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ministry and he moved to Australia and has lived there ever since. That was the last contact that she ever had with him.

The Pennsylvania Attorney General's Office was notified of this case in July of 2021 by Bradford County District Attorney Al ONDREY. The PA Attorney General's Office agreed to take over the case.

On 08/20/21 I met with the victim along with Assistant Chief Deputy Attorney General Daniel J DYE. During this meeting S.C. provided me with multiple contacts as to who would remember the relationship that her and FENTON had.

On 09/08/21 at approximately 12220 hours, Christopher Marc EBERLY was interviewed at PSP Towanda regarding this investigation. EBERLY related he knew S.C. from the time they were roughly 12-13 years of age, and they went to the same church together, which was Abide in the Vine. EBERLY related that FENTON would have been in his early 20's and S.C. would have been around 15 years old when they began their relationship. EBERLY related he knew FENTON as he was the youth pastor at the church. EBERLY related S.C. and FENTON became ex-communicated from the church once their relationship went public. He later remembered he believed once the relationship was made public, they (FENTON and S.C.) left shortly after that, and both their families went and started their own church. EBERLY related that it seemed the church felt if they were going to be in a relationship, they were not going to apart of the church. EBERLY related he remembers it being presented as Gods will and it was what God wanted. EBERLY related both of S.C. and FENTON's parents approved of it as well. EBERLY related that he did not know the relationship was sexual in nature until S.C. told him. He related she told him about the sexual contact after their relationship had ended and that she told him that FENTON had inserted his fingers in her.

On 09/11/21 at approximately 0905 hours, I spoke to Laura Parks SHAFFER regarding this incident. SHAFFER related that her and S.C have been friends for a long time and related she knew FENTON as well as they all went to the same church together. SHAFFER related she was closer in age with FENTON and she was a youth leader with him. SHAFFER remembers a time that there was a group of people at her house including FENTON and S.C. SHAFFER related that S.C. brought FENTON a glass of water and FENTON told her "You'd make a good wife". SHAFFER related that he said that at her residence on COBURN Hill Rd Warren Twp. Bradford County PA. SHAFFER related that by the time S.C. and FENTON began their relationship, she had moved to Virginia, so she was not around for it, but she did hear that they were courting. SHAFFER related that she does remember before his interest in S.C., FENTON started hanging around another younger girl in church Jessica (DEWING) SIVERS. SHAFFER further related she remembers a time when her and other youth leaders were together with FENTON, and a discussion of premarital sex was brought up. SHAFFER related she remembers FENTON saying. "What do you guys really believe, and I don't mean that crap you teach the kids." SHAFFER related she did not find out S.C. and FENTON's relationship was sexual until she moved back into the area from Virginia which would've been around 2001. She continued that the conversation was in person and S.C. had told her that FENTON "introduced fingering" to her. SHAFFER related that the incident messed S.C. up and she probably felt shame over it. SHAFFER related the culture of the church was that if a man lusted for a woman, it was the women's fault for making him lust for her.

On 11/26/21 at approximately 1217 hours, I spoke to Susan and Russell DEWING the parents of S.C. at their residence. They related that they began attending Abide in the Vine Church in August of 1995, Fred HOOVER was the pastor and FENTON was the worship leader and youth pastor. They related that the betrothal began between 6 months and 1 year from the time they started attending the church. They related that FENTON started coming to their house because there was always a group of teenagers over including their own kids, other teenage family members, and friends. FENTON being the youth pastor made it a point to come to their house for the kids. Susan DEWING related it was not uncommon for FENTON to be there, and that he approached them (Susan and Russell) and told them that God had given him a dream of his future wife and he believed it

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to be their daughter S.C. I asked them what they thought about that, and they related it was the teaching of the youth at the time of that true love waits and to find your mate within the group. Susan related she remembered a couple times in which people from the church came up to her and told her S.C. would be there sons' future wife. She related it was not that strange "just a little" strange being it was the youth pastor and the fact he was older.

They related the initial conversation with FENTON took place at their house. They felt that being he was the youth pastor and S.C. was only a teenager they felt they should take it to the church. They related at the time FENTON's father was an elder at the church as well. They explained to me that it was more of a courtship rather than dating. They explained a courtship as there was not to be any physical contact between FENTON and their daughter, holding hands, kissing, touching, and were not to be alone without an adult, but the end plan was to be married.

