

# Lexie Cruz Fraud – Private Investigation

Several women were scammed by suspect Lexie Cruz. Most scams are in California but the suspect has been found scamming in multiple states. She schedules photo shoots, asks for money to be wired to her, then never shows up to the photo shoot. To maintain her scam, there are some clients she actually follows thru on and some she refunds. Countless others are not so lucky as the suspect vanishes with their money sans the promised services.

**Do not do any violence to suspect, suspect's family, or witnesses.**

## Contacts

- Suspect: Lexie Cruz (confirmed) – Granite Hills High School class of 2017 – 619-919-4526
- Mother: Kelly Johnson-Poor (confirmed) – knowledgeable of scam, quick to defend suspect, may be accomplice
- Sister: Courtney Rose Kendall (confirmed) – knowledgeable of scam, quick to defend suspect, may be accomplice
- Mistress: [REDACTED] having an affair with [REDACTED] who is husband of [REDACTED] (suspect's [REDACTED])
- Best Friend: [REDACTED]
- Hair Stylist: [REDACTED]

## Websites / Email / Phone

619-919-4526 (this is a T-mobile account)

[Lexabell12799@gmail.com](mailto:Lexabell12799@gmail.com) (birthday is 1/27/1999)

<https://photographybylexie.godaddysites.com/>

Suspect banks with Chase Bank and uses paypal / zelle / venmo

Suspect social security number is [REDACTED]

<https://www.instagram.com/lexie.cruz.photography/>

## Photos



## Proof Facebook

The image is a collage of three screenshots from a mobile phone, showing a Facebook profile and a post.

**Left Screenshot (Profile):** Shows the profile of **Lexie Linda**, a photographer. The profile picture is a circular photo of a woman with red hair. The bio reads "Photography.Faith.Hope.Equal Love" with a heart and rainbow flag icon. The location is "From El Cajon, California". The join date is "Joined January 2017". The website is "photographybylexie.godaddysites.com". There are three small photos at the bottom of the profile.

**Middle Screenshot (Post):** Shows a post by **Lexie Cruz** (Photography.Faith.Hope.Equal Love) dated Nov 12, San Diego, California. The post text says: "Did you want Christmas pictures this year but COVID got in the way? I have a Solution!!! This year I am Partnering with Aimee Sando Cruz to put on an AMAZING Socially Distant Pictures with Santa!!! Come out and enjoy pictures with santa as well as beautiful family pictures for your christmas cards! Message me for a Promo code for 50% off!". The post includes a photo of a woman on a bridge and a circular photo of a woman in a field. There are 16 comments and 9 shares.

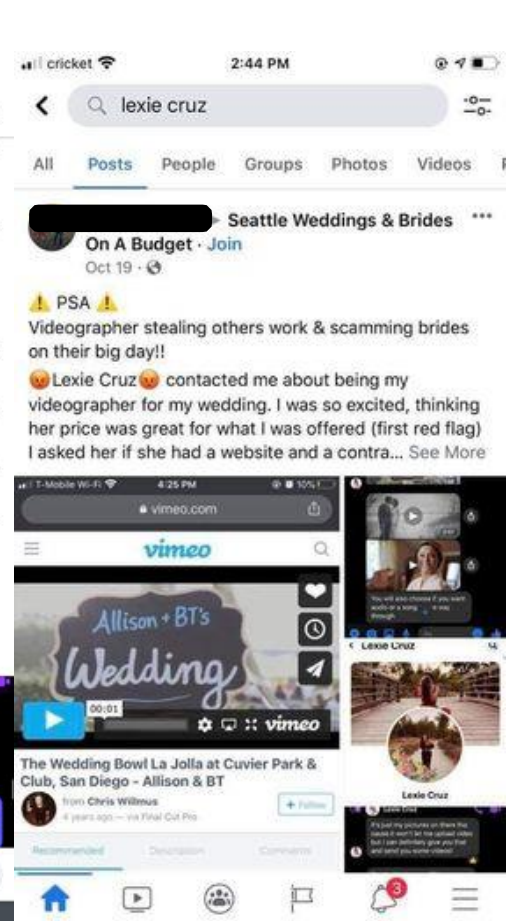
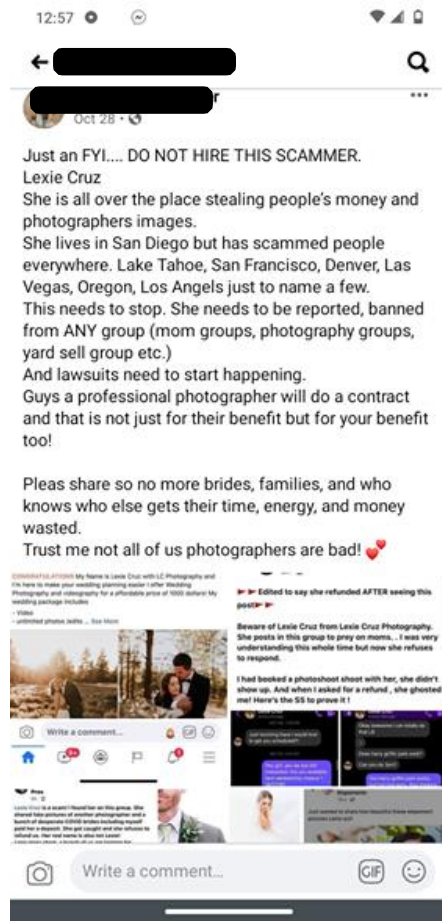
**Right Screenshot (Comments):** Shows a series of negative comments on the post. The comments are: "Why don't you refund all of the deposits you collected from clients who you no showed and took their money? As a business owner I find this very unethical.", "People beware. This so called 'photographer' is a scam artist and will take your money", "Scam artist do not book her", and "No one wants to book a session with someone who would back out, not respond, and not refund money. Shame on you." The names of the commenters are redacted with black boxes.

After deactivating and reactivating her facebook (common tactic of suspect), she has removed the negative comments from her page.

Suspect also is known to change her facebook name.

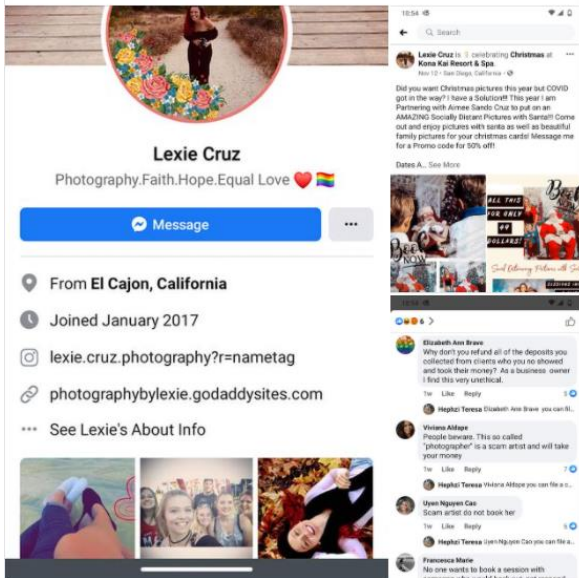


As can be seen here, the suspect has scams in multiple locations in various states. This is only what is known currently. The suspect may or may not be perpetuating fraud in other locations.



If anyone has any information on this woman, please private message me. She has scammed myself and several other women. She books photo shoots but ghosts after receiving the deposit. We are trying to bring her to justice. I've messaged one woman who has met Lexie and can confirm she looks like her photos.

<https://photographybylexie.godaddysites.com/contact-us>



I used her for my business prior to hearing all these things about her but she did show up! I'm so sorry this has happened to you all

Like · Reply · 1d

Like · Reply · 1d

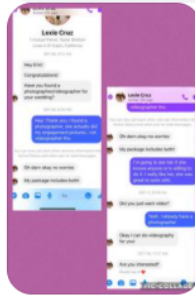
She's in a lot of babysitting/daycare/ nanny groups too! Always got a weird vibe from her.

