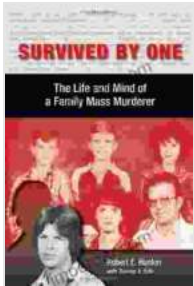


# The Life and Mind of Family Mass Murderer Elmer Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson



**Survived by One: The Life and Mind of a Family Mass Murderer (Elmer H Johnson & Carol Holmes Johnson Series in Criminology)** by Robert E. Hanlon

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On the morning of December 6, 2008, Elmer Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson shot and killed his wife, two daughters, and two sons in their home in the small town of Willernie, Minnesota. The murders shocked the community and the nation, and raised questions about what could have driven a seemingly ordinary man to commit such a heinous crime.

In the years since the murders, several books have been written about Elmer Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson and his crimes. One of the most comprehensive and insightful of these books is "The Life and Mind of Family Mass Murderer Elmer Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson" by Dr. Ann Burgess and Dr. John Douglas.

Burgess and Douglas are two of the world's leading experts on the psychology of murder. They have spent decades studying the minds of

serial killers and other violent offenders, and they have developed a deep understanding of the factors that can lead to these types of crimes.

In "The Life and Mind of Family Mass Murderer Elmer Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson," Burgess and Douglas provide a detailed account of Elmer Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson's life and crimes. They draw on interviews with Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson himself, as well as with his family members, friends, and colleagues. They also examine Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson's medical and psychological records, and they review the evidence that was presented at his trial.

Through their research, Burgess and Douglas have developed a complex and nuanced understanding of Elmer Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson and his motives. They argue that Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson was not a monster, but rather a deeply disturbed man who was driven to violence by a combination of factors, including childhood trauma, mental illness, and financial problems.

"The Life and Mind of Family Mass Murderer Elmer Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson" is a fascinating and disturbing book that provides a unique insight into the mind of a killer. It is a must-read for anyone who is interested in the psychology of violence and the factors that can lead to murder.

## **The Life of Elmer Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson**

Elmer Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson was born in 1959 in the small town of Willernie, Minnesota. He was the youngest of four children, and he had a difficult childhood. His father was an alcoholic who was often violent, and his mother was depressed and emotionally distant. Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson was also bullied by his peers, and he felt like an outcast.

As a teenager, Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson began to exhibit signs of mental illness. He was diagnosed with depression and anxiety, and he began to have hallucinations and delusions. Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson also began to abuse alcohol and drugs.

In 1981, Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson married his wife, Carol. They had two daughters and two sons together. For a few years, the family seemed happy and stable. However, Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson's mental health problems began to worsen, and he became increasingly abusive towards his wife and children.

In 2008, Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson was fired from his job, and the family's financial problems began to mount. Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson became increasingly desperate, and he began to make plans to kill his family.

## **The Murders**

On the morning of December 6, 2008, Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson shot and killed his wife, two daughters, and two sons in their home in Willernie, Minnesota. He then called 911 and confessed to the crime.

When the police arrived, they found Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson sitting in the living room, covered in blood. He was arrested and charged with five counts of murder.

## **The Trial**

Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson was convicted of all five counts of murder and sentenced to life in prison without the possibility of parole. During the trial, Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson's attorneys argued that he was not

guilty by reason of insanity. However, the jury rejected this argument and found Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson guilty of first-degree murder.

## **The Aftermath**

The murders of Elmer Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson's wife and children shocked the community of Willernie, Minnesota. The town was left reeling from the loss of five of its own, and the families of the victims were devastated.

In the years since the murders, the community of Willernie has come together to heal. The town has erected a memorial to the victims, and it has established a fund to help the families of the victims.

The murders of Elmer Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson's wife and children have also had a lasting impact on the nation. The case has been featured in several books and articles, and it has been the subject of numerous documentaries and television shows. The case has also led to changes in the way that law enforcement investigates and prosecutes family mass murders.

The murders of Elmer Johnson Carol Holmes Johnson's wife and children were a tragedy that shocked the community of Willernie, Minnesota, and the nation. The murders have had a lasting impact on the families of the victims, the community of Willernie, and the nation as a whole.

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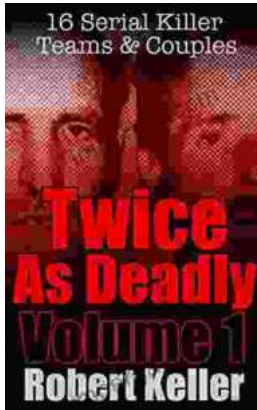
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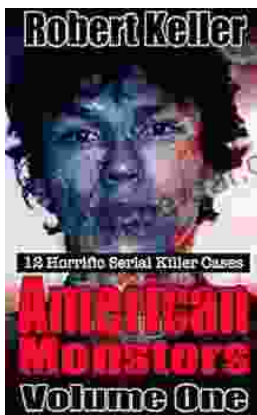
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