

The Murder of Athena Strand never Happened



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Just my opinion, as usual, come to from the free internet research I show you below

This concerns the 2022 alleged murder of that little girl by a Fedex driver in **Paradise**, TX. Even the name of the town is a clue and marker, chosen for maximum chaos.

How did I know it was fake from go? Her full name is **Athena Presley Monroe Strand**. Four names, all of them red-flag Phoenician names. Normal people do not have four names, and they especially don't have middle names like Presley and Monroe, actually linking them to Elvis Presley and Marilyn Monroe. Oh, and that picture of her mother, Maitlyn Gandy, was also a big clue, for obvious reasons. They are just spitting in our faces there.

Athena's body was found days later, naked and beneath a pool of water at a river crossing. Gandy refused to believe the news when she first heard it from the sheriff. "I asked him if I could confirm that that was my daughter, and he told me, 'No, because she looks too bad.'"

Then there's that, which is absurd. A guy hiding a body wouldn't just throw it in a shallow pool of water, and a body found in water after a few days wouldn't look that bad. But the worst part is the last, which is simply not true: a parent has the right to see her dead child and take possession, no matter what the body looks like. This is just shades of Sandy Hook all over again.

The whole story is like that, full of psychological tricks to mess you up and legal impossibilities. It is one of the sickest I have ever come across. It is also full of the usual numerology. The alleged murderer, Tanner Lynn Horner, was born **August 8, 1991**, aces and eights.

Horner originally pled not guilty in 2023, but for some reason not given they held him for three years without going to trial, and in 2026 he pled guilty, magically avoiding that trial. This obviously goes against the right to a fair and speedy trial, and any good lawyer would argue (probably successfully) on appeal that the guilty plea had been obtained under duress.

Horner was *immediately* convicted on that plea and a jury was allegedly sat **on the same day** to decide punishment. Again impossible, since it takes time to line up witnesses and schedule them. Large numbers of people allegedly testified on that same day, and Horner was sentenced to death.



Not only were DNA tests presented, clips of the **interior** dashcam of the Fedex truck were shown, as you see there. Why would a Fedex truck have an interior dashcam? You would expect the dashcam to be pointed forward, not back. What use would back-pointing dashcams be to Fedex? Do they have a lot of drivers turned kidnappers? Plus, Horner would know there was a camera there and disable it. Even worse, this dashcam had audio, and we hear him talking to Athena, telling her he thinks she is pretty and asking her to take off her shirt. Really? And you buy that? He is going to do that right in front of the Fedex dashcam, which he knows is there?

And Athena doesn't look too scared there, does she? Also note the large black ear insert Horner has in his right lobe.



Who else has a black insert in his right lobe? That would be Athena's father **Jacob** Strand, also testifying on that day. He seems to be hiding behind that beard, doesn't he? His brother's name is **Elijah**. Are you getting it yet?

As you see, they took this opportunity to sell Barbies in the fake court. I am just surprised they didn't flash Home Shopping numbers on the screen. This also proves the fake, since there was no reason for him to be testifying. He wasn't there and didn't see anything, and they admit the parents only testified about the extent of their loss. That isn't allowed because it is considered raw emotionalism, and therefore extra-legal. The jury already knows the parents are distraught—that can be taken as a given—they don't need testimony to that effect or mothers crying on the stand. This is only allowed in fake CIA courts. Before about 2000, you never saw these “impact statements” by family members in the court, either during or after the conviction, and that is basically because CIA didn't think to do it until then. By 2000 they had already had so much success with these fake trials, they figured the sky was the limit. People knew nothing of the law and would believe anything.

Also note this sentencing trial was filmed. I have told you what that means a hundred times: CIA.

So let's look up the judge, George Gallagher. His personal website comes up in the first position, but guess what, it goes to a Wix.com message saying the site hasn't been set up yet. Whoops. Gallagher also presided in the Paxton cases, telling me those may also have been staged. [In Gallagher's bio](#) we find he was appointed to this judgeship out of his previous position as an **assistant** DA, which is what we have always seen in these fakes. Judges shouldn't logically be appointed out of such lowly positions. We also find [this story](#) about him presiding over a case where a guy who allegedly blackmailed a girl into sex got 50 years. That seems a tad excessive, doesn't it? Especially since the story makes absolutely no sense. Go read it if you don't believe me. The girl sent nude photos of herself to a complete stranger over the internet, under no pressure, and the guy then used those photos to blackmail her into having sex with him. He told her he would show the pictures to her friends if she

didn't. But wait, she is already sending the pics to strangers, so what would she care? Sounds like she is proud of her bod. Millions of girls are doing this for money all over the world, if you aren't keeping up. So if she had sex with this guy it is only because she wanted to. She was underage so it is still a crime regardless, but it is hardly cause for 50 years in prison. This is obviously just more Men-are-Pigs, split-the-sexes, scare-you-from-ever-talking-to-women fearporn from CIA.