Like · Reply · 23h

I've seen she's scammed others on other pages people were reporting her to the police. I'm sorry she did that to you.

Care · Reply · 1d

She tried to hit me up to do my wedding. I had a sketchy feeling about her to begin with.



Like · Reply · 1d

Yeah she scammed me too.

Sad · Reply · 1d

She scammed me to. I commented on her posts to warn you girls

Sad · Reply · 1d

I believe she was removed from the Navy Spouses Group. Let's all keep posting in as many groups as possible so other people do not get scammed.

Like · Reply · 18h

Yikes! That's crazy she tried to get me to do a photo shoot for engagement photos, she did seem a little desperate for the business I was going to do it just to help her out but thank goodness I didn't yet 😬 that's so horrible!

Care · Reply · 18h

HOW IS THIS CHICK STILL ALLOWED ON FACEBOOK. SHES BEEN SCAMMING FOR MONTHS. LIKE SERIOUSLY IVE SEEN LIKE 50 DIFFERENT PEOPLE ON 50 DIFFERENT PAGES POST/COMPLAIN/WARN ABOUT HER.

Like · Reply · 17h

## Witnesses

Multiple contacts confirm suspect's identity.



SAT 4:00 PM

For Lexie Cruz, can you confirm she looks like her photos?

Also, do you have any information on her? Is that her real name?



As far as I know that is her name and yes it looks like her

Do you know where she lives or works?

i know nothing about her besides her quality of photos is awful lol



the day after she took photos of our set up i saw a reviews about her on a san diego wedding group

[REDACTED]

Is Lexie Cruz her full name? Do you have her address or any other information from her?

Did you ever meet her in person?

I do not

Did you send her money yet?

I have met her in person at the kona kai

Does she actually look like her Facebook photos?

Yes

She's young

I get the impression she's young and just starting out, and has a lot of professional learning to do

She is family friends with mutual friends of mine

11:48 AM

Please send me any evidence / correspondence you have on Lexie Cruz. I am compiling evidence for a report on her scams. Thank you.

Her sister knows but has chosen to not be a part of this because she has a lot going on with a new baby. We tried warning Lexie

Do you know if Lexie lives with her mom or sister? She's so young, I have a hard time believe she has her own place.

The girls had a rough upbringing so it wouldn't shock me if she lived on her own or with her significant other .

Does she work? Or is this her full time gig?

I have no idea where she works or if she's still working anymore

If she wants money that bad, maybe she could find a wealthy significant other! They exist 😊

👤 few and far between but idk. Like I said I don't agree with what she's done . She tried to do it to me . So I dont feel bad that she's going through this because she brought it upon herself

👤 1

Do you know her sister's name?

Yes but I'm not going to share that because I dont want her being bothered

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

MON 11:53 AM

If you have any evidence or correspondence related to the Lexie Cruz photography scam, please send it to me. I am compiling a report for police. It is of prime importance that the suspect's phone number be visible and you explicitly say what happened, if you got scammed, etc. Thank you.

MON 2:41 PM

Hi

Yes 😊 I'm all ears and records



8:04 AM

Thank you. Do you have her sister's name? Friends' names?

9:21 AM

[Redacted]

thank you



## Phone Number

This is the biggest piece of evidence. While some could say perhaps someone “faked” this account and that the suspect is simply a victim of identity theft, this proves otherwise. The phone number victims were told to wire money to is the same phone number the suspect’s mother gives when she thinks she is speaking with a prospective client.



**Kelly Johnson-Poor**



Kelly Johnson-Poor

Bartender Server at Por Favor Mexican Restaurant & Cantina  
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12:15 PM

Do you know Lexie Cruz? Have you had photos taken with her?

2:14 PM



Yes I know her. She's my daughter. Yes she's done all our family photos.  
Why??

You can now call each other and see information like Active Status and when you've read messages.

Cool. I saw her name around and wanted to know if she is good. Can  
you send me her number so I can book a session? 😊

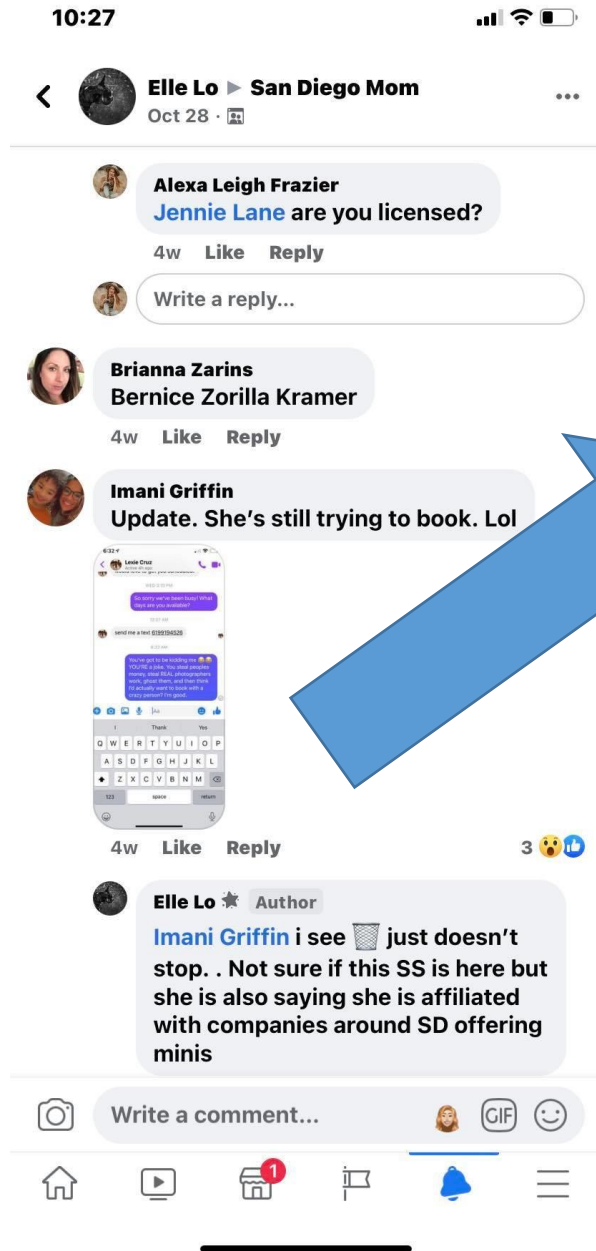


9194526 area code 619



YOU ARE A DIRTY BITCH. GET OUT IF MY DAUGHTER'S BUSINESS. SHE'S  
PROVEN WHO SHE IS ALREADY. LEAVE US ALONE. YOU LIED ABOUT  
WANTING PHOTOS. YOU BITCH.  
STOP STALKING MY DAUGHTER OR I WILL CALL THE POLICE.

Here is someone posing as a client. Again, the suspect's phone number is confirmed.



## High School

This is investigative proof that the suspect was part of Granite Hills High School Class of 2017.



1:42 PM

Hi. Did you go to high school with a Lexie Cruz? Class of 2017 Granite Hills High School?



3:15 PM



Uhm yes i went to high school with her why?..

