

Meredith Kercher



Amanda Knox



Raffaele Sollecito

Amanda Knox and Raffaele Sollecito have been wrongfully imprisoned in Perugia, Italy since November 6, 2007 for the November 1, 2007 murder of Amanda's flatmate, Meredith Kercher.

After four days of investigation, on November 6, 2007, the Perugia and Rome Police and the Perugia Prosecution put their reputation and careers on the line against three innocent persons.

Early on the police made a snap judgment that a break-in through an upstairs window was staged as it looked too difficult a feat. This led to taking a hard look at flatmate Amanda Knox.

Without any physical evidence connecting them to the murder, Amanda and her boyfriend Raffaele were treated as suspects without notification and subjected to an all night illegal interrogation. Amanda broke down under the intense pressure and had an hallucination implicating her employer, Patrick Lumumba, in the murder. This hallucination followed suggestions from her interrogators based on their misinterpretation of an email between the two the night of the murder.

All three were arrested without any physical evidence linking any of the three to the murder.



Left - The Police Press conference on November 6, 2007 after they had arrested three innocent persons without a shred of physical evidence tying them to the murder. The police said it was a sexually motivated crime.



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Patrick Lumumba

The evidence then leads to the real killer



Rudy Guede

Within two days of the arrest of the three innocent persons, the police knew something was strongly amiss. A fingerprint in the victim's blood had been extracted from the pillow the killer had placed under her body. This fingerprint did not belong to any of the three arrested. Instead within another week they had identified and soon arrested the real killer, Rudy Guede.

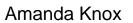
Rudy Guede was a small time burglar with a recent penchant for cat burglary through upstairs windows. Guede was never invited to the upstairs flat occupied by four young women which included the victim and Amanda Knox.

Eventually Guede's DNA would be found inside the victim's body, on her jacket sleeve, on her bra fabric, on her purse, and on tissue in one of the bathroom commodes. Additionally, the bloody shoeprints on the pillow under the victim, the floor of her room and in the hallway would be tied to shoes owned by Guede.

So what did the police and prosecution do with this overwhelming evidence against only Rudy Guede?

Original arrested persons







Raffaele Sollecito



Patrick Lumumba

To save their careers and reputations, they removed Lumumba and replaced him with Guede and then pursued and convicted all three. In another twist of justice, the real killer Guede is serving only a 16 year sentence while the two innocent parties, Amanda and Raffaele are serving 26 and 25 year sentences respectively.

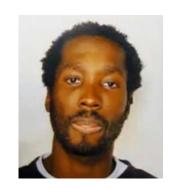
Revised persons charged and tried with crime



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Amanda Knox and Raffaele Sollecito are innocent because ---

1. No Motive





Amanda had a good relationship with Meredith and regarded her as her best girlfriend in Perugia. Meredith and Amanda had gone to a music concert the week before the murder and that is where Amanda met Raffaele Sollecito. And Amanda had asked Meredith to hang out with her on Halloween just one day before the murder.

Amanda and Raffaele were in the midst of an intense romantic infatuation where they were spending most of the time together with Amanda mostly staying at his larger more spacious apartment.

Both Amanda and Raffaele had easy going personalities with no dark side of anger towards others. Both Amanda and Raffaele were exemplar college students which reflected well upon their upstanding character.

Both Amanda and Raffaele had no money issues. Raffaele had wealthy parents to fund his education. Amanda had \$4000 plus savings in the bank and had a job in Perugia as well.

Neither Amanda nor Raffaele were into hard drugs. Raffaele used Cannabis often and Amanda joined in at times but this is a mellowing drug.

Inflicting harm on someone else would have been totally foreign with everything they had worked so hard to do to that point in their lives.

Amanda was a most conservative dresser as was Raffaele – nothing about their personalities and background intimated they actively involved themselves in sexual situations of others.

Amanda and Raffaele not only had no motive to harm Meredith, they had the antithesis of a motive to harm. If anyone threatened Meredith, everything about their makeup indicated they would have immediately come to her aid no matter what influence of drugs one might fantasize they were under.

2. No opportunity



Left – blood soaked jacket worn by victim when mortally wounded.

Right – still tied tennis shoe worn by victim when initially attacked.



After an evening out with friends, Meredith Kercher came back to her flat near or about 9PM on November 1, 2007. She had just made a call to her mother 8:56PM that didn't go through. She had an ongoing concern for her mother's health and would have been expected to try and complete this call within another 5 minutes or so.

When mortally wounded, she was wearing the exact clothing she had worn home including the jacket, jeans, and tennis shoes.

The physical and other evidence all pointed to Meredith Kercher being confronted and mortally wounded about 9PM of November 1, 2007. The evidence also indicates that the victim was disrobed and sexually assaulted by the killer after she was mortally wounded.

Raffaele's computer displayed interaction activity until about 9:10PM that night making it impossible for he and Amanda to have been involved in the murder.

For a more detailed analysis of the events in the upstairs flat that night go to go to http://www.injusticeinperugia.org/RonHendryindex2.html

3. The Break-in Was Real

The upstairs window of flatmate Filomena Romanelli had been broken and items were in a disarray in her room. At first glance, getting into the flat through this window appeared most difficult for the ordinary person.

However, breaking into an upstairs window was exactly what Rudy Guede had done only a couple of weeks prior to the murder. Guede was an aspiring cat burglar and athletically fit and capable of climbing up and getting into the flat.

Guede was without any known means of financial income and apparently in an increasingly desperate financial situation.

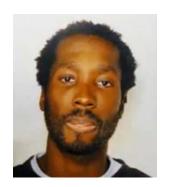
Also the victim's rent money, her credit cards, and two cell phones were missing from the flat.

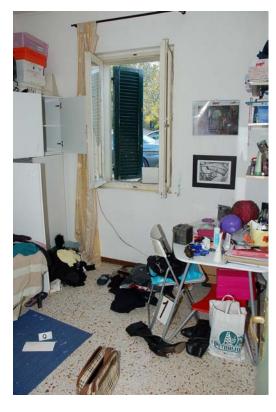
As Guede had never been invited into the upstairs flat with its four women occupants, his DNA and other indicators of his presence were strong supporting factors for his break-in through the window.

When one finds the break-in to be a real event, then Amanda and Raffaele would not be considered suspects.

For more detailed proof the break-in was real go to www.injusticeinperugia.org/RonHendry-----2.html

Rudy Guede





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"Murder in Italy" by Candace Dempsey

"Injustice in Perugia" by Bruce Fisher

"The Monster of Perugia – The Framing of Amanda Knox" by Dr. Mark Waterbury