

PER FRONTH

Last Statements

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Sculpture Project

IF I COULD GO BACK
AND CHANGE THE PAST I
THERE IS NOTHING I CAN
I'M SORRY. I LOVE YOU, ANY
THAT'S IT.

I DESERVE THIS
TELL EVERYONE
I SAID GAGGLES

CHARLES WILLIAM BELL
10
APRIL 1, 1968

I LOVE MY MAMA
SHE SINGS TO ME
SHE SINGS TO ME

SARAH ANN BELL
11
SEPTEMBER 1, 1968

YES SIR,
I WOULD LIKE TO SAY TO ALL OF YOU,
THE THORNTON FAMILY AND THE JERRY DEAN'S FAMILY
THAT I AM SO SORRY.
I HOPE GOD WILL GIVE YOU PEACE WITH THIS.
BABY, I LOVE YOU.
RON, GIVE PEGGY A HUG FROM ME.
EVERYBODY HAS BEEN SO GOOD TO ME.
I LOVE ALL OF YOU VERY MUCH.
I AM GOING TO BE FACE TO FACE WITH JESUS NOW.
WARDEN BAGGETT, THANK ALL OF YOU SO MUCH.
YOU HAVE BEEN SO GOOD TO ME.
I LOVE ALL OF YOU VERY MUCH.
I WILL SEE YOU ALL WHEN YOU GET THERE.
I WILL WAIT FOR YOU.

KARLA FAYE TUCKER
777
FEBRUARY 3, 1968

LET ME BE
A LITTLE BIT
A LITTLE BIT

G. W. GREEN
12
MARCH 12, 1968

I JUST WANT EVERYONE TO KNOW
THAT THE PROSECUTOR
AND BILL SCOTT
ARE SORRY SONS OF BITCHES
(TO HIS FAMILY HE ADDED
THAT HE LOVED THEM ALL)

EDWARD ELLIS
766
MARCH 2, 1968



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KARLA FAYE TUCKER
777
FEBRUARY 3, 1998

LETTING IT GO,
LICK AND LICK
WENT LIFE A HANGOVER BELIEVE

G. W. GREEN
15
NOVEMBER 12, 1991

I JUST WANT EVERYONE TO KNOW
THAT THE PROSECUTOR
AND BILL RYAN
ARE KERRY RYAN OF BETHANY
LID RYAN RYAN AS AVOID
THAT HE LOVED THEM ALL

EDWARD ELLIS
10
MARCH 1, 1992

I AM INNOCENT, INNOCENT, INNOCENT
MAKE NO MISTAKE ABOUT THIS.
I OWE SOCIETY NOTHING.
CONTINUE THE STRUGGLE
FOR HUMAN RIGHTS.
HELPING THOSE WHO ARE INNOCENT.
ESPECIALLY ME, GRIHAM.
I AM AN INNOCENT MAN.
AND SOMETHING VERY WRONG
IS TAKING PLACE TONIGHT.
MAY GOD BLESS YOU ALL.
I AM READY.

LEONEL TORRES HERRERA
702
MAY 12, 1993

I AM AN AFRICAN WARRIOR.
BORN TO BREATHE.
AND BORN TO DIE.

CARL KELLY
688
AUGUST 20, 1993

TO THE DAVIS FAMILY
I AM SORRY FOR ALL OF THE PAIN
THAT I CAUSED YOUR FAMILY.
IT WAS ME AND ME ALONE.
ANTHONY GRAVES HAD NOTHING
TO DO WITH IT.
I LIED ON HIM IN COURT (CONT.)

ROBERT CARTER
999091
MAY 31, 2000



I DESERVE THIS.
TELL EVERYONE
I SAID GOODBYE.

CHARLES WILLIAM BASS
60
APRIL 12, 1966

I HOPE MRS. HERNAND
CAN FIND PEACE IN THIS.

JAMES EMORY INTER
70
SEPTEMBER 26, 1965

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CHARLES WILLIAM BAIL
402
APRIL 12, 1996

I HOPE MISS HERNANDEZ
CAN FIND PLACE IN THIS.

DANIEL EMERY POSTER
101
SEPTEMBER 26, 1995

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KARLA FAYE TUCKER
777
FEBRUARY 3, 1998

LET THEM SAY
LACK AND LONG
AND LIFE AND DEATH

G. W. GREEN
62
MAY 12, 1993

I JUST WANT EVERYONE TO KNOW
THAT THE PROSECUTOR
AND BILL SCOTT
ARE SURE SONS OF BITCHES
AND HIS FAMILY HE ADDED
THAT HE LOVED THEM ALL

EDWARD ELLIS
704
MARCH 1, 1992

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LEONEL TORRES HERRERA
702
MAY 12, 1993

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BORN TO BREATHE,
AND BORN TO DIE.

CARL KELLY
688
AUGUST 20, 1993

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KARLA FAYE TUCKER
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FEBRUARY 3, 1998

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LEONEL TORRES HERRERA
702
MAY 12, 1993

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BORN TO BREATHE.
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CARL KELLY
400
AUGUST 24, 2010

TO THE JURY: I AM
I AM SORRY FOR ALL OF THE PAIN
THAT I CAUSED WHEN I WAS
IN THE ARREST HOUSE.
I AM SORRY FOR ALL OF THE PAIN
THAT I CAUSED WHEN I WAS
IN THE ARREST HOUSE.
I AM SORRY FOR ALL OF THE PAIN
THAT I CAUSED WHEN I WAS
IN THE ARREST HOUSE.

WILLIAM L. LEE
400
MAY 1, 2000

SPENDING MY LIFE TO MAKE
A LAST STATEMENT

MICHAEL GIBSON
400
JUNE 1, 2000

YES
I WOULD LIKE FOR MY FAMILY
TO HAVE SOME OF THE OTHER
THINGS THAT ARE
LET ME KNOW
I LOVE YOU IN IT

MICHAEL GIBSON
400
SEPTEMBER 29, 2007

IS THE MIC ON?
MY ONLY STATEMENT IS THAT
NO CASES EVER TRIED
ARE ERROR FREE.
THOSE ARE MY WORDS.
NO CASES ARE ERROR FREE
YOU MAY PROCEED, WARDEN

DALE DUVIN SUEANETTE
000002
FEBRUARY 10, 2009

IF I COULD GO BACK
AND CHANGE THE PAST I WOULD.
THERE IS NOTHING I CAN DO.
I'M SORRY. I LOVE YOU, AYDONA.
THAT'S IT.

BILLY JOHN GALLOWAY
000003
MAY 13, 2010

NO!

PETER CANTU
000003
AUGUST 17, 2010





Per Fronth talks to Students from Kristiansand Kathedralskole Gimle about the Last Statements Sculpture Project on Frida Nov 4th 2011.
The students age 17 use the last words of the executed as a base of discussion in the sociology and religion/ ethics studies.

A group of people are gathered around a large poster. A man in a black shirt and glasses is leaning over the poster on the left. A woman in a blue and pink patterned headscarf and a black puffer jacket is standing on the right, holding a red pen. Another person with dark hair and glasses is leaning over the poster from the bottom. The poster features a dark silhouette of a person and the text "I DESERVE THIS. TELL EVERYONE I SAID GOODBYE." in yellow. Below the poster, there is a white sheet of paper with the same text written in pencil.

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