They further continued that a meeting was held at Fred HOOVER's house regarding the relationship, and they believed all the church elders were present including John YEMAN, Bob FENTON, John CUOMO, and Bob SEYMOUR. They also related that at this meeting HOOVER decided to set up a 6 month no contact period for FENTON and S.C. During this time, they could write letters to each other and see each other at church events but were not allowed to hangout. I asked if they kept the 6 months separated and Susan related, she did not think so and that FENTON was always pushing the boundaries as far as trying to be in contact with S.C. They related he would call her on the phone, or he would give her special treatment at youth group events. Susan continued that after the 6 month no contact time past Fred HOOVER, FENTON's parents and themselves had a meeting to set up guidelines. She continued that FENTON and S.C. still could not go anywhere together or be alone without an adult present.

I asked them about S.C. being taken out of school and then home schooled, they related that their kids were home schooled for various reasons on and off, but FENTON did encourage to have S.C. home schooled. Susan related that he would say S.C. was smart and could get done with school early. They related later that S.C. did graduate a year and half early, and that's when they got engaged.

I asked if the guidelines changed at all once, they got engaged, and they related they did not think so, but remembered they did start going places alone together like to set up a house they were going to be renting. Susan continued that right after the engagement, Fred HOOVER had a discussion with FENTON and told him that if he married S.C. before she turned 18, he would not be allowed to be part of that congregation anymore and resign. They related they were not aware of that conversation, but related that FENTON told them that the meeting had occurred, and he would be resigning. They later told me they left the church as well and went to where FENTON began preaching at.

The DEWING's related that the wedding was set for May and approximately 1-2 weeks before the wedding, FENTON got Pancreatitis and was hospitalized. They continued that S.C. went to visit him in the hospital where he told her that he had a vision from an angel of God who told him if he married her, it would ruin his ministry, which is when the engagement ended. They related that after the engagement S.C. and FENTON met once at the parking lot of a church and told her the same reason for calling the engagement off.

They also related that they heard after the engagement was called off that Spencer MARSHALL saw FENTON and S.C. kiss at a baseball game, and he went and told his father-in-law Fred HOOVER that it had occurred, which is why they think HOOVER gave FENTON the ultimatum to resign. However, the DEWING's related they were never told this occurred, they just found out through the grape vine.

I asked them if they ever suspected anything sexual was occurring between their daughter and FENTON. Russell DEWING related there was a couple times prior to their engament he had asked S.C. if anything was going on, but she told them no. They related they did not know it was sexual in nature until a few years ago.

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On 12/10/21 at approximately 1715 hours, I spoke to Robin MCCMILLAN on the phone MCMCILLAN related he had not been to that church in years. He related he vaguely remembers the victim. He further related that he did remember FENTON being a pastor at the church. MCCMILLAN related that all he remembered was that there was a girl in the youth group who FENTON liked and remembered there being agreement of there being no contact between them.

On 12/01/21 at approximately 2050 hours, I spoke to David CANTELLA regarding this incident. CANTELLA related that he knew both FENTON and S.C. from church. CANTELLA related he was aware of their betrothal and related that both S.C.'s and FENTON's families agreed to it. CANTELLA related the betrothal was known, but he does not remember any public announcement in church. CANTELLA related that he knew there were guidelines set that they were to follow like not being alone without anyone present and no physical contact until S.C. came of age for them to date. CANTELLA related that the betrothal was not common and that this was the only one he remembers occurring in the church. CANTELLA was not sure why their relationship ended, but related he remembered FENTON became sick and their relationship went "downhill" from there. CANTELLA related that he was not aware of anything sexual occurring between the two of them.

I spoke to Spencer. MARSHALL regarding this incident the week of 12/13/21 on the allegations. S. MARSHALL related he knew the there was a dream which began the relationship, but he did not know any of the specifics about it. He also related there was not any amouncement in the church that S.C. and FENTON were in any relationship. S. MARSHALL related that when the relationship came out it was supported by both the parents of the victim and FENTON. He did remember there was guidelines and remembers they were not supposed to be alone together. S. MARSHALL did remember that people in the church were uncomfortable by the relationship, but related he never heard of talk that their relationship was sexual. He continued that the church was open in nature, and he never heard a "peep" that anything was going on between them. S. MARSHALL related he did not remember them getting engaged but did remember that they left the church for a bit. He continued that when they returned, they were no longer in a relationship and FENTON gave a speech up in front of the church and S.C. was up there with him. He related FENTON told the church they would not be going through with the relationship and S.C. looked distraught standing up there with him and he remembers thinking that was "pretty harsh". I asked S. MARSHALL if he saw them kissing at a baseball game as described by S.C. and he told me he did not

On 12/20/21 at approximately 1817 hours, I spoke to S. MARSHALL again. S. MARSHALL related that after thinking about things we spoke of previously; he remembers a time where D. FENTON brought S.C. to a baseball game Binghamton NY. He related he did not remember that the last time we spoke, but still did not remember them kissing.

