Plaisted, Kenneth

Missing Since: November 16, 1971
Location Last Seen: Milwaukee, Milwaukee County
Age: 48 years old
Date of Birth: March 23, 1923
Race: White
Gender: Male
Height: 6'1"
Weight: 165 lbs.
Hair Color: Grey
Eye Color: Blue
Marks: Scar on right hand
Jewelry: Known to wear gold ring with a medium size square diamond in the middle; Silver or gold ring with an onyx like stone in the middle with an etched head of a helmeted Roman soldier; Possibly wearing a silver or gold watch
Exclusions: 27

Case Owner: New Holstein PD

(920) 898-4241
Agency Case Number LNH09-00272

Dentals: Unknown
Fingerprints: Unknown
DNA: Unknown

Details of Disappearance

Kenneth Plaisted, a lawyer from New Holstein, went missing from the Milwaukee area on November 16, 1971. Kenneth had a business meeting in Milwaukee and planned to meet with his daughter around noon, and was supposed to pick his wife up from shopping later in the afternoon.

Plaisted had a cup of coffee in a Plankinton Building diner with a friend of his then got up and left, saying he was going to get his daughter. He never arrived at her apartment.

When the family looked at the car, the glove box was rummaged and open, the keys were gone and Kenneths hat was on the curb.

Plaisted was embezzling from one of his clients but his family does not believe he'd abandon them to avoid prosecution. Another of Plaisted's clients escaped from prison that very day and some believe he took his revenge. He is a Navy veteran and has six children. He was declared legally dead in 1979.

More Information

Doe Network

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Article

Article 2 re: escaped convict

Article 3: re: return of amt embezzled

Article 4: about the receivership

Article 5: re audit

Legal Issues

Websleuth's link contains additional articles about the embezzlement Plaisted was involved in before he vanished.