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Als es um 6 Uhr um den Autumn morgens um 19.00 Uhr ging,

hat der Odosius Glukarev durch den Stau von seinem Wohnzimmer aufgewacht.

Er stammte aus dem Bett und stammte zur Tür.

Keiner war da.

Er stammte seinen Kopf in die Strecke, nur um die Strecke zu finden.

Der Odosius stammte nach unten, und er erinnerte,

dass er einen Briefcase auf den Boden infront von ihm hat.

Interessant, der Odosius stammte auf der Seite,

und stammte seine Lachen und eröffnete sie.

Er stammte auf der Seite und stammte in die Strecke,

war der Kopf einer Frau.

Der Odosius stammte in seinem Wohnzimmer und stammte sofort nach dem Polizist.

Die Offiziere kamen in ein neunstelliger Wohnzimmer,

wo der Odosius mit seiner Frau und der junge Frau lebte.

Sein Wohnzimmer war nur south of Kishinev,

der russisch namen Kapital von Moldova,

der im Moment Teil der Soviet Union war.

Die Offiziere inspekte den Briefcase,

das auf Theodosius Door war.

Der kapitierte Kopf begann zu einer braunen Frau,

mit der seine Augen gegründet haben.

Theodosius war Adiment,

dass er die Frau nicht erkannt hat,

und es war nichts anderes,

als ein Briefcase, das bei ihrer Identität geholfen hat.

Aber es war eine handwerkliche Not.

Adressed zu Theodosius

und schraubt im Block Kapital Letters,

hat die Note geschaut.

Hast du das Gift gesehen?

Das ist ein Beispiel für dich.

Bereit 10.000 Rubels,

oder deine Frau wird auch hauptsächlich sein.

In der Sonne,

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kommst du zur Trainstation und bringst Geld.  
Der Ausdruck war rar in der Serviette Moldova,  
nur in einer so brutalen Form.  
Bei der Zeit,  
10.000 Rubels war viel Geld.  
Der Equivalent von ca. 50.000 US-Dollar  
in der heutigen Zeit.  
Theodosius,  
der als Truckdriver für einen lokalen Bruder war,  
wusste nicht,  
dass er das Geld nicht haben konnte.  
Unmöglich zu produzieren  
den großen Ransom in so einem kurzen Moment,  
war es unmöglich für ihn,  
um ihn zu treffen,  
wie er die Bedürfnisse der Killer geholfen hat.  
Denn der Killer wusste,  
wo Theodosius lebte  
und dass er eine Frau hatte,  
es war klar,  
dass sie die Theodosius in irgendeiner Kapazität wussten.  
Theodosius wollte niemanden,  
der so ein großes Akt führte.  
Suspicious, dass er etwas hielt,  
hat die Polizei beruhigt,  
dass Theodosius den nächsten Tag war.  
Er taillte ihn aus dem Truck,  
als er von der Brüche  
und auf die Städte Kishinev kam,  
wo er später parkte  
und ein Restaurant führte.  
Es war ein spätsches Verkauf.  
Der Ort, in dem der Affluent  
nur einmal oder zweimal ein Jahr auf spezielle occasionen kam.  
Theodosius musste nicht lange bleiben,  
sicherlich nicht genug Zeit für ihn zu essen.  
Er kam sofort nach seinem Truck  
und rief weg.  
Als die Beobachtung war,  
started Theodosius zu behaupten,  
er sehnte, er sehnte,  
dass er folgte.  
Er nahm viele abgerüßte Städte

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und begann auf seine Route,  
bevor er durch eine rote Licht spielte.  
Die Polizei hat mit ihm ein bisschen später mitgekriegt,  
bis zu dem Punkt,  
dass Theodosius über seine Geschäftsplätze geholt hat.  
Er enthielt eine Bäckerei  
und kam mit einem Kek in die Hand.  
Er stammte dann an ein neuer Wohnzimmer,  
welches der Kishinev,  
die höchstens prästetische Städte hat.  
Theodosius verurteilt für eine Zeit,  
bevor er ohne den Kek reappehrte.  
Later that day,  
he purchased a bouquet of flowers  
and visited another high end apartment building  
on an adjacent street.  
Once again,  
he stayed inside briefly,  
before exiting empty handed.  
He then made his way home.  
He admitted to driving erratically  
after realising he was being pursued,  
but explained this was because  
he thought he was being trailed by the killer.  
Police put it to Theodosius  
that his job as a truck driver  
was really just a front  
for some kind of black market trading.  
He denied being involved in anything illegal,  
but eventually confessed  
that his visits to the two apartments  
were for clandestine meetings.  
Theodosius had been calling in on his girlfriends.  
Neither of his girlfriends knew about the other,  
nor were they aware that Theodosius  
was married with a child.  
Although he wasn't a particularly remarkable  
or wealthy man,  
Theodosius was a serial womaniser,  
who often bragged to his friends  
about his extramarital affairs.  
Investigators were satisfied  
that Theodosius wasn't part

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of any underworld scheming,  
but had been targeted for some other specific reason.

