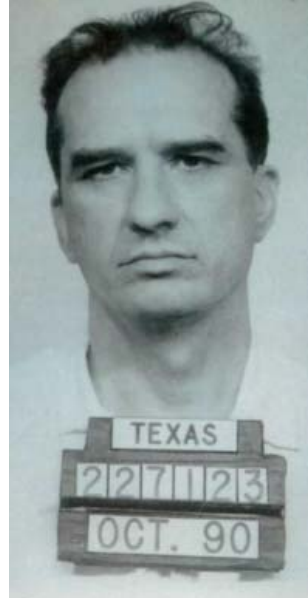


Kenneth Allen McDuff
“The Broomstick Killer”



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Date	Age	Life Event
03/21/1946	0	Born in Paris, Texas
1952-1954	6-8	Moved to Rosebud, Texas
1954-1955	8-9	Mom opened a Laundromat and Kenneth stole from a woman
1956	10	Knocked down by a teacher in a school hallway, was said without infamous nature he would be forgotten.
1957	11	Disciplinary problems until 9 th grade (age 14); laughed at inappropriate times
1957	11	Stole a kid's baseball glove. Boasted about knocking over principal (false statement)
1960	14	Referred to Ellen Roberts (a special education teacher); Got in a fight with Tommy Sammon
1961	15	Left school; Moved in with brother Lonnie
1961	15	Started drinking
1962	16	Moved back home; Parents got him a new car; Starting working with dad as a concrete pourer)
1963	17	Got a motorcycle; Started testing the law
3/1964	18	Stole \$500 and checks from Lott's Store (Falls County)
4/1964	18	Stole bullets and ice cream from 3 different stores (Milam County)
1964	18	Stole \$20 from a coin changer
1964	18	Stole 22 Caliber bullets from 7-11 (Bell City)
04/17/1964	18	Temple police caught him – McDuff said he was just doing stupid pranks
01/22/1965	19	Charged on 8 counts of theft and burglary, 4 counts from Milam county (14 counts total – sentenced to 52 years, but they all ran consecutive so he only was sent for 4 years)
03/10/1965	19	Sent to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice

12/29/1965	19	Got out of jail on parole
6/1966	20	Met Roy at Bremond State Dance
8/1966	20	Went out with Lonnie and Roy
8/1966	20	Headed to Fort Worth
08/06/1966	20	Killed three teens at a ball field in Everman, TX: Robert Brand (WM, 18), Mark Dunman (WM, 16), and Edna Louise Sullivan (WF, 16). Took the girl's necklace as a souvenir.
8/1966	20	Date with Jo-Ann. Bodies of Brand and Dunman are found.
8/1966	20	Partner (Roy) confessed; McDuff arrested in Fort Worth, TX.
08/09/1966	20	Put in jail without parole
11/09/1966	20	Tried for murder
11/15/1966	20	Convicted and sentenced to death
1968	22	Court confirmed conviction; Set execution date for 12/3/1968
10/09/1968	22	Went to Texas Department of Corrections
1972	26	Offered \$10,000 for early parole; Supreme Court deemed death penalty unjust in Texas
1973	27	Got his GED in jail, and took 45 hours of college credit; Bribed guard to smuggle drugs in for him
1976	29	Eligible for parole but was denied
1977	30	Got a new lawyer because his 1966 case was filed wrong, wasn't given correct rights
03/08/1978	31	Charges were dropped on rape part of 1966 trial because it was an unfair trial
1982	35	Was convicted of Bribery (delayed parole)
10/1989	43	Was paroled in Texas
10/14/1989	43	Sarafina Parker (F, 31) is strangled to death in Temple, Texas
1990	44	Sent back to prison for violation of parole, released after 2 months
1991	45	Enrolled at Texas State Technical Institute
10/10/1991	45	Brenda Thompson (WF, 37) is strangled to death in Waco, Texas
10/15/1991	45	Regina DeAnne Moore (17) is strangled to death in Waco, Texas
12/29/1991	45	Colleen Reed (W, 28) abducted from a car wash
02/24/1992	45	Valencia Kay Joshua (BF, 22) is strangled to death in Waco, Texas.
3/1992	46	Federal case against him for LSD and having a concealed weapon
03/01/1992	46	Melissa Northrop (WF, 22) disappeared from a convenience store in Waco, Texas; McDuff's car found a block away from the store
3/1992	46	Parole officer charged McDuff in Waco for parole violation
1992	46	Valencia found near Texas State Technical Institute
4/1992	46	Arrested under the name Richard Fowler in a prostitute sting in Kansas City, MO
4/1992	46	Northrop's body was found (Dallas)
4/1992	46	Alva Hank Worley confessed he and McDuff killed, kidnapped, and sexually assaulted Colleen Reed
5/1992	46	Police received a call from a guy saying he had seen McDuff on <i>America's Most Wanted</i> and that McDuff was his garbage man
05/04/1992	46	Arrested (<i>America's Most Wanted</i> 208 th capture)
2/1993	47	Convicted of the Northrop murder (found 5 of Reed's hair in McDuff's car)
1/1994	48	Jury selection began
2/1994	48	Roy Green came out as accomplice and told the story of what happened
03/02/1994	48	Found guilty of killing Reed (jury took 55 minutes)
1/1998	52	State appeals; court upholds death sentence
6/1998	52	Court set 10/21 as his death date
9/1998	52	Judge Smith granted stay of execution
Late 9/1998	52	Skeleton found to be Regina Moore (Waco)
10/1998	52	Another body found to be Brenda Thompson (Waco)
10/1998	52	Found Colleen Reed (near Marlin)
10/1998	52	Announced that he had Hepatitis C and cirrhosis of the liver

