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**Fwd: Some info from FB...**

1 message

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**Phil Quinlan** <phil.quinlan@wvc-ut.gov>  
To: Ellis Maxwell <Ellis.Maxwell@wvc-ut.gov>

Wed, Dec 5, 2012 at 10:36 AM

Ellis:

I received the following correspondence from Kiirsi Hellewell. Will you please take a moment to review this, and let's discuss.

Thanks!

Phil

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Kiirsi Hellewell [REDACTED]  
Date: Tue, Dec 4, 2012 at 2:15 PM  
Subject: Some info from FB...  
To: Phillip Quinlan <phil.quinlan@wvc-ut.gov>

Hi Phil,

I'm sure you know who [REDACTED] is, and are familiar with his relationship with Josh. I have a friend on Facebook who occasionally gets messages from him, also through Facebook. My friend lives in Kosovo and I think [REDACTED] feels "safe" talking to her because she's halfway across the world and English is not her first language. She also feeds his ego by pretending to agree with him or feigning ignorance about what he's talking about.

She sent me a few messages from an exchange she had with [REDACTED] a year ago, and then messaged me again today to tell me he'd just written to her again. I thought you should see what he wrote in case it helps with the investigation in any way.

One request: if you do end up talking to [REDACTED] again, please don't tell him that you have these messages from Facebook, or anything that will show him that this woman gave them to me and gave me permission to share them with you. I'd like her to be able to keep getting messages from him. Thank you.

Kiirsi

**WH convo FB.doc**

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September 1, 2011

7:00am

██████████

Hi, Kiirsi,

I hope you are doing well.

I wanted to tell you something.

Long time ago, I and ██████ made a plan. It consisted of me friending ██████ and provoking him, to see what and how much does he know about Susan's case. In a way, I offered my help, because as I live 20 000 miles away, nor him or Powells could harm me in any way.

My correspondence ██████ said at the time) was forwarded to relevant people, including you. But, now she has changed the profile and I can not message her anymore, although my correspondence with ██████ happens from time to time.

If you are interested I can forward you his messages, because you could make a better use of them than me (you know what I mean).

Best,

██████████

8:22am

Kiirsi Branham Hellewell

Thanks, my friend. I'd love to see it. I have been wondering why he's been so quiet lately.

9:01am

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4:24pm

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Saw that you liked the "Stop Josh Powell" site. Interesting... You have to ask yourself a couple of questions. One is who is going to read them? The only people that might read them would be the media and that stunt may backfire. Besides, all you folks on the Susan Powell camp should be encouraging this because it will embolden to maybe leak something that would finally solve this (saying you believe Josh is guilty.) The Susan Powell group has completely destroyed the issue as they have done relatively nothing to find Susan. Most on the site aren't even from Utah and are people who don't even have a life. What was once 45,000 strong is maybe a dozen at best. Sad.

4:40pm

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Comme on ██████, let that poor ladie's bones rest : (((

5:32pm

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I agree however this story will never rest until Susan is found. If Susan is dead then Susan is in a far better place and publishing those journals cannot hurt her. Also you need to realize that although I believe Josh did not harm Susan, this is going to hurt Josh and may end up in time driving the boys from him. I don't like the idea of publishing her journals even if Susan is alive because if Susan came back it would hurt Josh in any child custody case. I'm against the idea. However if you believe Josh is guilty this is a bold move on the Powell's part and maybe they might say something that will lead to finding Susan and a conviction.

5:38pm

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It's a bad move on Steven Powell part. However if I were any of the people who are on that Facebook page, they should quietly be smiling because they want a confession and if Josh were to be guilty I think that's more of a possibility of saying something that would lead to finding Susan. Realize this is a psychological game and the cops will be following any comments being made. Don't you think Stephen Powell has fake Facebook accounts monitoring these comments? I don't know it for a fact but I am fairly sure he has and was monitoring all the comments I made. I am fairly sure the Coxes have those kinds of fake accounts as well. Some piece of information will slip if Josh is guilty so publishing the journals while distasteful, will be a good thing for those who believe Josh is guilty.

