

911 CALL

DISPATCH: Minneapolis Police and Fire. Minneapolis Police may I help you? McCabe residence, 3310 Lyndale Avenue North?

Caller hangs up.

DISPATCH: Minneapolis Police and Fire.

CALLER 1: Yes this is a, a, somebody just robbed the flower shop on Lyndale and 33rd and the owner's right here.

DISPATCH: Uh, speak to the owner?

CALLER 1: And she said somebody got shot too. The owner, here, here, here's the telephone. And the police want to talk to you. The police want to talk to you.

CALLER 2: Hello.

DISPATCH: What's happening?

CALLER 2: Uh, listen, get an ambulance right away. I ran out the back door.

DISPATCH: Okay, who got shot?

CALLER 2: My brother is in there.

DISPATCH: Okay, what's your name please?

CALLER 2: Jerry's Flower Shop.

DISPATCH: Jerry?

CALLER 2: On yeah 33rd and Lyndale North.

DISPATCH: J-E-R-R-Y-S?

CALLER 2: Help me, help me. Oh.

DISPATCH: I've already started the police out there.

CALLER 2: Hurry up. Huh?

DISPATCH: I've already (inaudible)

CALLER 2: Okay have them come right away. I don't know what happened. He (inaudible) oh.

DISPATCH: Ma'am calm down. Jerry's Flower Shop?

CALLER 2: Right on 33rd and Lyndale North. Hurry up. Hurry up. My brother's in there. Oh.

DISPATCH: Uh -

CALLER 2: Oh. Are you there?

DISPATCH: Yes who robbed him do you know?

CALLER 2: I -

CALLER 1: Do you know, did you see who robbed you?

CALLER 2: I (inaudible)

CALLER 1: You're not, you don't need to go back down there. Just wait until the police come.

CALLER 2: Oh please (inaudible)

DISPATCH: Has he been shot do you know?

CALLER 1: She said she did see, see the police, she didn't see him.

CALLER 2 screaming in background

DISPATCH: Okay. Does she know who the suspect is?

CALLER 1: Did you see who it, what, what did they look like? Here. What, who were they?

CALLER 1: Here, here, here.

CALLER 2: One guy he, he is an African American, about 22 and he's real dark. He had a hat, he had a hood, hooded sweatshirt and he ran down the alley behind the shop. Oh please hurry up.

DISPATCH: Okay, police already have the call.

CALLER 2: Okay.

DISPATCH: They're on the way.

CALLER 2: Alright.

DISPATCH: You remember it was a black male?

CALLER 2: Yeah. Hurry up. Oh man.

DISPATCH: They're driving there. And he's wearing what?

CALLER 2: Uh, he had a, like a hooded sweatshirt.

DISPATCH: What color?

CALLER 2: I don't know. You'll just have to wait until I calm down. I don't know. Oh please. Okay I gotta go.

DISPATCH: He ran down the alley? Did he have a gun?

CALLER 2: Yeah a big gun. He shot my brother. He -

DISPATCH: He shot your brother?

CALLER 2: He shot my brother. I can't go back in there until I know he's okay. Oh please. He, I don't, yeah I ran out that back door so fast that I'm lucky I didn't get shot in the head. Oh.

DISPATCH: What direction in the alley did he run?

CALLER 2: He went towards 34th.

DISPATCH: Okay, could you give me age, weight, height of the suspect?

CALLER 2: Oh ma'am. He's about 5'10' or 11'. He was thin.

DISPATCH: (inaudible)?

CALLER 2: He was thin about 180 pounds.

DISPATCH: Okay .

CALLER 2: (inaudible) pounds

DISPATCH: How old?

CALLER 2: I'd say in his early 20's.

Someone in the background – Are they on their way?

CALLER 1: I hope.

DISPATCH: Yes they're on the way.

CALLER 2: Oh hurry up.

DISPATCH: They're on the way ma'am.

CALLER 2: Hurry up. Oh hurry up.

DISPATCH: Okay, and do you know where on the body he got shot?

CALLER 2: I, ma'am I ran so fast I don't know, but I want to (inaudible).

DISPATCH: Okay they're on the way ma'am. (inaudible) ambulance are on their way. Ma'am stay with me on the phone okay?

CALLER 2: I (inaudible) nothing.

DISPATCH: What kind of gun was it? A handgun or a big shotgun?

