

State of Minnesota
County of Ramsey

District Court
2nd Judicial District

Prosecutor File No. 0620444270
Court File No. 62-CR-21-5368

State of Minnesota,

Plaintiff,

vs.

ANTOINE DARNIQUE SUGGS DOB: 06/26/1983

7501 McDowell Rd. E., #1166
Scottsdale, AZ 85257

Defendant.

COMPLAINT

Warrant

The Complainant submits this complaint to the Court and states that there is probable cause to believe Defendant committed the following offense(s):

COUNT I

Charge: Murder - 2nd Degree - With Intent-Not Premeditated

Minnesota Statute: 609.19.1(1)

Maximum Sentence: 40 years

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 09/12/2021

Control #(ICR#): 21191599

Charge Description: On or about September 12, 2021, in the County of Ramsey, Minnesota, the defendant, Antoine Darnique Suggs, did cause the death of NF-P with intent to effect the death of NF-P.

COUNT II

Charge: Murder - 2nd Degree - With Intent-Not Premeditated

Minnesota Statute: 609.19.1(1)

Maximum Sentence: 40 years

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 09/12/2021

Control #(ICR#): 21191599

Charge Description: On or about September 12, 2021, in the County of Ramsey, Minnesota, the defendant, Antoine Darnique Suggs, did cause the death of JS with intent to effect the death of JS.

COUNT III

Charge: Murder - 2nd Degree - With Intent-Not Premeditated

Minnesota Statute: 609.19.1(1)

Maximum Sentence: 40 years

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 09/12/2021

Control #(ICR#): 21191599

Charge Description: On or about September 12, 2021, in the County of Ramsey, Minnesota, the defendant, Antoine Darnique Suggs, did cause the death of LF with intent to effect the death of LF.

COUNT IV

Charge: Murder - 2nd Degree - With Intent-Not Premeditated

Minnesota Statute: 609.19.1(1)

Maximum Sentence: 40 years

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 09/12/2021

Control #(ICR#): 21191599

Charge Description: On or about September 12, 2021, in the County of Ramsey, Minnesota, the defendant, Antoine Darnique Suggs, did cause the death of MP with intent to effect the death of MP.

STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

On September 12, 2021, a farmer located a Mercedes-Benz bearing Minnesota license plates 2HL325 in his Wisconsin cornfield. Four people had been shot and killed inside the Mercedes-Benz. NF-P (DOB: 01/06/1991) was found slumped over in the front passenger seat with her head towards her feet. JS (DOB: 12/29/1990) was found in the rear passenger seat with her head pointed in a downward direction. MP (DOB: 05/19/1995) was found slumped over behind the driver's seat. LF (DOB: 10/28/1985) was found in the back seat between JS and MP with his head resting on the rear of the seat. The driver's seat was empty and there was no blood on it.

Blood had pooled beneath the Mercedes-Benz and there was blood spatter in a rear wheel well leading investigators to believe the murders occurred elsewhere and that the bodies had been transported and abandoned at that location. Six spent shell casings were recovered from the interior of the Mercedes-Benz. Investigators learned that the Mercedes-Benz had been loaned to **ANTOINE DARNIQUE SUGGS (DOB: 06/26/1983)**. Investigators found Suggs' Arizona driver's license covered in blood inside the Mercedes-Benz. Investigators also found a receipt for the White Squirrel showing a purchase had been made by LF at 1:38 AM on September 12, 2021. Investigators recovered phones belonging to each of the victims in the Mercedes-Benz.

Video surveillance showed that the Mercedes-Benz and a black Nissan Rogue associated with Suggs' mother had pulled into the parking lot of a gas station in Wheeler, Wisconsin around 12:08 PM. The gas station is about ten miles away from the cornfield where the Mercedes-Benz was recovered. The Nissan Rogue's driver went into the store, purchased items, and walked to the Mercedes-Benz where he handed something to the driver through the Mercedes-Benz' driver's window. Suggs' father was identified as the man who drove the Nissan Rogue. Suggs' father also approached and stood at the Mercedes-Benz's open passenger window while it was in the gas station parking lot. Both vehicles left the gas station headed in the direction of the cornfield where the Mercedes-Benz was discovered. Investigators found blood evidence in the gas station parking lot where the Mercedes-Benz had stopped.

Witnesses told police that JS, MP, and LF hung out on the patio at Shamrocks, located at 955 Seventh Street West in St. Paul, after midnight until closing at 1:00 AM on September 12, 2021. Surveillance video from the bar showed JS, MP, and LF walked away from the bar's patio area around 1:26 AM.

An employee at the White Squirrel, located at 974 Seventh Street West in St. Paul, told police that JS and MP came into the bar sometime after 1:00 AM on Sunday morning. The employee said a photo of NF-P looked like the woman who was in the bar with JS. The employee said NF-P was with a man the witness argued with. The man said something about having six children and this happening every time he comes back to Minnesota. The employee picked Suggs out of a photo line-up as the man she argued with in the bar.

