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July 8, 2016 & August 4, 2016

Location: Marietta, GA & Norcross, GA

Victim(s): Richard Olen Bell 59, Nicola Sramek 61, James Sramek 29

Attacker(s): Rickey Earl Taylor

Description: Taylor tied Richard's wrists and ankles behind his back, before beating him to death. Taylor beat Nicola and James, before tying them up and torturing them for hours with a pair of needle-nosed pliers and a knife. The bodies were covered in stab wounds. James' body was found hanging in the closet, while Nicola's was covered with a sheet.

Archive.is Link(s):

<https://archive.is/PeWot> Story on the crime.

<https://archive.fo/plWLB> Taylor is re-indicted.

<https://archive.ph/vVe4x> Taylor pleads guilty but mentally ill to Richard's murder.

<https://archive.ph/SAPIX> Taylor pleads guilty but mentally ill to Nicola and James' murder. Taylor was sentenced to 4 life sentences, 2 without parole, for the 3 murders.

<https://archive.ph/L0m6V> Richard's obituary.

Note: Richard might've been murdered as early as July 2, but without an exact date, I'm using the day his body was found.

<https://archive.is/FGJlv> DA will go for the death penalty 7-2017.

<https://archive.li/jyvB8> Sramek surname info Ancestry.com.

<https://archive.li/e48u0> Sramek surname info house of names.