**Student Information**  
Student Number: 307415 Grade: 11  
Birthdate: 01/27/1999 Gender: F  
UIC: 4134714750  
Counselor: Burke, Erin  
Place of Birth: United States  
Guardian: Henry Cruz, Linda Cruz  
Diploma Type:  
Diploma Date:

**GPA Summary**  
Cumulative GPA (Weighted) 1.891  
Class Rank 483 of 524  
Percentile 7.82%  
Cumulative GPA (Unweighted) 1.804  
Weighted 10-12 GPA 1.611  
Unweighted 10-12 GPA 1.500

**#3732336 GRANITE HILLS**  
**Course Mark Weight Credit**  
**2014-2015 Grade 09 Term 1**  
\*M400 Algebra 1C-1 D 0.0000 0  
L190 Choir 1 B 1.0000 5  
E014 English 1C B 1.0000 5  
P040 Ex & Nutr Sci 1 A 1.0000 5  
S870 GIBStud/Geog 1C D 1.0000 5  
L290 Theatre 1 B 1.0000 5  
Credit: 25.000 GPA: 2.800 U/W GPA: 2.800  
**2014-2015 Grade 09 Term 2**  
\*M405 Algebra 1C-2 F 0.0000 0  
Z077 Cheerleading-09 NM 0.0000 0  
L190 Choir 1 A 1.0000 5  
E015 English 2C C 1.0000 5  
P041 Ex & Nutr Sci 2 A 1.0000 5  
S871 GIBStud/Geog 2C C 1.0000 5  
Z092 JV-Lacrosse NM 0.0000 0  
L291 Theatre 2 B 1.0000 5  
Credit: 25.000 GPA: 3.000 U/W GPA: 3.000  
**2015-2016 Grade 10 Term 1**  
\*M400 Algebra 1C-1 B 1.0000 5  
R191 Biology 1C B 1.0000 5  
E024 English 3C D 1.0000 5  
L211 HonorsMusic 1 B 1.0000 5  
G271 Spanish 1C F 1.0000 0  
S243 W His/Geo 1C C 1.0000 5  
Credit: 25.000 GPA: 2.167 U/W GPA: 2.000  
**2015-2016 Grade 10 Term 2**  
\*M405 Algebra 1C-2 F 1.0000 0  
R192 Biology 2C C 1.0000 5  
E025 English 4C D 1.0000 5  
L212 HonorsMusic 2 A 1.0000 5  
Y125B Office Exp A 0.0000 5  
S244 W His/Geo 2C C 1.0000 5  
Credit: 25.000 GPA: 2.000 U/W GPA: 1.800

**#3732336 GRANITE HILLS**  
**Course Mark Weight Credit**  
**2016-2017 Grade 11 Term 1**  
R281 Chemistry 1C D 1.0000 5  
T173 DevelopPsyChild1 C 1.0000 5  
E034 English 5C D 1.0000 5  
L213 HonorsMusic 3 B 1.0000 5  
M347 TransGeomAlg 1C-1 C 1.0000 5  
S073 US His/Geo 1C C 1.0000 5  
Credit: 30.000 GPA: 2.000 U/W GPA: 1.833  
**2016-2017 Grade 11 Term 2**  
R282 Chemistry 2C F 1.0000 0  
T174 DevelopPsyChild2 C 1.0000 5  
\*E035 English 6C F 0.0000 0  
L214 HonorsMusic 4 B 1.0000 5  
M348 TransGeomAlg 1C-2 D 1.0000 5  
S074 US His/Geo 2C D 1.0000 5  
Credit: 20.000 GPA: 1.600 U/W GPA: 1.400  
**2017-2018 Grade 12 Term 1**  
P350A Aerobic Dance C 1.0000 5  
M150 Consum Math 1 D 1.0000 5  
S220 Economics 1C C 1.0000 5  
C065 Eng For Bus1C F 1.0000 0  
\*E035EDGE English 6C D 1.0000 5  
L200A Ensmbl 1 D 1.0000 5  
M270EDGE Found For Alg1 B 1.0000 5  
Credit: 30.000 GPA: 1.429 U/W GPA: 1.429  
**2017-2018 Grade 12 Term 2**  
P350B Aerobic Dance F 1.0000 0  
S180 Am Govt 1C D 1.0000 5  
M155 Consum Math 2 F 1.0000 0  
C066 Eng For Bus2C F 1.0000 0  
L200B Ensmbl 1 B 1.0000 5  
M275EDGE Found For Alg2 F 1.0000 0  
Credit: 10.000 GPA: 0.667 U/W GPA: 0.667  
**2017-2018 Grade 12 Term 3**  
E042EDGE English 7C D 1.0000 5  
Credit: 5.000 GPA: 1.000 U/W GPA: 1.000

**Activity Courses**  
**2015 GHHS Regular**  
X901 No Class Period 1 General Activity  
**2016 GHHS**  
X901A No Class Period 1 General Activity  
X901B No Class Period 1 General Activity  
**2017 GHHS**  
X907A No Class Period 7 General Activity  
X907B No Class Period 7 General Activity  
**2018 GHHS**  
X907A No Class Period 7 General Activity  
X907B No Class Period 7 General Activity

**In-Progress Courses**  
**Credit Summary**  
HS Credit Earned  
Electives 15.000  
English 35.000  
History-Social Science 40.000  
Mathematics 25.000  
Physical Education 15.000  
Science 15.000

**Comments**  
School is accredited through WASC Accrediting Commission for Schools.  
Credits required to graduate: 220.00  
\*Transfer Course taken at charter school or school outside GUHSD

Suspect has unusually low grades and high concentration of Ds/Fs. Reason for poor academic performance unknown. Possible causes could be learning disability, depression, family issues, drug use, skipping class, etc.

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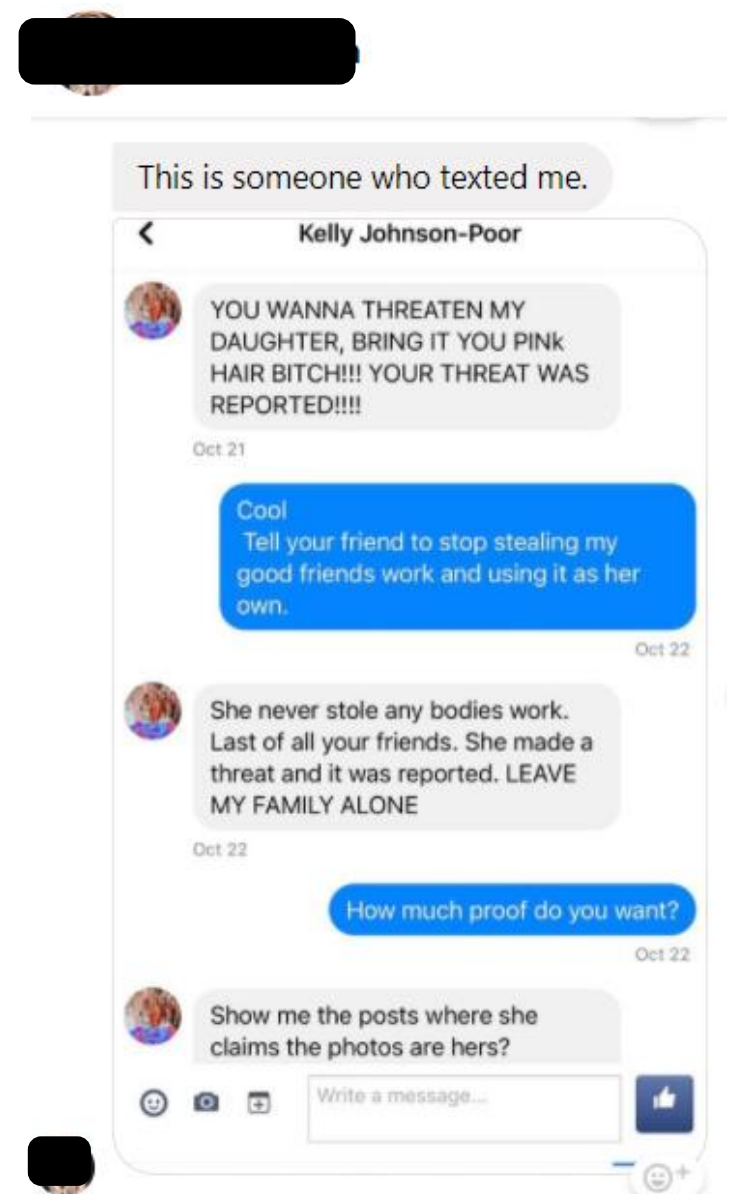
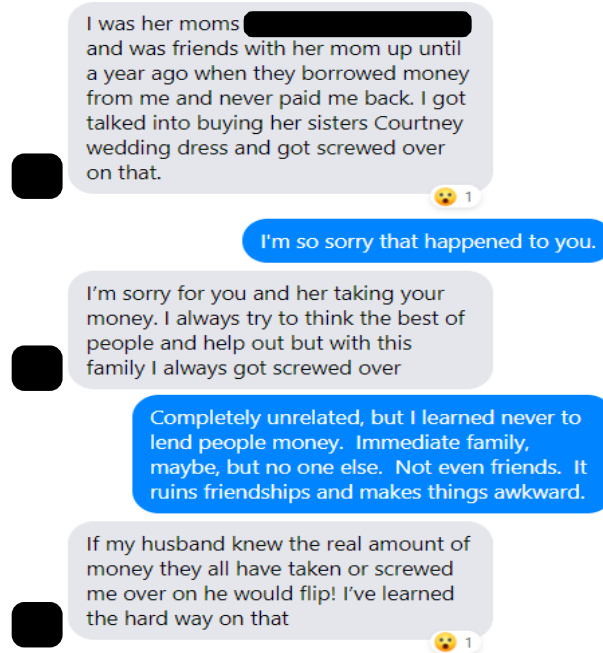
## Family

