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The Truth Will
Make Them Free



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The truth about sex, children and the raid on Nuwaubian land and why it took place

John 8:32 - "And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free."



Action star Wesley Snipes attempted to buy land in Putnam County, but was blocked because of the color of his skin.



Famous Gospel group Trinitee 5:7 sing with Grammy Award-winner Musiq at an Al Mahdi Shrine event. Trinitee 5:7 stayed overnight on 404 Shady Dale Road, the Nuwaubian property. Does this mean they are responsible for what happens there?



Legendary singer Jimmy Cliff performs at an Al Mahdi Shrine event. He has also laid his head many a night on the Nuwaubian land.

Many lives changed on May 8, 2002 A.D. when our land at 404 Shady Dale Road in Eatonton, Georgia Putnam County, was raided by FBI agents, the Putnam County Sheriff's Department and other local law enforcement officials. As owners of this property, we have come to set the record straight. Many are being falsely led to believe that Rev. Malachi Z. York and his wife of fifteen years, Kathy Johnson York, lived on our property, when there is proof beyond a shadow of a doubt that they have not lived here for almost four years. This was their excuse to invade our privacy. Why would this lie in particular be spread so far and wide? IT IS WHAT YOU CALL A MODERN DAY LYNCHING!!! THEY WANT OUR LAND AND WILL STOP AT NOTHING TO GET IT. They are trying to pin the land on Rev. York so they can take it. Well, we won't

let them have it! Putnam County is well known for its extortion activities. Remember Chickens Come Home to Roost written by David Moreland? They framed him as well, took his property and banished him from Putnam County. Up till this day, he still has not been able to get his property back. And what about biker Jesse Langford? After putting him in prison, they took his business and all of his possessions (except for his motorcycle and Ku Klux Klan paraphernalia) and banished him from the county.

It is a well-known fact that some of us are Nuwaubians and/or are friends with the Nuwaubians, BUT NOT ALL. It is also well known that we, the owners of the property, all happen to be African-American. Whether you want to face the facts or not, this bothers certain types of people; that Blacks own more land than any of the county offi-

cial and most residents in Putnam County. We own 476 acres of land in Putnam County. Not 400, as the misinformation included in the warrant; which means the FBI agents did not go to the records. They took somebody's word- Sheriff Sills. They do not want people of color owning any large parcels of land where they may become self sufficient, productive and progressive. This is one of the reasons why for so many years, no matter who owned this land, they had problems with zoning issues and permits. Remember millionaire actor Wesley Snipes? He was TRYING to buy over 200 acres, but Sheriff Sills took it personal and blocked him. Why? Simply because he is a progressive African-American. And rumor has it that Putnam County has gone bankrupt due to all the legal fees they have had to pay regard-

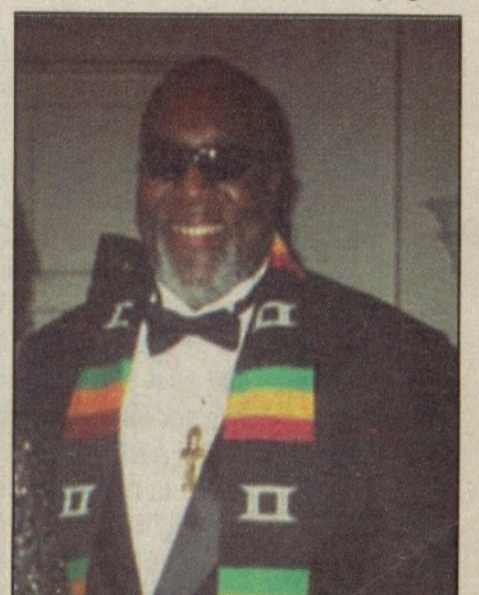
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Founder of Rainbow-PUSH Coalition, Rev. Jesse Jackson, has shown much support for the Nuwaubians in their struggles.

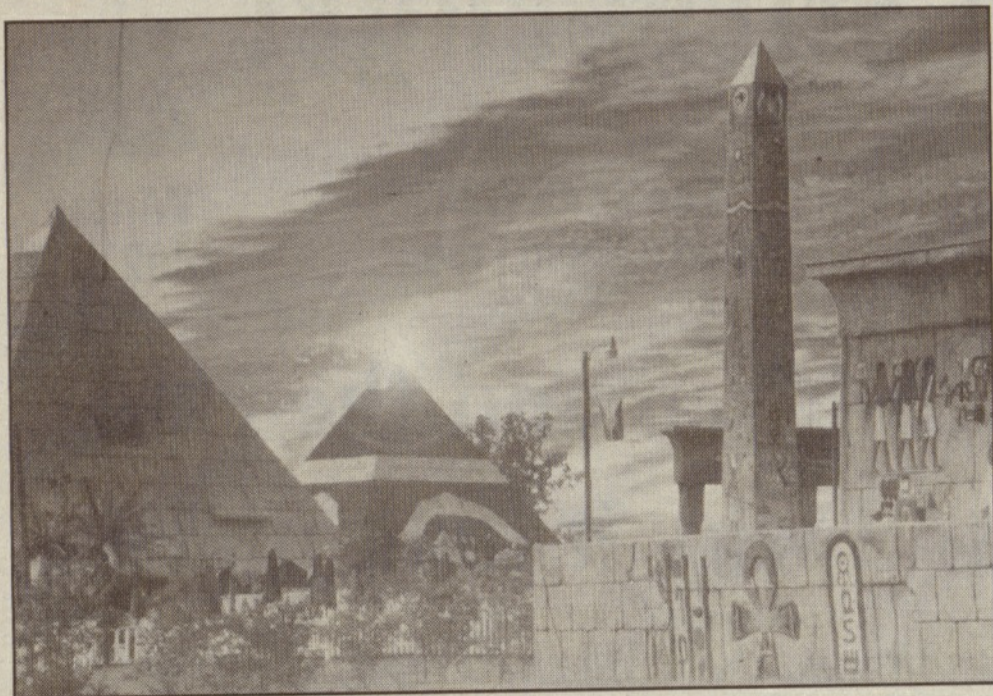


Southern Regional Director of Rainbow/PUSH Coalition Joe Beasley and GABEO President Representative Tyrone Brooks speak on behalf of Rev. Malachi Z. York, believing in his innocence.



Former Augusta NAACP President Rev. Alexander Smith is a proud Nuwaubian and supports Rev. York.

They want our land!



Like we said before, they want our land. This is called a modern day lynching- take an African-American, charge them with a bunch of bogus, trumped up charges, put them in jail and hope everything they worked for crumbles while the lynchers work to take what they've earned. They have never been comfortable with the fact that African-American people own their own land. The three part documentary report called "Torn From the Land" consists of a series of articles based on how African-American families were tricked out of their land and in many cases, their land just taken from them. In one of the articles titled, "Land Ownership Made Blacks Target of Violence and Murder," by Dolores Barclay, Todd Lewan and Allan G. Breed, it speaks of Anthony T. Crawford, an African-American who owned his own land up until 1916 A.D., when he was hung and killed by a white mob. It states, "The success of blacks such as Crawford threatened the reign of white supremacy, said Stewart E. Tolnay, a sociologist at the University of Washington and co-author of a book on lynchings. 'There were obvious limitations, or ceilings, that blacks weren't supposed to go beyond.' In the decades between the Civil War and the civil rights era, one of those limitations was owning land, historians say. ... Racial violence in America is a familiar story, but the importance of land as a motive for lynchings and white mob attacks on blacks has been widely overlooked. And the resulting land losses suffered by black families such as the Crawfords have gone largely unreported. The Tuskegee Institute and the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People have documented more than 3,000 lynchings between 1865 and 1965, and believe there were more. Many of those lynched were property owners, said Ray Winbush, director of Fisk University's Race Relations Institute. 'If you are looking for stolen black land,' he said, 'just follow the lynching trail.'... 'Black landowners were put under a tremendous amount of pressure, from authorities and otherwise, to give up their land and leave,' said Earl N.M. Gooding, director of the Center for Urban and Rural Research at Alabama A&M University. 'They became refugees in their own country.'... It wasn't just Whitecaps and Night Riders who chased blacks from their land. Sometimes, officials did it."

In another article written by Dolores Barclay and Todd Lewan, titled, "Land Taken From Blacks Through Trickery,

Violence and Murder," it states, "In an 18-month investigation, The Associated Press documented a pattern in which black Americans were cheated out of their land or driven from it through intimidation, violence and even murder. In some cases, government officials approved the land takings; in others, they took part in them. The earliest occurred before the Civil War; others are being litigated today. ...In 1910, black Americans owned more farmland than at any time before or since - at least 15 million acres. Nearly all of it was in the South, largely in Mississippi, Alabama and the Carolinas, according to the U.S. Agricultural Census. Today, blacks own only 1.1 million of the country's more than 1 billion acres of arable land. They are part owners of another 1.07 million acres."

Do you see what's going on? This is still happening. African-American landowners are still in danger of losing their land. We are not making this up. Those were real families that were simply tricked out of their land and some killed, just because they were Black. 476 acres is a whole lot of land, and all this drama is due to just that- **THEY WANT OUR LAND!** We can't reiterate it enough. And they want us out to control the Black vote. They are now being sued because of the illegal votes practiced.

