

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 12TH
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR
SARASOTA COUNTY, FLORIDA

PROBATE DIVISION

CASE NO.: 03-CP-001071 NC

IN RE:
ESTATE OF MURRAY B. COHEN

Deceased.

MARIA COHEN,

Petitioner,

v.

STEVEN J. COHEN ESDALE,
individually and as the Natural
Parent and Guardian of RYAN
ESDALE, a minor.

Respondents.

AFFIDAVIT OF WILLIAM NIES JR

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared WILLIAM NIES, who, being
duly sworn under oath, deposes and states as follows:

1. My name is William Nies. ~~JB~~
2. I was friendly with Murray B. Cohen.
3. On or about October 1 of 2001, while Murray Cohen was talking about his lady
friend Maria with me, he told me that "Bolivian women do not have sex prior to marriage." Murray
was referring to Maria, indicating that he and Maria were not sexually active, but that Murray wanted

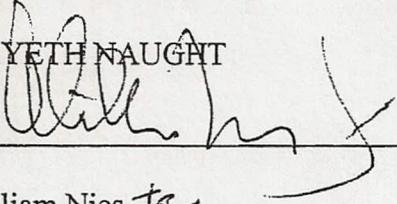
to have sex with her.

4. In January 2003, a few days after his marriage, Murray B. Cohen and I, while riding in my car on the way from Venice to Sarasota, were discussing his recent marriage. I made a comment like, "I'll bet you are getting a lot of sex now". Murray's answer to me was, to hang his head down and shake it "no". Murray was indicating to me that he was still not having sex with Maria.

5. Murray B. Cohen wanted to have sex with Maria before and after his marriage, and it was obvious that he was truly upset that they were not having sex.

6. I have read the above affidavit and all of the statements contained therein are true and correct, and are based on my personal knowledge.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT



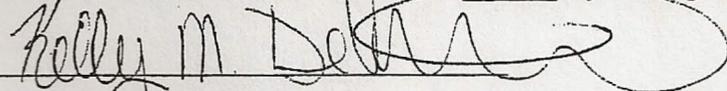
William Nies *ja*

STATE OF MICHIGAN }

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COUNTY OF OTTAWA }

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of August, 2004, by, William Nies. *ja*



(Signature of Notary Public), State of Michigan

KELLY M. DeVRIES
Notary Public, Ottawa County, MI
My Commission Expires Jan. 30, 2007

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Subj: **From a Realtor friend of mine**
Date: 8/28/2004 10:18:46 AM Eastern Daylight Time
From: Billxjs
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Also a bit of interesting news - Maria - Yesterday I was taking a listing from friends - but the plat did not look right - because they had sold off part of the property to Maria. Wow, did they find her a "weirdo" - she tried to come on to both brothers and also their attorney.

Bill Nies