5:45pm

[REDACTED]  
COPYRIGHT LAW: Another reason why it's a bad move is if Susan is alive, Josh has no right to publish those journals. That's a major lawsuit as US Copyright law states 50 years beyond the life of the originator. That's not counting the damages having that information published would bring. That's something nobody in the Susan Powell camp is considering.

5:21am

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], as per the "news", I now think you were all the time trying to open my eyes, and I was blind and deaf. If SP was so obsessed with her, he wouldn't let JP harm her, nor would he himself do that. He wanted her all for himself. I have a VERY strange idea all the time, and that SP is keeping her concealed somewhere. Even Steven Koechere story is invented by SP to fool Josh...  
Reminds me of Jozef Fritzl story...  
Don't you think so????

5:31am

[REDACTED]  
The WVC PD verified that Steven Powell was in Washington at time of Susan's disappearance and when Josh was gone on December 7th. The ONLY reasons to take the computers during the last search warrant was to get information where they searched during the Ely search or related to information that might have been contained in the journals

5:34am

[REDACTED]  
Problem with the journals and the Ely search is they are giving Powells victories. Josh is a friend of mine and the Ely search made Josh look innocent. The journal protective order is going to fail because the Powells are going to be able to say that the Coxes are creating their own problem and the journals aren't going to be able to complicate that issue. Journals are being used to help defend the Powells against the abuse the Coxes and Susan's friends are doing towards Josh. So the judge will have to tell Coxes to be quiet if you pull the journals. Victory for Josh.

5:37am

[REDACTED]  
Are you talking about Susan's journals or about SP's journals?

5:42am

[REDACTED]  
You know [REDACTED], you are a very good person, and above all a very loyal friend. But, sometimes I have a feeling that you do not see wood because of a tree : )

the search warrants could be about journals, but their main intention is to find Susan and whatever happened to her. Who cares what was in her teen journals. LA has her adult journals which she kept in her office, after all..

6:10am

I know more about what is going on that you might think. The computers were taken because they want to know what sites the Powells searched during the Ely search. Remember Josh's interview because that interview can be taken two ways. One is that Josh had no involvement in Susan's disappearance or that Josh knows Susan was nowhere near Ely, Nevada. Did Josh search for sites around Ely prior to Susan's disappearance or during the search? That information could lead to helping find Susan. That's why the computers were taken. The journals were added because the Powells have indicated they gave evidence that Susan ran off and it was included because of that and the Coxes were pushing for the journals to be taken as evidence.

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6:45am

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September 2, 2011

10:05am

Kiirsi, please note that I HAVE to be polite and compliment [REDACTED], not because I mean that, but just because that's the only way to make him talk. I am convinced that he knows more than he is saying.

If you want, you might forward those messages to [REDACTED]! He showed interest for who she is. And what is more interesting [REDACTED] told me that she blocked him, and he says that he reads her comments, which means that he has more than one accounts; and she should be aware of that.

Also, I just have to tell you a little bit more about my professional background. I am a medical doctor and I hold a master degree in journalism and communication. I am not religious but have deep respect for Christianity. I was reading in Websleuths the evening when Susan's case broke for the first time. I just said to my self: "God, she could be my daughter" ... Her smile, her dedication for family and community caught me. I wish she comes back safe, and I will never give up in helping those that care for her.

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10:16am

[REDACTED]  
What forum says "I" was involved?

10:20am

[REDACTED]  
Best way to respond that I was involved is to point out for work since Susan disappeared, I have been in New York, Georgia, Florida, Dallas and now doing work for the government back east where I have endured the earthquake and the hurricane while my wife is back in Utah and will have a baby any day now. Ask yourself where would I hide Susan with a pregnant wife and 4 small kids? LAUGHING...

10:27am

[REDACTED]  
I am not sure... it was 4-5 days ago. Some people were speculating saying something like: "Is it possible that WH is keeping her somewhere hidden for SP"?

Something to that effect...they didn't mention your full name, but there was someone that said Hamburglar... I went through the "Stop Josh..." page just now, because I think I read it there... but to no avail.

Maybe they have removed it : S

I do not clearly remember because I am on holiday and I surf on different web pages and news agencies covering Susan's case.

