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Floyd County Sheriff's Deputies picked up my sister, Beverly Reynolds Minshew, up on a charge but the main thing was to get her to change her story.

Beverly was arrested on a Friday evening and I went to Spring Bonding Co. on Saturday to get them to sign Beverly's bond but Floyd County Sheriff Lynn Garner couldn't be reached by me. I finally found out on Sunday that Sheriff Garner had not approved the Spring Bonding Co. bond for Beverly. Finally, the sheriff allowed me to sign Beverly's bond although I don't own any real property in Rome or Floyd County.

I talked to Sheriff Garner at his office a long time before the sheriff talked to Beverly. I think it was sometime during April, 1975. He sent some deputies to ask me to come to the county jail and talk to him so I went.

He asked me if I had anything different I could tell them. And I told him "no." That I told them everything I knew in court. And he kept me up there about an hour that night trying to make me tell him something else. He wanted me to tell that I seen somebody else in the house.

Sheriff Garner told me that Gary Reeves' case was going

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Charlotte Reynolds
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Witness
Donald Barnett

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to go back to trial and that it was going to be a lot worse on all of us. Sheriff Garner told me that he had a witness who would testify that he, the witness, had brought Grace Reeves home 30 minutes before she was killed.

One time when Sheriff Garner was talking to Beverly, my sister, he told her that if she would just tell him the truth he'd see to it that if it was different than what she had said during Gary Reeves' trial that he would see to it that nothing would happen to her.

I did not see Doyle Wade or a shadow in the house on August 13, 1974, the night my mother was killed. All I saw at the time was Gary Reeves and my mother. Beverly then ran to where I was from her bedroom on the back porch.

Charlotte Reynolds
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Ann H. Stewart
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My Comm. Expires 19th day of June 1978.

Witness
Harold Bennett