

GREENWOOD VILLAGE POLICE DEPARTMENT

Offense / Incident Report

GENERAL OFFENSE INFORMATION

Report Type: Cumulative Report

Agency GV POLICE	Location 4461 S PRESERVE PARKWAY GREENWOOD VILLAGE COLORADO 80121
Case # 15000192	
File #	
Description THEFT-COLD REPORT	
Incident Status INACTIVE	From Date/Time 12/29/2014 00:00
	To Date/Time 01/21/2015 00:00
	Report Date 01/26/2015 13:32
Reporting Officer CHUMLEY, J	Initial Rep. Date 01/26/2015 13:32

OFFENSE(S)

Offense	THEFT OVER \$2000 - OTHER (A)		
Statute	18-4-401		
Attempt Status	COMPLETED		
Offense Status	ACTIVE		
Location	RESIDENCE/HOME		
Computer	N	Alcohol N	Drug N
Weapons	NONE		
Criminal Activity	NONE		
Bias Type	NONE (NO BIAS)	Bias Motivation	

VICTIM(S)

Name	STAPLETON, JENNIFER MARLO			Phone	917-658-0437
Address	4461 PRESERVE PARKWAY S GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80121				
Race	W	Ethnic	N	Sex	F
Height	5'07"	Weight	125	Hair	BLK
S.S.N.	___-__-____	DL. & St.	*****	JRN#	
Type of Victim	INDIVIDUAL	Victim Of	NONE	Injury Type	NONE
Homicide/Assault Circumstance	UNKNOWN CIR				

SUBJECT(S)

Name	MBANGUE, THERESE M					
Address	2591 S EUDORA STREET DENVER, CO 80207				Phone	720-882-6698
Race	B	Ethnic	N	Sex	F	
Height	5'03"	Weight	132	Hair	BLK	
S.S.N.	***-**-****	DL & St.	*****	JRN#		
Sub. Type	SUSPECT	Arrest ID		Citation #		
Notes	VICTIMS NANNY					

Name	TITTMAN, JADE LIAT		
Address	7550 S BLACKHAWK STREET 1302 Englewood, CO 80112		Phone 303-888-7305
Race	W	Ethnic	N
Height		Weight	
S.S.N.	___-__-____	DL & St.	*****
Sub. Type	WITNESS	Arrest ID	
Notes	NANNY		

Name	MURRAY, AJA		
Address	1632 S STEELE STREET DENVER, CO 80210		Phone 201-281-1109
Race	W	Ethnic	N
Height		Weight	
S.S.N.	___-__-____	DL & St.	
Sub. Type	SUSPECT	Arrest ID	
Notes	Baby sitter		

RELATIONSHIP(S)

Person A	JENNIFER MARLO STAPLETON	Relationship	OTHERWISE KNOWN	Person B	THERESE M MBANGUE
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PROPERTY

Property Category	JEWELRY/PRECIOUS METALS		Loss Type	STOLEN
Description	ONE GOLD RUBY DIAMOND 14K BRACELET (BETTERIDGE JEWELRY)			
Notes				
Make		Model		Style
Serial No / VIN				Color
Vehicle Year		Plate No/ State/ Type		
Loss Date	11/1/2014	Loss Quantity	1	Loss Value \$1,000.00
Rec Date		Rec Quantity		Rec Value
Drug Type		Drug Quantity		Drug UOM

Property Category	JEWELRY/PRECIOUS METALS		Loss Type	STOLEN
Description	DAVID YURMAN GOLD RING			
Notes				
Make		Model		Style
Serial No / VIN				Color
Vehicle Year		Plate No/ State/ Type		
Loss Date	11/1/2014	Loss Quantity	1	Loss Value \$650.00
Rec Date		Rec Quantity		Rec Value
Drug Type		Drug Quantity		Drug UOM

Property Category	CLOTHES/FURS	Loss Type	STOLEN
Description	WOMENS STELLA MCCARTNEY BLACK BELT WITH GOLD HARDWARD		
Notes			
Make		Model	Style
Serial No / VIN			Color
Vehicle Year		Plate No/ State/ Type	
Loss Date	11/1/2014	Loss Quantity	1 Loss Value \$500.00
Rec Date		Rec Quantity	Rec Value
Drug Type		Drug Quantity	Drug UOM

Property Category	CLOTHES/FURS	Loss Type	STOLEN
Description	CHIARA KNIT HAT		
Notes			
Make		Model	Style
Serial No / VIN			Color
Vehicle Year		Plate No/ State/ Type	
Loss Date	1/21/2015	Loss Quantity	1 Loss Value \$198.00
Rec Date		Rec Quantity	Rec Value
Drug Type		Drug Quantity	Drug UOM

Property Category	JEWELRY/PRECIOUS METALS	Loss Type	STOLEN
Description	DAVID YURMAN SILVER W/ AMETHYST STONE		
Notes			
Make		Model	Style
Serial No / VIN			Color
Vehicle Year		Plate No/ State/ Type	
Loss Date	12/29/2014	Loss Quantity	1 Loss Value \$650.00
Rec Date		Rec Quantity	Rec Value
Drug Type		Drug Quantity	Drug UOM

Entered By CHUMLEY, J _____

Officer CHUMLEY, J _____

Supervisor BROWN, L _____

GREENWOOD VILLAGE POLICE DEPARTMENT

Incident # 15000192 (Synopsis)

Unknown suspect(s) possibly removed and stole items from victims house.