They considered the possibility  
that the severed head  
might have belonged to one of his girlfriends.

Perhaps the woman's husband  
had found out about the affair  
and taken revenge.

Theodosius claimed that his girlfriends  
were both alive and well,  
and it was quickly confirmed  
that he was telling the truth.

Both of his girlfriends attended  
the investigation for questioning,  
but neither recognised the face of the woman  
from the briefcase.

This sent investigators back to square one.

Unable to figure out why Theodosius  
was being extorted,

they worked to identify the victim.

Perhaps if they knew who she was,  
her connection to Theodosius  
would become clear.

After exhausting all other avenues,  
investigators sought permission  
from their country's leadership  
to employ a tactic that had never been  
used in the Soviet Union before.

They asked to show a photograph  
of the woman's head on national television  
in the hope that someone  
would recognise her face.

Their request was granted.

With as much care as possible,  
the woman's face was cleaned  
to be presentable to the public.

Her hair was neatly combed down  
and pinned behind her head.

Glass spheres were inserted  
into her empty eye sockets  
and her eyelids were closed over them.

A photograph was taken  
and broadcast on national television

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across Soviet Moldova.  
Although a white scarf tied beneath her chin  
concealed her severed neck,  
it was obvious to most that she was deceased.  
Das Nacht,  
7-Jährige Viktor Trassen  
set in front of his family's television set  
eyes glued to a rerun  
of a popular Soviet musical miniseries  
Dartenjan and the Three Musketeers.  
Viktor lived with his mother  
and Aileen's grandmother  
in an apartment in Kishinev.  
His grandmother was content  
to let Viktor enjoy  
the swashbuckling action on screen  
as the young boy had recently  
been overcome with anxiety  
and the program provided  
a much needed distraction.  
A few nights earlier,  
Viktor's mother, Irina,  
had left home to catch up with a friend.  
She said that she would only be gone  
for 30 minutes,  
but by the time Viktor awoke  
the next morning,  
she still hadn't returned.  
Viktor took himself to school  
for himself and his grandmother.  
He kept this up all the while  
bombarding his grandmother  
with questions about his mother's whereabouts.  
But she couldn't give him any answers.  
Viktor's concerns for Irina grew  
until he parked himself  
in front of the television one night  
for a mental reprieve.  
All of a sudden,  
Dartenjan and the Three Musketeers  
was interrupted by a special news bulletin.  
A photograph of a woman appeared on screen.  
Viktor immediately recognized the woman

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as his mother, Irina.  
He was confused as to why she was on television,  
but excited that he would finally see her again.  
He wrote down the number on the screen  
and called it first thing the following morning.  
Investigators could now identify  
the mutilated woman as Irina Trassen,  
but they still had no idea  
why she had been targeted.  
Theodosius Glukarev claimed  
he didn't know Irina  
and there was no evidence to suggest  
the pair had ever crossed paths.  
As investigators tried to determine  
why Irina was murdered  
as part of an extortion plot against a stranger,  
they received a phone call.  
Another package had just arrived  
in Theodosius's front door.  
The package wasn't in a briefcase this time,  
but wrapped in paper.  
Again, it was accompanied by a handwritten note  
addressed to Theodosius  
in the same block capital letters as the first.  
This one read,  
you still don't want to pay,  
then kiss a woman's hand.  
Inside the package was the severed hand of a woman.  
Forensic analysis confirmed  
it did not belong to Irina Trassen.  
A second woman had been killed  
and once again the police were left with no clues  
as to this victim's identity.  
The note continued,  
in three days you will bring the money to the train station,  
otherwise we will chop your daughter to pieces.  
The note hadn't referred to Theodosius's daughter  
by her name, Oxana,  
but this was the second direct threat against her.  
Two days later, Oxana was making her way home from school.  
Just as she reached the entrance  
to her family's apartment block,  
a man approached and offered her some candy.

