

**Patricia Vann Taylor**  
**Allanson**  
*Deadly Magnolia*



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Date	Age	Life Event
08/22/1937	0	Born in 1937 as Mary Linda Patricia Vann in Wilmington, North Carolina.
N/A	Childhood	All indulgences filled by grandmother "Mama" and her stepfather Colonel Clifford Radcliffe.
10/10/1939	2	Pat's brother Kent is born.
01/08/1942	4	Pat's mother, Margurette, marries Lt. Clifford Radcliffe in Fort Bragg, NC.
	Childhood	Patricia constantly berated her stepbrother, Kent, since his birth.
	Childhood	Would throw temper tantrums until she got what she wanted. If she didn't get what she wanted, she would manipulate her way towards her goal.
1952	15	Dropped out of school, pregnant.
09/06/1952	15	Married SGT Gilbert "Junior" Taylor in Atlanta, Georgia. She had three children with Gil, Susan, Debbie and Ronnie.
03/04/1953	15	Daughter Susan is born
06/14/1955	17	Daughter Debbie is born
1957	19	Pat, Gil, Susan, and Debbie move to the Philippines where Gil is stationed.
1958	20	Pat and the family move to North Carolina
1958	21	Son Ronnie is born.
1959	21	Pat and the family move to Falls Church, Virginia.
1963	25	Pat and the family move to Germany.
1965	27	Pat and family move to Fort Bragg, North Carolina
02/01/1966	27	Pat's brother Kent commits suicide.
03/27/1971	33	Pat's daughter, Susan, marries Captain Bill Alford. During the wedding reception Pat announced that she was going to divorce Gil. She also stated that she had a restraining order on him. The divorce went through soon after the announcement.
1973	36	Pat suffered from pulmonary emboli (blood clots in the lungs) and was hospitalized.
1973	36	Met Tom Allanson. His parents, Walter & Carolyn Allanson, disapproved of divorce and refused to accept Pat as a new woman in Tom's life.
1973	36	A family feud started with Tom's parents and threats were made from both sides.
1973	36	Pat and Tom moved to Zebulon, Georgia.
05/09/1974	37	Pat Radcliffe and Tom Allanson got married in a show tent at Morgan Horse Show in Stone Mountain, Georgia. The wedding was exactly what she wanted as she dressed

		as her idol, Scarlett O'Hara.
1974	37	Tom and Pat purchase a farm in Zebulon, Georgia. They began their dream of raising and showing horses on their farm, Kentwood Morgan Farm.
Spring 1974	37	Tom's father, Walter, tries to push Tom out of his life. As a result, Pat takes the opportunity to file a sexual harassment complaint against Walter. This caused Tom to file a restraining order against Walter. The feud grew further when Walter believed Tom had stolen a rifle and pistol from his home. Tom and Pat's house was searched but no firearms were found.
06/29/1974	37	Tom's parents, Walter and Carolyn, were shot at while driving to Lake Lanier, Georgia. Walter accused Tom of firing the shots.
07/03/1974	37	Tom kills his parents in his parent's home. He is arrested soon after. Both Pat and Tom give false alibis to the police and Tom is sentenced to life in prison.
1974	38	Pat convinces Tom into a suicide pact.
1974	38	Pat befriends Tom's grandparents and is put in their will instead of their own daughter.
1974	38	Pat begins to poison Tom's grandparents with arsenic. Her house and barns burned down, presumably by her own hand, and forged Tom's signature for the insurance checks.
08/06/1976	39	Pat Allanson arrested for the attempted murders of Paw and Nona Allanson (Tom's grandparents)
05/02/1977	39	Pat's attempted murder trial begins.
05/06/1977	39	Jury finds Pat guilty of attempted murder.
05/16/1977	39	Judge Holt sentences Pat to two 10-year prison sentences, to be served consecutively. She is sent to Hardwick Correctional Institute in Milledgeville, GA.
1982	45	Pat is released from prison. She now goes by the name of Pat Taylor. She joins up with her daughter Debbie, a registered nurse, and pretended to be a registered nurse. Among the clients was the Crist family.
1988	51	Jimmy Crist, Sr. dies around the Christmas holidays. The family suspects that Pat may not have been properly taking care of Jimmy and may have been poisoning his wife Betty.
04/17/1991	53	Fulton County Grand Jury indicts Pat and her daughter Debbie on seven counts for their crimes against the Crist family including aggravated assault with intent to murder, theft, and impersonating a registered nurse.
06/12/1991	53	Pat reaches a plea agreement and is sentenced to 8 years in prison.
1999	61	Pat once again is released from jail. She opens up a shop in GA and lives with her stepfather. Pat has a small, local doll shop called Pat's Pretty Playthings.
2004	68	Pat's son Ronnie passes away.
February 2008	70	Pat is arrested again for doctor shopping, she may have received more than 3,700 pain pills in the past year. Her bail was set at \$22,500 for three felony counts of unauthorized distribution.