Another witness told police that she went to Shamrocks and a second bar with NF-P. When they left the second bar, NF-P got into the front passenger seat of a black SUV. The witness said JS got into the back of the black SUV with her brother, MP. The witness left in her own vehicle. The witness said NF-P did not make any posts to her Snapchat after they left the second bar.

Surveillance video and data from Suggs' cell phone shows that the Mercedes and Suggs returned to the area of the White Squirrel around 2:50 AM. Phone data show that LF created a contact for Suggs and put Suggs' phone number into his phone at 3:08 AM on September 12, 2021. Suggs' phone and the Mercedes remained parked until around 3:30 AM. CCTV video shows the Mercedes-Benz went west on Seventh Street towards the McDonalds near Madison Street. Phone data show that the Mercedes-Benz drove towards Shepard Road but it returned to Seventh Street and headed east. CCTV surveillance video from Seventh Street and Walnut Street in St. Paul showed the Mercedes-Benz at 3:48 AM. It appears that NF-P is already slumped over in the front passenger seat.

Investigators believe that Suggs killed the four victims in the area of Seventh Street in St. Paul, Ramsey County between 3:30 AM and 3:48 AM on September 12, 2021.

At 4:30 AM, Suggs placed phone calls to his father. Suggs was in the area of his father's home when he placed the call which went unanswered.

CCTV surveillance video from University Avenue and Eustis Street in St. Paul showed the Mercedes-Benz following the Nissan Rogue at 7:42 AM. NF-P is clearly slumped over in the front passenger seat in the same position in which her body was found in Wisconsin.

Cell phone tower data show Suggs' phone was always in Ramsey County between 1:11 AM and 7:48 AM on September 12, 2021.

Surveillance video from the Holiday gas station at 281 Snelling Avenue north showed the Mercedes-Benz at a gas pump at 9:48 AM. NF-P is clearly slumped over in the front passenger seat in the same position in which her body was found in Wisconsin. Suggs got out of the Mercedes-Benz and entered the store. Suggs is clearly identifiable on the store's surveillance video since he did not wear a face covering.

At 10:06 AM on September 12, 2021, cell phone tower data show that MP's phone was in the area of Interstate 94 and Dale Street heading east towards Wisconsin.

At around 10:26 AM on September 12, 2021, Department of Transportation video showed the Mercedes-Benz and Nissan Rogue at the Minnesota and Wisconsin border.

Between 10:13 AM and 11:16 AM, Suggs' phone and his father's phone only received incoming calls that went straight to voicemail. The phones never physically moved past the area of Lexington Parkway and Interstate 94. Both father and son left their cell phones behind in Minnesota when they drove to Wisconsin in the Mercedes-Benz and Nissan Rogue.

Suggs' father was arrested and agreed to speak to investigators. He said Suggs showed up where he had spent the night around 5:00 AM on September 12, 2021. Suggs was with his mother which his father found odd. Suggs spoke to them of taking care of his kids and trying to get along with each other. Suggs' mother left. Suggs and his father continued to talk. Suggs asked his father to follow him by driving his mother's vehicle. Suggs followed his son as they drove around St. Paul to various gas stations. Suggs told his father that he snapped and shot a couple of people. Suggs told his father the shooting happened in the vehicle on Seventh Street. Suggs' father gave his son a ride to Minnesota from Wisconsin after they left the Mercedes-Benz in a cornfield. Suggs' father denied knowing the bodies of the people his son shot were in the vehicle they abandoned. He dropped Suggs off in Minneapolis.

The Ramsey County Medical Examiner's Office performed autopsies on the four victims.

NF-P had a gunshot wound that entered her mouth went through her cervical spine and spinal cord and exited the back of her head. The cause of NF-P's death is a gunshot wound to the mouth. The manner of NF-P's death is homicide.

MP had two gunshot wounds to the back of his head and a third gunshot wound to his left arm. The cause of MP's death is multiple gunshot wounds. The manner of MP's death is homicide.

LF had a gunshot wound to his face and a gunshot wound to the top of his head. The cause of LF's death is cerebral lacerations and exsanguination due to gunshot wounds to the head. The manner of LF's death is homicide.

JS had a gunshot wound that entered and exited her left palm and reentered her left cheek transecting her spinal cord. The cause of JS' death is transection of the cervical spinal cord due to a gunshot wound to the head. The manner of JS' death is homicide.

On September 15, 2021, Dunn County charged Suggs with four counts of hiding a corpse.

On September 17, 2021, Suggs turned himself in to Arizona authorities on the Wisconsin charges. Suggs remains in custody in Arizona.

Suggs has a prior felon in possession of a firearm conviction.