On 12/22/21 at approximately 0900 hours, I spoke to Paul David HOOVER on the phone. HOOVER related to me that his father is Fred HOOVER the pastor at Abide in The Vine. P. HOOVER related to me that he is married to S.C. S.C.'s younger sister. He also related that after S.C. and FENTON's relationship ended, S.C. and he wrote letters back and forth and discussed dating, but related it never worked out. He related to me he would help in any way he could and related he would tell me what he knew from the investigation from what his father, Fred HOOVER told him. P. HOOVER related that at the time of S.C.S and FENTONS relationship, he was living out in Missouri and was not around for it. He related he moved back home to New York just before Christmas in 2000. When he came back home is when his father, Fred HOOVER told him about what had occurred.

P. HOOVER related his father told him that he was approached by both the DEWINGs and the FENTONs about a dream for the relationship of S.C. and David. P. HOOVER related his father was not on board with the relationship, but the families pushed the concept of God doing things like the Mary and Joseph story and how Mary was younger, and how could they be against Gods will. P. HOOVER also related he remembered his father saying the elders were also there for the discussion and one of the elders Bob PETERSON, who was an attorney told the families involved if they let this happen, he would call the police because it was not legally

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right. P. HOOVER continued that the families pressed for it and that's when they came up with the guidelines of the courtship. There was not to be dating or kissing until she came of legal age. There was also supposed to checks be with an accountability system.

P. HOOVER related he doesn't know what occurred during the middle of S.C. and FENTON's relationship, but related his father told him when the relationship ended FENTON told the congregation that he had another dream from God or an Angel and it was of a present that was not to be opened and he believed it to represent S.C. which is why he wouldn't marry her. P. HOOVER related his father did not know it was sexual and he himself did not know it was sexual in nature until recently.

On 12/22/21 at approximately 1225 hours, I spoke to Rebekah HOOVER. R. HOOVER related she is the husband of Paul HOOVER and is S.C. S.C.'s sister. She related she was approximately 13 years old at the time this all took place. She did not remember much about the relationship, but related she knew that they were not supposed to be alone together. She recalled a time in which she saw S.C. and FENTON coming out of a room together that was adjacent to their kitchen. She also related there was a time where she believes they were alone together in her dad's office. I asked her if she knew the relationship was sexual in nature and she related that she did not know until just a bit ago. She related her sister never told her, and it was probably because she was ashamed and did not want to get in any trouble by her parents.

On 01/14/22 at approximately 1230 hours, I spoke to Paul KAPR regarding the case. P. KAPR related he was familiar with both S.C. and FENTON as he attended the church with them. KAPR remembered there was a dream that S.C. was to be FENTON's bride and does remember they were in a "courting" phase. KAPR related that in the vicinity of 1997-1998 S.C. told him that the relationship had been sexual in nature. KAPR told me S.C. wad told them that there was kissing and oral sex in the relationship between her and FENTON.

On 02/25/22 at approximately 1215 hours, I spoke to Jessica SIVERS regarding this incident. J. SIVERS related that she was approximately 14 years old and FENTON who would have been in his mid-twenties, started to hang around her for about a month. SIVERS related she was not interested in him, and it ended. SIVERS related she knew of the engagement between S.C. and FENTON and related S.C. seemed to be excited at the time discussing wedding dresses. SIVERS related they were supposed to marry when she was 17 years old, but related FENTON got sick, and the relationship ended after that. SIVERS further related she remembered his father calling S.C.'s father to tell him about FENTON, and what he was doing. SIVERS related that approximately (3) years ago S.C. had told her that her relationships with FENTON was sexual. SIVERS related S.C. told her they did not have sex, but they did other things. SIVERS related S.C. did not go into detail as to what the other things were.

On 02/25/22 at approximately 1310 hours, I spoke to Diana DEWING on the phone. DEWING related that FENTON, and her daughter (Jessica SIVERS) did hangout years ago, but they never were alone together. DEWING related she and her family moved to Colorado in 1996, so they were not around for FENTON and S.C.'s relationship, but she did know they were engaged. DEWING related the relationship ended after FENTON had pancreatitis. DEWING related she did remember S.C. being upset that the engagement ended.

Due to the facts and circumstances surrounding this investigation, I request the Defendant David Robert FENTON answer for these charges.

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