19-86 P.M. Husband

Found Dead By [REDACTED] 4-21-86 7:30 A.M. Husband

Pronounced Dead By [REDACTED] 4-21-86 8:35 A.M. R. Binder

Body Viewed By [REDACTED] 4-21-86 8:35 A.M. R. Binder

Identified By [REDACTED] 4-21-86 8:45 A.M. Husband

Witness #1 [REDACTED]

Witness #2 [REDACTED]

Law Enforcement Agency Metro Officers Good, Ziola, Roderick.

Property Receipt # [REDACTED] In Custody of None

CUSTODY OF BODY: Removed by Mortuary vehicle To CCCME

Driver Lamar F. Assisted by C.K. Davis

Requested by Duty -- Davis Mortuary

DEATH NOTIFICATION: Next of Kin [REDACTED] Relationship [REDACTED]

Address [REDACTED] Tel. No. [REDACTED]

Person notified if other than N.O.K. [REDACTED]

Address [REDACTED] Tel. No. [REDACTED]

Means of Notification Personal contact

Notification made by R. Binder Date 4-21-86 Time 8:45 A.M.

VEHICULAR DEATHS: Driver [REDACTED] Passenger X Seat Location Front

Pedestrian [REDACTED] Vehicle Honda, 2 dr. Lic. No. None State [REDACTED]

Accident [REDACTED] Miles from residence (or hotel or motel) [REDACTED]

SAFETY EQUIPMENT USED: Seat Belt, 2 point [REDACTED] 3 point [REDACTED] Air bag [REDACTED] Other [REDACTED]

Cor/M.E. (Rev. 0485)

NAME CAROL MADINE LAZAR

Age 44

DATE 4-21-86

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NARRATIVE SUMMARY: Include medical history, names and addresses and telephone numbers of all doctors known to have attended decedent. All pertinent details found at the location of the body.

Responded to a residence at a report of a suspected suicide reported to Metro Police Department by the husband of the victim.

Viewed a Caucasian female sitting slumped in the front passenger seat of a 2 door hatchback Honda, no license plates.

Examination of the decedent produced no apparent life signs, rigor appears to be leaving the upper extremities with lividity in the dependent portions of the body.

The victim has purged a small amount of foam from the mouth.

There is a 9 mm. semi automatic hand gun laying on the driver's front seat, loaded, safety off, unfired. There is a small television operating that is sitting on the hood of the vehicle facing the victim.

Investigating Metro Officers report finding a note indicating suicide in the residence. See copy attached. Husband reports finding the victim as described this date at 7:30 A.M. following his return from out of state. Husband reports talking with the decedent by telephone on Saturday, 4-19-86. The weapon was purchased by the husband for the victim while they were living in New Mexico, eight months ago. Husband states they have had marital difficulties; that the deceased has talked of suicide.

No property on the decedent per [redacted]

Victim removed by the duty mortuary pending disposition.

Husband stated to detectives the vehicle was still running upon his discovery. Examination of the vehicle revealed piping from the exhaust into the interior of the car thru the hatchback and secured with tape.

EXAMINING PHYSICIAN \_\_\_\_\_ AUTOPSY \_\_\_\_\_ VIEW \_\_\_\_\_ CASE NOT ACCEPTED \_\_\_\_\_

*R.B.*  
R. Binder

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Reviewing Physician

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CORONER MEDICAL EXAMINER INVESTIGATOR

**ASSOCIATED PATHOLOGISTS LABORATORIES**

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PATIENT: LAZAR, CAROL  
AGE: 44  
SEX: FEMALE  
COLLECTED: 14415 4/21/86  
RECEIVED: 9105 4/22/86  
REPORTED: 14426 4/23/86  
LAB NO: 00178812  
APL CASE NO: TX-86-1502  
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SPECIMENS RECEIVED: BLOOD

TESTS REQUESTED:   
CARBON MONOXIDE

SPECIMEN # 1: BLOOD

CARBON MONOXIDE = 61.1% SATURATION

VOLATILES SCREEN INCLUDES:

ACETONE  
METHANOL

ETHANOL

ISOPROPANOL



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NEVADA STATE LAB LICENSE NO. 4  
MEDICARE NO. 99-0013  
TITLE XIX ENDORNO 27-02239  
CAP. NO. 89109-004011

RECORD OF EXAMINATION  
OFFICE OF THE CORONER-MEDICAL EXAMINER, CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA

NAME Coral Nadine Logar CASE NO. 750-86  
AGE 44 RACE H SEX F

CAUSE OF DEATH:

IMMEDIATE CAUSE: Carbon monoxide poisoning

DUE TO: \_\_\_\_\_

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OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

MANNER OF DEATH: Suicide

HOW INJURY OCCURRED: Inhalation of motor vehicle exhaust

EXTERNAL EXAMINATION

AUTOPSY

CAUSE OF DEATH IS PENDING

TOXICOLOGY

MICROSCOPIC EXAMINATION

OTHER (SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_

DISPOSITION Released

RELEASED BY [Signature] TIME 1420 DATE 4-21-86

TOXICOLOGY SUBMITTED: YES  NO  SPECIMENS Blood

X-RAYS DONE: YES  NO