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**AUTOPSY**

DECEASED: TACKETT, TITUS G      AUTOPSY #: A-16-20  
AGE: 3 Year Old Caucasian Male  
DATE OF BIRTH: 01-24-13  
DATE OF DEATH: 02-10-16  
DATE OF AUTOPSY: 02-11-16 @ 09:20  
SITE OF AUTOPSY: Parkland Health Center-Weber Road Morgue  
Farmington MO  
AUTHORIZATION: Anthony Cole, Coroner  
Iron County

IN ATTENDANCE: Anthony Cole, Iron County Coroner  
Jeremy Wendon, Sgt, Missouri State Highway Patrol  
Jared Debechic, Chief Deputy, Iron County

#### EVIDENCE OF INJURY:

Near the mid forehead is a 3 x 2 cm. abrasion. Directly above the mid left eyebrow is a 2 x 1 cm. abrasion. Above the medial right eyebrow is a 3.5 x 3 cm. abrasion. Just above this is a 1.2 x 1 cm. abrasion.

Subsequent autopsy of the head shows a 3 cm. subcutaneous contusion above the right eyebrow. There are no cranial fractures. There are no collections of blood in the cranial vault, and no cerebral contusions. There is no trauma to internal structures of the neck.

On the medial left chest is a 7 x 6 cm. abraded area with linear vertical scrapes. On the mid right chest is an 8 x 6 cm. similar abraded area with linear vertical scrapes. Over the right chest extending downward onto the right and mid abdomen are scattered vertical linear scrapes up to 6 x 0.1 cm. On the extensor surface of the proximal left forearm is a 4 x 2 cm. abrasion. Just distal to the right elbow is a 7 x 5 cm. abraded area, with linear scrapes within it. On the extensor surface of the right forearm are smaller superficial abrasions up to 0.5 cm. Over the right knee is a 9 x 9 cm. area of scrapes and abrasions, with the individual abrasions measuring up to 2.5 cm. Over the left knee are small abrasions in a 6 cm. area. On the medial left upper knee is a 5 x 1.5 cm. abrasion. On the ankles and dorsum of both feet are faint purple contusions up to 3.5 cm., and small, 1 to 6 mm. abrasions. **There are no abrasions, scrapes, or contusions on the soles of the feet.**

Subsequent autopsy of the chest and abdomen show no fractures, no collections of blood or fluid in the chest or abdomen, and no acute injuries to internal organs.

#### CONCLUSION:

In consideration of the circumstances surrounding the death, and after examination of the body it is my opinion that Titus Tackett, a 3 year old male, likely died as a result of hypothermia. The deceased was found inside of a vehicle, parked outside, in sub-freezing temperatures. The multiple scrapes and abrasions on the body are consistent with a child scrambling through brush, however, the absence of findings on the bottom of the feet is of some concern. The manner of death will be left undetermined. If additional information arises at a later date, this manner can be amended.

MANNER OF DEATH: Undetermined

Russell D. Deidiker, M.D.  
Pathologist  
Missouri Area Pathology LLC  
Farmington MO

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Hello, Mr. Garrett. The pathologist stated that Titus's feet were completely clean. Do you have an opinion as to why they were clean? Thank you.

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**John Patrick Garrett**



Hello, [REDACTED]. I have not seen any pathologist report ever nor have I ever heard of such a report. I do however recall talking face to face with the coroner who conducted the autopsy. His feet were not clean but rather covered with cuts and abrasions. The coroner's office is here in Iron county, MO it is not in Farmington that is a different county. I personally believe that report is a fake. Further more there are multiple ways little Titus could have taken to get to where he was found. I personally walked all of them multiple times and can not understand how he made it

Tony Cole was the Coroner and he did not conduct the autopsy. He attended it. Dr. Russell Deidiker, Pathologist, conducted the autopsy and wrote the report.

Dr. Deidiker expressed concern that Titus's feet were clean and free of injury.

For John Garrett to discredit the report is foolish. Why is

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there? If you want to be an investigator which you most likely are not I would refer you to the Iron county coroner's office. Sincerely



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Thanks for getting back to me. I appreciate it. That's correct, I am not an investigator. I have talked to just about all law enforcement agencies involved. His feet were clean, no dirt, no scratches - nothing whatsoever. I have a letter from Dr. Deidiker confirming that. The coroner did not do the autopsy. There are lots of things about Titus's death that bother me. I have a

copy of the 275 page  
Missouri State Highway  
Patrol report.

