

Ohio Attorney General's Office Bureau of Criminal Investigation Investigative Report





Officer Involved Critical Incident - 500 West Hopocan, Barberton, OH 44203

Investigative Activity:	Interview of Other Person	
Involves:	Sherry McCrossin (O), BCI (O)	
Activity Date:	12/26/2022	
Activity Location:	Pamela Stratford's Residence –	
	1846 4 th Street, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio 44221	
Authoring Agent:	SA Charles Moran #67	

Narrative:

On Monday, December 26, 2022, at about 1434 hours, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) Chuck Moran (Moran) and SA Todd Clark interviewed Sherry McCrossin (McCrossin) at Pamela Stratford's (Stratford) residence. McCrossin was the involved subject's, Zachary Zoran (Zoran), aunt. The interview was not audio recorded due to the audio recorder stopping for an unknown reason(s) during the previous interview with Stratford.

McCrossin said she resides at 518 Magnolia Street, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio. McCrossin said she received messages from Zoran through Facebook Messenger on December 25, 2022. There were text messages and voice messages received from Zoran and multiple messages occurred during the evening hours.

McCrossin said Zoran sent messages to her daughter, Emily Austin (Emily), "apologizing." McCrossin believed that Zoran was still "high" when he sent the messages. Zoran also sent photos through Facebook Messenger. Zoran made threats about harming McCrossin and said he would "video tape" it. McCrossin said Zoran was acting "crazy." Zoran messaged and claimed that he broke his left hand when he punched "Papa Mick" in the face. McCrossin said "Papa Mick" was the person who owned the "sober house" where Zoran resided (likely at 921 Nathan Street, Akron, Ohio).

McCrossin said she made a police report with the Cuyahoga Falls Police Department (CFPD) and spoke with Detective Hudak.

McCrossin used her cell phone to "AirDrop" 11 photos and three screen recording videos to SA Moran's work cell phone. SA Moran reviewed the photos and screen recordings and noted the following:

- There were photos of Zoran.
- There was a photo of the back of a person's head and Zoran said he "beat" the "elderly" person's "ass."

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- There was a photo of Zoran's left hand with bandages on it. Zoran messaged about having surgery on his hand and having sex with a doctor.
- Zoran messaged Emily about McCrossin.
- There were photos of a hardwood floor with glass panes on the floor inside a structure.
- There was a five minute and one second long (5:01) screen recording of the messages Zoran sent to McCrossin. Zoran said if anyone crossed him he would "murder" them in "cold blood." He said he was on the porch and by the "door." He yelled for someone to bring his son to the door or he would "pick the lock" and go upstairs with a gun and start shooting people. He said he was a "Hell's Angel" and he would kill people if anything happened to his son. Zoran knocked on an object and began speaking and asking if his son was there and his son was not brought to the door. He said he "heard" his son upstairs and he would "murder" everyone involved with his son. He said he would put a gun to someone's head and "crucify" them. He said he would "torture" people and "cut their skin off" and make them put it in their "mouth."
- There was a three minutes and seven seconds long (3:07) screen recording of the messages Zoran sent to McCrossin. Zoran told McCrossin she would be "raped" and he would "video tape it." Zoran said he was "crazy as fuck at this point" and "someone took his son." He said if his son was "dead" that "every motherfucker will die" and they "will be tortured." Zoran said his "bikers" would "murder" her. Zoran said he broke his "left hand" and went to the hospital last night and was "high on meth." Zoran said he punched "Papa Mick" in the face. Zoran said he had a "murder room" and warned McCrossin to be careful when she started her car. Zoran began referring to McCrossin as "Aunt Shelly" and he was "coming for" her. He said he would change his appearance and would "murder anybody involved" with his son.
- There was a one minute and five seconds long (1:05) screen recording of the messages Zoran sent to McCrossin. Zoran told McCrossin that he had a "murder room" and people would have to put body parts on the glass. He also said he could "electrocute" people "to death" and he would have a "gun to their head the entire time." He said he would video record it and would do anything for his son.

On December 29, 2022, at 1651 hours, SA Moran received a text message from McCrossin with a screen recording. The screen recording was messages that Zoran sent to Emily Austin through Facebook Messenger. SA Moran reviewed the screen recording and noted the following:

• There was a one minute and two seconds long (1:02) screen recording of messages Zoran sent to Emily Austin. Zoran called out to his son to "fight them off" and "grab a knife."

