



To Whom It May Concern,

I, Sgt. Joel Heap of the Elbert County Sheriff's Office along with the Investigations Unit, located in Kiowa, State of Colorado has been investigating the allegations of a criminal act committed by Leslie White. Within the past few months I have received multiple phone calls regarding a letter that was sent, presumably by Mr. White. The letter reads as follows;

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Nearly three years ago I was accused of a terrible thing that completely surprised and startled me for I knew I was falsely accused but hardly knew how to respond, and what to do. However I had faith the matter would ultimately be resolved and our good family name restored.

I am so very grateful for the Workers and Friends who have stood by me during these painful, dark, days. God has provided a peace and comfort during this time that I have been very grateful for. Your prayers, letters, emails, and telephone calls have been such a strong support, and have helped to sustain me spiritually and physically.

Blessedly some of the Workers and Friends took the initiative to reconstruct the time and events of this terrible thing, which was to have occurred nearly ten years previous, and were able to prove I was not present at the time and place of the alleged crime. Many people were officially interviewed to build a conclusive body of evidence and get to the truth of this matter. Because of all this effort I am now able to write this letter today with the hope of clearing our family name.

Ultimately local authorities also dropped the complaint and made no charges due to lack of evidence.

This experience has been very painful and humbling and it has taught me so very much. I pray these lessons will stay with me the rest of my days.

Please note, during the next five or six months I plan to be in Colorado working with some of the Friends.



Thank you for your prayers, interest, and every kindness.

Your brother,

Leslie White

I, (Sgt. J. Heap) would like to make it very clear that this case is still under investigation with Mr. White as the suspect of the criminal acts committed. At no point have I or the Elbert County Sheriff's Office made any statements regarding the complaint being dropped due to lack of evidence. In fact, Mr. White has been given the opportunity to give his side of the story since the time of discovery of the allegations, however refuses to do so. Mr. White has never contacted me in any form regarding this case and would have no viable way to make an accurate conclusion or statement that *the local authorities dropped the complaint and made no charges due to lack of evidence*. The offer has always stood on the table for him to come forward and speak with me regarding the events that took place and to this day I have heard nothing from him or the people he claims have reconstructed the time of events and found him not liable. The Elbert County Sheriff's Office will continue to investigate and build our case as information continues to be brought forward.

Regards,



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