This is also strange: I found a variant bio of Judge Gallagher from the book *Texas Criminal Jury Charges*, 2025, where it says:

Judge Gallagher has been Board Certified in Criminal LAW since 1987. He is a member of the State Bar of Texas, the Tarrant County Bar Association, Master of the Eldon B. Mahon Inns of Court, former President of the Tarrant County Criminal Defense LAWyers Association, and was the Presiding Judge of the Criminal District Courts and the Statutory County Courts Trying Criminal Cases in Tarrant County in 2005.

So he is way older than you thought from his blurry picture in the Paxton case.



And that says he was a judge only in 2005. [He is said to be the judge](#) of the 396th District Court of Tarrant County, according to the HLAW firm website, but when you take that link, you find the judge [of that district is Vincent Giardino](#).

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Horner was caught within two days, charged within five days, indicted within six weeks, but it took another 37 months to get him to trial. Yes, he requested and was granted a change of venue to Tarrant County (Dallas), but that should not have taken three years. I guess that is because Tarrant County had a fake CIA court already installed, but Wise County didn't.

Prosecutors showed another video showing that the day after the murder, Strand's family members and police officers were searching for Strand when Horner drove past them; a member of the search party told Horner that a young child had been abducted, to which Horner replied, "Are you serious?"^[29]

Wow, what a stroke of luck, right? They got Horner on video the day after the murder, just driving around talking to searchers. Makes perfect sense to me, boss.

At this sentencing trial, they also brought in two women to testify:

On April 7, two women testified that Horner had sexually assaulted them when they were 16 years old. All assaults took place in 2013 and 2014, and Horner was in his 20s at the time. One of the women said Horner assaulted her twice, the first time after he had plied her with alcohol so she would be too drunk to consent, and that when she dated him, he instructed her to lie about her age and tell people she was 18 years old. The second woman testified that he sexually assaulted her in her sleep despite Horner knowing she "was not interested in him like that."

Really, at a sentencing trial, after Horner has already pled guilty and been convicted? Were these two women just hanging around the courthouse for three years, in case they were needed? Again, Horner just changed his plea to guilty a few hours earlier, so how did they line all these people up so fast?

One of Horner's cousins alleged that Horner sexually assaulted him twice during his childhood and adolescence, and also revealed that Horner had told him he wondered how it would feel to kill a person.^[35]

I'm sorry, that doesn't happen in real trials. Get a clue.

After Horner's sentence was pronounced, a victim impact statement was read aloud by Strand's uncle, in which he said to Horner, "I want you to know that you are nothing. You are a footnote in Athena's story. Her name will forever be remembered, her name will forever be celebrated, and everyone will forget you."^[47]

Ditto that. And note the footnote number: year one of the CIA. CIA owns Wikipedia, too, you know. Who do you think is writing these pages?

That same day, Horner went on the stand and testified that he did not kill Strand, his alter-ego "Zero" did it. But wait, I thought he already pled guilty. You cannot plead guilty and then go on the stand and plead not-guilty. But then they also had time to bring on Horner's mother, who testified at great length about how his father had raped her, causing his birth, and that she smoked, drank, and abused drugs while carrying him. Psychiatrist Eileen Ryan then went on the stand and testified Horner was autistic, bipolar and ADHD, but that these had nothing to do with the crime. Next was Aaron Specht, an environmental health professor from Purdue, who testified that Horner had significant lead exposure as a child, but again that had nothing to do with the murder. Eric Imhof, forensic psychologist, then took

the stand, confirming Horner was bipolar but not schizophrenic, as in having split personality. Forensic psychologist Kim Spence then testified to much the same thing. Dr. Julian K. Davies then testified that although Horner had “moderate brain disfunction”, it did not make him incompetent to stand trial. In other words, every Jewish actor in the Dallas/Ft. Worth metroplex was hired on taxpayer money to blab at this fake trial.

