

“She’s a pathological liar”

--DeKalb County court mediator to the judge, 09-2021

Every accusation related to Emmett’s dad in the Final Custody Order is based on layers of obfuscations and lies as Cheri created a persona of him for the Guardian ad Litem after learning in 03-2014 that the GAL was recommending keeping the same joint custody arrangement that had gone on for two years “without conflict”. Cheri saw that as a loss and did not want to be bothered with coparenting. Please refer to the “Timeline” tab on this site.

Here’s one example of Cheri’s behavior:

Final Custody Trial, November 15, 2017, DeKalb County Courthouse:

Cheri stated on the witness stand that our son’s middle name Lee came from her grandmother Rosalee. I nearly fell to the floor when I heard that, I didn’t know which grandmother; I’d only met her paternal grandmother and I’d only ever known her by her nickname, never by “Roselee” or any version of that name. I’d never heard that name before—no idea who that was referring to. Reread what I just wrote, then read it again. Imagine the delusion it took to say that under oath in a final custody trial. I had to watch the end scene in the film “The Caine Mutiny” several times just to make some molecule of sense about the reasoning behind thinking that anyone would believe anything from a person’s mouth who could make that assertion. Emmett’s middle name, Lee, is from my mom, his paternal grandmother who died four months before his birth, though she knew he was on the way. I was her care provider in her last 3.5 years and he wouldn’t exist without that and the fact that she was tenacious, moving to DC as a single woman the last year of WWII to work in the Naval Department, then beating two major cancers in ’62 and ’68 which is why I was adopted. I photographed this scene in 2009:

