

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS  
COUNTY DEPARTMENT, CRIMINAL DIVISION

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS,

Respondent,

-vs-

JAMES DEGORSKI,

Petitioner.

No. 02 CR 15430(01)

The Honorable  
Vincent M. Gaughan  
Judge Presiding.

AFFIDAVIT OF PAT DEGORSKI

1. I am the mother of James Degorski.
2. I am familiar with the testimony Anne Lockett gave at Jim's trial.
3. The bedroom Anne described as the location where Jim confessed to her in 1993 did not exist in 1993.
4. Prior to 1993, our basement had flooded numerous times and Jim had renovated the basement and moved out of his room in the basement. The room described by Lockett in her testimony simply did not exist in 1993.
5. Also, I know Anne testified that she was afraid of Jim and that was the reason she did not come forward earlier to tell what she knew.
6. But Anne never seemed afraid of Jim. Even after she moved away, Anne called my house phone numerous times looking for Jim. She was friendly enough and complained that Jim never returned her pages. She asked if Jim had changed his number and always inquired about his whereabouts,