Here are some family photos of the suspect provided by whistleblowers who have confirmed her identity. Also defense from suspect's family / accomplices.



Photos publicly available on facebook.

Suspect's birth mother (Kelly Johnson-Poor) and sister (Courtney Rose Kendall) threaten / swear as they defend suspect. This raises suspicion that they may be accomplices.





Family friends tipped us off to the address. Both had the image below. 1532 E Washington Ave, El Cajon, CA 92019. Addresses matches suspect's HS records.



10/10/2019

Do you just want the address?

Anything you have that will help.

Active on Messenger

I might have info on lexie Cruz

The so called photographer

MON 10:40 PM

Please send screenshots of your texts with her. Or any other info you have. Thank you.

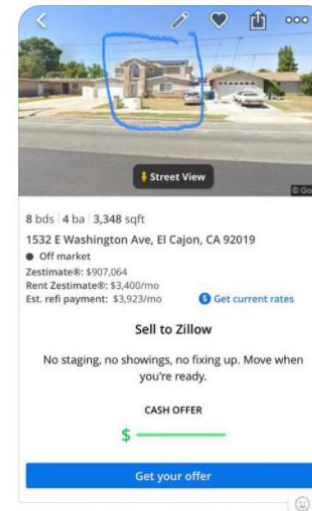
You can now call each other and see information like Active Status and when you've read messages.

7:10 AM

I don't have that. I know where she lives or where her mom lives in case she moved out

Don't know the actual address. But she lives on Washington between Third and Wichita. If your going east on Washington its like the 3rd house on the left right after you pass Third. The only 2 story house.

I think her mom still does. not sure she does. She's 21 so she might have moved. I'm at work so ill have to text you later



This is all I know, my daughter isn't friends with her anymore and not friends on social media either

Hopefully this helps a little!! She was a little strange whenever she came to my house, but it was only a couple times!



A whistleblower tipped us off to another address. The Hitching Post at 4949 Guava Ave, La Mesa, CA 91942. Whistleblower claims suspect lives in bottom corner unit, which Google Satellite shows as being Unit #9. This is the same address provided on the suspect's yelp and google pages.



The room mate Brandie they lived with doesn't even know about the camera being stole or all the other things they stole from her.  
Here's a list of some family members

Robert poor jr - her dad  
Jerrecca Bergman - dads gf/step mom kinda  
Kelly Johnson poor - mom  
Linda Cruz - adopted mom  
Courtney Kendall- sister  
Samual Kendall- brother in law  
Brittanie ispie- sister  
Caitlyn stevens - sister  
Carly Cruz - sister  
Christina gurule- aunt

She thinks she's untouchable because she's always gotten away with this kinda stuff.



Why the 2 different addresses? And who is Linda Cruz versus Kelly Johnson Poor?

Apparently, suspect Lexie Cruz was adopted by Linda Cruz as a child per Child Protective Services (CPS). Her birth mother is Kelly Johnson Poor, whom the suspect reconnected with as a teen / young adult. Suspect currently lives with her birth mother at the Hitching Post while the home is owned by adopted mom.

Ok she lives at the hitching post motel in la Mesa with her mom Kelly.  
The big house (the picture in the screen shots) is her adoptive mom Linda's house.  
She and her family scam and steal for a lot of people. The camera she uses is stole from a room mate her and her mom lived with, the lady's name was Brandie.

She plays the victim a lot but she's not. She steals people (family members) credit cards.

Sister is Courtney Kendall. She's just as bad or she use to be. And her mom was never in a car accident and was never in the ICU. Her grandpa on her dads side is sick but never had a heart attack or anything like that.



She her sister and brother were adopted when they were younger. Cps



She just reconnected with her mom 4 years ago.



T-Mobile Wi-Fi 12:08 PM 19%

Search LC Photography

14 min drive 5.2 mi  
4949 Guava Ave, La Mesa, CA 91942

Get Directions

**Call**  
(619) 919-4526

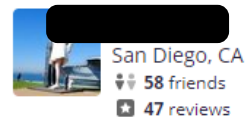
**Info**

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San Diego, CA  
58 friends  
47 reviews

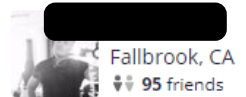
10/17/2020

Yeah pretty sure I got scammed by her too. She asked for a \$20 deposit to reserve a spot for our family shoot ... I never heard from her so the day before I messaged her to see where we should meet. She canceled saying she had a death in the family (maybe that's true who knows) ... which fine whatever but I asked for my deposit back and she said she would just "hold onto it." I said No I'd like it back please... and now she won't answer me. I'm not going to make a big thing out of it she clearly needs the \$20 more than I do to scam people but ... don't send this girl any money.

Useful 2

Funny

Cool



Fallbrook, CA  
95 friends  
75 reviews  
19 photos

9/24/2020

First to Review

Scam photographer that steals images from other photographers and advertises them as their own. Don't trust your most important or special events with this dishonest person.


Useful 2


Funny

Cool

# Getting Scammed

## Victim 1

**Lexie Cruz**

**Lexie Cruz**

NOV 17, 2020, 8:42 AM

Hi Lexie. I saw your photography post in Girl Time San Diego. I've always wanted to do a fashion photo shoot. Is that something you'd be down for?

NOV 18, 2020, 12:31 PM

You can now call each other and see information like Active Status and when you've read messages.

You will pick a date and time and I get a deposit and that's all!


NOV 18, 2020, 2:32 PM

Awesome. How much? Do you have PayPal or zelle?

NOV 18, 2020, 4:34 PM

It's 40 dollar deposit

On zelle

**Lexie Cruz**

NOV 18, 2020, 10:23 PM

6199194526 my number to send it

MON 6:38 PM

Let's do Friday!

TUE 8:39 PM

We can do old poway park

WED 8:41 PM

Let's do 12?

FRI 6:51 AM

See you at noon

Just sent you zelle. I think I accidentally sent you \$80 twice. Could you please send me \$40 back?

Typo. I sent you \$40 twice


NOV 18, 2020, 10:23 PM

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FRI 6:51 AM

**Lexie Cruz**

FRI 6:51 AM

See you at noon

Just sent you zelle. I think I accidentally sent you \$80 twice. Could you please send me \$40 back?

Typo. I sent you \$40 twice

FRI 9:36 AM

Okay no worries we will use that for your session! So at your session you don't owe anything!

