

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI
AT INDEPENDENCE

POLICE NO. :	17-058838
PROSECUTOR NO. :	095440950

STATE OF MISSOURI,	)	
	)	
PLAINTIFF,	)	
vs.	)	
PATRICK L. BARKWELL	)	
11409 E. Anderson,	)	CASE NO. 1716-CR
Sugar Creek, MO - 64054	)	DIVISION
DOB: 07/09/1966	)	
Race/Sex: W/M;	)	
SSN: XXX-XX-████	)	
DEFENDANT.	)	

COMPLAINT

Count I. Murder 2nd Degree (565.021-001Y19840903.0)

The Prosecuting Attorney of the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, upon information and belief, charges that the defendant, in violation of Section 565.021, RSMo, committed the class A felony of murder in the second degree, punishable upon conviction under Section 558.011, RSMo, in that on or about on or about August 17, 2017, in the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, the defendant knowingly or with the purpose of causing serious physical injury to C King caused the death of C King by shooting him.

The range of punishment for a class A felony is imprisonment in the custody of the Missouri Department of Corrections for a term of years not less than ten (10) years and not to exceed thirty (30) years, or life imprisonment.

Count II. Armed Criminal Action (571.015-001Y19755213.0)

The Prosecuting Attorney of the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, upon information and belief, charges that the defendant, in violation of Section 571.015, RSMo, committed the felony of armed criminal action, punishable upon conviction under Section 571.015.1, RSMo, in that on or about August 17, 2017, in the County of Jackson, State of Missouri, the defendant committed the felony of murder in the second degree charged in Count I, all allegations of which are incorporated herein by reference, and the defendant committed the foregoing felony of murder in the second degree by, with and through, the knowing use, assistance and aid of a deadly weapon.

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The range of punishment for the offense of Armed Criminal Action in violation of section 571.015 RSMo. is imprisonment in the custody of the Missouri Department of Corrections for a term of years not less than three (3) years without eligibility for parole, probation, conditional release or suspended imposition or execution of sentence for a period of three (3) calendar years.

The facts that form the basis for this information and belief are contained in the attached statement(s) of facts, made a part hereof and submitted as a basis upon which this court may find the existence of probable cause.

Wherefore, the Prosecuting Attorney prays that an arrest warrant be issued as provided by law.

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DET Kyle Jarnagin , 223 N. Memorial Drive, Independence, MO - 64050

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PO Kelley Rupert , 223 N. Memorial Drive, Independence, MO - 64050

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PO Brian Weiter , 223 N. Memorial Drive, Independence, MO - 64050

PROBABLE CAUSE STATEMENT

Date: 8/19/2017

Report #: 2017-58838

I, Kyle Jarnagin, a Detective with the Independence, Missouri, Police Department, knowing that false statements on this form are punishable by law, state that the facts contained herein are true.

1. I have probable cause to believe that on 8/17/2017, at 2250 hours, Patrick L Barkwell, (Race- White, Sex- Male, DOB- 07/09/1966, Address-11409 E Anderson, Sugar Creek Missouri, 64054, SSN- 4 [REDACTED]) committed one or more criminal offenses in Jackson County, Missouri.

2. The facts supporting this belief are as follows:

On 08/17/2017 at approximately 2245 hours the Defendant, Patrick L Barkwell, went over to 1518 S Pearl with his neighbor, Deanna Arnold, in an attempt to get her vehicle back that was parked in the driveway. Mr. Barkwell arrived at the residence and was immediately approached by the victim (Christopher King 4-22-84). Mr. Barkwell was still sitting in the driver's seat of his vehicle. Mr. Barkwell had a .22 caliber Ruger revolver on his lap. Mr. Barkwell pointed his revolver at the victim and fired one shot hitting the victim in the chest. The victim walked back towards his house where he became unresponsive and later was declared deceased. Mr. Barkwell left the scene in his vehicle and traveled north on M291 Hwy across the Missouri bridge. Mr. Barkwell threw his .22 caliber Ruger revolver into the Missouri river.