Notice when all of this started happening. They claim we have all been under surveillance for years and they've been "watching us." They claim they have been working on this case for several years. But why arrest him now, why not then? - Because of the truth. Malachi was giving you the truth about the holy seed and where you really come from. Rev. York has traveled the world and has studied in universities in America, Egypt, and Africa. He is a specialist in Ancient Semitic languages and translations. He is a dynamic speaker and has followers world-wide of all races. It is so evident that this is all a ploy to bring down another Black leader. Especially since historically they have destroyed and/or imprisoned all other Black leaders. They have even made films, movies and documentaries taking credit for their devilishment. These highly respected people of the community are being prepared to testify that **REV. MALACHI Z. YORK DOES NOT CONTROL THE MONEY, LIVES OR SEX LIVES OF ANY OF US OR ANY OTHER NUWAUPIAN!** We have all the facts and are prepared to sue Putnam County for doing their best to attempt to destroy our lives and take our land with their heinous lies.

Do you want to know the truth about Malachi?

Here is another lie that needs to be straightened out. Rob Peecher of the Macon Telegraph referred to Kathy Johnson as Malachi's "main wife." What was he trying to say? Malachi York has never been in a polygamy situation where he had more than one wife. It should have said "only wife." He has been married to Kathy Johnson for over fifteen years. There is no record that Malachi York ever had multiple wives. I'm sure many of you remember when Malachi York was known as Dr. York, during his days of entertainment. As a singer, songwriter, producer and entertainer, he did have girlfriends-, as do most entertainers in the music business. That was a long time ago- before he even met Kathy Johnson. If you ever get the chance to purchase a Dr. York C.D., you will see that the picture is a much younger Malachi York. Don't confuse the past with the present. Even then, Malachi did not have multiple wives, only girlfriends. This was another ploy by the media to defame his character and mislead the public.

The truth will come out in court, and the world will see that the man they accuse is a man of God- an honest and respected figure worldwide. The then Imperial Grand Potentate, Noble: Rev. Dr. Malachi Z. York-El helps children, not hurts them! Just ask Make-A-Wish Foundation. He presented them with a donation of \$20,000.00 on behalf of The Al Mahdi Shrine Temple. Ask the girls of the Atomic Stars Track Team. Noble Rev. Dr. York-El presented them with a \$4,000.00 donation, again, on behalf of Al Mahdi Shrine Temple. Under his leadership of Al Mahdi Shrine Temple, there were many charitable occasions for children, ranging from fishing outings, hospital visits, carnival rides, walk-a-thons, parades, etc. Ask all the children's hospitals in Middle Georgia what they think about the man you accuse. The Al Mahdi Shriners have visited numerous children's hospitals where each child was told to make a wish. Most children asked for various gifts, in which they received. One child, Breon, who suffered from sickle cell anemia, was not only given a Play Station, but was also given a cure for his sickness. Dr. Michael Wilburn of the Al Mahdi Shrine and a student of Noble: Rev. Dr. York, found a cure for Sickle Cell Anemia and it has worked for Breon. Ask him and his parents how they feel about Noble: Rev. Dr. York. Ask Mr. Desmond Taylor, who was struggling to finish college, and sought help. It



Noble: Rev. Dr. Malachi Z. York-El, has gone out of his way to help millions of people. He is no criminal!

was Noble: Rev. Dr. York's idea to the Shrine to set up a scholarship fund to help Mr. Taylor and other students like him. He received the \$3,000.00 he needed to finish school. Ask the elementary schools, middle schools, high schools and the Boys & Girls Clubs, who have all been helped in some way by the Al Mahdi Shrine Temple and Noble: Rev. Dr. York directly. Not to mention the numerous elderly homes that have been visited as well. Hundreds of letters pour into the Al Mahdi Shrine office daily from people, businesses, organizations, schools, hospitals, etc., all thanking Noble: Rev. Dr. York and the Al Mahdi Shrine for their donations, time, and however they were helped. This is the man you accuse. He is the most generous, giving and most intelligent man you could ever meet.

Here is something else the media has refused to tell. It wasn't just five children that were examined by doctors and questioned by psychiatrists and lawyers. It was 105 children. That's right! They examined all the children who live on the land and many children that visit the land frequently. But guess what? **THEY WERE ALL CLEAN, WELL TAKEN CARE OF AND NO EVIDENCE OF ABUSE WHATSOEVER, SEXUAL OR OTHERWISE, WAS FOUND!** The only thing the psychiatrists discovered was that the children were still shaken up from what they experienced the day of the raid. In fact, they were better off before they were examined. Three and four year olds were shown pictures of naked adults, things that they had never seen or been exposed to. Now parents have to answer questions their children never really cared about before. They don't tell you all of this. Our children have been suffering since May 8, 2002 A.D. They were fine before that, and we have documented proof.

The truth

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ing this case against Rev. York and the others. It has been said that Horton Homes filed bankruptcy, and they are the main financier of Putnam County. Maybe they should not have blocked millionaire Wesley Snipes after all. You see, if they can convince the system of all the other lies and trumped up charges being placed on Rev. and Mrs. York, and that they live on the property, it would be much easier to take the land using the cases against them. And no, we are not screaming racism or trying to play the race card. Both Moreland and Langford are White. TRUTH IS TRUTH! We are not welcome in this county and never were. This county has a long history of racism and overpowering any citizen who got in their way revealing their illegal and conspiratorial activities; the thoughts are still embedded deep in the minds of those who want us out. Go to the Uncle Remus library and read Putnam County history for yourself. The land is legally ours on record in the courts, and the Yorks are not on it. Well, we are here to stay, so just get used to it. As owners of this land, we will present to you hard facts that support what we say. Now, just sit back and pay attention.

First of all, District Attorney Fred Bright and Putnam County Sheriff Howard Sills knew that Rev. Malachi Z. York did not live at 404 Shady Dale Rd. on May 8, 2002 A.D. when the property was raided. Yet, in the Federal Search Warrant pursued by Special Agent Jalaine G. Ward and issued by Judge Hicks, on "Attachment A Property To Be Searched," it read in part, "The buildings consist of York's wooden, two-story residence..." According to The American Heritage Dictionary, residence is defined as "1. The place in which one lives; a dwelling. 2. The act or a period of residing in a place. 3. A medical residency. 4. The official home or location of a corporation." They should have on record in Putnam what is a residence and how long you have to live there to be classified. Guess what? As soon as a person moves there, that is their residence. So even if Rev. York had lived in Athens for one day, that would still be where he resided. The truth of the matter is, "York's" residence, according to his driver's license and his voters registration card, is a two-story white house in Athens, Georgia located at 155 Mansfield Court, and Putnam County knows this, because they raided this house as well at the same time. That's right, they knowingly put the wrong name on the search warrant, under the pretense that he stays there sometimes or "lays his head" there. You have got to be kidding! So be careful, any apartment, duplex, trailer home, townhouse, house or hotel, where you may have "laid your head," they

ATTACHMENT A
PROPERTY TO BE SEARCHED

The compound and all buildings located at 404 Shady Dale Road, Easton, Georgia. More specifically, the compound is located approximately 8 - 10 miles West of the city of Easton, and approximately 6 miles West of Interstate 16. The property consists of 470 acres. There are about 35 - 40 buildings located on 19 of the 470 acres. The buildings consist of York's wooden, two-story residence, mobile homes, various wooden structures, storage buildings, a barn and carport. The property also includes various Egyptian styled structures, including two Pyramids and a Sphinx.

The buildings consist of York's wooden, two-story residence

Within the above described properties, the search is to include all rooms, offices, closets, drawers, tables, credenzos, desks, bookshelves, filing cabinets, safes, briefcases, boxes, computers and associated hard-ware and software, and any and all spaces furnish and containers

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Attachment A of the Federal Search Warrant- "Property To Be Searched." Notice it refers to one of the buildings as "York's ... residence." This warrant is invalid because the wrong name was on it. No one by the name of York resides on the property.

may claim that you live there, thus, any action made there they will hold you accountable. So ask yourself, does that mean whenever you spend the night at a hotel, motel or inn that you live there now? Does this mean that all the other guests who have visited our land frequently, because they may have laid their head here, now live here and own it and all things found on it? NO! Don't bend the law. We have had so many people come through and lay their head down. We allow all of our distinguished guests to sleep overnight here. It is our right as the owners of the property. World-renowned performing artist Jimmy Cliff has laid his head here several times. And so has producer Mtume, The Aleems, award-winning R&B great Musiq Soulchild, R&B group Force MD's, R&B female singing group Phajja, R&B legend James Ingram, R&B singer Cherelle, and many more. Others who have overnighted include sultry R&B singer Erykah Badu, gospel-singing group Trinitee 5:7, Hip-Hop/R&B singing group Blayz, Dimitre and many more. So does this mean that they all live on the property as well? No it does not. They like to change the rules and the laws when it comes

to Nuwaubians. As the owners, we are tired of being overlooked. MALACHI YORK DOES NOT OWN THE PROPERTY AT 404 SHADY DALE ROAD AND HE DOES NOT LIVE THERE. HE HAS NOT OWNED THE PROPERTY OR LIVED THERE FOR ABOUT 4 YEARS! GET OVER IT!!!!