I could have even read it in comments of the articles ...

10:27am

██████████  
Steven Powell was not involved in Susan's disappearance. Law enforcement knows that Steven and Josh do know and have verified that Steven Powell and Josh were never visited any place in common between the last time Susan was seen alive and Josh going back to Washington prior to Christmas. ██████████ was also suspected by many and ██████ wasn't involved either although his behavior was rather odd as well. Only thing Steven Powell could have done is help cover things up and I mentioned that to the police as well as commented on that many times before. What would tell me if Josh was guilty or not was if Josh contacted Steven anytime between the last time Susan was seen alive and when Josh officially heard about Susan's disappearance.

10:28am

██████████  
No ██████████, I never ever thought you could be involved in any way that is why I was shocked with that speculation

10:48am

██████████  
SERIOUSLY... I can tell you with absolute certainty that West Valley City, the Salt Lake District Attorney and the Utah Attorney General are all interested in anybody that thinks I was involved in Susan's disappearance to contact them and to make an official statement. PLEASE tell all those thinking I was involved to call the West Valley Police Department. Those people falsely accusing me are cowards and I really hope they don't bother the police with false accusations. The WPCPD have better things to do than investigate me who didn't hear about Susan's disappearance until 3 days later and did not speak to Josh in the week prior to Susan's disappearance. The other point to make about me not knowing anything is the Powell's bishop's daughter lives right across the street from me and her and husband know my wife very well. If Susan was hiding out at my house she would have known as she has been in my house on a few occasions in the past year.

12:05pm

██████████  
Snipping your message:

“Only thing Steven Powell could have done is help cover things up and I mentioned that to the police as well as commented on that many times before. What would tell me if Josh was guilty or not was if Josh contacted Steven anytime between the last time Susan was seen alive and when Josh officially heard about Susan's disappearance.”

I have two questions.

If, as you say, Josh has not harmed Susan, why would Steven Powell do to help cover things???

And second, why are you so sure Josh has not contacted Steven???

Please don't bring me The Telephone tracking by LA as an argument, Josh could have easily purchased a disposable phone.

3:42pm

██████████  
1) I'm saying that if Josh did harm Susan, then that is something many parents might do especially since this might be a capital case because Josh would have to had moved the body.  
2) I used to work for a cell phone insurance company and wrote part of the fraud system for Sprint. I can tell you that phone calls are billed in telephone terms of a NPA-NXX (areacode + 3 digits) and information on the tower is maintained. That kind of report the police would have gotten and they would have tracked down ALL numbers from the areas that they know where Josh or Steven Powell was. Fairly quick to do that kind of search and with a warrant, that data can be obtained in a few hours. I could have easily gone through that

entire list in seconds without difficulty so I know the cops could have done it. Purchased phones still have to go through a tower.

3:45pm

[REDACTED]  
Cops had no idea at all where Josh was that night!

3:51pm

[REDACTED]  
Not true. That's what they want you to believe but definitely not true.  
In order to drive out to Tooele County Josh would have had to go by several traffic cameras and they have that footage. They don't know exactly where he went but they know Josh went out to Tooele County. Remember they could have arrested Josh for providing false information without arresting for murder (ie Casey Anthony.) Also remember they have cell phone communications on Josh as late as 3pm and that's saying he simply turned on his phone at 3pm. They also have Josh's location where he turned off his phone as well. Even if your phone rings and you don't answer they still know where you are.

3:53pm

[REDACTED]  
but not if you take out the battery

4:39pm

[REDACTED]  
True!  
But look at this the way a prosecutor would. They would know when Josh turned on his phone but no phone turn off. No hitting towers along the way to Simpson Springs. No phone trace would be more damning.

5:10am

[REDACTED]  
By the way... The reason why you don't see me commenting is that the discussion has almost from the beginning turned into an argument. It's all anti-Josh and not really focused on Susan. I think the problems would go away if the simple question is asked "How is this discussion going to find Susan?"  
Top that off is that I still get death threats, have people contacting me claiming to be either Josh or Susan Powell and the list goes on. While the Facebook troll went away (and I know who she was... yes it was a woman) I still get trollish messages.  
In effect why be part of a negative discussion as nobody is working towards the positive.  
Wayne

5:13am

[REDACTED]  
which discussion?  
are you taking about [REDACTED]?

