What have you been tried and convicted for in the 1 Q. last 10 years, sir? 2 Excuse me? Α. 3 What have you been tried and convicted for? Tell 4 Q. us what you're in prison for. 5 I mean that ain't got nothing to do with what I'm 6 Α. in here for. 7 THE COURT: Just go ahead and answer the 8 question. 9 I mean I got locked -- I got convicted for murder. 10 Α. Thank you. Q. Yeah. 11 I got convicted for murder. So, I mean Murder. 12 anything else you need to know what happened before that? 13 You need to know about any of the good things I did 14 before I got that murder charge? You need to know any of 15 16 that? MR. PANOSH: I have no further questions. 17 THE WITNESS: Okay. 18 MR. CRUMPLER: I have no further questions, 19 Your Honor. 20 THE COURT: All right, that's all. 21 (Witness stood aside.) 22 MR. ZIMMERMAN: All right, call Mr. Homer 23 Wilson back. 24

THE COURT: Yes, sir. Mr. Wilson, come

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around, please. 1 HOMER WILSON, being previously duly sworn, testified as 2 follows during DIRECT EXAMINATION by MR. BUTCH ZIMMERMAN: 3 Remind you you're still under oath, Mr. Wilson. 4 Let me just ask you this, sir. Would you say that what 5 you've heard here is totally out of character with the 6 Ted Kimble that you know? 7 Yes, sir. 8 Α. You still have those same feelings about it as a 9 Q. man of good character and reputation? 10 Absolutely. 11 Α. MR. ZIMMERMAN: Cross-examine, sir. 12 CROSS EXAMINATION by MR. RICHARD PANOSH: 13 You said you knew Patricia? 14 Q. Yes. 15 Α. What kind of person was she? 16 Q. She was a sweet girl. I was with them probably 17 Α. three or four times. That's how much I know her. 18 And right after she was killed, his church took up 19 0. a collection for Mr. Kimble and they gave him some money, 20 and he went out and spent that on a new motorcycle; isn't 21 that true? 22 I don't know that. 23 Α.

And he's admitted to killing his wife, and you

still think he's a fine person?

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that plea. From what I -- the only thing I've seen of
Ted Kimble has been a fine upright young man.

I don't know the circumstances under which he made

- Q. And we have a document in evidence here where he plotted to kill eight witnesses in his own handwriting with his fingerprints on it. You still think he's a fine person?
- A. It's hard to say what that means. I mean where those come from and under the circumstances for which Ted wrote that. I don't know the documents, haven't seen the documents. But I can say this, if he's there and under those conditions, I don't know what anybody would do under those circumstances, especially if they thought they were innocent.
- Q. You think a fine person who thought he was innocent would plot to kill some witnesses?
- A. You don't know what they -- right. Now whether anybody would go through with that would be a different story. If a person went through with it, that would be one thing. But who knows what people might do when they're sitting locked up in a cell. Especially somebody if they felt that their options were pretty limited at that point.
- Q. So, just asking to kill witnesses, that's all right. To really kill them, that's not all right.

It's not all right. 1 Α. MR. ZIMMERMAN: Well, objection, if Your 2 Honor please. 3 MR. PANOSH: No further questions. 4 THE COURT: Argumentative. Sustained. 5 MR. ZIMMERMAN: Thank you. 6 MR. PANOSH: No further. 7 THE COURT: Come down please. 8 9 (Witness starts to leave the stand.) MR. ZIMMERMAN: Wait just a minute, sir. 10 REDIRECT EXAMINATION by MR. BUTCH ZIMMERMAN: 11 Q. Now, say you knew Pat? 12 Uh, yes. We had been with them couple three times 13 Α. at dinner. 14 The times that you had been with them, did you see 15 Q. any evidence of any marital discourse (sic) or 16 disagreements, any upset? 17 Exact opposite. 18 Α. You saw what, love and caring? 19 Q. Α. Yes. 20 Did you ever hear any ill words between husband 21 Q. and wife? 22 23 Α. No. 24 0. These questions that the solicitor asked you a minute ago, that is Mr. Panosh, kind of hard to answer 25

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because you haven't ever been in that situation; isn't
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       that right?
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       Α.
              Exactly.
                   MR. ZIMMERMAN: Thank you. Come down.
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       (Witness stood aside.)
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                   MR. ZIMMERMAN: Carl Foust, come around.
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       CARL FOUST, being first duly sworn, testified as follows
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       during DIRECT EXAMINATION by MR. BUTCH ZIMMERMAN:
              Mr. Foust, and that's F-O-U-S-T, isn't it?
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       Q.
              Right.
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       A.
              Where is your home, sir?
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       Q.
              Pleasant Garden.
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       Α.
              Out on Steeple Chase Road; is that right?
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       Q.
              Yes, sir.
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       Α.
              How long have you lived there?
       Q.
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              Uh, 30 years.
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       Α.
              All right. Are you retired or do you work at some
       Q.
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       gainful employment?
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              I'm working American General Life Insurance.
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       Α.
              All right. What's your job with them?
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       Q.
              Uh, selling. Salesman.
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       Α.
       Q.
              All right. General agent?
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              Yeah.
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              All right. And what kind, is it life insurance,
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       you say?
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