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He yelled about waiting for the people to "fall asleep" and to "slit their goddamn throats" and "kill them."

The photographs that SA Moran took of Zoran's Facebook Messenger messages were attached to this report. The photographs and screen recordings that McCrossin "AirDropped" and texted to SA Moran were also attached to this report.

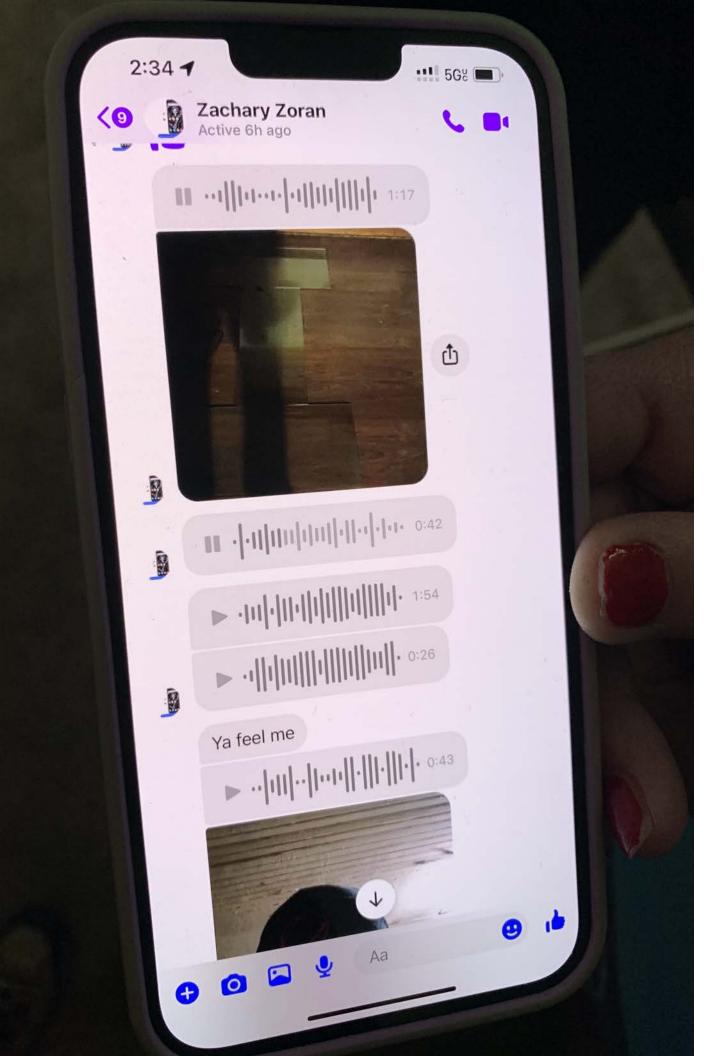
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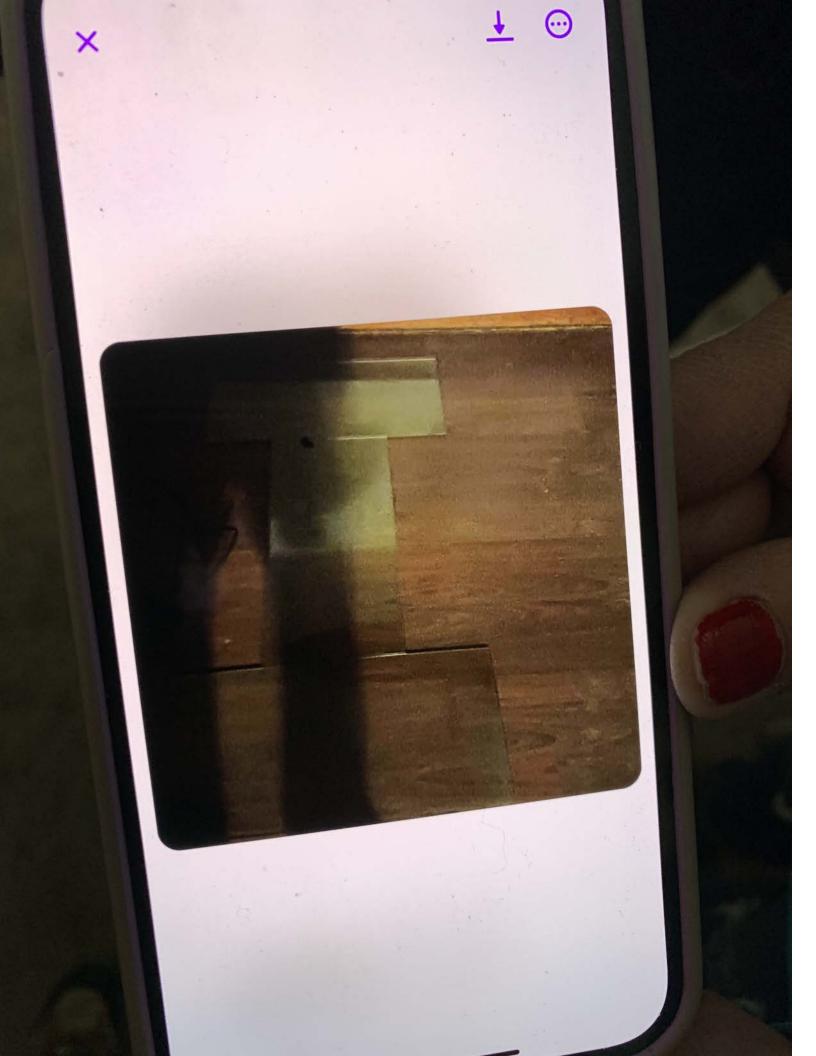
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Attachments:

