

Abby Wray,

First and foremost let me explain why I sent this form for how to send money to me. I have sent this to any and all of those that can write for the fact that I have no family left to help me out and I am indigent. I have nothing but what I get from KDOC and that runs short more often than it should. I just get by as best I can. Even when I did have family we never ever had more than just enough to get by. So since I am sure that the station has made a good bit through their coverage of me over the years I am always hopeful that there may be someone who may be willing to give a poor person a small helping hand. But that is the ONLY reason that I send it.

Now on to the real reason why I am writing back this one last time. Today is my birthday 6-22-57 number 69 so since I am not going to get any gifts I decided to give one instead. I thought about what I sent before and at least one thing I felt I needed to clarify per your second letter has pointed out a couple of things that should be embellished.

First I told you the fact that I never tried to hurt anybody, but my sis for a couple of years, but the way I left it made it sound like I was trying to paint myself as a Saint and I now want to clarify that though I never tried to actually hurt anyone I must admit that I have had many times had some awful evil thoughts about others who have wronged me. I am human and human nature alone will lead to those type of thoughts. So, no I am not any where close to being a Saint.

Now to touch on what you are wondering about. Yes, I did have a rough childhood but there are so many others who have had much worse than mine so I am not special in that department at all. I did find it hard to fit in because I was so shy and could not relate to others very well.

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at all. Not to mention having to deal with bullies in and out of school. I was always an outsider from age 8 on. The only places I was able to feel plugged in were watching TV, or out in the Woods, or at Church especially on singing nights. I still love to listen to Gospel music, which is what I am doing while writing to you now.

I do not know if all my problems in holding a job was beyond my control for I still had a difficult time fitting in with other people, but I do feel, that for the most part, that yes I believe that most of the factors were beyond my control.

You asked about the Heat Treatment Company I had started working for. The best that I can remember the name was Vulcan or something like that. It was located just on the west side of the Arkansas River I think just a little south of Kellogg. At least I think its Kellogg. Its the main strip that runs on the south side of the Holiday Inn. I can only remember one chemical that was being used and that was cyanide salts. Only a tiny bit of vapors from those will mess with a persons mind a lot and the only safety equipment that we had at that time were gloves, aprons, and face shields. This is just a year or two before OSHA cracked down on the safety equipment and all that companies like that had to have for their employees. No, I never recieved any treatment for chemical toxins but I do believe it was only a temporary thing with me. I pointed all this out when I filed my one and only time for Clemency as I have also told the Parole Board as well. To no effect.

When I had my heart attack 5 years ago I was then, and am now still, tired of this kind of life.

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I said do what is normally done with my condition but if my Lord and Savior puts in an extra call for me to come home then let me go. That is why I have a standing DNR order on me. (That's Do Not Resuscitate) In other words if my heart just stops do not attempt CPR on me. I am tired of it all in this type of life style. But I do feel that I could be of help if I ever got out ~~for~~ for those I would go to live with. I would love to be able to help others if given the chance.

As for the Parole Board, Yes I do get a chance to see and speak to at least one member either in person or on video each of the 5 times I have come up for parole. I was given the maximum pass each and every time. 3-3-10-10-10. In that order and the reasons for this was the same all 5 times. Not enough time served and public comments against me. I can not force them to accept the truth when they are so set on believing something else. All I can do is keep telling the truth for I refuse to go along with the Bull Shit that most of them believe as truth about me. What would my perspective of justice be? I do believe that the fact that I too am a victim of all this should be looked at as well. I know that 3 people lost their lives as well as 7 others injured and the impact of all this on their families as well. I too was filled with bullets from the officers that has now at this time left me a bit crippled. 51 years will have passed when I see them next year. I have lost all of my family except my 2

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nephews and their families and at least one cousin who is the only one who gives me at least a little contact. I still feel I can be of at least a little help out there if I can be given the chance to do so. That would be my perspective of justice. Give me a chance to at least try and do some good.

I can not call you for they are very weird on who we can call. I hope this LAST time is all the help you need. It is what it is.

Take Care &

God Bless.

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