We are coming forward to show the world that the whole raid was illegal. The warrant said, "York's ... residence." That was the first lie. If they wanted York's residence, they were in the wrong city and the wrong county, because he does not reside in Putnam County. Check the deed records. We also don't appreciate being told that another human being has control over our lives and that is why he still owns this property. We are Christians and only answer to God and our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Malachi York is a dear friend and a FORMER owner of this land, but he is not God and does not profess to be God, and that is not written in any of the literature like the media would like you to believe. We have read many lies in the paper on this subject by the same people, Bill Osinski of the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution* and Rob Peecher of The *Macon Telegraph*, who have helped Sheriff Sills with his plot. They are trying to undermine all Nuwaubians by declaring that we gave him all of our possessions, worked for free and are brainwashed. We are appalled and people will be sued. We are adults. We make up our own minds. We are law-abiding, tax paying citizens and still had all of our possessions until our land was raided. WE ARE THE REAL AND TRUE owners of the property, not REV. MALACHI YORK.

Another fact that gets overlooked by the media is that there are over 10,000 Nuwaupians living in Georgia. That's right! Do you know what this means? VOTES! This is their fear- being voted out of office where they will have no more power to do their devilishment and corruption. Internationally known leaders such as the Reverend Jesse Jackson, and Reverend Al Sharpton; government officials such as State Representative Tyrone Brooks, President of GABEO, Joe Beasley, the Southern Director of the Rainbow/PUSH Coalition, Bob Ensley of the Justice Department; local religious leaders such as the Reverend Omer Reid of Flag Chapel Baptist Church of Milledgeville, and Reverend Tony Fraley of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, and Reverend Alexander Smith, D.D., former President of Augusta NAACP, and many more, have all lent their support to Reverend York and his congregation over the years through all the trials and tribulations the Nuwaubians have had to endure.

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003359 078 Warranty Deed

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THIS INDENTURE, made this 19th day of June in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-Nine between Tama-Re Enterprise between Nathaniel Washington, Yvonne Powell, Vincent Powell, Ethel Richardson and Anthony Evans, Donald McIntyre, Patrice Evans, Althea Shine, Michelle Mitchell and County of Putnam of the State of Georgia of the second part, WITNESSETH: That the part of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of DOLLARS in hand paid as and before the sealing and delivery of these presents, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, he granted, bargained, sold and conveyed, and by these presents do, sell, bargain, sell and convey unto the part of the second part, their heirs and assigns,

SEE EXHIBIT "A" ATTACHED HERETO AND MADE A PART HEREOF.

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TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the bargained premises, together with all and singular the rights, members and appurtenances thereto, to the same being, belonging or in any wise appertaining, to the party proper use, benefit and behoof of the part of the second part, their heirs and assigns forever, in fee simple.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of

WITNESSETH: That the said first party, for good consideration and for the sum of Ten Dollars, Love And Respect Dollars (\$10.00) paid by the said second party, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, does hereby release, release and quitclaim unto the said second party forever, all the right, title, interest and claim which the said first party has in and to the following described parcel of land, and improvements and appurtenances there-to in the County of Putnam, State of Georgia to wit:

See Exhibit "A" attached hereto And Made A Part Hereof.

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Warranty Deed between Tama-Re Enterprise and nine individuals who were owners of the land, dated June 19, 1999 A.D.

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QUITCLAIM DEED

THIS QUITCLAIM DEED, Executed this 24 day of January, 2000 by first party, Groom, Tama-Re Enterprise whose post office address is to second party, Grant, Nathaniel Washington, Yvonne Powell, Vincent Powell, Michelle Mitchell, Ethel Richardson, Anthony Evans, Patrice Evans, Althea Shine, Donald McIntyre whose post office address is

WITNESSETH, That the said first party, for good consideration and for the sum of Ten Dollars, Love And Respect Dollars (\$10.00) paid by the said second party, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, does hereby release, release and quitclaim unto the said second party forever, all the right, title, interest and claim which the said first party has in and to the following described parcel of land, and improvements and appurtenances there-to in the County of Putnam, State of Georgia to wit:

See Exhibit "A" attached hereto And Made A Part Hereof.

Tama-Re Enterprise's Quit Claim Deed dated January 24, 2000 A.D. to nine individuals who were owners of the land.

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QUIT CLAIM DEED

THIS INDENTURE, made this 7th day of February, 2002, between DWIGHT YORK aka MALACHI YORK of Athens-Clarke County, Georgia (hereinafter called "Grantor") and NATHANIEL WASHINGTON, YVONNE POWELL, VINCENT POWELL, ETHEL RICHARDSON, ANTHONY EVANS, DONALD MCINTYRE, PATRICE EVANS, ALTHEA SHINE, MICHELLE MITCHELL, 404 Shady Dale Road, Easton, Georgia 31024 (hereinafter called "Grantee").

WITNESSETH: That Grantor, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, in hand paid as and before the sealing and delivery of these presents, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, by these presents does hereby release, convey and forever QUITCLAIM unto the said Grantees, all of his entire right, title and interest, passing hereunto, whatsoever the same may be, in and to that certain property described as follows, to wit:

All those tracts or parcels of land more particularly described on Exhibit "A" attached hereto.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said described premises to Grantee, so that neither Grantor nor any person claiming under Grantor shall at any time, by any means or ways, have, claim or demand any right or title to said premises or appurtenances, or any rights thereon.

Quit Claim Deed from Malachi York dated February 7, 2002 A.D. to nine individuals who were owners of the land.

PROOF OF TARGETING AND

For years the Nuwaubians have been in and out of litigation with various Putnam County officials, only to lose almost every case. On the flip side, when any of the officials or their family members are caught doing a crime, they always have received a mere slap on the wrist. The Nuwaubians have been victims of targeting and racial profiling in Putnam County for far too long. There are some Nuwaubians that are still involved in some type of civil court case.

One of our Nuwaubian doctors, Dr. William Thompson, M.D., is suing them. Dr. Thompson is a physician certified in the specialty of emergency medicine by the American Board of Emergency Medicine since 1992 A.D. He has been licensed to practice medicine in 48 states since 1980 A.D. Dr. Thompson began practicing at Putnam General Hospital in Eatonton, Georgia as an Emergency Physician in June 1997 A.D. He was contracted by a North Carolina Physician's group to cover the Eatonton hospital's emergency department. In March of 1999 A.D., without explanation, the Putnam Co. Hospital Authority, under the direction of the self-acclaimed County Attorney Frank Ford, removed Dr. Thompson from the Hospital's Emergency room schedule thus interfering with a contract between Dr. Thompson and the North Carolina Physician's Group. Through the FOIA, Freedom of Information Act, Dr. Thompson and his attorneys collected evidence from the county commissioner's office and the hospital administrator's office revealing a file kept on Dr. Thompson which contained a list of names of all the patients seen by Dr. Thompson at that hospital who happened to be Nuwaubians; who all at one time or another once lived on Tama-re. The files also revealed several references to a non-existent medical clinic on Tama-re as well as a closed meeting between Attorney Ford and the hospital authority, which ended with a motion to remove Dr. Thompson from the hospital emergency department, no due process, no explanation, and no notice to Dr. Thompson. That's right, Dr. Thompson was not notified of his dismissal, not by the hospital, not by the North Carolina Physician's Group, not even by the janitor. He found out when he came in to work. Dr. Thompson filed a complaint with the U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) 2 years later, after being denied consideration for a new position at the hospital's Emergency Department. The U.S. EEOC felt Dr. Thompson had a legitimate complaint and awarded him a letter of "Right to Sue". He now has a suit pending in U.S. District Court against the Putnam County Commissioners, Adams and Ford Law Firm, Putnam County Hospital Authority and the North Carolina Physician's Group. The Federal Government will have to determine if Putnam County will be charged with R.I.C.O. violations (Racketeering), a major Federal offense, interfering in Interstate commerce through conspiracy. Case Number 5:02-CV-257-1 (HL).

In the past, there has been much injustice. One case that made headlines was a case dealing with Nuwaubian Victor Greig, who in 1999 A.D. was the groundskeeper for the property at 404 Shady Dale Road, also known as Tama-Re. Magistrate Judge Sylvia J. Huskins ordered Mr. Victor Greig to either pay a \$45,750.00 fine, or face one year in jail for: 1) Changing an application, 2) No certification, and 3) Entertainment in an AG District. This unjustified act was not only a violation of the **Georgia Constitution - Bill of Rights Paragraph 17** (which states "Excessive Bail shall not be required, nor excessive fines imposed, nor cruel and unusual punishment inflicted..."), but it is also a violation of the **8th Amendment of the United States Constitution**, which "prohibits unreasonable bail or fines and cruel and unusual punishment." Not to mention, the Putnam County Ordinance of 1997, Section 7.6 (B) Enforcement And Penalties, states: "...Any violation hereof shall be regarded as a misdemeanor punishable by up to one year's imprisonment and or a fine of \$500.00. Each day that this violation exist shall be deemed a separate offense." There's more! Then **Official Codes of Georgia Annotated (O.C.G.A.)** Section 36-1-20 states: "(B) Each such ordinance shall specify The Maximum punishment which may be imposed for a violation of the ordinance; and in no case shall the maximum punishment for the violation are clearly cases of targeting and racial profiling, and this has been going on



Nuwaubian Dr. William Thompson, M.D., was fired unjustly from P.C. Hospital.



