

# CONFIDENTIAL BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION

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Wrisley, Darrell



Position: Community Service Officer

## INFORMATION REGARDING ALLEGED CHARGES

This section is mentioned first due to the fact that most of the character and employment references refer to the below incident in my interviews with them.

Darryl Wrisley was accused in December of 1992, of Attempted Sodomy, Attempted Rape, and Official Misconduct. It went before a Grand Jury. The Grand Jury returned Not a True Bill. His accuser is Kay Williams. Kay Williams is an unemployed dispatcher. She has been a dispatcher at various departments. At one time, she worked for the Washington County Sheriff's Office. *OSP-42-16306*

### Wrisley's story regarding the allegations:

Darryl and Kay met at an ONEA conference in December 1992. Darryl asked Brenda Noble and Kay, who were bartenders at the conference, if they would be interested in purchasing a raffle ticket for the conference. They did purchase a raffle ticket. He asked them to put their names, addresses, and phone numbers on the back of the ticket so he would know if they one where to go to give them their gift.

At that time, Darryl didn't know Kay; and Kay didn't know Darryl (just this casual contact at the conference). Kay happened to win the sweatshirt. Darryl took it to her house the day after the conference. He gave her the sweatshirt and talked to her casually at her place. She mentioned to him "if you only knew what I was thinking." He said, "What's that?" She told him "It's too bad you have a girlfriend," and he replied, "Yeah I do." He turned around and left her home. As he was walking away she asked him if he was on duty, and he responded yes that he was.

### Kay Williams story regarding the allegations against Wrisley (Per OSP Crime Report - attached):

According to Kay Williams, Darryl called her on December 11, 1992, and told her that she had won an ONEA sweatshirt. He told her that he wanted her address so he could respond and deliver the sweatshirt.

He went to her house at approximately 1:45 p.m. He gave her the sweatshirt and

talked casually. She said Darryl was talking about his girlfriend and him wanting to either buy a house or have one built. He said he liked her (Kay's) house, and Kay showed Darryl around.

They went upstairs and they talked briefly about the sports posters up, and they briefly talked about that. As they began to leave the upstairs bedroom, the conversation stopped. She said that Darryl asked her what she was thinking about. She told him that he really didn't want to know. There was another short pause, and she turned to exit the bedroom. At that point, Darryl grabbed her and kissed her on the lips. She then pushed him back but was unable to break contact with him.

He moved his hands down to her pants and unbuttoned the top button of her pants. She grabbed her pants at that time and told him "I don't think so" and began to button them back up. He moved his hands back up from her pants and moved them up under her sweatshirt. She pushed his hands down and pulled her sweatshirt back down and retreated to the other side of the bedroom. She at that time told him that her kids were about to come home from school.

As she was looking out the window, he moved up to her again and reached around her and pulled the mini blinds down. She began to back up at that time, and he continued to move toward her. She said that his body moved up against her and caused her to lose her balance. The back of her legs were pushed up against the edge of the bed in the room.

She then fell backwards on the top of the bed in a sitting position. He continued to move down on her with his body attempting to force her upper body down onto the bed. She then fell back onto the bed, and he moved his hands up under her sweatshirt, moving her sweatshirt up over her breasts exposing them.

He bent down and placed his mouth on her breast. She attempted to get away and pushed him off but found that he was very strong and couldn't. At that point, he grabbed her hand and placed it on his crotch. She immediately moved her hand, and he began to try and unbutton her pants.

She kept trying to get him to stop, and the next thing she remembered was that he had his penis out and was attempting to place his penis in her mouth. She kept turning her head back and forth trying to get away. She was finally able to get him off balance and move away.

She then told him to just go, and she told him to get up. She began to retreat from the room. After the incident occurred upstairs, she came downstairs and went over to the doorway. A few moments later, he came down. She answered a couple of questions of his concerning the bus. She moved toward the front door and of the residence to show him out.

He then moved to the front door and stood in front of it which disallowed her to be

able to open the door. He then asked her what she was thinking about upstairs, and she asked him why he would do this and if he had a girlfriend. He responded by stating that it must be his "hormones."

He then moved toward her again and moved his hands up under her sweatshirt and onto her breast. He then stated something about her not wearing a bra, and she stated she didn't wear a bra. He then asked her if she was expecting this. He then moved his hands onto her crotch, and she moved away immediately. He then said that he better go and opened the door.

She did say that at no time during the incident did he threaten her or apply any threats towards her. She stated that she was just scared of him and was afraid that she was going to be raped.

At one point, she moved away from him and looked out the window to distract him. She was thinking that maybe he would "get the hint" that she's not interested, that it's going to stop and that's when she got on the bed by pushing her with his body. She was telling him at that point "this isn't right," that her kids were going to come home; but he still wouldn't stop.

In the interview with the Oregon State Police, the detective asked her, "Did you knock his hands away," and she said, "No."

Contact with [REDACTED]

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I received the Oregon State Police report December 1, 1993.

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She apparently worked at Coos County Dispatch Center. I called Coos County Dispatch Center to confirm that and to get any kind of information on her that I could to confirm or deny her credibility. I was unable to confirm that because there was no record of Kay Williams at Coos County.