- 1. Photo Facebook Zoran to McCrossin IMG_3275
- 2. Photo Facebook Zoran to McCrossin IMG_3276
- 3. Photo Facebook Zoran to McCrossin IMG_3277
- 4. Photo Facebook Zoran to McCrossin IMG_0159
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- 10. Photo Facebook Zoran to McCrossin IMG 0165
- 11. Photo Facebook Zoran to McCrossin IMG_0166
- 12. Video Facebook Zoran to McCrossin KBGM6711
- 13. Video Facebook -Zoran to McCrossin UDYZ8920
- 14. Video Facebook Zoran to McCrossin USKT5831
- 15. Video Facebook Zoran to Emily Austin SPJN6040

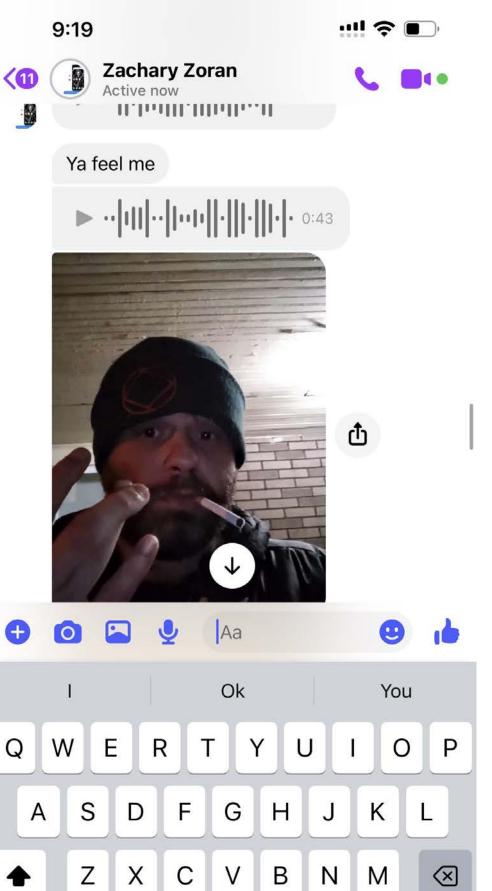
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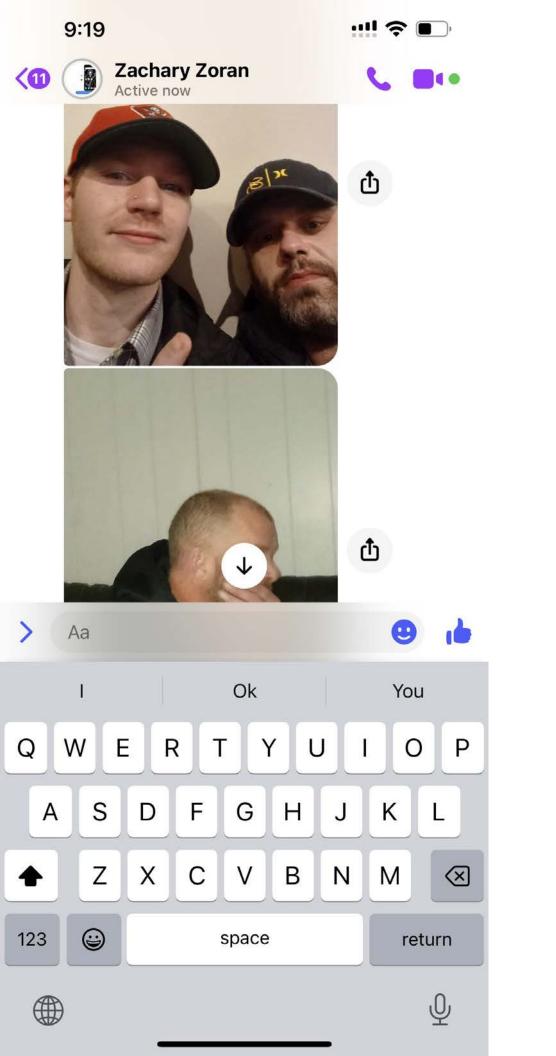
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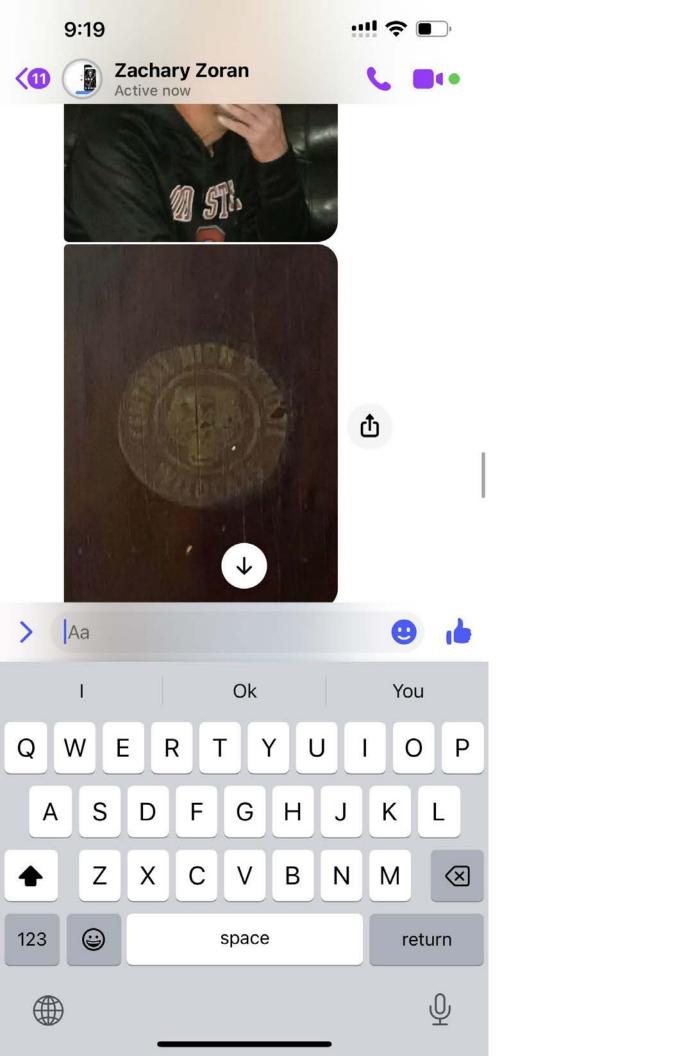
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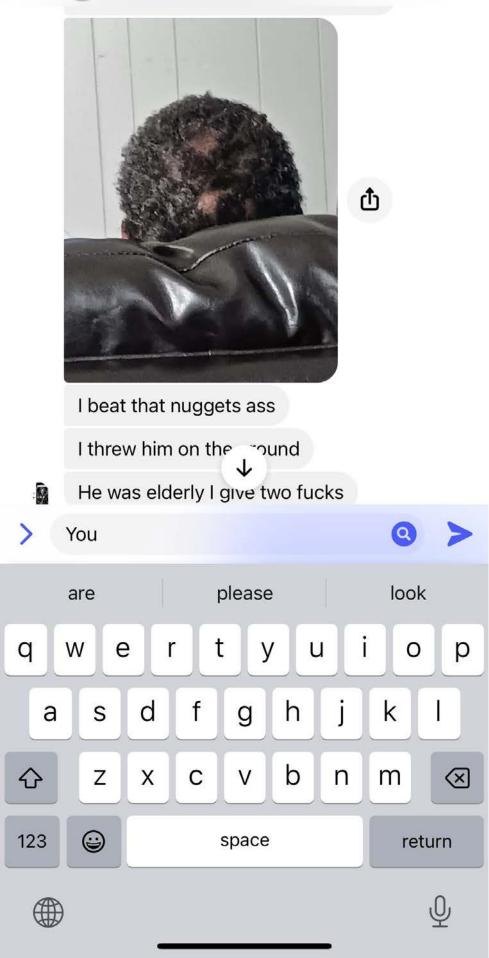




