



Attention:
Homicide, Special Victims, and Crime Analysis Units

UNKNOWN SUBJECT – Unsolved Homicide



Witness sketches of suspect



ATM camera photo of suspect

On May 25, 2004, the body of 53-year-old Oakey Albert "Al" Kite, Jr. was discovered in the basement of his residence in Aurora, CO. Kite had been bound, beaten, tortured, and stabbed.

Kite's wallet and cell phone were taken from the scene. An unidentified male attempted to use his debit card at an ATM following the murder. Surveillance video from the ATM shows a male wearing a ski mask driving Kite's pickup truck, which was later recovered near Kite's residence. Kite's cell phone was discovered in a pay phone booth.



Photo of victim Oakey "Al" Kite

A male who rented a room from Kite prior to his murder is the primary suspect in this case. The renter, who identified himself as "Robert Cooper," claimed to be from the East Coast and to work for Wells Fargo Bank. He provided false identification and contact information on his rental application. Witnesses generally described the suspect male as white, in his forties or fifties, 5'10", 170 to 180 pounds, with black or brown hair. Witnesses reported that he walked with a limp and used a cane, and another reported that he spoke with a possible Romanian accent.

Any agency with information on similar homicide cases is asked to contact Detective Thomas Sobieski of the Aurora Police Department at 303-739-6710, or Crime Analyst Stacy McCoy of the FBI's Violent Criminal Apprehension Program (ViCAP) Unit at 703-632-4163 or smccoy1@leo.gov.