I also called Double A Ambulance, and they had no record of Kay Williams. At Coquille, there was no record of her.

It seemed like everybody I called, didn't know her.

[REDACTED] told me that there was a "Gag Order" at the Clackamas County Sheriff's Office that they are not to talk about Kay Williams, so I didn't even make any contact at the Clackamas County Sheriff's Office.

## EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Darryl worked for Washington County Sheriff's Department from January 3, 1989 through February 1993 when he was terminated. He was assigned to the narcotics unit at the time of his termination. The reason for his termination was that a complaint was filed against him for offensive touching and inappropriate sexual behavior.

The complaint alleges this incident occurred while Darryl was on duty and at Kay Williams's home. An internal investigation was conducted and sustains violation of the following policies and general conduct.

Highest Professional Standard of Conduct  
Reasonable rules and conduct. Bringing discredit upon the department.  
Absence from duty.  
Compliance with State, Federal, and Local laws and rules of the county and department.  
Energies were not devoted to responsibilities of their position and did not receive permission from superiors prior to said conduct.

The above violations were stated in a termination letter from Sheriff Spinden. Darryl did not respond to the complaint and took the Fifth at the advice of his attorney. He was terminated February 20, 1993.

In looking at his personnel file, all of his performance reviews were very, very positive. Sgt. Kevin Henderson wrote that "Darryl excels in all of his assignments and learns quickly. With additional school and job experience he will become one of the best in his field." Darryl was on the Tactical Negotiations Team and an Assistant Range Master. He was also a top producer in the INET Unit.

Captain Conley wrote that his (Darryl's) "interaction skills are exemplary."

### EMPLOYMENT REFERENCES

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CONTACT WITH DARRYL WRISLEY

On November 23, 1993, Darryl came to the police department per my request. Darryl said that he was fired before the Grand Jury came back. Darryl said that the Washington County District Attorney wouldn't take the case, Clackamas County wouldn't take the case, and that because Darryl knows so many of the district attorney's they had to go through three or four district attorney's before somebody in Multnomah County would actually take the case.

Darryl told me that the Grand Jury came back with Not a True Bill within ten minutes. There were no criminal charges. Darryl told me that he did not know Kay Williams before the conference. He strongly denies anything happening. Darryl did tell me that he has a tattoo in his lower abdomen area. He told me that Kay never mentioned that tattoo, and he said that it's very noticeable.

Darryl told me that he took the sweatshirt by Kay's, and they were just having conversation. When he got ready to leave, Kay said, "If you only knew what I was thinking." He said to her, "What's that?" She responded, "Well it's too bad that you have a girlfriend." He said, yes he did have a girlfriend.

Basically, at that point the conversation ended. He began walking to his truck. He said at that time, "Are you on duty?" He told her he was.

Darryl was very open. He did not hesitate answering my questions. I did discuss with Darryl the Community Service Officer position and what the job entailed. I told him that I was concerned because he does have an arbitration hearing December 8, 9, and 10, 1993, concerning his job at the Washington County Sheriff's Office. He told me that he's not interested in getting his job back so much. He said that if he had another job he would take that. Darryl told me that it is very, very, important to him that he clear his name. This is the main purpose for the arbitration hearing.

He told me that he was interested in coming to the Lake Oswego Police Department to work as a police officer before this situation ever occurred. He told me that last time Lake Oswego had openings, he didn't make the cut-off because he was tied up on a drug arrest, or some type of search warrant. so he applied for the Community Service Officer position. He is married now and has a baby on the way. He is looking at something with some stability. He does have his own construction business, and the monthly salary fluctuates.

Darryl handled himself very well considering the stress that he's been under in the last year. I think he has done very, very well.

### CONCLUSION

I think that Darryl sounds like an excellent employee from what his superiors have told me about him. His co-workers said that he is very loyal and hard worker and seems to excel at whatever he does.

On the other hand, this issue would be a concern due to the fact of the seriousness of the allegations. In defense of Darryl, there was Not a True Bill that came out of the Grand Jury. Apparently, there was not enough evidence to press charges against him.

I have tried very hard to run down some rumors on Kay Williams, whether or not she is a credible person or not. I have not been able to confirm that. All the information that I have gotten has been second and third-hand information on her reputation. People say, "Well, I've heard this," and I've heard that "she works at agencies and then she sues them." I have been unable to confirm that she's even worked at other agencies. The only agencies that I know for a fact that she worked for was Washington County; and according to [REDACTED] Clackamas County.

I did not contact Kay Williams, because I had heard that currently there is a law suit that she has filed against the county concerning this matter; so I knew that she wouldn't speak with me. When I did call [REDACTED] with the idea of trying to get in contact with Kay Williams, [REDACTED] did not give me Kay Williams's phone number.

Again, I will say that I was very impressed with Darryl when I met with him. He seems to work well and relate well to people. I felt very comfortable with him. Darryl truly likes law enforcement. I feel that he would really like to get back into it.

He told me at the time that I spoke with him that he would enjoy being a Community Service Officer, but eventually he would like to become an officer again. He wants to "clear his name" with Washington County, and that's why the arbitration hearing. He told me if he was offered a job, he would definitely take it.