On 08/17/2017 at approximately 2250 hours Officers from the Independence Missouri Police Department were dispatched to 1518 S Pearl on a report of a shooting where a subject was possible unresponsive. Law Enforcement Detectives and Officers initiated an investigation at the scene. During the investigation, Anita King, identified as the victim C. King's mother, was interviewed. A. King identified 1518 S. Pearl as her residence. A. King stated, C. King was also a resident there, and lived in the basement area of the home. A. King stated she had been away from the residence in the time preceding the incident. A. King stated, upon her return home, she observed a red Oldsmobile Bravada passenger car, known to her as owned by Deanna Arnold, parked in the driveway of the residence. A. King stated, C. King and an associate of his, Auana Lungren, had borrowed the vehicle from Arnold within the previous seven days, and had not returned the vehicle as agreed or directed to by Arnold. A. King stated C. King, Lungren, and an unknown white female subject, were all in the basement of the residence. A. King stated, she entered the residence and remained in the "upstairs" area of the residence. A. King stated, she ultimately overheard a door close, and observed C. King, Lungren, the unknown white female subject referenced above, and "possibly another person" exiting the residence and begin walking toward the red Oldsmobile Bravada passenger car referenced above.

A. King stated she approached C. King, prior to the group's departure, and while standing near the driveway, she observed what was described by A. King as a "silver and gold SUV",

approach the residence at a high rate of speed, and stop near the driveway. A. King stated the vehicle was driven by what appeared to be a Hispanic male subject, approximately 50 years of age, and was the sole occupant of the vehicle. A. King stated, C. King observed the vehicle, and verbally contacted the driver while walking towards the vehicle and exclaimed, "What's up?" A. King stated, the driver extended a hand out of the driver's window, while holding a handgun, and stated to C. King, "You're the one who was driving the Oldsmobile." A. King stated the unknown male subject fired one round from the handgun, striking C. King in the chest. A. King stated the unknown male subject then drove from the area at a high rate of speed. A. King stated she entered the residence to use her home telephone to call 911 for help. A. King stated when she entered the residence Lungren and the unknown white female subject were still present near the driveway. A. King stated upon her return to the driveway, Lungren and the unknown female subject were no longer present, and the above referenced Oldsmobile Bravada was gone.

Detectives were assisted by CSI to locate the suspect's firearm with negative results. A search was conducted for a possible ejected shell casing from said firearm with negative results.

Detectives conducted a residence check at 11409 E Anderson in Sugar Creek Missouri to contact Deanna Arnold. Deanna was the registered owner of the red Oldsmobile Bravada that Auana took without permission. Detectives made contact at the address with a subject by the name of Patrick Barkwell, W/M, 07/09/1966. Mr. Barkwell stated he lived at 11409 E Anderson and Deanna lived next door at 11411 E Anderson but she was not at home. Detectives observed a 2001 Gold Toyota Highlander with MO license MN8-A3W and VIN JTEHF21A310029364 parked in front of Mr. Barkwell's residence. The vehicle matched the description witnesses gave of the suspect vehicle. A picture of the vehicle was taken. Detectives interviewed Auana Lungren at the Independence Missouri police department after she was transported from KCPD. Auana had been detained in Kansas City Missouri on an unrelated offense on 08/18/2017. The photo of the Toyota was viewed by Auana during her interview. She positively identified the vehicle as being the suspect vehicle. On 08/19/2017 Detectives created a photo array of Mr. Barkwell and responded to 1518 S Pearl to contact Anita King. Ms. King viewed the photo array and positively identified Mr. Barkwell as the subject that shot her son Christopher. Detective Jarnagin contacted the records unit and had Mr. Barkwell entered as a person of interest. Anita had also advised she received a phone call prior to the shooting from 816-590-0198. She stated she thought the number belonged to Deanna's ex-boyfriend who lived next door to Deanna. A check of the phone number revealed it was registered to Patrick Barkwell.

Detectives D Fries and T Winborn responded to 11409 E Anderson and made contact with Patrick Barkwell. Mr. Barkwell spontaneously uttered "It's the biggest mistake I ever made." Detective D Fries advised Mr. Barkwell there was a stop order for him for a charge of Homicide. Mr. Barkwell stated "I didn't mean to kill him." Mr. Barkwell was taken into custody

and transported to the Independence Missouri Police department for an interview. Mr. Barkwell was advised of his rights and provided a confession of the shooting. He stated he went over to the residence at 1518 S Pearl on 08/17/2017 with Deanna Arnold to get her Maroon Bravada back. Mr. Barkwell stated once he arrived the victim approached his vehicle. Mr. Barkwell stated he brought a .22 caliber Ruger with him which was sitting on his lap. Mr. Barkwell stated he pointed the gun at the victim and fired one shot. Mr. Barkwell stated he left the scene and immediately drove north on M291 Highway and threw the gun over the Missouri Bridge into the river.

Detective Kyle Jarnagin

/s/ Detective Kyle Jarnagin/1408

Print Name

Signature

THE COURT FINDS PROBABLE CAUSE:

Date

Judge