

WHY WOULD AJSHE, WHOSE FATHER BELIEVED TO BE THE MOST PROMISING OF ALL HIS GIRLS, THE ONE GROOMED TO BE THE MOST SUCCESSFUL, ASKED TO END HER OWN LIFE SO SOON? WHY NOW, WHEN SHE WON A PLACE IN THE MEDICINE UNIVERSITY? THAT FATEFUL DAY IN THE MORNING, SHE WENT ACCOMPANIED BY HER GRANDFATHER TO BE REGISTERED.

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This story is one of the stories no one would want to hear and let alone live on. She had been his victim since she was 14 years old...

An 18 years old girl was found murdered and decapitated in Durres District, on October 11, 2012.

According to his, surprisingly coldblooded confession...he (Shaban Norja), neighbor of the family, age 80-81, had abused the victim for more than 4 years, since she was still attending the middle school. He had also sexually abused other women of the village, among them, the older sister of the victim. Their father at the time did not denounce the elder, giving way to other abuses from the suspect. Little did he know that the suspect was also abusing at the same time the younger daughter, Ajshe...He blames himself for not discovering the abuse before and thus possibly avoiding the tragedy.

Ajshe was a good and honest girl, with a religious background and a well behaving girl. She was never problematic, not known to be in a relationship and was attending a religious Muslim High School with very good results.

Horror Crime

She understood one day that she was pregnant and informed him. He got nervous and agitated, forcing her for 3 weeks to abort the baby.

She refused to abort citing her own Muslims principles; stating she was not allowed to abort the baby. Allegedly, she said, "You can kill me, cut my head, but I will never abort the baby". So he did, one night, the old man raped her, killed her with a gunshot in her head from a TT model pistol and then decapitated her.

A horror monstrous crime traumatized all the Albanians!

After having examined and analyzed all the CS evidence, the victim reference samples including the 11-12 weeks fetus, all the suspects reference samples; finally, we interpreted the results and concluded in only 20 hours.

More than 20 genetic profiles obtained, among them three mixed genetic profiles that were compatible and came from mixed biological traces (semen plus vaginal secretions, anal secretions and epithelial secretions). Every possibility of an incest case was excluded after comparing the fetus DNA profile with profiles from other male family members.

The macabre crime finally solved

After the third arrest and after being confronted with the hard evidence of the DNA analysis, did the suspect, a previous offender, accept being the murderer of Ajshe. He confessed the place where he buried the severed head; the tool used (an axe) and admitted of being the father of the fetus.

Among the countless evidences, the prosecutor presented the DNA analysis, which unquestionably proved that the 80-year-old suspect was the father of the unborn fetus. According to the attorney, the murder was planned for 3 weeks in a row. "The Monster of Durres" was sentenced with 25 years of imprisonment.

Even the case judge herself, Sh.P. declared that the "Norja" case is one of most voluminous files and is one of the most gruesome cases in the history.