5:33am

[REDACTED]  
The entire discussion. Everything from the families, friends and all the others that have tried to attach themselves to this tragic event. Look at how many people still think that I might have been involved when you have heard me talk about searching since the very beginning. The searches have been a joke and if that was my family member that went missing I would be appealing to every wife and mother to get their husbands to join the search. I would be not only focused on my loved on but on all the other missing as well as the goal

doesn't stop when my loved one is found. Working on improving the technology but the Susan Powell Part 2 group did everything they could to stop me from getting West Valley City support. I haven't even heard anything from [REDACTED] in months but no [REDACTED] was not the troll. By the way... Who is [REDACTED]? See her on that new journal site as well as the person running that site's page. Who is that person as well... Just curious on who I need to avoid if they try contacting me on Facebook.

5:41am

[REDACTED]  
I have no idea who [REDACTED] is, but how could you see her posts... as far as I remember she said once shad she had blocked you!!!!

6:18am

[REDACTED]  
I just checked and I can still see her posts. The problem I have with some of these people is they could be anybody. I knew that bird lady had several accounts and was posting using all of them. I am beginning to think that some of the accounts might be relatives of Josh and Susan tracking what everybody is saying.

6:21am

[REDACTED]  
Off to work...  
I am glad that I'm not involved or commenting publicly anymore. The argument that is going on is rather foul.  
September 2, 2011

2:48pm

Kiirsi Branham Hellewell  
Thanks, and yes, I know you are "playing along with him." :) Thanks!

### **Today (December 4, 2012)**

12:58pm

[REDACTED]  
Kiirsi are you online?

1:30pm

Kiirsi Branham Hellewell  
Off and on. What's up?

1:32pm

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] wrote me again  
I really do not want to upset you  
but I think you should read what he says

1:32pm

Kiirsi Branham Hellewell  
Okay

1:32pm



I'll forward you his messages

1:34pm  
[REDACTED]

2:12pm  
[REDACTED]

Are you still following this story? Wow!

The police were asking me questions about this case just last Saturday and I know why they didn't arrest Josh, who they are investigating and everything else. Surprising how incredibly stupid people are because all the facts our out there in the open and they want to believe the trash.

The West Valley police are investigating a living person for the kidnapping and murder of Susan Powell.

Living means it's not Josh. Police have reason to believe that Josh did not kill Susan Powell but somebody else did. Had the police asked me 3 years ago, I could have helped them with the information because Josh offered me the information the police wanted. Police dropped the ball because I could have gotten that information and they could have possibly have figured out what happened to Susan.

Believe me, if you knew what I knew you would be furious as to why the police couldn't do anything. What the police did wrong was not to tell people to let them do their jobs which you heard me say numerous times. Had people kept their mouths shut and stayed out of it, this big mess wouldn't have happened.  
[REDACTED]

2:20pm  
[REDACTED]

I am following it still buy I didn't came across an article which says that The West Valley police are investigating a living person for the kidnapping and murder of Susan Powell.

could you give me a link?

you have been questioned by police, have you told them what you knew?

if it wasn't Josh than it has to be his father

2:23pm  
[REDACTED]

YES! I was questioned by the police again 8 days ago. The police specifically asked me information related to the passwords on Josh's computers that they took from his home here in West Valley. I knew at least one of those passwords back in November 2009.

2:24pm  
[REDACTED]

nooooooo don't tell me that :/

2:24pm  
[REDACTED]

I can tell you why they didn't arrest Josh. You'll be angry about it.

2:26pm  
[REDACTED]

please go ahead

there is nothing that can surprise me related to this sad story

are you sorry that you didn't gave them password than

maybe that would have saved kids lives

2:27pm

[REDACTED]  
The police are investigating Stephen Powell. They have been from the beginning. Ask yourself, why would they search Stephen Powell's home in Washington if he was in Washington when Susan disappeared. That's 12 hour drive away so they have proof he was here in Utah at the time.