CALLER 2: It was a big, well kind of silver plated. Oh please hurry up. Oh my brother. Oh no, no.

DISPATCH: Do you know what the loss was?

CALLER 2: Huh?

DISPATCH: Was there anybody else involved?

CALLER 2: No it just that guy.

DISPATCH: Only one, one more thing.

CALLER 2: Yeah. Oh.

DISPATCH: How old is your brother?

CALLER 2: My brother's fifty something. Oh, please. Oh hurry up. Oh no. I want to, oh (inaudible) I'm gonna go in there.

DISPATCH: Do you know where on the body he got shot?

CALLER 2: Ma'am I have no idea. I have no idea. Here I'm gonna give you this phone to her.

Someone in background – The police didn't come yet?

DISPATCH: They are driving there as fast as they can.

CALLER 2: Here I want you to talk to her.

CALLER 1: Yeah, but lady just don't go back down there. Just wait.

DISPATCH: Now ma'am, ma'am.

CALLER 1: Yeah.

DISPATCH: Do you know the address of the (inaudible)? I've got you at 33rd -

CALLER 1: What's your address?

DISPATCH: And Lyndale North.

CALLER 1: What is your address?

CALLER 2: 3300 Lyndale. I told her (inaudible).

CALLER 1: 3300 Lyndale North. She's on her way walking back down to the corner.

DISPATCH: A police car and ambulance are on the way ma'am.

CALLER 1: Oh my god.

DISPATCH: Okay, what's the name of the shop?

CALLER 1: It's uh, Jerry's Flower Shop.

DISPATCH: J-E-R-R-Y-S?

Someone screaming in background.

CALLER 1: J-E-R-R-Y.

DISPATCH: Okay, do you hear them coming?

CALLER 1: I hear them coming.

DISPATCH: Yeah.

CALLER 1: Just wait a minute here they come.

DISPATCH: Okay do you, did you see the suspect at all?

CALLER 1: No she just came to my house from two doors down. I was in getting ready to do, dye my hair.

DISPATCH: Okay.
CALLER 1: Here she is now.

DISPATCH: Okay, what is her name? Do you know?
CALLER 1: Uh, what is your name?

Someone calls in the background (inaudible)

CALLER 1: Cindy. I'm going down there too.

DISPATCH: And your Etta McCabe.
CALLER 1: I'm Etta McCabe.

DISPATCH: Okay thank you McCabe for (inaudible) assistance.
CALLER 1: Okay.

DISPATCH: Bye.
CALLER 1: Bye.

FIRST CALL ENDS

CALL 2 STARTS:

DISPATCH: Minneapolis Police and Fire.
CALLER: Hi yeah. Um, I have a lady outside screaming. She said someone shot her brother in the flower shop. I think she's on the phone (inaudible).

DISPATCH: What address?
CALLER: It's 33rd and Lyndale. It's Jerry's Flowers.

DISPATCH: Ah yeah we got another call on that. Um, do you know anything about what's going on?
CALLER: No I'm, I was outside playing with my dog and heard help, help. And I went across the street and she said someone shot her brother and she wanted me to go in the flower shop.

DISPATCH: Was it being robbed? Is he, was he working there?
CALLER: I don't know. She wanted me to go inside and check on him and I didn't know if the person that shot him was still in there so -

DISPATCH: Right.
CALLER: I ran back to my house and called you guys.

DISPATCH: Okay, so she, did she come to your house?
CALLER: No she lives across the street and I just heard someone yelling help. And so I went and checked to see what was going on.

DISPATCH: Oh he was shot inside the flower shop? He didn't work there, he was just inside there?

CALLER: I have no clue. I was just outside with my animal and I heard help and she asked me to go inside. She said she was, it was her brother, but I didn't know -

DISPATCH: That's at 33rd and Lyndale right?

CALLER: Yeah.

DISPATCH: Okay, like I said police are on their way out there. Sounds like it maybe got robbed or something.

CALLER: Yeah okay.

DISPATCH: Did you see anyone leave from there or anything?

CALLER: No I was in my back yard.

DISPATCH: Okay. What's your name?

CALLER: Aaron Stark.

DISPATCH: Then your phone number?

CALLER: 612-588-3832.

DISPATCH: Okay thanks.

CALLER: Thank you.

DISPATCH: Bye.

CALLER: Bye.

END OF CALL 2