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Incident # 15000192

CHUMLEY, J

INVESTIGATION:

On 01-26-2015 I was dispatched to a cold theft. The R/P and victim, Jennifer Stapleton [REDACTED] was at the Greenwood Village Police Department to report items that had been taken from her home at 4461 Preserve Parkway South.

I spoke to Jennifer who stated the following:

Over the past 4 months she has noticed items from her home missing. The first item she recalled missing was a set of girl's hair bows which were in her daughter's room. She recalled the bows missing after returning from a vacation with her family. They were all placed in a box and kept together in the room.

In December of 2014 she recalled placing a gold bracelet with a ruby and diamond on it, near her jewelry box as she often does in her nightly rituals. The next time she recalled going to retrieve the bracelet (she does not wear it often) within two days or so, the bracelet was missing. She also placed a David Yurman silver with amethyst stone ring near the jewelry box. The jewelry box was located near a dresser and sometimes placed inside the drawer in the master bedroom. The date range Jennifer believes the items went missing was starting on the week of December 29.

Near December 29th 2014, Jennifer recalled placing a set of earrings near her other jewelry in her room. She wears them often and routinely returns them to the same spot every time she takes them off. Jennifer left them in the same spot and returned to them a day or two later. She discovered one of the ear rings missing.

Recently (January 15th) Jennifer has observed a black womens belt (Stella McCartney black belt with gold hardware) missing from her closet.

The most recent item missing is a snow hat (Chiara knit hat) that she purchased on Saturday, January 17th. She discovered the hat missing on Wednesday January 21st.

Jennifer explained that she and her husband travel often and leave the kids home with three nannies / baby sitters.

Of the three nannies, Jennifer believes Therese Mbangue (05-24-1978) is a suspect in the missing items. Therese was hired by Jennifer in May of 2014 through the recommendation of a mutual friend. She believed that things were going good until she noticed some suspicious behavior from her. She states that during the time the items went missing that Therese was the only nanny who was around or had access to the house. The cleaning company had canceled their cleaning service during the suspected time for a winter storm that had moved in.

She specifically remembers asking Therese about the missing earring near December 24th. Therese stated that she did not see them nor knew where they were. On the day Jennifer found the missing earring she recalled Therese "rushing" out of the house and hardly spoke to her. Jennifer also stated that her husband had returned home early one day to find Therese near their bedside and she acted surprised when he came into the room. He recalled the drawer, where Jennifer sometimes placed her jewelry, open and Therese standing near it. Jennifer asked Therese specifically if she had ever opened the drawer but she stated no. One of the responsibilities of Therese's was to clean the house including their bedroom so it would not be out of the normal chores to be in their room cleaning. He did not see Therese take anything at the time.

Jennifer stated that, at one point, she believed that her and her husband's undergarments went missing. There was some doubt on how many pairs there were but Jennifer believed that 2 of the three

pairs of undergarments went missing. Therese often washed clothing in the home.

Jennifer did admit that among the large household it can sometimes be difficult to keep track of specific items. She stated that she is an organized person but sometimes can lose track among the children and household. Of the items taken she believes that she knows for a fact that they are missing.

Jennifer recalled an instance where her son's favorite drinking cup went missing. She looked throughout the house and observed that it was not in its usual spot among the shelves. She asked Therese about the cup which she stated that she had not seen it. The following day Jennifer found the cup on the shelf where it usually was and where she had previously checked. Therese stated that she did not place the cup there and that she believed that's where it may have been all along.

Jennifer and her husband attempted to investigate the suspicious activity and baited a reading book with "\$20's" visible from the outside. Jennifer's husband placed the money and the book. When they returned they believed that one of the three 20's had gone missing but they couldn't specifically remember how many 20's they had placed in the book.

Jennifer wished to only have the items returned. She agreed that if they were returned that she would not press charges and that the person could remain anonymous.

I contacted Therese. I asked if she recalled Jennifer ever asking her about the items missing. Therese stated that she did and that some of the items Jennifer had found. She stated that she did not take any items and that she was willing to help in anyway possible to help exonerate herself. She stated that she had worked for Jennifer for approx. 7-8 months and enjoyed working for her. She spent a lot of time at the household doing various chores. She stated that it was common for items to go missing in the large house. She also remembered when Jennifer had asked about the undergarments missing. Therese recalled washing them and folding them but does not know where they went missing.

I contacted all of the other nannies as well. Jada Tittman (12-29-1993) has worked for Jennifer for approx. 5yrs. She states that she did not take any items from Jennifer but states that she suspects Therese. She works at the residence Monday-Friday and sometimes sees Therese during the day. She did not have any instances where she observed Therese take any items.

I spoke to the third nanny, Aja Murray (08-03-1988). She states that Therese was a hard working individual whom was very professional. She recalls Therese genuinely enjoyed working for the Stapleton's and worked hard to provide for her daughter who still lives in Africa. She never recalled any suspicious activity on behalf of Therese and sincerely believes that she would not have taken any items. Aja also stated that she did not steal the items nor would she or Therese have any use for them. Aja described Therese as a non materialistic individual who would have no use for the items in question.

All parties were advised that if the items were to return no charges would be prosecuted.

As of now there is insufficient evidence to lead or conclude anyone as a suspect. All individuals are persons of interest at this time.

There are no further leads to follow at this time.

Jennifer will be in contact with any developing information.