Do you see a problem? This must have been a 100-hour day, to include all that testimony, plus the two ladies he also raped, plus the DNA evidence, plus the video footage, plus Horner's own testimony and theatrics, where he tried to compete with Charles Manson. And once Horner went on the stand and re-pled not guilty, claiming a split personality, the judge should have stopped the trial and re-tested Horner for schizophrenia and competence, ordering a competency hearing. Remember, Horner had *just changed his plea to guilty that morning or the previous day*, under duress of being incarcerated without trial for three years, so all this expert testimony was outdated. If any of these doctors or experts had interviewed or tested Horner, it might have been as much as three years ago. Under the circumstances, any appeals court would not let it stand.

In fact, Horner was just sentenced to death last month, in May, so they may draw this out a few more years on that basis. They need to keep this fake in the news as part of Operation Chaos, and that may be the way they intend to do it. Horner appealed on May 12.

We can also tell this was manufactured by the aftermath, where

In December 2022 several school districts across Texas encouraged their students to wear pink-colored clothing in honor of Strand, and more than 20 of those districts participated in this special remembrance event.[53] A vigil was also conducted in remembrance of Strand, and many of the mourners also wore pink to remember the girl.[54]

In January 2023, in honor of Strand, toy company Mattel donated 2,000 Barbie Dolls and other toys to the Cook Children's Medical Center in Fort Worth, Texas.[55][56]





Are you sick yet? The Texas legislature also passed an Athena Alert, like the Amber alert, to clog up your phone further with CIA trash.

So let's look up Tanner Horner. Radaris lists him in Ft. Worth as his current address, not Livingston, where Texas death row is. Polunsky does list him as an inmate, but the big computers don't seem to know it.

Let's also do a search on the mother Maitlyn Gandy. Truthfinder lists her as Maitlyn Presley Wales Meisner, 30, of Comanche, OK, which is a mouthful. She is not related to any Strands there, so that's a big mystery. Only Kulbeths. There is a Rickey Gandy, same age, so we guess he is her second husband.

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 NAME	 AGE	 LOCATION	 POSSIBLE RELATIONS
Maitlyn Presley Wales Meisner COMANCHE, OK	30	Comanche, OK	Rickey Gandy Beverly Kulbeth Steven Kulbeth Kaden Jones Keeland Kulbeth

Through the Kulbeths, we find her Meisner link is Gerald R. Meisner, 55, though he seems to be more linked to Beverly Kulbeth. Truthfinder lists him three times, twice for Weatherford, TX, and once for Lawrenceville, GA. He has also lived in Oklahoma City and many other places, but not Comanche. FastpeopleSearch lists him as AKA Srijana Craine, which can't be right, since she is a she and 53, not 55, in a million-dollar home in New Hampshire.

At Fastpeople we find Meisner is indeed married to Beverly Kulbeth, so we are not sure why Maitlyn is named Meisner. Perhaps that is her maiden name and Gandy is her new married name. But here's the clincher:

fastpeoplesearch.com/maitlyn-meisner_id_G-3857296053411978201	
Stephens County Recorded April 2025	Stephens County Recorded August 2018
100 Seminole Dr, Unit 17 Comanche OK 73529 Stephens County Recorded November 2016	282458 Sunray Dr Comanche OK 73529 Stephens County Recorded June 2010

 **Relatives of Maitlyn Meisner in Comanche, OK**

Rickey Gandy Age 30 (Sep 1995)	Debra Bethany Age 51 (Apr 1975)	Katherine Horner Age 26 (Jun 1999)
Amanda Horner Age 34 (Aug 1991)	Amber Epperson Age 36 (Jun 1989)	Brenton Gandy Age 38 (Sep 1987)
Bridget Searfoss Age 27 (Jul 1998)	Candice Chandler Age 49 (Aug 1976)	Carl Chandler Age 62 (Jul 1963)
Chesney Gandy Age 40 (Sep 1985)	Christop Gandy Age 52 (Sep 1973)	Christopher Bethany Age 50 (Mar 1976)
Christopher Gandy Age 52 (Sep 1973)	Christy Dodson Age 52 (Mar 1974)	Cleve Bethany Age 75 (Jan 1951)
Cleveland Bethany Age 54 (Feb 1972)	Earl Chandler Age 88 (Sep 1937)	Ella Chandler Age 80 (Aug 1945)
Erin Schlottach Age 43 (Dec 1982)	George Epperson Age 60 (Apr 1966)	Grace Epperson Age 97 (Jun 1928)

Do you see it? She is related to a Katherine Horner. What is the murderer's name? Tanner Horner. In fact, we can link Katherine Horner of OK to [Brittany Horner of Clinton, OK](#), formerly of . . . Ft. Worth, TX, where Tanner is from. If you think that is just a wild coincidence, you aren't thinking. I am done here.