### General Information

Sex	Female
Race	White
Number of victims	3 suspected, 0 convicted, none confessed to
Country where killing occurred	United States
States where killing occurred	Georgia
Cities where killing occurred	Zebulon and Atlanta
Type of killer	Financial gain
Height	

### Childhood Information

Date of birth	08/22/1937
Location	Wilmington, North Carolina
Birth order	1st of 2, one stepbrother.

Number of siblings	1, stepbrother
XXX?	No
Raised by	Mother, Grandmother "Mama" and Stepfather
Birth category	Oldest due to stepbrother
Parent's marital status	Divorced and remarried.
Did serial killer spend time in an orphanage?	No
Did serial killer spend time in a foster home?	No
Was serial killer ever raised by a relative?	Partially, mother wasn't always around
Did serial killer live with a step-parent?	Yes
Family event	Pat becomes pregnant
Age of family event	15
Problems in school?	No
Teased while in school?	No
Physically attractive?	No
Physical defect?	No
Speech defect?	No
Head injury?	None
Physically abused?	No
Psychologically abused?	No
Sexually abused?	No
Father's occupation	Stepfather was an Officer in the Army
Age of first sexual experience	Presumed age 15
Age when first had intercourse	Presumed age 15
Mother's occupation	Unemployed, jumped from job to job
Father abused drugs/alcohol	N/A
Mother abused drugs/alcohol	N/A
<b>Cognitive Ability</b>	
Highest grade in school	
Highest degree	None
Grades in school	
IQ	
Source of IQ information	
<b>Work History</b>	
Served in the military?	No
Branch	
Type of discharge	
Saw combat duty	
Killed enemy during service?	
Applied for job as a cop?	No
Worked in law enforcement?	No
Fired from jobs?	No
Types of jobs worked	Self-employed shop
Employment status during series	Unemployed, and self-employed
<b>Relationships</b>	
Sexual preference	Heterosexual
Marital status	Was married, currently divorced.
Number of children	3
Lives with children	No
Living with	In Jail
<b>Triad</b>	
Animal torture	No
Fire setting	No

Bed wetting	No
<b>Killer Psychological Information</b>	
Abused drugs?	No
Abused alcohol?	No
Been to a psychologist (prior to killing)?	No
Time in forensic hospital (prior to killing)?	No
Diagnosis	N/A
<b>Killer Criminal History (Prior to the series)</b>	
Committed previous crimes?	No
Spent time in jail?	No
Spent time in prison?	No
Killed prior to series? Age?	No
<b>Serial Killing</b>	
Number of victims	1, possible 3, none convicted
Victim type	Wealthy individuals, and possible parent's in law.
Killer age at start of series	54
Date of first kill in series	1991
Date of final kill in series	1991
Gender of victims	Male, possible male and female.
Race of victims	White
Age of victims	Unknown
Type of victim	Retired upperclass
Method of killing	Poison
Weapon	Drugs
Was gun used?	No
Type	
Did killer have a partner?	Yes
Name of partner	Debbie
Sex of partner	Female
Relationship of partner	Daughter
Type of serial killer	
How close did killer live?	
Location of first contact	Victim's Home
Location of killing	Victim's Home
Killing occurred in home of victim?	Yes
Killing occurred in home of killer?	No
Victim abducted or killed at contact?	No
<b>Behavior During Crimes</b>	
Rape?	No
Tortured victims?	Yes, poison over time.
Stalked victims?	No
Overkill?	No
Quick & efficient?	No
Used blindfold?	No
Bound the victims?	No
<b>After Death Behavior</b>	
Sex with the body?	No
Mutilated body?	No
Ate part of the body?	No
Drank victim's blood?	No
Posed the body?	No

Took totem – body part	No
Took totem – personal item	No
Robbed victim or location	Robbed throughout contact with victim.
Disposal of Body	
Left at scene, no attempt to hide	Yes
Left at scene, hidden	No
Left at scene, buried	No
Moved, no attempt to hide	No
Moved, buried	No
Cut-up and disposed of	No
Moved, too home	No
Sentencing	
Date killer arrested	Never for murder
Date convicted	Never for murder
Sentence	Different sentences of 8 years, none for murder
Killer executed?	No
Did killer plead NGRI?	No
Was the NGRI plea successful?	N/a
Did serial killer confess?	No
Name and state of prison	Georgia
Killer committed suicide?	No
Killer killed in prison?	No
Date of death	N/A
Cause of death	N/A

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