Tammy Corbett



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| Date | Age | Life Event | |
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| 10/2/1965 | - | Corbett was born in Illinois | |
| ? | ? | Corbett suffered a head injury from a swimming accident. | |
| 1980-1981 | 15-16 | Corbett is a high school cheerleader and president of her freshman class. | |
| 1982 | 16-17 | Corbett claims to have been raped three times. She begins drinking heavily. | |
| 1984 | 19 | Corbett married Richard Eveans. Attempted to commit suicide after an argument with her husband during their honeymoon | |
| 1985 | 20 | Corbett is in a car accident and suffers a seizure while hospitalized. | |
| July 1986 | 20 | Corbett's first child, Richard Eveans Jr. was born | |
| July 1987 | 21 | Corbett's second child, Robert Eveans was born. | |
| September 1987 | Son Robert Eveans died from meningitis due to a skull fracture | | |
| September 1988 | 22 | Corbett's third child, Amy Eveans was born. | |
| September 1988 | 22 | Daughter, Amy Eveans died; she was 16 days old. Her death was ruled Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS). | |
| July 1989 | 23 | Son, Richard Eveans Jr. was smothered to death; he was three years old. Corbett admits to his murder by placing his hand over his mouth, and claims she was envisioning killing the man who | |

| | | raped her ear | rlier in her life. | |
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| 8/10/1989 | 23 | Corbett is arrested for the murder of her son Richard Eveans Jr. | | |
| September 1990 | 24 | Richard Eveans divorced Tammy Corbett. | | |
| 9/24/1990 | 24 | | und guilty but mentally ill for the murder of her son, need to 20 years in prison | |
| April 1991 | 25 | Corbett is ch | arged with the murders of her other two children, bert. Corbett pleads innocent. | |
| 2/1/1992 | 26 | Corbett's trial for the deaths of Amy and Robert begins after two delays so that the defense could assess the sanity of Corbett | | |
| 2/5/1993 | 27 | Corbett is found guilty of the murders of Amy and Robert Eveans. | | |
| 2/10/1993 | 27 | Corbett is sentenced to life without parole for the murders of her two children. | | |
| 4/8/1993 | 27 | Corbett requ | lests a new trial, and is denied. | |
| April 1996 | 30 | Corbett is de | enied an appeal. | |
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| General Inform | mation | | | |
| Sex | | | Female | |
| Race | | | White | |
| Number of v | victims | | 3 | |
| Country who | ere killing | g occurred | United States | |
| States where | e killing o | ccurred | Illinois | |
| Childhood Inf | ormation | l | | |
| Date of birth | | | 10/2/1965 | |
| Location | | | St. Louis, Illinois | |
| Birth order | | | Oldest | |
| Number of s | siblings | | 1 sister | |
| XYY? | | | No | |
| Raised by | | | Parents | |
| Birth catego | ory | | First of two | |
| Parent's man | rital status | 8 | Married | |
| Family even | ıt | | None | |
| Age of family event | | | None | |
| Problems in | | | Started in sophomore year in high school | |
| Teased whil | | | No | |
| Physically a | | | Average | |
| Physical defect? | | | No | |
| Speech defect? | | | No | |
| Head injury? | | | Yes, from swimming accident | |
| Physically abused? | | | No | |
| Psychologically abused? | | | No | |
| Sexually abused? | | | Yes, raped (unconfirmed) | |
| Father's occupation | | | Unknown | |

| Age of first sexual experience | Unknown | | | |
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| Age when first had | Unknown | | | |
| intercourse | | | | |
| Mother's Occupation | Unknown | | | |
| Father abused drugs/alcohol | No | | | |
| Mother abused drugs/alcohol | No | | | |
| Cognitive Ability | | | | |
| Highest grade in school | At least sophomore year of high school | | | |
| Highest degree | Some high school | | | |
| Grades in school | Started out with A's, fell to barely passing her | | | |
| | sophomore year, 1982. | | | |
| IQ | | | | |
| Work History | | | | |
| Served in the military? | No | | | |
| Branch | N/A | | | |
| Type of discharge | N/A | | | |
| Saw combat duty | N/A | | | |
| Killed enemy during service? | N/A | | | |
| Applied for job as a cop? | No | | | |
| Worked in law enforcement? | No | | | |
| Fired from jobs? | Unknown | | | |
| Types of jobs worked | Worked for a paint company | | | |
| Employment status during series | Employed by paint company | | | |
| Relationships | | | | |
| Sexual preference | Heterosexual | | | |
| Marital status | Divorced | | | |
| Number of children | 3 | | | |
| Lives with his children | Yes | | | |
| Living with | Former husband and children | | | |
| Triad | | | | |
| Animal torture | No | | | |
| Fire setting | No | | | |
| Bed wetting | No | | | |
| Killer Psychological Information | | | | |
| Abused drugs? | No | | | |
| Abused alcohol? | Yes | | | |
| Been to a psychologist? | Yes – for trial | | | |
| Time in forensic hospital? | No | | | |
| Diagnosis | Personality Disorders | | | |
| Killer Criminal History | | | | |
| Committed previous crimes? No | | | | |
| Spend time in jail? | No | | | |
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| Spend time in prison? | No |
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| Killed prior to series? Age? | No |
| Serial Killing | |
| Number of victims | 3 |
| Victim type | Children |
| Killer age at start of series | 21 |
| Gender of victims | 2 boys, 1 girl |
| Race of victims | White |
| Age of victims | 16 days – 3 years |
| Method of killing | Suffocation, blow to head |
| Type of serial killer | Organizes, Munchausen |
| How close did killer live? | Lived with victims |
| Killing occurred in home of victim | ? Yes |
| Killing occurred in home of killer? | |
| Weapon | No |
| Behavior During Crimes | |
| Rape? | No |
| Tortured victims? | No |
| Stalked victims? | No |
| Overkill? | No |
| Quick & efficient? | Yes |
| Used blindfold? | No |
| Bound the victims? | No |
| After Death Behavior | |
| 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 | No |
| 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-op and disposed of | No |
| Moved, to home | No |
| Sentencing | |
| Date killer arrested | 9/25/1990 |
| Date convicted | 9/24/1990 for son, Richard |

| | 2/10/1993 for other two children | | |
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| Sentence | 20 years for Richard, Life without parole for | | |
| | other murders. | | |
| Killer executed? | No | | |
| Name and state of prison | Dwight Correctional Center, Springfield, IL | | |
| Killer committed suicide? | No | | |
| Killer killed in prison? | No | | |
| Date of Death | N/A | | |
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