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All of a sudden,  
two other men who had been a short distance behind Oxana  
leapt into action.  
They ran up to the man, grabbed him  
and wrestled him to the ground.  
The pair were undercover police officers  
tasked with protecting Oxana.  
The young girl shouted at the police officers,  
let Uncle Sasha go, he's good.  
Realising the man was known to Oxana,  
the officers backed off.  
While he wasn't technically her uncle,  
he was a close friend of her family.  
As a precaution, the police thoroughly looked into Uncle Sasha.  
They discovered that he worked at the local confectionary factory,  
which explained why he had candy on hand.  
A married father, Uncle Sasha had received a government award  
for his hard work and commitment to the Soviet Union.  
With no criminal record  
or anything else to highlight him as dangerous,  
he was ruled out as being the killer  
who was extorting theodosius.  
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über den unidentifizierten Killer, der den Thiodosius-Glucarev beendet hat.  
Der Officer wusste, dass in einer der Noten, der Perpetrator die Sprache hatte,  
«Wir drücken deine Daughter zu Pisten».  
Beliefert, dass Olga einen Verhandlungen mit dem Killer hat,  
viele Polizistinnen sind auf Kuchinev-Central-Park,  
um den Bereich für Klügel zu schauern.  
Sie kamen bald auf eine Platt des frisch-verschleuigen Dörfes.  
Der Bereich war verletzt, um eine schalte Grave,  
die im Körper einer jungen Frau zu containieren.  
Seine Schuhe war aufgeräumt,  
und ihre Träuser und Unterhäuser waren unter ihre Nenzen.  
Es gab viele Stubhäuser zu ihrer Schuhe und um ihre Genitalen.  
Meistens hat sie die Schuhe verletzt.  
Die Polizei hat nur den Körper der Arena-Trasen aufgeräumt.  
Jetzt waren sie absolut sicher,  
dass der gleiche Mann, der Olga Labadeva aufgeräumt hat,  
und dass er die Expansiv-Parklande, die er aufgeräumt hat,  
verwendet hat.  
Olga schlug zum Erinnerung viel über ihre Orde,  
als es schlug und schnell war.  
Aber etwas, was sie aufgeräumt hat, war familiar.  
Sie war sicher, dass es der gleiche Mann war,  
der sie 30 Minuten vorher aufgeräumt hat.  
Olga erklärte, dass sie mit diesem Mann aufgeräumt hat.  
Investigatoren fragten, ob sie die Lederlärmung hatte.  
Glück für sie, sie hat die Lederlärmung gehabt.  
Die Lederlärmung wurde handwritten  
und wurde mit der Senderlärmung aufgeräumt.  
Alexander Skrinik.  
Die Polizei war stammt.  
Sie wussten Skrinik.

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Über die meisten europäischen Länder in Österreich,  
der Name Alexander, ist oft aufgeräumt zu Sascha.  
Alexander Skrinik war Uncle Sascha,  
der Mann, den Theodosius' Frau mit Kandy vor einigen Wochen nahm.  
Ein Background-Check von Skrinik  
hat ihn als Suspekt geräumt.  
Aber jetzt, dass Investigatoren sicher waren,  
dass er die Lederlärmung hatte, die sie für ihn angeschaut haben.  
Sie brauchten nur,  
um eine komplette Evidence zu beobachten.  
Es gab keine verabschiedeten Forensiken,  
die Skrinik hat auf den Rheiner Trassen oder Körper gefunden,  
oder auf die unklar verabschiedete Hand  
von Theodosius.  
Das hat nur die Extortion-Noten und die Lederlärmung geholt.  
Ein Handwriting-Expert war verabschiedet,  
aber als er die Samen angeschaut hat, schruggt er sie.  
Die Extortion-Noten waren in Blockkapitalen geprintet,  
wobei die Lederlärmung in Skrinik-Kursiv Handwriting war.  
Es war nicht möglich,  
dass die Lederlärmung konklusiv verabschiedet wurde.  
Währenddessen war Alexander Skrinik  
der Militaregistration und Inlassmann-Office gezwungen.  
Als 27 Jahre alt war Skrinik noch subject  
zur Sowjet-Konscription,  
bis zu seinem nächsten Geburtstag.  
Er kam promptlich an die Militaregistration  
und war in einem verabschiedeten Raum gezwungen.  
Er, mit über 20 anderen Konskrips,  
fiel in das verabschiedete Papierwerk.  
Nachwärts waren gesagt,  
dass ein Militaregistrikator bald in touch wäre.  
Alexander Skrinik hat dann die Geburt geblieben.  
Unbeknownst zu Skrinik,  
das ganze Registrationprozess  
war durch die Polizistin  
eine Art, um seine Handwriting zu bekommen.  
Der Fall, der Staff und die anderen Konskrips  
waren alle geblieben.  
Die Militaregistrationen waren geblieben  
in Block-Kapital-Leaders.  
Als Skrinik war,  
waren die Registrationen geblieben

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für die Handwriting-Expertin,  
die hinter den Szenen wohnen.