Nuwaubian Mr. Victor Greig was fined nearly \$50,000 for a few zoning violations.



Nuwaubian Mr. Thomas Chism, jailed and banished for a crime he didn't commit.



Nuwaubian Alphonso Woodall received no justice when he was assaulted.

against the Nuwaubians for years. Remember the case against Mr. Victor Greig and that exuberant fine of **\$45,750.00** for three simple zoning violations? On April 20, 1998 of any such ordinance exceed a fine of \$500.00 or imprisonment for 60 days or both; provided: However that for violation of a pretreatment standard or requirement adopted pursuant to the Federal Clean Water Act the ordinance may specify that the fine may be up to \$500.00 per day for each violation by an industrial user." Do you see the game? There is no way Mr. Greig should have been charged such a huge, hefty fine.

Another walk down memory lane where an innocent man was sent to jail unconstitutionally was when Mr. Thomas Chism was convicted of falsifying documents. On May 11, 1999 A.D., Mr. Chism was charged with one count of making false statements or writings after Sheriff Sills heard testimony that Mr. Chism brought forged documents to the county's building and zoning office. Marianne Tanner, administrative assistant for the Putnam County building and zoning office, and who is known for perjury, testified during a hearing on May 10, 1999 A.D., that Mr. Chism brought forms requesting conditional use to allow a circus to set up on the Nuwaubian property, and that those forms were forged. Mr. Chism's attorney clearly pointed out and proved that Mr. Chism was just dropping off some paper work for a friend. It was not proven beyond a shadow of doubt by the county that Mr. Chism himself forged the alleged papers. However, Mr. Chism, an innocent man, spent three months in jail, was banished from Putnam County for three years and is still on probation.

Ex-Nuwaupian agent Mr. Alphonso Woodall has also been a target of racial profiling by Putnam County officials. Mr. Woodall was added to the 99-C-1-1 lawsuit by Frank Ford which was unknown by the actual plaintiff, the Putnam County Board of Commissioners who Ford was illegally representing at that time. In an effort to find out information as to why he was added, Mr. Woodall scheduled a deposition where he could ask Frank Ford questions about his amendment to the lawsuit. Mr. Woodall hired a private investigator to deliver the subpoena to Ford's law office, which was also the law office of Dorothy Adams the ex-county attorney. Mr. Woodall accompanied the investigator to ensure that he would in fact deliver the subpoena because it appeared to Mr. Woodall that the investigator already knew Frank Ford. Upon entering the office, Frank Ford immediately began cursing and screaming for Mr. Woodall to leave, which sparked further suspicion about the investigator who Ford

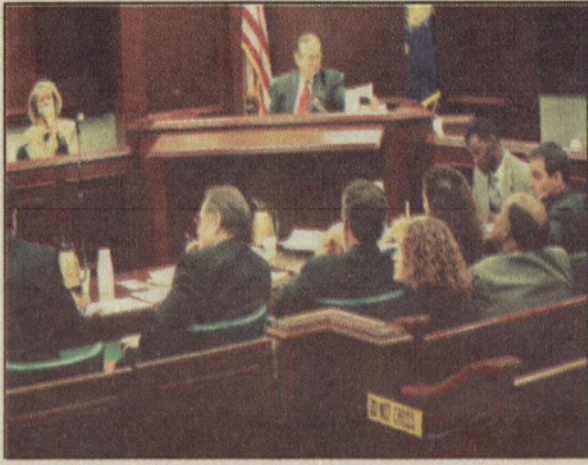
never asked to leave during the exchange. After exiting the threshold of the door, Mr. Woodall turned around while Frank Ford was still yelling as to why he was there, then struck Mr. Woodall in the upper left arm. Mr. Woodall sought medical attention and a physician at the Putnam County General Hospital determined that he suffered a small bruise from the strike.

Mr. Woodall went to take a warrant out on Frank Ford at the Magistrate office, but someone informed Frank Ford of the warrant and thus he requested a probable cause hearing of which Mr. Woodall was given only a few minutes notice and was not able to have any legal representation. Chief Magistrate Judge Ellen Pierce decided that there was a lack of evidence, so Mr. Woodall was forced to file a lawsuit *pro se* against Frank Ford for his actions. Then Mr. Woodall retained Athens Attorney Ken Dios to represent as his counsel. Frank Ford had since filed a counter suit against Mr. Woodall for slander and criminal trespass. Mr. Dios withdrew himself as Mr. Woodall's attorney on June 4th 2002, which happened to be the same day he was to appear for a calendar call in the Putnam County Superior Court. Mr. Dios however, informed Mr. Woodall that both he and the attorney for Frank Ford asked for the trial to be continued. The presiding Judge over the calendar call was Judge Hulane George; Judge George called the case and was informed that the counsel for Mr. Woodall had withdrawn. Therefore, Judge George stated that if she did not hear anything further, that the case would be on the list to be dismissed. On the 17th of June the case was heard with no notification given to Mr. Woodall that the case was on trial, neither was there any record in the clerk of courts that Mr. Woodall was duly notified. The outcome was that Mr. Woodall's case was dismissed and Frank Ford was granted \$60,000 in damages against Mr. Woodall for his frivolous charges. Each Judge Mr. Woodall went before to get the decision overturned exclaimed that they could not over turn another Judge's decision, which is untrue. Before Mr. Woodall could have anything appealed, Frank Ford filed interrogatories as to Mr. Woodall's assets. When Ford was not pleased with the amount of Mr. Woodall's assets; he gave false information to Judge Prior that Mr. Woodall should be incarcerated because of being in contempt by not complying. This led to Mr. Woodall's wrongful arrest.

Here is the irony. These same officials who will stop at nothing to harass, target and racial profile the Nuwaupians are nothing but petty criminals themselves. Let's start with Detective Noel Lee Wilson, Sheriff Sills' right hand man. He illegally videotaped the 404 Shady Dale Road Property on several occasions, used Baldwin county money to pay for prescription drugs and is a known drug addict who has been treated repeatedly for prescription drug abuse. And now Wilson has been demoted from Lieutenant to Sergeant because of a DUI- driving under the influence, better known as drunk driving! In the **Macon Telegraph** dated **May 31, 2002** in the Roundup section, the news brief "**Deputy demoted after DUI arrest**" states and I quote, "Detective Lee Wilson was stopped about 10:15 p.m. May 24 at a Georgia State Patrol roadblock on Sinclair Marina Road in Baldwin County ...a trooper working the roadblock reportedly smelled an odor of alcohol coming from the car. Wilson's blood alcohol level registered at 0.10, and the legal limit for DUI is 0.08." Of course you know this did not make front page news like all cases involving Nuwaupians. In fact, for putting hundreds of lives in danger by driving drunk on a major highway, he merely received a slap on the wrist. **The Macon Telegraph** states and I quote, "...he [Sills] suspended Wilson for two weeks without pay and demoted him from lieutenant to sergeant with a corresponding decrease in salary". Don't you think for dishonoring the badge as an officer who is sworn to uphold, defend and enforce the law, Wilson needs tougher punishment? Apparently to the Putnam County Sheriff's Department, Driving Under the Influence must not be a big deal. Apparently drug abuse can slide; when Sills hired Sergeant Wilson he knew he had a history of drug abuse and at the time was on probation from the drug task force in Baldwin County. At the end of **The Macon Telegraph** news brief Sills is quoted as saying "Wilson will resume his duties as a detective". What a shame.

Not only has Wilson been caught having a drug and alcohol problem, he is also a thief. In Case 99CV30-2,

PROFILING OF NUWAUPIANS



Judge William Prior, Jr. in front of attorneys for defense: (l-r) Attorneys Edward Garland, John Knuckles, Janice Singer, Brian Steele and Careton Matthews.



Defendants from l-r: Rev. Malachi Z. York; his wife, Mrs. Kathy Johnson-York; Ms. Kadajah Merritt; Ms. Chandra Lampkin and Ms. Istiyr Cole, all plead innocent.



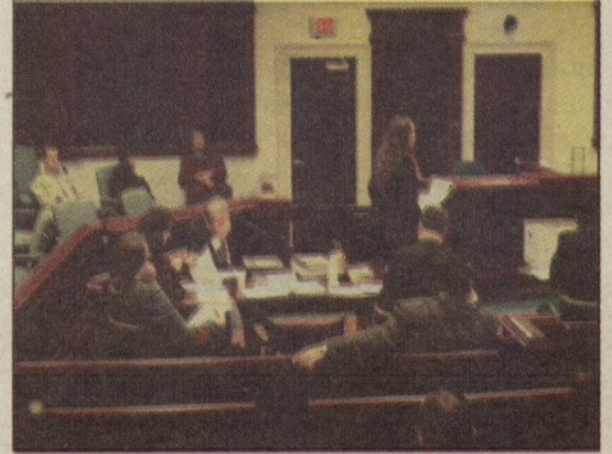
Towards the end of the court hearing on November 26, 2002 A.D., Judge William Prior called all attorneys to approach the bench for final rulings.



Prosecution from r-l: Putnam County Sheriff Howard Richard Sills, Investigator Tracy Bowen and Attorney Stephen Bradley.



