

AUTHOR RECEIVES *SHOCKING* MYSTERY LETTER

A WARNING OR DESPERATE PLEA?

Someone is scared to death, pleading for the author to stop the publication of this book.

To say my family and I are not intimidated, perhaps threatened, would not be a true statement.

As incredible as it may seem, just two days after the *Vallejo Times Herald* printed a very nice article (November 1, 2010) about my book announcement party, I received a most disturbing letter.

The letter was also dated November 1, 2010. It was a full page, single spaced, typewritten letter, written by an extremely intelligent person with a detailed knowledge about the Zodiac. This person, who claimed they knew things about the killer and the case in general that nobody else knew, stated that if I printed my book—

“Many innocent people could spend the rest of their lives in prison if the truth were told.”

The anonymous person even included some physical evidence that would prove the true identity of the Zodiac. We could only wonder how this person obtained this “alleged evidence.” The text and the wording of the letter was chilling, if not threatening. The address label was typed on a separate piece of heavy paper, cut off, pasted onto a regular envelope, and the letter was signed “*A Concerned Citizen.*”

Two of my friends came over immediately and James Dean took some photos.

I called a Special Agent with the Department of Justice in San Francisco and two Special Agents were at my house within an hour. The agents sealed everything and returned the next day to retrieve their sealed envelope after the Vallejo Police Department asked them to proceed with any investigation.

There is much more I could say about this bizarre letter.

My family members are very concerned, some suggesting I report it to the local media immediately. However, the coincidence is overwhelming and I feel certain there are those skeptics, who by nature and breeding, would find it most convenient to accuse me of creating a sensational fraud to promote sales of the book, and a few already have.

If the reader is asking the obvious question—“Do you think this letter is from the Zodiac?”

My answer is: It is quite possible.

The evidence enclosed with the letter is both suspicious and baffling. I do know that the Department of Justice is handling this matter as a serious incident.