[Justicefortitustackett.com](http://Justicefortitustackett.com)

Again, thank you.

|                       | Coroner                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | Forensic Pathologist                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Medical Training      | In many jurisdictions, a coroner is not required to have a medical degree or any specific medical training. They may be funeral directors, law enforcement officers, or public administrators.                                                    | Is a licensed physician with extensive medical training. They have completed medical school and residency, and they often pursue further specialization in forensic pathology.                                         |
| Method of Selection   | Most coroners are elected to the position by a jurisdiction's voters.                                                                                                                                                                             | Are appointed to their positions.                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Core Responsibilities | Oversees the legal aspects of a death investigation. Their duties include identifying the deceased, notifying the next of kin, and signing the death certificate. If an autopsy is performed, they may also be responsible for the investigation. | Performs autopsies and detailed medical examinations to determine the specific cause and manner of death. Their medical analysis helps to establish the cause of death and investigative rather than strictly medical. |
| Expertise             | Their expertise is centered on the investigative and administrative procedures of death investigation.                                                                                                                                            | Their expertise is in the medical and biological effects of disease, injury, and other factors that could lead to death. They analyze toxicology reports, etc.                                                         |



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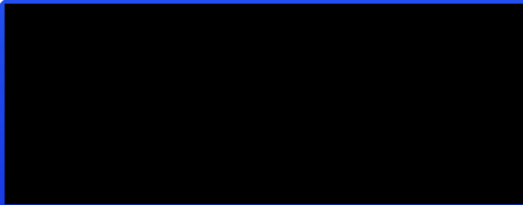
MON 1:33 PM

 I'm being kind talking to you here I see you think very highly of yourself you think you are on to something start being a chip on your shoulder jerk and you will never hear from me again. Have a wonderful day



Innocence or guilt?

MON 2:14 PM

  
I'm not a jerk. I care deeply about what happened to Titus and my sympathy does go out to and all family memb



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MON 5:02 PM

I hope against all odds you are not hard lesson is most people are when they can. Up front I do not give you permission to repeat anything I say to anyone second what do you hope to find out? I'm telling you now you are ripping scabs off of a wound that has barely begun to heal.



I would just like to know how Titus walked that far in the cold and dark barely dressed and picked that van to get into. I'm sure that's what you all would like to know too. Barefoot

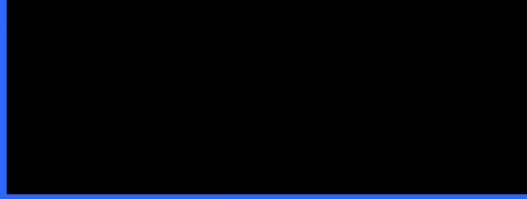
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and no scratches on feet is mind-boggling.



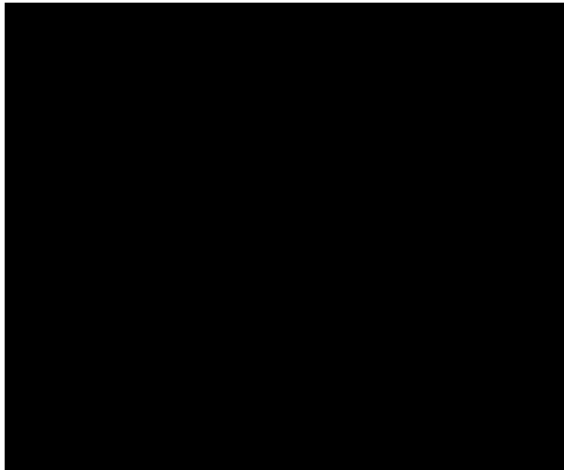
Here's how it happened for me. First I have to ask do you know Jesus are you saved if not I would like to talk with you about him as well.



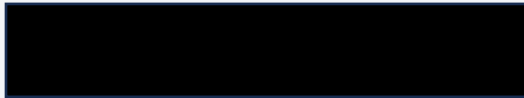
I do not follow Jesus. However, a lot of my friends and family do. No disrespect, but I have talked to many about religion in my [REDACTED] years and do not care to talk about him. I do thank you for the offer though.



That's too bad you should really look into the evidence for his life, death and resurrection. Read Josephus it happened.



I came home that night around midnight I worked a weekend option every one that could relieve me for the 4 days I worked called off. I worked as a licensed professional then. [REDACTED]





MON 6:19 PM

Ok my grand daughter is here now the 1 year old that was here that night she still has problems with it and she was 1. I have to work tomorrow so I will try .



As of 11/5/25 I have not decided if I want to contact him again.