Co-Defense for Rev. York, Manubir S. Arora, recites case laws to support his motion before the court. D.A. Fred Bright (r) and Asst. D.A. Dawn Baskin (l) look on.



Asst. D.A. Dawn Baskin tries to explain why all aliases of Rev. York should remain on the indictment. Sheriff Sills lowers his head in shame while listening.

Mrs. Sharon Harris, a productive African-American citizen, was suing Noel Lee Wilson and Charles E. Myers, both employed by the Putnam County Sheriff's Department. According to the summons issued February 5, 1999 A.D., Wilson and Myers took Mrs. Harris' car and insurance funds in the amount of \$6,944.00 without lawful authority. Apparently, she was approached by the two officers and they harassed and vigorously searched her person. When this was reported to Sheriff Sills, both Wilson and Myers denied harassing her and having the property, so she took them to court. Not to our surprise, Mrs. Harris did not win her case. Wilson and Myers got off **scot-free**.

One of Sheriff Sills' deputies, **Arthur Steven Reece III**, had been accused of **sexual assault on a female inmate**, (Debra Gilmer Nations), facing one count of sexual assault against a person in custody and one count of sodomy. Sills says himself that both these counts are felonies. The first is punishable by imprisonment of one to 20 years and the latter is punishable by imprisonment of one to five years and/or a fine of \$5,000. Although showing his knowledge of the law, Sills denied all accusations, guaranteeing the innocence of the Putnam County Sheriff's Department. Later, it was confirmed that Sills apparently spoke too soon. The allegations first came to light in June of 2001 A.D. when Nations' attorney, Michael Puglise, an experienced ex-police officer, sent a letter to Putnam County offering to settle the lawsuit for \$300,000.00 before filing the suit. To no avail, Putnam County took the less embarrassing way out - out of court. When the accusations were brought to Sheriff Sills' attention, he said in a Macon Telegraph article that, "There is no such thing that I'm aware of." The sheriff reluctantly began an investigation and in July, Steven Reece III, 39, who had resigned shortly after the incident with Mrs. Nations in 1999 A.D., was arrested at his Gainesville home. He later pleaded guilty to one count of sodomy and one count of sexual assault for which he was **sentenced to five years probation and fined \$1,000.00**, plus banishment from eight counties. However, according to the law, Reece should have gotten at least a year. O.C.G.A. 16-6-2 (b) "A person convicted of the offense of sodomy shall be punished by imprisonment for not less than one nor more than 20 years." The law also says he should have been fined a minimum of \$5,000.00. As for the banishment part of his sentence, it really doesn't make sense. Reece doesn't even live in Putnam County. He lives in Gainesville, GA, so banishment doesn't even count. A game is being played here and it is called *Corruption*. Reece gets to pay a fine and go back to his home, back to

his everyday life, while Nations has to live with nightmares for the rest of her life; and that is supposed to be okay. This is the type of justice Sills promotes.

And the most recent crime among Sills' people was a Warrants Clerk, **Mrs. Tracy J. Bishop**, at the Putnam County Sheriff's Office charged with theft by taking for allegedly **stealing fine money** from the State Court office while employed there. She was released on a \$8,000 property bond, according to Sills. She also faces two counts of violation of oath of public office. Mrs. Bishop was a former clerk in the office of the State Court and was hired by the sheriff in September. She was suspended without pay for two weeks and terminated from the job at the sheriff's office July 10, 2002 A.D. Let's look at this crime a little closer. Mrs. Bishop worked out of Sills' office and stole bond money, so this means that Sills himself controls bond. Now, a few years back, **Mr. Ralph Lloyd was inquiring about becoming a Bondsman in Eatonton, Putnam County**. According to Mr. Lloyd, Sheriff Howard Richard Sills said that Mr. Lloyd would **have to pay Sheriff Sills \$10,000 first**. When he refused, he was threatened, bribed and blocked from setting up this office because Sheriff Sills wanted to maintain total control over all bonds in Putnam County.

Wilson is not the only friend of Sheriff Sills that has a drug and alcohol problem. Former Chief Building Inspector Jerome "Dizzy" Adams' son, Jerome Dean Adams Jr., was charged with three counts: 1) possession of cocaine, 2) failure to maintain lane and 3) driving under the influence in December of 1998. That's right, the son of a Putnam County official was driving drunk and snorting cocaine. On January 26, 1999 A.D., Jerome Adams Jr. pleaded guilty to counts one and three. So, did he serve any jail time? Was he taken off the streets? What are you kidding? Of course not. Honorable Judge J. Lee Parrot ordered him to enter SOAR Residential Alcohol and Drug Program, put on probation for 120 days and to pay fines adding up to \$1,725.00. This was not the first or the last time Adams Jr. was cited for the exact same things and each time he got a slap on the wrist.

The Putnam County officials are corrupt. They've been caught stealing (also called embezzlement) they've been caught mismanaging funds, and they've all received an insignificant punishment which included no jail time. People like Dodi Morgan, Audrey Hightower and Julie Harper, who all received simple probation for practically robbing the citizens of Eatonton and Putnam County blind. **The trusted (former) clerk of Jerome Dean Adams Sr., Mrs. Dodi Therese Morgan of 437 Crooked Creek Road, was busted BY SHERIFF**

HOWARD RICHARD SILLS for stealing \$420.70 from the county (but not really busted; it was all a game to fool you)! On November 17, 1999 A.D., Dodi Morgan became inmate #151, case #9912414. **Then there is Mrs. Audrey Hightower**, a long time employee of 20 years as **Eatonton's City Clerk**, was now under serious investigation for theft, again by Sheriff Howard Sills, but of course she got off. You know the trick they play with the legal system in the Ocmulgee Circuit. The Crime Watch section of the *Eatonton Messenger*, dated May 15, 1997 A.D., reported that Julie Harper, the daughter of Jerome "Dizzy" Adams Sr., was charged with stealing \$10,824.66 from the city, for which she was employed ten years. After Julie Harper pleaded guilty to the crime, she became an admitted criminal and thief. Jerome "Dizzy" Adams Sr. and his cousin were still able to have the judge give Julie Harper only five years probation after merely promising to payback the nearly \$11,000 she stole, plus court fines. We call this a slap on the wrist.

What about Sills' own family members? Sills' mother, Joyce Hobbs, who got away with pointing a loaded gun at DNR Officer Lee Burnes and Officer Renaldo Sanders on November 15, 2000 A.D., which they called "disorderly conduct." Only her rifle was confiscated, according to the incident report. Not to mention, Sills' cousin, Charles Sills, got away with seven counts of Terroristic Threats & Acts, Obstruction of an officer, Failure to Maintain a lane, Seatbelt violation, improper transfer of tag, driving under the influence and operation of an unregistered vehicle (Case #99-CR-335). He did not receive any type of reprimand. If it has been anybody else that was not a personal relative of Sheriff Sills or in his corrupt circle, they would have been thrown under the jail.

Now they have all come together and concocted one of the biggest cases in Georgia against Rev. Malachi Z. York, his wife Mrs. Kathy Johnson-York, Ms. Kadajah Merritt, Ms. Chandra Lampkin and Ms. Istiyr Cole. The judge presiding over this case is Judge William Prior, Jr., who is an old dear friend of Sheriff Howard Richard Sills. The defense attorneys put in a motion for the judge to remove himself from the case giving the fact that he is such good friends with the opposing side, and of course he denied the motion saying that he could be fair. According to the court hearing on November 26, 2002 A.D., Judge William Prior showed whose side he was on. He denied several motions presented by the defense without merit and showed blatant biasness toward the prosecution. The Nuwaubians have been victims of racial profiling and targeting for years. When will it end? The proof is in the pudding.

NOTICE THE NAME AND ADDRESS ON EACH FORM!

Athens-Clarke Co. Water Business Office
Credit History Inquiry

10/13/00
14:41:43

Customer ID: 72093 Name: YORK, MALACHI Z
Location ID: 124042 Addr: 155 MANSFIELD CT

Cycle/Route: 11 31 Amount due: \$.00
Initiation date: 3/09/99 Pending: \$.00
Termination date: 0/00/00 Customer status: A Customer/Location status: A
Prior location good credit:
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F3=Exit F10=Payment plans F12=Cancel F13=Summary format
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CODE COMPLIANCE WARNING NOTICE

ATHENS-CLARKE COUNTY GOVERNMENT Notice No.

Month October (Day) 6th (Ye) 2000 at 4:18 AM PM

Name York Malachi Z
(Last) Washington (First) Malachi (Middle)

Address 155 Mansfield Court

City Athens State GA Zip Code _____

Phone: 516-1796

Violation Location
Address 155 Mansfield Court

ATHENS-CLARKE COUNTY
HOME OCCUPATION APPLICATION

Please answer the following questions completely and submit the application to the Athens-Clarke County Planning Department for approval.

Return to: 120 W. Dougherty Street, Athens, GA 30601

PERSONAL INFORMATION	NATURE OF BUSINESS
Name: <u>Malachi Z. York</u>	Office <input type="checkbox"/> Arts & Crafts <input type="checkbox"/>
Home Address: <u>155 Mansfield Ct</u>	Mail Order <input type="checkbox"/>
Telephone: <u>706-546-1796</u>	OTHER: (Explain) _____

Atlanta Clarke Co. Water Business Office Credit History Inquiry with Malachi York listed under name and 155 Mansfield CT listed under Address, dated October 13, 2000.