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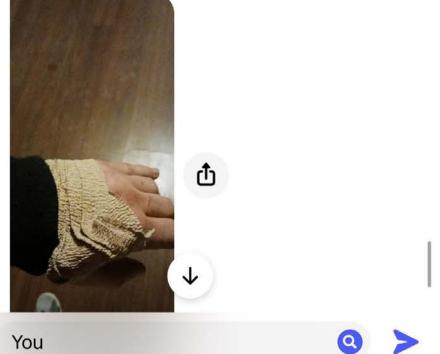
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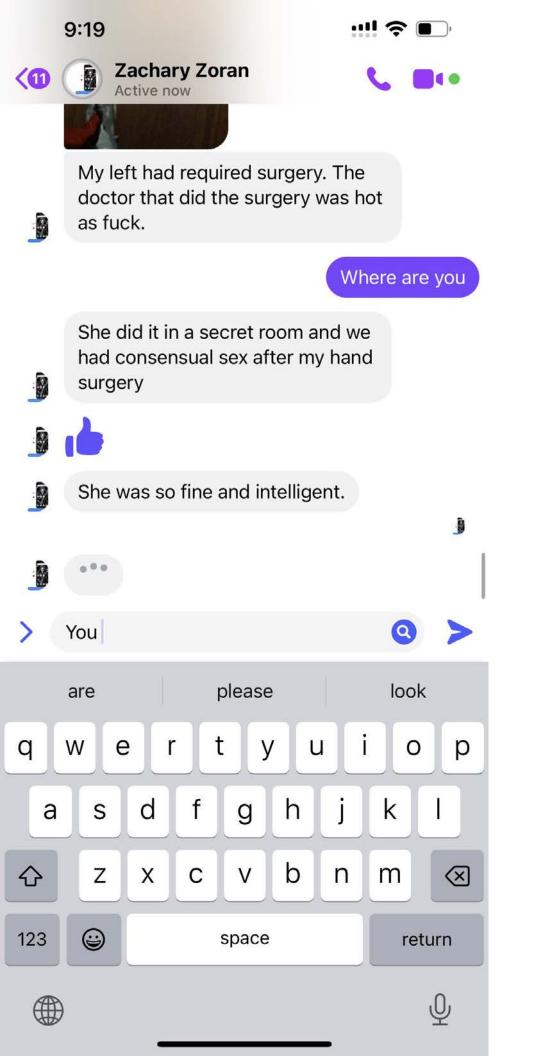
I will bring your son to you

I punched him in the eye. I threw him on the ground and slammed him head into the pavment



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Photo 😒

Done

Emily I'm not one to fuck wit whatsoever. But I'm starting to think maybe Aunt Sherry doesn't know this time. She's super intelligent so I thought she would know where Gabriel was.

I love you Christina Page and Aunt Sherry I always have I may have but wrong abit threwout my journey and I may owe people omens. But I'm gets closet to figuring this out.

Been wrong abit

Closer

By the way Emily I'm sorry to you and all your sisters and Aunt Sherry

Aunt Sherry is fucking the smartest female I have ever met in my whole life

SUN 9:42 PM



So where are you at.