FRI 11:41 AM

On my way!

Here

I came to old poway park Friday today at noon and waited 30 minutes. I also called you and texted you. Now I am going home. Please refund me my \$80.

Please refund me my [REDACTED]

FRI 6:51 AM

FRI 9:36 AM

FRI 11:41 AM

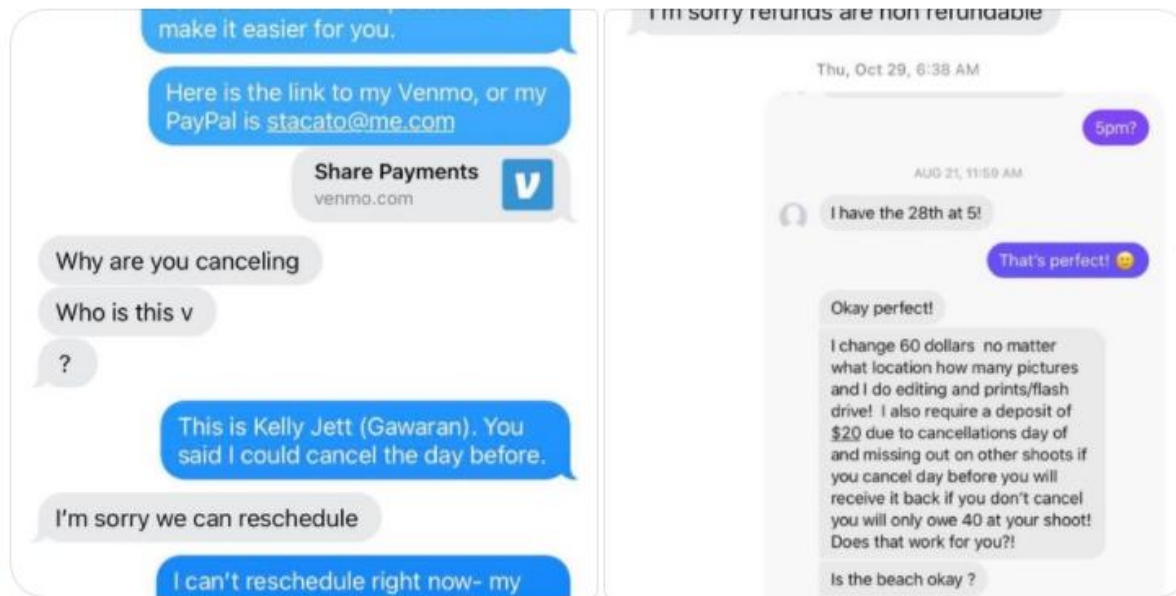
You cannot reply to this conversation.

Note: Victim 1 did eventually get her money back after notifying the suspect that h/she was aware of her scam. After the victim threatened to go to the authorities, the suspect refunded the money. However, countless victims have not been so lucky. Please continue for documentation and proof of suspect's scamming.

Victim 2

9:32 PM

Can you please send me screenshots of your discussion with Lexie Cruz? It is of prime importance that the phone number you spoke to her with is visible. People can claim identify theft all day, but if she scammed you by the same number I have, it means it's the same person.

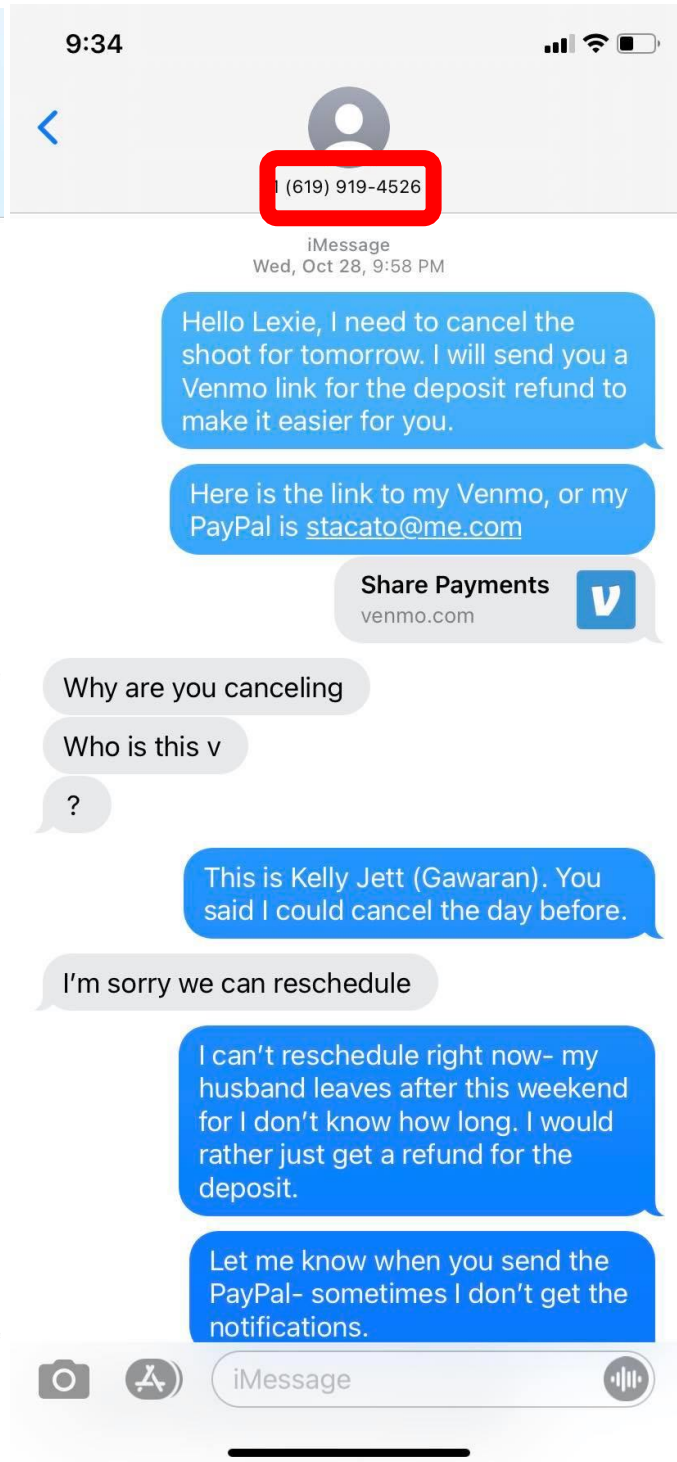
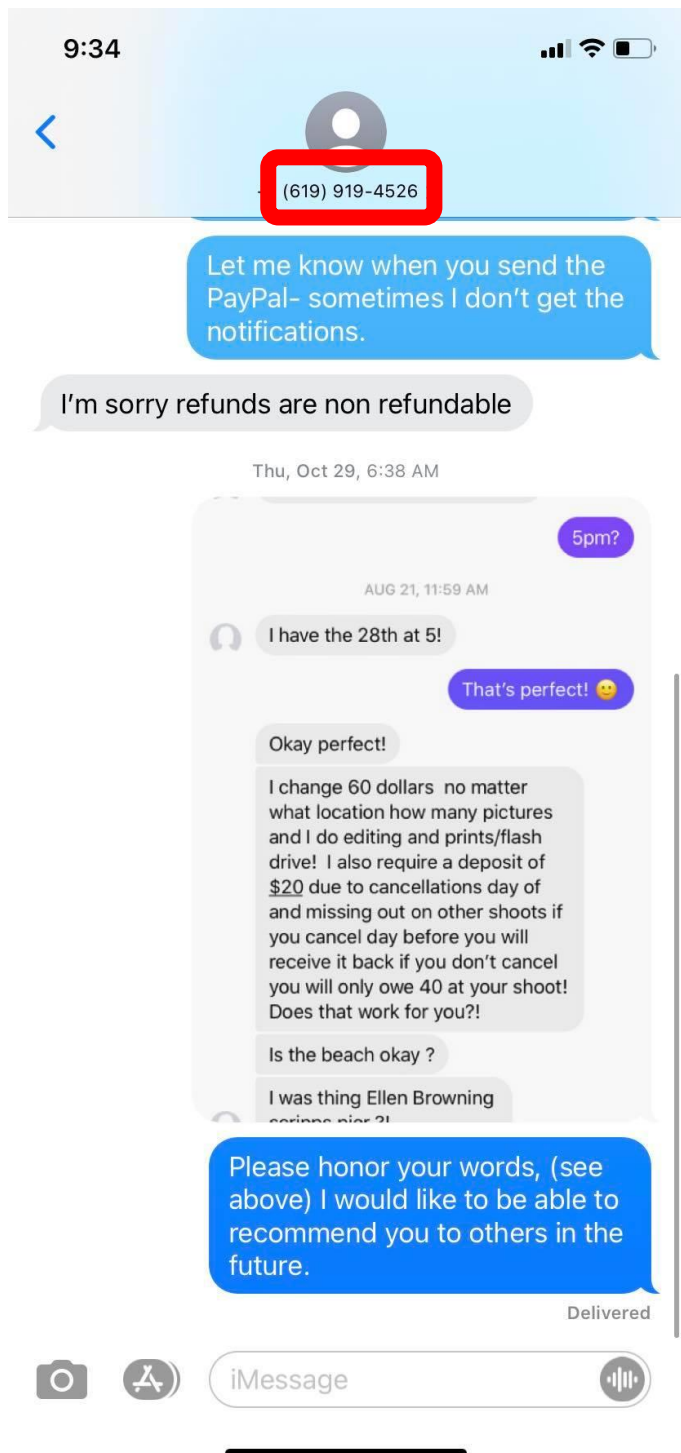