11/17/1988	52	Death by lethal injection
General Information		
Sex	Male	
Race	White	
Number of victims	Convicted of 5, suspected of 9.	
Country where killing occurred	United States	
States where killing occurred	Texas	
Cities where killing occurred	Waco, Austin, Forth Worth, Dallas, Tarrant Co., Bell Co., Marlen	
Type of killer	Mixed Killer	
Height	6'3", 250 lbs.	
Childhood Information		
Date of birth	March 21 st , 1946	
Location	Paris, Texas, moved to Rosebud when very young.	
Birth order	5 th out of 5	
Number of siblings	4 siblings (1 brother, 3 sisters)	
XYY?	No	
Raised by	Both parents and four siblings	
Birth category	Youngest	
Parent's marital status	Married	
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?	Yes (Brother – Lonnie)	
Did serial killer live with a step-parent?	No	
Family event		
Age of family event		
Problems in school?	Got into numerous fights, started out as a loner then proceeded to used intimidation to get respect. Lying, stealing, reckless driving. Tormented the weak. "Dull" personality.	
Teased while in school?	Teased, led to a fight	
Physically attractive?	Yes	
Physical defect?	No	
Speech defect?	No, brother did.	
Head injury?	No	
Physically abused?	No	
Psychologically abused?	No	
Sexually abused?	No	
Father's occupation	Concrete contractor, farm work, masonry, ran own construction business in '60s and '70s.	
Age of first sexual experience		
Age when first had intercourse		
Mother's occupation	House-wife. Controlled the family. Opened Rosebud Laundromat.	
Father abused drugs/alcohol	No	
Mother abused drugs/alcohol	No	
Cognitive Ability		
Highest grade in school	9 th grade (dropped out)/ Texas State Technical Institute	
Highest degree	GED in prison. Took 45 hours of college credit through community college program while in prison.	
Grades in school	Average. Didn't stand out as a student.	
IQ	Estimated 92 tested twice in prison: 92 & 84	

Source of IQ information	(Bad Boy pg. 16, 50)
Work History	
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?	
Types of jobs worked	Worked with father pouring concrete, worker at the Quik – Pak market, Garbage collector, mowed lawns
Employment status during series	Quik – Pak market, and a garbage collector
Relationships	
Sexual preference	Heterosexual
Marital status	Single
Number of children	None
Lives with his children	no
Living with	Brother Lonnie at some points
Triad	
Animal torture	N/A
Fire setting	N/A
Bed wetting	N/A
Killer Psychological Information	
Abused drugs?	Addiction to Crack Cocaine, smuggled into jail
Abused alcohol?	Yes (convicted for DUI and Drunk in Public) started at 15.
Been to a psychologist (prior to killing)?	Yes. Saw Special Education teacher in Elementary school for behavior.
Time in forensic hospital (prior to killing)?	No
Diagnosis	N/A
Killer Criminal History	
Committed previous crimes?	Burglaries
Spend time in jail?	Yes, (10 months)
Spend time in prison?	Yes, 29 years
Killed prior to series? Age?	Yes, 20 years old in 8-6-66 case
Serial Killing	
Number of victims	5 convicted of, suspected of 9 more.
Victim type	Prostitutes and young women in their teens- 30's
Killer age at start of series	First kill at 20, Series started at age 43 (1989)
Date of first kill in series	10/14/1989
Date of final kill in series	01/01/1992
Gender of victims	7 females, 2 males
Race of victims	Mostly White, also Black, and possibly others (race-neutral names)
Age of victims	16, 16, 17, 18, 22, 22, 28, 21, 37
Type of victim	Prostitutes/ random young women. 1 pregnant/convenience store worker
Method of killing	Strangulation, 2 shot.
Weapon	1 st killing: brought weapon (broomstick/gun),

	Series: rope, hands
Was gun used?	In the first killing
Type	Pistol
Did killer have a partner?	Yes, first killings and in Colleen Reed's
Name of partner	Roy Green (first), Alva Hank Worley
Sex of partner	Male
Relationship of partner	friends
Type of serial killer	Mixed Killer
How close did killer live?	Drove to the Crime, sometimes car was left.
Location of first contact	Fort Worth, Texas. Baseball field parking lot. (first)
Location of killing	Farm-to-Market on road FM 1017 (first)
Killing occurred in home of victim?	No
Killing occurred in home of killer?	No
Victim abducted or killed at contact?	All were abducted
Behavior During Crimes	
Rape?	Yes
Tortured victims?	No
Stalked victims?	No
Overkill?	Yes. Continued strangling after dead
Quick & efficient?	No
Used blindfold?	No
Bound the victims?	Certain ones
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	Yes. Boy's wallets...later buried. German Cross necklace off Louise.
Robbed victim or location	Yes
Disposal of Body	
Left at scene, no attempt to hide	No
Left at scene, hidden	Yes
Left at scene, buried	No
Moved, no attempt to hide	No
Moved, buried	Yes, but not far from murder site
Cut-up and disposed of	No
Moved, too home	No
Sentencing	
Date killer arrested	1966 (First Time), 1992 (Second Time)
Date convicted	1966 (First Time), 1992 (Second Time)
Sentence	Death Penalty, Switched to Life in Prison after the Supreme Court overruled the death sentence, Released on Parole in 1989, Death Penalty for the Second Time 1992
Killer executed?	Yes (Lethal Injection)
Did killer plead NGRI?	No
Was the NGRI plea successful?	N/A
Did serial killer confess?	Did not confess
Name and state of prison	Huntsville Prison (Huntsville, Texas)
Killer committed suicide?	No
Killer killed in prison?	No
Date of death	11/17/1998

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