Code Compliance Warning Notice issued by the Athens-Clarke County Government dated 10/13/00 with Malachi York as the name and 155 Mansfield Court as the address.

Athens-Clarke County Home Occupation Application with Malachi Z. York as the name and 155 Mansfield Ct as the address.

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A.D. "Baldwin Preacher Supports Jailed Nuwaubian Leader," it says, "A Baldwin county pastor made his presence known Thursday as he addressed the news media about his friend Dwight D. York. The Rev. Omer Reid, pastor of Flagg Chapel Baptist Church, dressed in a gray suit, he was at the Federal Courthouse in Macon... Reid called the charges against York 'absurd' if it is, it's way out of character,' the pastor said 'I just don't believe that' ... I think it is a witch-hunt. I don't think Dr. York would get off into that. He's too easygoing and real fine fellow in my opinion' 'I've known Dr. York on a more personal level and I just don't think that his character should be so demeaned in such a way,' he said. 'I don't want to be a judge by any means, I just have some real problems with the allegations that have been brought against him... 'He's a very knowledgeable spiritual leader,' he added. 'I've heard some of his teachings but I've never sat down with him when he personally preached a message.' Reid said he did not have knowledge of alleged writings by York saying he came from outer space. 'I don't know about that stuff,' Reid said. 'Every time that we've talked we've talked about Jesus being Christ and there being one God.'"

Rep. Tyrone Brooks has always supported us and knows that these allegations are untrue. In fact, he testified at Rev. York's bond hearing as a character witness. In the *Macon Telegraph*, Thursday May 9, 2002, he speaks very highly of Rev. York. "York is certainly a target of the sheriff," Brooks said. "The Sheriff of the county has made it a personal mission to destroy the character of the Nuwaubians. I would be highly suspicious of any charges such as these, knowing the kind of man that he is. I've been around Dr. York and I've spent a lot of time with him...I will await a call from Dr. York in terms of what they want people like me to do," Brooks said. "When we hear from them, we will meet, and we'll decide the next course of action." In that same article, Joe Beasley said he suspects the charges against York won't hold any water at all. "I've been knowing Dr. York for many, many years," Beasley said. "To me the charges are preposterous. I think it's just criminal almost that there has been a desire to really destroy the Nuwaubian nation. There is no doubt that Sheriff Howard Richard Sills and the others there in the County Commission...would go to any length to destroy the Nuwaubians..."

The head of the Rainbow/PUSH Coalition, Rev. Jesse Jackson, delivered a speech at the Nuwaubian village a year ago, also supporting the group in its struggles against county officials. "The Nuwaubians are living the American Dream," yelled Jesse Jackson in front of a crowd of hundreds of Nuwaubians and Non-Nuwaubians of various races. He commented on the American Dream of owning their own land and what the Nuwaubians are doing is a good thing, noting that Nuwaubians are prime examples of Americans and what America stands for. In fact, Janis Matthis, an attorney for

Rainbow/PUSH Coalition with Rev. Jesse Jackson, is helping a great deal. She is one of our attorneys and she is the reason our children are no longer in custody of the Department of Family and Children Services (DFCS). The bottom line is the truth will be revealed and the whole world will see.

Another defender of the Nuwaubians is Governor Roy Barnes, on March 14, 2000 A.D., Rev. Alexander Smith, D.D., met with Governor Barnes to discuss the problems the Nuwaubians were having with Putnam County officials. Governor Barnes stated he was well aware of the problem in Putnam County because he had previously received thousands of letters and official complaints about the continuous harassment, racial profiling and racial targeting of Blacks in Putnam County and he said he was doing every thing he could to help. In doing so he called a meeting with Sheriff Sills. During this meeting, Sills, who really thinks he is above the law, stormed out of the meeting, showing he has no regard or respect for the Governor of the State of Georgia and even the Governor said that Sheriff Sills was "hot headed". So as you can see, many have stood with, spoken out for and supported the Nuwaubians. All these great men of Georgia and the world can't be wrong. Who stands behind Sheriff Sills, who speaks out in support of his cause? Governors? Congressmen? World mediators? Activists? Doctors? Lawyers? Civil Rights Activists? No one. Sheriff Sills knows that he can be voted out of office- especially now that people are beginning to see his true colors. He cost federal agents millions of dollars based on lies and a personal vendetta. They trusted him, and they found nothing. This is what they are afraid of- VOTES. Votes are the key.

Back to the point at hand, Malachi has not lived on the property since September 1998 A.D. He had to move to an apartment in Athens, GA at 285 Mallard Pointe Way. When asked why, we were told because of the violent threats made on his life by Putnam County Sheriff Howard Sills, who has made it his personal business to harass Nuwaubians visiting our property for over four years. There have been unnecessary roadblocks every weekend, even stopping politicians who visited the land. People may wonder, well how did we get the land? Well, we will tell you. In February 1999 A.D., the property in Eatonton was put into a pure trust (which is a legal title to property held by one party for the benefit of another) called Tama-Re Enterprise. This did not sit well with the county, because they had no jurisdiction over this type of entity and could not legally rule over it. So when they dragged Rev. Malachi York into court on June 29, 1999 A.D., the property was put in the hands of nine people. On January 24, 2000 A.D., a Quit Claim deed (which is the transfer to a title, right, or claim to another) was done from Tama-Re Enterprise to us, the nine individuals who were then owners of the land: Yvonne Powell, Vincent Powell, Ethel Richardson, Nathaniel Washington, Donald McIntyre, Michelle Mitchell, Althea Shine, Patrice Evans and Anthony Evans. To simply appease the courts, on February 7, 2002 A.D., another Quit Claim Deed was done from Malachi York to

those same nine individuals. He conveyed the property to church members of the Holy Tabernacle Ministries, Inc., our church here in Eatonton, GA. and the pastor is Pastor Marshall Chance, not Malachi York. Malachi belongs to the Holy Seed Baptist Church under the auspices of the Egiptian Church of Karast "Christ" in Athens, GA and one of the pastors is Rev. Ahmadou Varmah. DO YOU FOLLOW? THESE ARE TWO DIFFERENT CHURCHES IN TWO DIFFERENT CITIES. He moved to Athens, Georgia where he would feel safer. The land has not been his for almost four years.

In the minutes of the court hearing on June 29, 1999 A.D., CV-99-1-1, he was asked by the then Putnam County Attorney Francis Nearn Ford Bar No. 268035, where he lived and he said, "965 Waddell Street in Athens, Georgia." Note that York had to move constantly because he was being stalked by Sheriff Sills, which is on criminal record, who went as far as Atlanta to an apartment complex owned by Rev. York, stalking him, which is on record in Fulton County. He also tried to stalk him in Athens and sent his friend, reporter Grant Stinchfield, a news reporter from WVIT Channel 30 in Connecticut and Bill Osinski from the *Atlanta Journal Constitution*, who tried to sneak onto Malachi's property, but they were intercepted by the Athens Police, who were called in. Both cases were on record, but the one involving Bill Osinski has mysteriously disappeared. However, as you see, Grant Stinchfield traveled all this way just to harass Malachi York. On April 5, 2000, Grant Stinchfield showed up at an address given to him by Sheriff Sills, but it was the wrong one. The address did belong to a Nuwaubian family. Stinchfield and his cameraman showed up there asking to interview Malachi York. Immediately, the residents who were being illegally videotaped called the Athens Police Department to report this harassment. Within ten minutes, two police officers arrived at the residence and told the reporter and his cameraman that they would have to leave or they would be arrested. The officers told the reporter that they do not tolerate the harassment and targeting of their taxpaying citizens. The police officers asked Stinchfield how he got this address and he said that Sheriff Howard Sills sent them and told them that Malachi York lived at that address, which apparently was just another one of his lies.

In fact, Rev. York said in court that day on June 29, 1999 A.D., that he moved around a lot to stay out of Sheriff Sills' focus, being a target of his racial hatred and racial profiling. He was afraid for his life. In another court hearing, 99CV56-3, Ronny Jones vs. Kathy Johnson and Victor Greig, they won because they had proof to establish that they did not live in Putnam County. Rev. Malachi York and Kathy Johnson didn't live in Putnam County when they pulled them in court in 1999 A.D. and they did not live there when they raided the land this year on May 8, 2002 A.D., scaring children, when they had already arrested him and his wife Kathy earlier that morning. They came out here, terrorized our children, babies and women and kicked in doors of pri-