To confirm, you wired money to a Lexie Cruz whom you contacted at 619-919-4526. The appointment was cancelled and you were never refunded. Is that correct?

That is correct. And she never replied again.

Thank you. I'll include this in the report.





Victim 3




Thank you. To confirm, you sent \$350 to a Lexie Cruz at 619-919-4526. You received no services, never got a refund, and were finally ghosted by her. Is that correct?

250 no services, no refund, no communication



Thank you

AT&T 5G E12:39 PM

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Lexie Cruz



SEP 10, 4:58 PM


Lexi may I ask how much an engagement shoot will be?

I will do it for free if you book me for your wedding ?


Hells to the yeah! Just sent you over the contract and will have your deposit tomorrow

I cannot thank you enough really

Okay perfect' ↓



I will do it for free if you book me for your wedding ?








Okay perfect' ↓

If you reply, Lexie Cruz will also be able to call you and see info like your Active Status and when you've seen messages.

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Lexie Cruz



Oki! Thank you!







Lexie Cruz  
@Lexie-Cruz0613



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Scan QR Code for payment





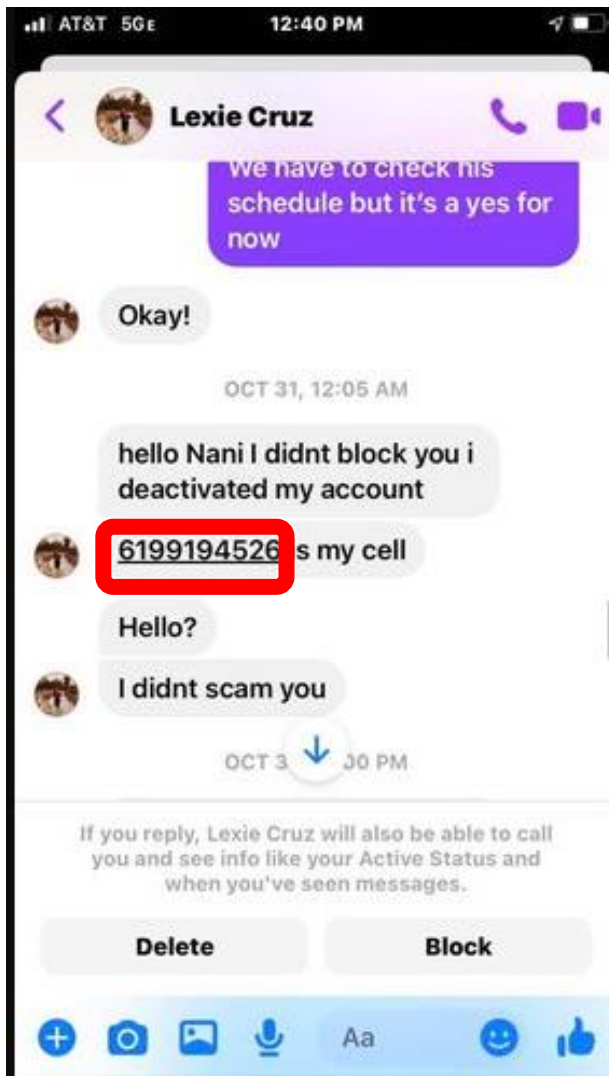
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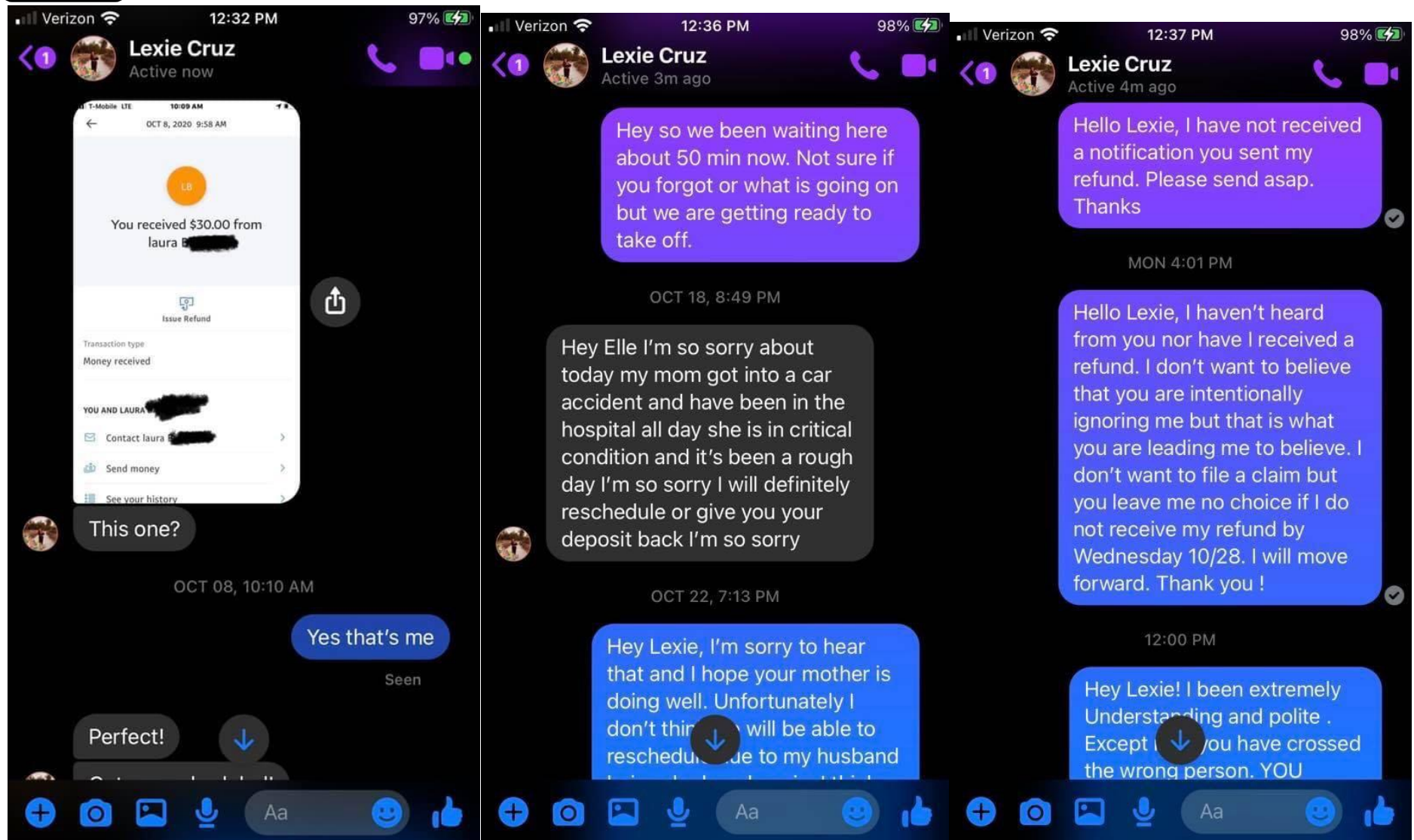
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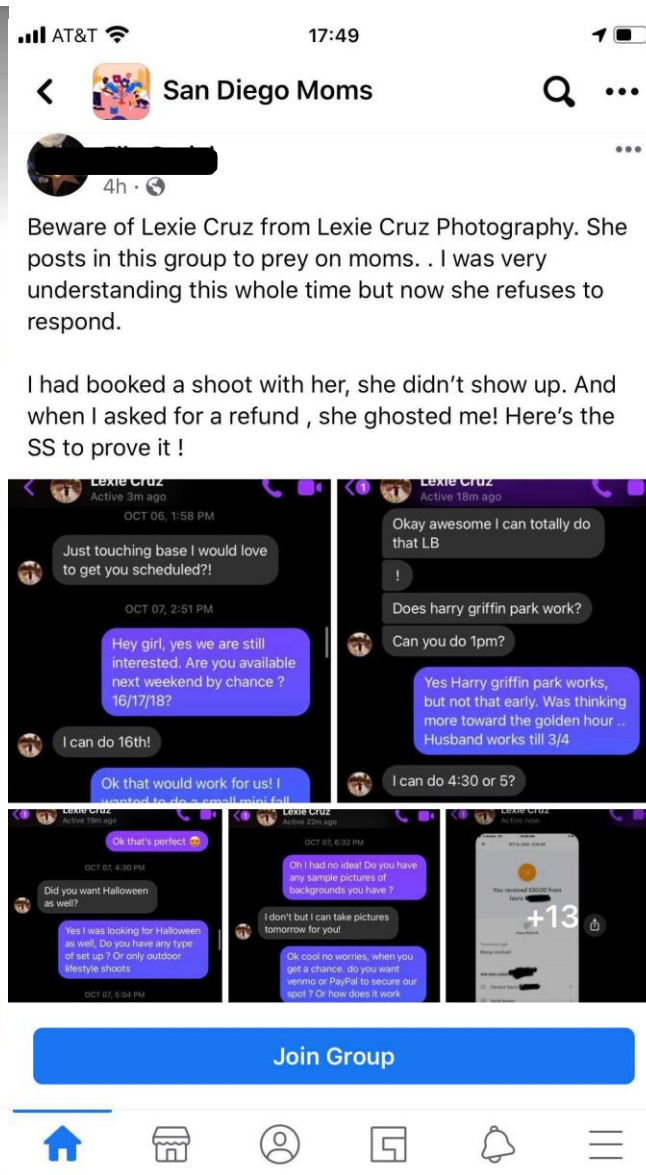
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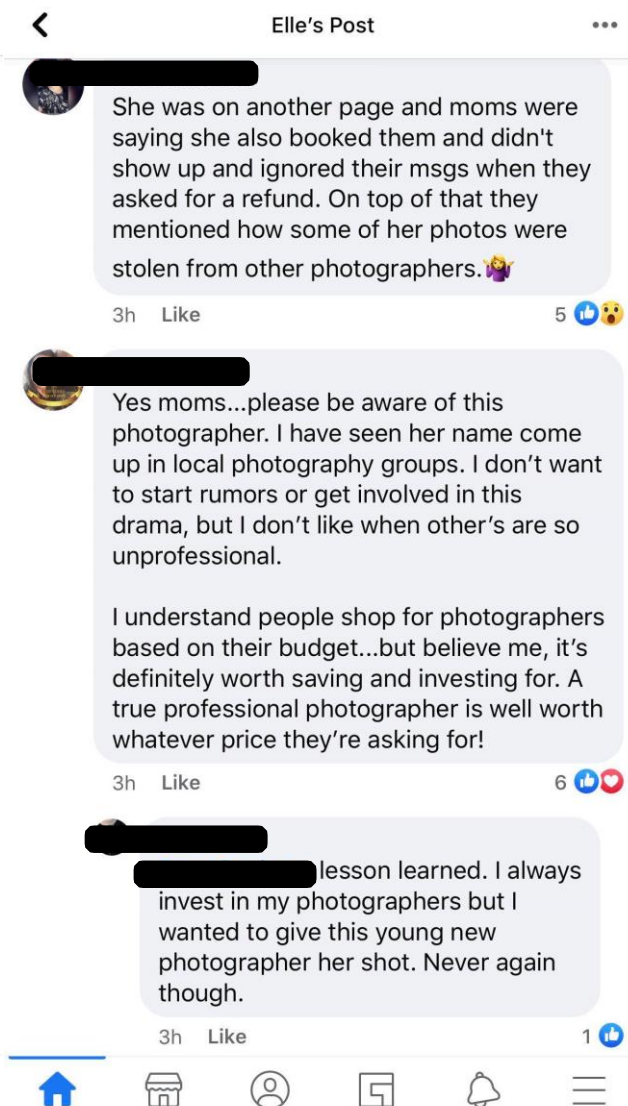
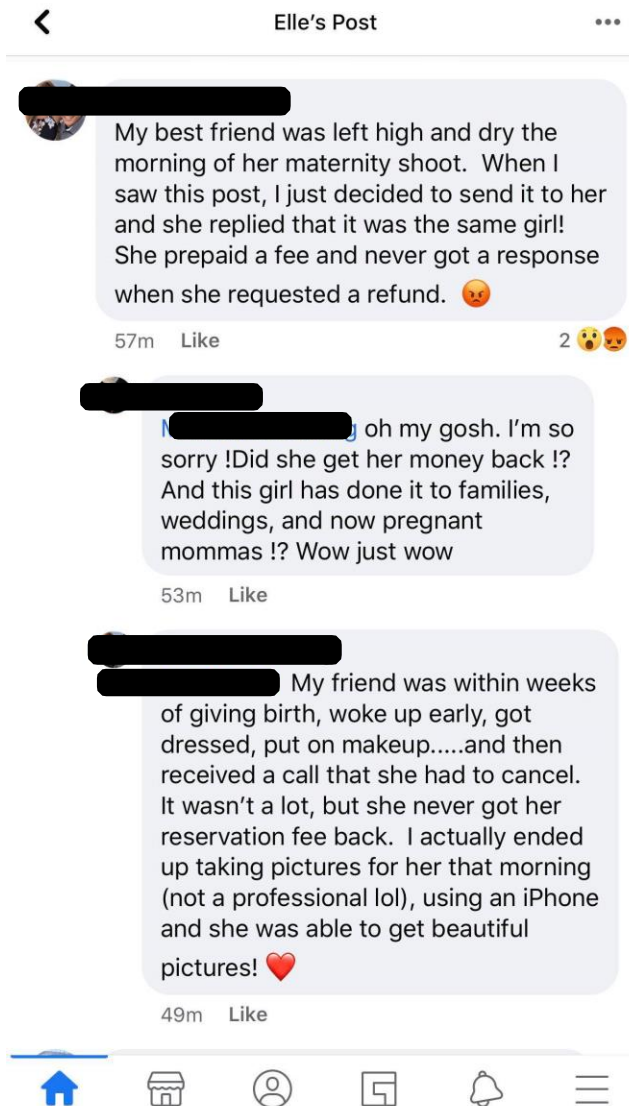


Victim 4









VIEW PROFILE


NOV 15, 9:35 PM

Hi Melissa. I saw your post about Lexie Cruz. I put a deposit down for a photoshoot and she never showed. Lexie (or whoever she is) has been scanning alot of people and she needs to be stopped. Figured joining forces with everyone who's been affected would be more effective. Start a Stop Lexie Cruz campaign. Let me know if you want to chat about it. Thanks!