2:28pm

[REDACTED]  
i suspected this  
:(((((((

2:28pm

[REDACTED]  
1) Do you remember when Kiirsi Hellewell said she had been given Christmas presents back from Jennifer Graves that she gave Susan for Christmas?

2:28pm

[REDACTED]  
but Josh knew that I am sure  
yes

2:29pm

[REDACTED]  
1) Jennifer Graves was considered to have tampered with evidence. Jennifer Graves and Kiirsi Hellewell both should have been arrested for theft and receiving stolen property. Because the police did nothing that destroyed almost all of the evidence collected at the Powell home.

2:31pm

[REDACTED]  
was there any evidence related to SP?

2:31pm

[REDACTED]  
2) Do you remember when Kiirsi Hellewell said that she knew about Susan's letter and that in the year prior to Susan's disappearance everything was going very well in their marriage and that she didn't give the letter a second thought?

2:31pm

[REDACTED]  
yes

2:32pm

[REDACTED]  
Yes! My guess is that Stephen Powell dumped Susan's body somewhere in north of the Utah border. Probably in Washington.

2:32pm

[REDACTED]  
Josh knew than that his father was in Utah

2:33pm

[REDACTED]  
2) So if the prosecution presented evidence that the Powell marriage was so bad, then the defense would put on Kiirsi Hellewell and Kiirsi would destroy all of that evidence.

2:33pm

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] he went to pick him in airport when he claimed that he was out sledding

2:34pm

[REDACTED]  
3) I don't think Josh knew his father was in Utah. I think Susan was killed and taken out of the house before Josh got home from taking the boys sledding.

2:34pm

[REDACTED]  
why did he go camping that before reporting her missing  
8than

2:36pm

[REDACTED]  
Because Josh got scared because he came home, saw a mess and ran.  
West Valley police reported Josh was in West Valley at 3pm. My guess is Josh didn't go camping but went somewhere else and slept in the car. Josh wouldn't have need to drive far to make it look like to the boys they were away from home. Just a few miles.

2:49pm

[REDACTED]  
If he didn't know SP did that he would have reported it and not go hiding  
he was than waiting someone to clean it up  
but than why was Susan's phone found in his car

2:51pm

[REDACTED]  
The Powell's only had one car. I forget my phone in my car all the time. Since Susan disappeared, I always try to get my wife to take her phone with her wherever she goes and she forgets it all the time. That doesn't surprise me or if the battery was dead they Josh wouldn't have even noticed the phone.

2:52pm

[REDACTED]  
sim card was not inside

2:53pm

[REDACTED]  
SIM card was later. Besides SIM card does not hold any telephone information and the police know that. (I wrote the fraud system for Sprint.)

2:55pm

[REDACTED]  
you just said that Josh offered you the information the police wanted  
so you know who did that

2:55pm

██████████  
SIM card only holds personal information on the phone, pictures and stuff like that. Voice mail is all stored on the phone company's server along with all calls made or attempted to be made.

Josh offered me the websites for our user's group which would have included the passwords. The police wanted the passwords.

2:56pm

██████████  
and did you gave them to the police now?  
that would help clear Josh's name

2:57pm

██████████  
No! I simply don't remember the passwords. I did know the passwords when Susan disappeared. But not now. I forgot the passwords. That's why I'm upset that the police didn't ask me for that information back in December or January. I could have gotten that information from Josh very easily.

2:59pm

██████████  
:((((  
very unfortunate story :(

3:01pm

██████████  
You can say that again! Stephen Powell is expected out of prison May 2013. The police will be wathing him. I think Susan is buried fairly close to his home in Washington so there is still a chance she will be found.

3:04pm

██████████  
I actually blame others more for the deaths of ██████████ than I do Josh. Josh was just the person who did the crime but other people pushed Josh into a corner and wanted him to snap. While Josh is going to burn in hell for what he did to his sons, I believe others will be joining him.

3:05pm

██████████  
very true  
unfortunatley

3:06pm

██████████  
I was working in Nashville when the story came to a tragic ending. I couldn't eat for 3 days. Was offered \$500,000 to write a book but turned it down.