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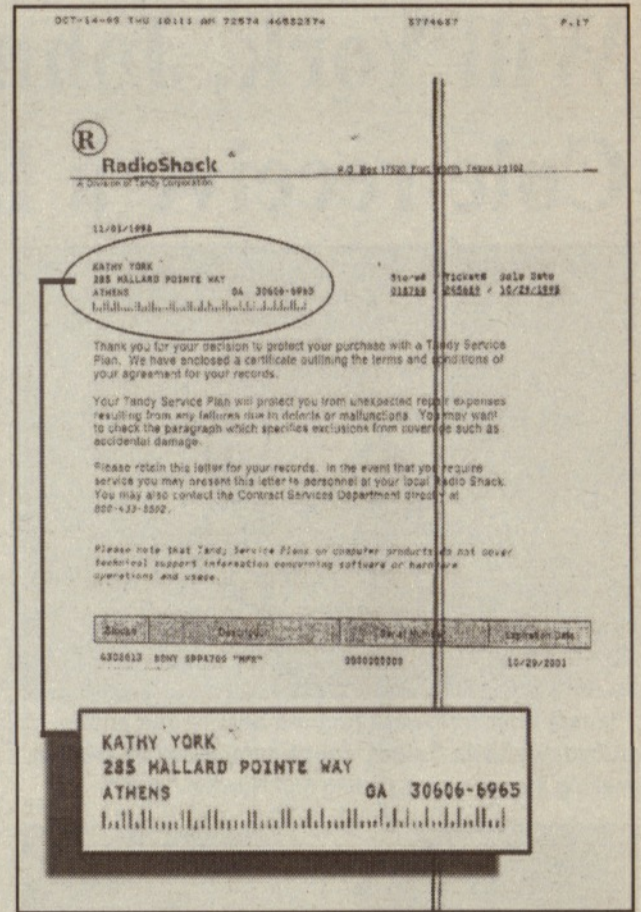
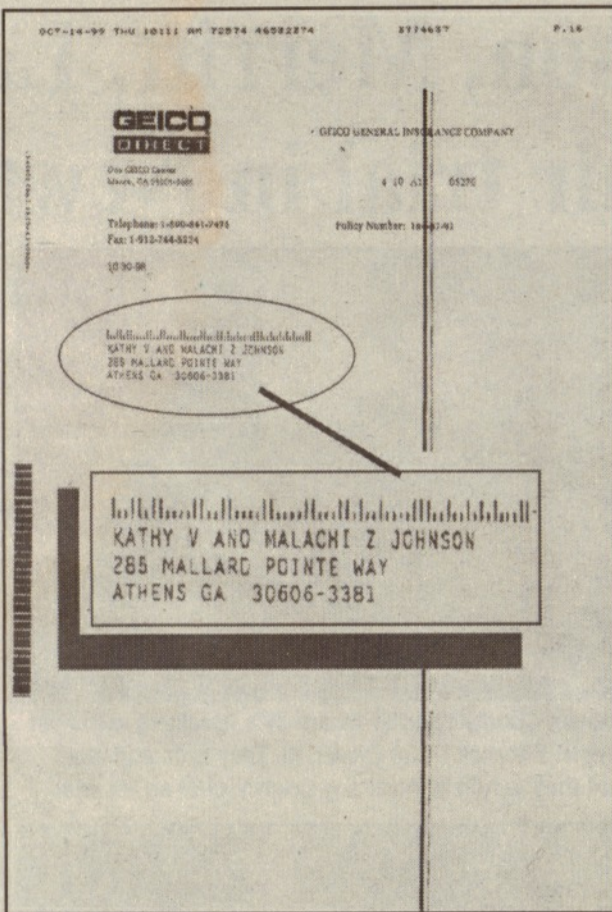
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vate homes. But don't worry; suits are being prepared at this very moment. Our children are terrorized and are living in fear. Many of our children and our visitors' children are still waking up every night from nightmares of men holding guns to their heads. I DON'T CARE WHAT SHERIFF SILLS SAID! IT WAS AN EXCESSIVE OVERUSE OF FORCE! Especially when they had no business being here in the first place. Neither Malachi York nor his wife Kathy lives on our land. Our guests, family and friends should have never had to go through that because of a FALSE warrant addressed to two individuals who live in Athens. They took five of our children and held them for months. As you see, now they had to let them go because they found NO EVIDENCE WHATSOEVER OF ANY TYPE OF ABUSE. Now, our children have been exposed to things that we, as parents were not ready for them to be exposed to. They were interrogated over and over, examined several times and they came up with NOTHING. These five children, ages 16, 16, 15 and 13, were among a list of names that was given to the feds by Sills by the people who are bringing these charges against Malachi York and have been added to the indictment. Oh yes, and the so-called disease that four of the children had was herpes simplex virus type one. This is nothing more than a cold sore or a fever blister- not full blown herpes. It is not sexually transmitted. In fact, you can get it by drinking after someone. Most Americans have this disease, but Rev. Malachi York doesn't. THAT'S RIGHT! MALACHI YORK DOES NOT HAVE THIS DISEASE OR ANY OTHER. The FBI tested him, and they say he is clean. He does not have any form of herpes or any other disease. This alone is proof that he did not have any dealings with those children and further proves no sex abuse. Think about this: IF THEY ARE LYING ABOUT THOSE FIVE CHILDREN, DON'T YOU THINK THEY COULD POSSIBLY BE LYING ABOUT EVERYTHING ELSE!!! So why would they lie, I'll tell you why. The answer is right there in the Holy Bible, John 8:44 reads, "Ye are of your father the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do. He was a murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaketh a lie, he speaketh of his own: for he is a liar, and the father of it." It's about money and racial profiling of what Sills calls a "Black group". There is nothing wrong with being a Black group, is there?

Don't get tired, there is more. On October 13, 2000 A.D., the Athens-Clarke Marshall Services issued a request of address for legal process stating that they may be in violation of the Single Family Ordinance. Within this request, it asked for the names of the adults who lived in the house at 155 Mansfield Court in Athens, Georgia. The names on the list are as follows: Malachi York and Kathy Johnson. As you can see, both Malachi York and Kathy Johnson were on that list. So they knew all this time that Malachi nor Kathy lived on the 404 Shady dale property.

Sills claims that he followed Malachi York leaving the property at 404 Shady dale and going out to restaurants. What he failed to mention was that it was usually on the weekend when he visited for church lectures. He failed to mention the numerous restaurants Malachi frequented daily in Athens: Peking, Q'doba, China Buffet, Thai, Angelino's, Captain D's, Johnny Carlino's and Piccadilly's, just to name a few. Just visit any of these restaurants and ask around. Everybody knows him in Athens. Oh, and sometimes he went to the movies. My God. This in no way proves that Malachi York lives on the 404 Shady dale property. Come on, Sills, you can do better than that!

Do you remember, as previously mentioned, the Civil Action case# 99CV56-3 with Kathy Johnson and Victor Greig versus Ronny Jones? In the early



Exhibits A and B in Civil Action Case #99CV56-3. Letters dated in 1998 A.D. from GEICO and Radio Shack, having Kathy Johnson's true address located in Athens, GA. She has not lived in Putnam County since 1998 A.D. She moved in September of that year along with her husband, Malachi York.

months of 1999 A.D., Ronny Jones had made several attempts by way of Sheriff Sills to serve Kathy Johnson and Victor Greig at 404 Shady Dale Road, while neither of them resided on the property. In a letter from Sills to Ronny Jones dated April 9, 1999 A.D., he states "On each occasion I have repeatedly asked the security guards at the 404 Shady dale Road address to direct me to the dwellings on the property where the defendants reside. They have been adamant that neither Ms. Johnson, or Mr. Victor Greig, reside on the property and claim they have no knowledge as to where they reside." In the Affidavit of Kathy Johnson, she states, "I did not live at 404 Shady dale Road in Eatonton, Georgia at any time in 1999. I had moved to 285 Mallard Pointe Way in Athens, Georgia in 1998. Exhibits A and B are true and correct copies of letters sent to me by Radio Shack and Geico at my Athens address." Kathy Johnson is the wife of Malachi York, so this information also holds true to him as well. Due to the fact that they did not reside in Putnam County at 404 Shady dale Road, the defendants (Kathy Johnson and Victor Greig) made a MOTION TO SET ASIDE JUDGMENT. This motion reads, "Comes now defendants Kathy Johnson and Victor Greig and, pursuant to O.C.G.A. §9-11-60 (d) (1), move to set aside the judgment against them as lacking jurisdiction. Cook v. Bright, 150 Ga. App. 696 (1979); Garrett v. Godby, 189 Ga. App. 183 (1988)." The ORDER, which is the response from the court, reads as follows: "The motion to set aside judgment for lack of jurisdiction and proper service is GRANTED. This 10th day of February, 2000." Do you know what this means? This means that it was proven in court and recognized that Kathy Johnson did not live at 404 Shady dale Road in Putnam County and that in fact her residence was in Athens, Georgia. This particular case did not involve Malachi York, but the same holds true for him because he is her husband and they were living together.

Putnam County Sheriff Howard Richard Sills delivered false hope and lies to the public, while the FBI agents were doing their job, according to a search warrant issued on May 7, 2002 A.D. Everyone knows of Sills' long awaited dreams of raiding the 404 Shady Dale Road property and that it did not go as he had planned. So, what does he do? He deviously planned an attack on the property that centered on the helpless women and children residing on the property as well as many visitors. His plot is put into action with the help of his long time

flunky, Macon Telegraph reporter Rob Peecher, who continues to write biased articles on Sheriff Sills' behalf.

