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September 5, 1990

Location: Palm Bay, FL

Victim(s): Marlys Mae Bakke Sather 56

Attacker(s): Chadwick Willacy

Description: Marlys' came home from work to have lunch, when she walked in on Willacy burglarizing her home. When he realized she had seen him, Willacy struck her multiple times with a blunt object hard enough to fracture and partially dislodge her skull. He then bound her hands and ankles with wire and duct tape. He then attempted to use a telephone cord to strangle her. He took her car keys and ATM pin number and card and withdrew money out of her bank account. He then drove the car back to her house and parked nearby. After carrying off "a significant amount of property" from her home to the car, he drove to a nearby plaza and parked. He jogged back to her home and doused her body with gasoline, then set her on fire, moving a fan from a guest room close to her body in order to feed the fire more oxygen.

Archive.is Link(s):

<https://archive.is/OwQTr> Willacy is arrested.

<https://archive.is/tWAqP> Willacy's murderpedia entry.

<https://archive.is/jXa1S> Willacy's death row info.

<https://archive.is/9703E> A writeup of the crime.

<https://archive.is/9fBjG> Rayland's find a grave memorial. He died from liver cancer less than two months before she was murdered.

<https://archive.is/vKWGX> Marlys' find a grave memorial.

<https://archive.li/2zc8o> Sather surname info Ancestry.com.

<https://archive.li/scxxK> Sather surname info house of names.

<https://archive.li/WKrWd> Bakke surname info Ancestry.com.

<https://archive.li/Gu4C6> Bakke surname wikipedia entry.

<https://archive.li/XunSy> Bakke surname info house of names.