

156 Homan Avenue
Elkhart, Indiana
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Captain Glen King
Information Office
Dallas Police Department
Dallas, Texas

Dear Captain King;

I am writing to inquire the exact time at which Lee Harvey Oswald was shot on Sunday, November 24, 1963.

As a graduate student at Indiana University, I am preparing a Master's thesis concerned with the activities of Dallas broadcasters in covering the events subsequent to President Kennedy's death.

Presently, there is some question as to whether both NEC and CBS, or just NBC, broadcast the Oswald shooting live over national network facilities. I have obtained copies of the network time logs in which the moment each network began its live coverage is given. If I could obtain from you the most accurate time you have, including seconds, (e.g. - 12:20:15), I could verify the contention one way or the other.

Any help which you can give me in this matter would be greatly appreciated. I have listed my home address on this letter and will be in Elkhart until September 10. After that date I can be reached through the Radio-Television Department of the University. Should you need to obtain any official verification of my work, you can do so by contacting the chairman of my thesis committee - Mr. Richard D. Yoakam, Director of Radio and Television News Services, at Indiana University.

Thank you for your attention to my request. I will hope to hear from you soon.

Yours truly,

Richard Van Der Karr

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