NOTICE: Pursuant to Minnesota Statute 609.49, subd. 1 (a) A person charged with or convicted of a felony and released from custody, with or without bail or recognizance, who intentionally fails to appear when required after having been notified that a failure to appear for a court appearance is a criminal offense, or after having been released on an order or condition that the release personally appear when required with respect to the charge or conviction, is guilty of a crime for failure to appear and may be sentenced to not more than one-half of the maximum term of imprisonment or fine, or both, provided for the underlying crime for which the person failed to appear, but this maximum sentence shall, in no case, be less than a term of imprisonment of one year and one day or a fine of \$1,500, or both.

SIGNATURES AND APPROVALS

Complainant requests that Defendant, subject to bail or conditions of release, be:
(1) arrested or that other lawful steps be taken to obtain Defendant's appearance in court; or
(2) detained, if already in custody, pending further proceedings; and that said Defendant otherwise be dealt with according to law.

Complainant declares under penalty of perjury that everything stated in this document is true and correct. Minn. Stat. § 358.116; Minn. R. Crim. P. 2.01, subds. 1, 2.

Complainant

Jeffrey Schwab
Sergeant
367 Grove St
St Paul, MN 55101
Badge: 214

Electronically Signed:
09/21/2021 03:07 PM
Ramsey County, Minnesota

Being authorized to prosecute the offenses charged, I approve this complaint.

Prosecuting Attorney

Derek Fitch
Assistant County Attorney
345 Wabasha Street N
Suite 120
St Paul, MN 55102
(651) 266-3222

Electronically Signed:
09/21/2021 02:56 PM

FINDING OF PROBABLE CAUSE

From the above sworn facts, and any supporting affidavits or supplemental sworn testimony, I, the Issuing Officer, have determined that probable cause exists to support, subject to bail or conditions of release where applicable, Defendant's arrest or other lawful steps be taken to obtain Defendant's appearance in court, or Defendant's detention, if already in custody, pending further proceedings. Defendant is therefore charged with the above-stated offense(s).

SUMMONS

THEREFORE YOU, THE DEFENDANT, ARE SUMMONED to appear as directed in the Notice of Hearing before the above-named court to answer this complaint.

IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR in response to this SUMMONS, a WARRANT FOR YOUR ARREST shall be issued.

WARRANT

To the Sheriff of the above-named county; or other person authorized to execute this warrant: I order, in the name of the State of Minnesota, that the Defendant be apprehended and arrested without delay and brought promptly before the court (if in session), and if not, before a Judge or Judicial Officer of such court without unnecessary delay, and in any event not later than 36 hours after the arrest or as soon as such Judge or Judicial Officer is available to be dealt with according to law.

Execute in MN Only

Execute Nationwide

Execute in Border States

ORDER OF DETENTION

Since the Defendant is already in custody, I order, subject to bail or conditions of release, that the Defendant continue to be detained pending further proceedings.

Bail: \$10,000,000.00
Conditions of Release:

This complaint, duly subscribed and sworn to or signed under penalty of perjury, is issued by the undersigned Judicial Officer as of the following date: September 21, 2021.

Judicial Officer

JaPaul Harris
Judge

Electronically Signed: 09/21/2021 03:51 PM

Sworn testimony has been given before the Judicial Officer by the following witnesses:

**COUNTY OF RAMSEY
STATE OF MINNESOTA**

State of Minnesota

Plaintiff

vs.

Antoine Darnique Suggs

Defendant

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER RETURN OF SERVICE
I hereby Certify and Return that I have served a copy of this Warrant upon the Defendant herein named.

Signature of Authorized Service Agent:

DEFENDANT FACT SHEET

Name: Antoine Darnique Suggs
DOB: 06/26/1983
Address: 7501 McDowell Rd. E., #1166
Scottsdale, AZ 85257

Alias Names/DOB:

SID: MN05117135

Height:

Weight: 0lbs.

Eye Color:

Hair Color:

Gender:

Race:

Fingerprints Required per Statute: Yes

Fingerprint match to Criminal History Record: No

Driver's License #:

Alcohol Concentration:

STATUTE AND OFFENSE GRID

Cnt Nbr	Statute Type	Offense Date(s)	Statute Nbrs and Descriptions	Offense Level	MOC	GOC	Controlling Agencies	Case Numbers
1	Charge	9/12/2021	609.19.1(1) Murder - 2nd Degree - With Intent-Not Premeditated	Felony	H2812	N	MN0620900	21191599
2	Charge	9/12/2021	609.19.1(1) Murder - 2nd Degree - With Intent-Not Premeditated	Felony	H2813	N	MN0620900	21191599
3	Charge	9/12/2021	609.19.1(1) Murder - 2nd Degree - With Intent-Not Premeditated	Felony	H2813	N	MN0620900	21191599
4	Charge	9/12/2021	609.19.1(1) Murder - 2nd Degree - With Intent-Not Premeditated	Felony	H2813	N	MN0620900	21191599