If you reply, Lisa Mills George will also be able to call you and see info like your Active Status and when you've seen messages.

DeleteBlock

Aa



**Lexie Cruz**  
Facebook  
You're not friends on Facebook  
Lives in El Cajon, California

VIEW PROFILE

OCT 19 AT 9:08 AM

Hi Lexie. I saw your post in All Things Santee. How much do you charge for a mini photoshoot and what does it include? Thank you!

OCT 19 AT 11:50 AM


Aa

Lexie

OCT 19 AT 11:50 AM

I change 85 dollars at beach or park no matter how many pictures! You will receive all retouched images ready to download straight to your phone or computer. I'll also send you a free 8x10 print to be shipped directly to you. I also require a deposit of \$40 due to cancellations and missing out on other shoots if you don't cancel you will only owe 45 at your shoot! Does that work for you?!

[https://instagram.com/lexie\\_cruz.photography?r=nametag](https://instagram.com/lexie_cruz.photography?r=nametag)



Aa

OCT 20 AT 10:08 AM

PayPal!

<https://www.paypal.me/lexiecruz>



**Pay Lexie Cruz using PayPal.Me**

Go to [paypal.me/lexiecruz](https://www.paypal.me/lexiecruz) and type in the amount. Since it's PayPal, it's easy and secure. Don't have a PayPal account? No worries. [paypal.me](https://www.paypal.me)

OCT 20 AT 10:27 AM

↓ don't have PayPal.

OCT 20 AT 10:38 AM

Do you have zelle or cash app ?

No. I'm oldschool and don't use apps to pay.

What about ApplePay? Or Facebook pay?

You paid Lexie's \$40 request. [See Details](#)

Just push accept

You paid Lexie's \$40 request. [See Details](#)

\$40

Lexie requested \$40 from you.

Complete

[SEE DETAILS](#)

NOV 14 AT 11:30 AM

Hello Lisa I'm sorry I was working yes we are doing tomorrow correct?

NOV 14 AT 11:44 AM

Last Friday we rescheduled for tomorrow but you never confirmed time or place. I've tried contacting you all week.

I deactivated my Facebook because of horrible threats I was getting so I'm sorry I didn't see your message

NOV 14 AT 12:56 PM

At this point, I'd like to get a refund of my deposit.



Lexie

NOV 14 AT 12:56 PM

At this point, I'd like to get a refund of my deposit.

I had you scheduled for tomorrow

11am

You are just now confirming details of the reschedule, with less than 24 hr notice. Please refund my deposit.

I'm sorry deposits are non refundable!

NOV 14 AT 1:21 PM

You never stated deposits were non refundable. So you took my deposit after

Lexie

NOV 14 AT 1:21 PM

You never stated deposits were nonrefundable. So you took my deposit after scheduling a date and immediately requested moving the location for your convenience. Having to reschedule was out of our control but you failed to communicate any details or reply to my many inquiries until now giving me less than 24 hr notice. That's an interesting way to run a business.

Where at Harry Griffin Park do we meet you tomorrow at 11am?

NOV 14 AT 2:26 PM

Lexie

NOV 14 AT 2:26 PM

By the bridge I'm sorry you feel that way I didn't mean for any inconvenience

NOV 15 AT 11:02 AM

Where is the bridge? We're here trying to find you

Found the bridge. Where are you?

NOV 15 AT 11:38 AM

So, how many people did you scam and stand up today?

Your request for \$40 expired so it was canceled.

# Police Reports

## San Diego and Chula Vista Police Departments

### SAN DIEGO POLICE DEPARTMENT SUMMARY INCIDENT REPORT

REPORT NUMBER: 20709366



INCIDENT INFORMATION					
INCIDENT CODE <b>PC484a</b>	INCIDENT TYPE <b>Petty Theft</b>	INITIAL SUPP <b>X</b>	DATE/TIME STARTED [REDACTED]	DATE/TIME ENDED [REDACTED]	DATE/TIME REPORTED [REDACTED]
REPORT FILED FROM ***	TRACKING NUMBER <b>T20015583</b>	LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE [REDACTED]			APPROVED BY: <b>6032/David West</b>
Desc of Area <b>Recreational</b>	Force/Tool Used	Security Used <b>N/A</b>	Type of Lock Attacked	Entry Area	Entry Point

PERSON LISTINGS									
1	TYPE <b>V</b>	LAST NAME [REDACTED]	FIRST NAME [REDACTED]	MIDDLE NAME [REDACTED]	DOB ***	RACE ***	SEX *	CALIFORNIA ID ***	LIC ST
	SSN	ETHNICITY	RESIDENT	EYE COLOR	HAIR COLOR	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	CELL PHONE
	EMAIL [REDACTED]	RESIDENCE ADDRESS [REDACTED]						HOME PHONE ***	
	EMPLOYER NAME	BUSINESS ADDRESS [REDACTED]						WORK PHONE	

PROPERTY LISTINGS						
1	INVL <b>S</b>	ITEM <b>Money Orders</b>	QUANTITY <b>1</b>	MAKE	MODEL	
	SERIAL NO	OWNER APPLIED NO	COLOR	MKT VALUE [REDACTED]	DMG VALUE \$	
	DESCRIPTION					
	<b>\$80</b>					

NARRATIVE
[REDACTED] Lexie Cruz advertised her photography business, so I signed up for a session today ([REDACTED]). I sent her [REDACTED] via quickpay zelle to 619-919-4526. No one ever showed up ([REDACTED]) and I even called / texted her. I went home and looked this lady up. Turns out lots of other people comment that she is a scammer. This is her website ( <a href="https://photographybylexie.godaddysites.com/">https://photographybylexie.godaddysites.com/</a> ). [REDACTED]

3:42 12:41 92% 44%

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Hello,

Thank you for contacting the Chula Vista Police Department. Our records indicate we received your call on September 28, 2020 at 12:30 PM. Your Incident Number is 200928L00082414. Unfortunately, we are unable to provide a time estimate. If anything changes, please contact us at (619) 691-5151, or 9-1-1 for emergencies.

SPECIAL NOTICE ABOUT COVID-19 AND OUR RESPONSES TO YOUR CALLS: Due to the high volume of calls for service at this time, we ask for your patience in how we respond. As always, it remains our goal to continue providing high quality service to every person in our community no matter when we respond. For the time being, in an effort to keep the

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March 1, 2021

PIU: 936409

[REDACTED]

**RE: LC Photography**

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for contacting the Office of the Attorney General regarding your consumer complaint. Often it is only through letters from concerned and responsible citizens that our office becomes aware of consumer problems.

Complaints are used to develop information about patterns of business activity which might indicate the need for formal investigation or law enforcement action by our office. Complaints often bring early warning of what promises to be a pervasive scam or systematic violation of California law. If a pattern is discovered, what originated as a private dispute may become a matter of broad public interest and thus warrant intervention by our office under California consumer protection laws.

We do want to inform you, however, that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

If contacted by suspect or suspect's family, ignore / block all communication. If harassment continues, get a restraining order / VPO from local police.