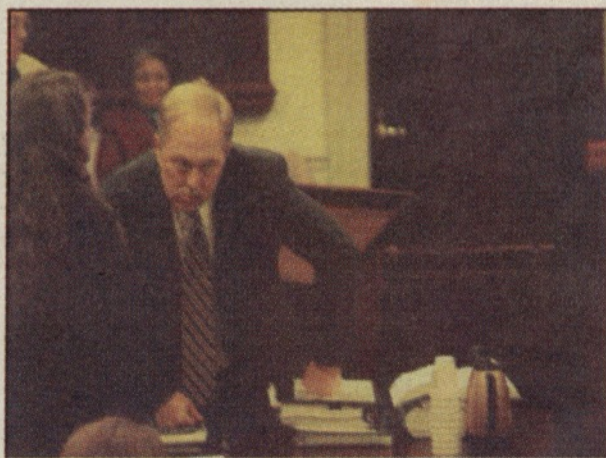
Sills is a master deceiver and his mind is so corrupt and his department is filled with so much scandal and corruption, he can't understand or believe that Nuwaubians really live a clean, religious and most importantly, a non-violent lifestyle. The result of his delusions is what you may have seen on May 8, 2002 A.D., on almost every news station. The FBI arrived on our property at 404 Shady Dale Road at approximately 3:00 p.m.; they stopped interrogating at approximately 9:30 p.m. and did not depart until around 12:00 midnight. They were on the property nine hours with about 300 officers of their own, not to mention Sills and some 80 deputies as well as camouflaged army personnel. According to the May 9, 2002, article in the Union Recorder titled "FBI arrests Nuwaubian head" which states, "law enforcement officers from Baldwin, Columbia, and Jones counties, along with Department of Natural Resources, and U.S. Forestry, assisted in the operation." With all that man and woman power on our property, Sills really wants the public to believe that the FBI could not thoroughly execute a search of a mere 19 acres of developed land themselves. Come on, a blind man could see that this is just another tactic of Sills to initiate once again, an over use of force in hopes of finding some form of evidence to support them taking our land. We are well aware of the game, but we are children of God, and their tactics will not work.

Sills is one of the wicked spoken of in Psalms 58:3 "The wicked are estranged from the womb: they go astray as soon as they be born, speaking lies." Furthermore, it is no coincidence that these so-called child molestation charges did not appear until after Sills was defeated and the Building and Zoning charges against Reverend York and Kathy Johnson in the Civil Action Suit 99-CV-1-1 were dismissed on February 8, 2002 A.D., exactly three months to the date prior to the raid. Why don't you know this? Because to this day, the media has not reported it in any newspapers or on any news stations. They don't want you to know the truth or the motives of Sheriff Sills. With the media, it's a new story everyday, a changed charge, an added allegation, "an anonymous letter". Lies cannot stand against the power of the Most High God and every eye shall see the TRUTH revealed, and the devil's deceit manifested.

Will York, Johnson, Merritt, Lampkin and Cole receive a fair trial in Newton County?



Putnam Sheriff Howard Richard Sills on the phone outside Baldwin County courthouse possibly plotting, making friends with Spalding and Newton County.



Putnam County Sheriff Howard Sills (r) talking with Asst District Attorney Dawn Baskin (l). They both admitted that they would control any county chosen for trial.



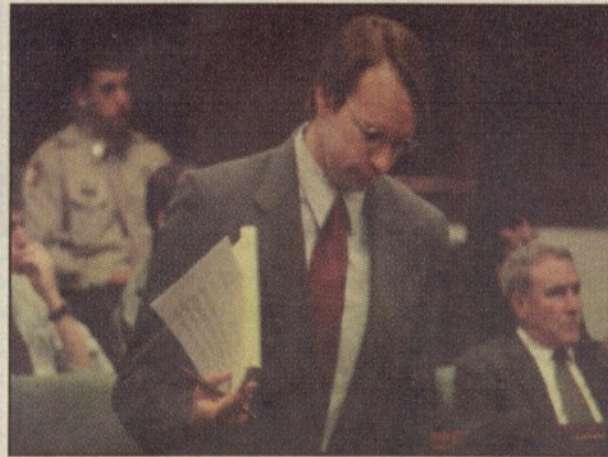
Investigator Tracy Bowen (l) discussing the case with Putnam County Sheriff Howard Richard Sills (r). It is said the prosecution has no real evidence to convict.



District Attorney Fred Bright (l) speaking with one of the Defense Attorneys for Rev. Malachi Z. York, Manubir S. Arora (r).



Judge William Prior, Jr. has proven more than once to be bias in this case. It seems his friendship with Sheriff Howard Richard Sills has fogged his judgment



Prosecuting Atty. Stephen Bradley tried to convince the court that all defendants should be tried together. York & Johnson will be tried separately from Merritt, Lampkin & Cole



Macon Telegraph's reporter Rob Peecher (center) surrounded by other reporters and Baldwin County deputies. Many feel Peecher prints unfair articles



Prosecutors (r-l): Stephen Bradley, Sheriff Howard Sills, Assistant D.A. Dawn Baskin and D.A. Fred Bright; trying for months to get the defense to take a plea, they failed



(r-l) Putnam County Clerk of Superior Court Sheila Layson, a *Union-Recorder* newspaper reporter and Bill Osinski, reporter for *Atlanta-Journal Constitution*.

Due to the ongoing litigation between the Nuwaubians (with whom the defendants are affiliated) and Putnam County officials, many citizens of the county have switched the phrase "innocent until proven guilty" to "guilty no matter what." From the beginning, it has been evident on both sides of this horrific case against Rev. Malachi Z. York, Mrs. Kathy Johnson-York, and their former co-defendants, that they can not receive a fair trial in Putnam County. So Judge William Prior Jr. agreed to have the case moved to a county that has little to no knowledge of Nuwaubians or the case.

On October 25, 2002 A.D., Defense attorney for Rev. York, Ed Garland, suggested Fulton or Chatham County where he felt potential jurors would have "never heard about it, never read about it, never talked about it." Attorney Garland, as well as the other defense attorneys, also felt these counties were big enough to accommodate any witnesses flown in from out of state and would have enough places to eat, so during recesses, everyone would not end up at the same restaurant. District Attorney Fred Bright recommended the case be moved to a county that has a similar racial demographic make-up as Putnam County. Many onlookers in the courtroom were surprised at this because the very reason the case is being moved out of Putnam

County (which is predominantly White) is because of the racism many Nuwaubians have faced dealing with Putnam County officials. The counties D.A. Fred Bright mentioned were: Glynn, Bulloch, Tift, Spalding or Troup (all of which have a population of more than 60% White and less than 30% Black). Being that all the defendants in this case are African-American (Black), it is fair to say that the jury will be racially biased against the defendants. Judge William Prior said that he would take all counties into consideration as well as research some counties on his own and promised to be fair.

Well, let's see how fair he's been. Judge William Prior announced Tuesday, November 26, 2002 A.D. in Baldwin County, that the case could be moved to either Newton County (Covington) or Spalding County (Griffin). He mentioned in court that he chose these counties based on demographic background (similar to Putnam County) and whether or not the county would accept the case. Newton County is 75% White and their newspapers, *The Newton Citizen* and *The Covington News*, has printed articles concerning the Nuwaubians. And it was the prosecution who said the county chosen should be where "Middle Georgia media market" would not have impacted the jury pool. Spalding County is almost 70%

white and is well-known for their racism towards African-Americans. There is no way Rev. York and Mrs. Johnson-York or any of the former co-defendants could receive a fair trial with a fair and impartial jury in either county. Newton County (Covington) was the judge's final decision.

Not to mention, Sheriff Sills himself had already been to these counties and has made friends. Assistant District Attorney Dawn Baskin is quoted in *The Covington News* article titled "Newton May Host Nuwaubian Trial," as saying, "Whatever final location is chosen, a Putnam County judge will preside over the case. PUTNAM COUNTY WILL JUST TAKE OVER YOUR COURTROOM." **LOOK WHAT THEY'RE SAYING!** If both sides have agreed that Rev. York, Mrs. Johnson-York, Ms. Merritt, Ms. Lampkin and Ms. Cole absolutely cannot receive a fair trial in Putnam County, does it make a difference if "Putnam County will just take over" whatever courtroom they end up in. Where is the justice? Don't you see? This is a well thought out plan. It appears they are trying to create a hangman court. Judge Prior, who has worked on other cases dealing with Nuwaubians, needs to be removed off of this case. As the Chief Superior Court Judge, he works right over and very close to Judge Hugh V. Wingfield III, who is known for dealing with various

cases concerning Nuwaubians, and he has admitted to being friends with Sheriff Sills for over 20 years. The entire judicial system in the Ocmulgee Circuit is against any and everybody who is a Nuwaubian or affiliated with them. They are all friends and they have pulled together to bring down the Nuwaubians. Notice they keep calling it the "Nuwaubians Trial." This in itself is a targeting statement, especially since not all of the defendants are Nuwaubians. The name "Nuwaubian" is just the name of an organization or some may call it a religion. Do you ever hear, "the Christian case," "the Catholic case," "the Jewish case," or "the Muslim case"? This case is the state of Georgia versus the names of each individual person, not the state against an entire organization.

Don't you see the game? The corruption of Putnam County has trickled out to other counties, and we can only hope and pray that it has not taken over Newton County like Assistant D.A. Dawn Baskin says. We can only hope and pray that the citizens of Newton County hold true to the saying "a person is INNOCENT until proven guilty." God has made a way and will continue to make a way so that justice is served. **Psalm 37:9 says, "For evildoers shall be cut off; but those that wait upon the LORD, they shall inherit the earth."**