In einem halben Stunden,  
hat der Experte unverkürzt,  
dass die Block-Leaders in Skrinik-Registrationformen  
einen exakten Fall für die,  
in die zwei Extortion-Noten,  
die Theodosius darstellt.

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Das Abend, die Polizei kam an Alexander Skrinik's Apartment, um nur von Skrinik's Wife zu sagen,  
dass ihre Husband nur ein Film war.

Eine Kontinue der Pläne-Klothen, die Polizisten schnell auf das Patriar-Sinema in Kishinev  
gelassen haben.

Das Film, das zu sein, war ein soviet-Desaster-Film, das heutzutage AER-Krew, das die Geschichte  
der Verteilung des Passagern zu betre yn den  
den Österreich lang gekriegt.

Eher-Krew seines EurokTeensOld- bits sank an als erst  livestreamarm gestr rugged in  
waiting for the movie to start.

Eventually they spotted Skrinik.

He was approaching the cinema accompanied by a young woman.

One quick thinking detective approached the couple.

He explained that the film was sold out,

but he had two tickets he was willing to sell.

Skrinik was interested.

The detective suggested that they walk around the side of the building  
where it was much quieter in order to make the exchange.

Skrinik and the young woman happily accompanied the detective.

Once they were away from the crowd,

other officers converged on Skrinik and placed him under arrest.

At the police station, Alexander Skrinik remained indignant.

He denied having done anything wrong

and pointed to his government labour award

and membership of the Soviet Communist Party

as proof of his good character and innocence.

However, once investigators revealed the rues at the enlistment office  
and the handwriting analysis evidence they had against him,

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Skrinik abandoned his charade.  
Skrinik then made a surprise confession.  
Arena Trassen was not his first murder victim.  
Several years earlier in the mid 1970s  
he had been living and working in Yakutia,  
a sparsely populated Soviet region in the Far East of Russia.  
There Skrinik met and murdered a flight attendant named Nina Puganova.  
After killing Nina,  
Skrinik removed her breasts and genitals before dumping her body.  
The remains were later discovered,  
however authorities at the time were unable to solve Nina's murder.  
Skrinik disclosed that he had stabbed Arena Trassen  
to death after meeting her for ice cream at the park  
where her body was later found.  
He decapitated Arena post mortem, kept her head  
before burying her body in a shallow grave.  
Skrinik's third and final victim was a woman  
named Anastasia Mikhailova.  
Like Arena before her,  
Skrinik had met Anastasia for ice cream  
before stabbing her to death and mutilating her body.  
This time Skrinik had kept Anastasia's severed hand as a souvenir.  
Having already discovered Arena's headless body,  
police probed Skrinik for the whereabouts of Anastasia's remains.  
Skrinik said that Anastasia was buried in a different park  
and offered to take them to the exact location.  
The following day he escorted investigators to an area of Woodland.  
He pointed to the exact location where officers should start digging.  
Sure enough, about a foot below the surface,  
police uncovered the remains of Anastasia Mikhailova,  
who was missing a hand.  
Investigators had everything they needed from Alexander Skrinik,  
a full confession to the murders and to Anastasia's remains.  
What they now wanted was Skrinik's motive for these brutal slayings.  
Skrinik explained that about a year into his marriage,  
after his son was born, he was dissatisfied with his life.  
Specifically, Skrinik wanted more sex.  
He placed a personal ad in the local newspaper  
with the intention of attracting a woman  
who would be willing to sleep with him.  
Eventually, Skrinik met up with a woman who responded to his ad  
and the two had sex.  
As a result, Skrinik contracted a venereal disease.



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This instigated Skrinik, towards women, who he now blamed for his unhappy marriage and the lack of sex to which he felt entitled. Skrinik appointed himself as a quote, orderly of nature and decided that it was his calling to destroy women. As to why he extorted his friend Theodosius Glukarev, Skrinik simply explained that he was jealous of Theodosius who boasted of his active sex life and multiple extramarital affairs. His intention was to, quote, let this womanize a shake with fear and at the same time, fork out. A few months after his arrest, Alexander Skrinik stood trial for the murders of Nina Puganova, Irina Trasen and Anastasia Mironova. At the start of his testimony, he boasted that anyone with a weak disposition should leave the room. Skrinik then recited his crimes without any hint of remorse. He told the court that he enjoyed murdering the three women and that if he hadn't been caught, he would still be killing. The three judges of the Supreme Court found Skrinik guilty of all charges and sentenced him to death. In 1981, Alexander Skrinik attended his date with the firing squad. Copyright WDR 2021