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Jan. 1, 1961 Day

(Photograph taken from Jan. 1, 1961  
EARLY AFTERNOON - 1:45 PM (approx.)

File No. 157-615 1A-14

Date Received 5/9/68

From Director  
(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(CITY AND STATE)

By \_\_\_\_\_  
(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)

To Be Returned ☐ Yes  
☐ No

Receipt given ☐ Yes  
☐ No

Description:

5 photos of subject



JAMES EARL RAY  
FBI No. 405,942 G

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JAMES EARL RAY

FBI No. 405,942 G

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INTERSTATE FLIGHT - ROBBERY

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Photographs on left taken 1960, other taken 1968

**DESCRIPTION**

AGE: 40, born [redacted]	Alton, Illinois
HEIGHT: 5' 10"	EYES: blue
WEIGHT: 163 to 174 pounds	COMPLEXION: medium
BUILD: medium	RACE: white
HAIR: brown, possibly cut short	NATIONALITY: American
OCCUPATIONS: baker, color matcher, laborer	
SCARS AND MARKS: small scar on center of forehead and small scar on palm of right hand	
REMARKS: noticeably protruding left ear; reportedly is a lone wolf; allegedly attended dance instruction school; has reportedly completed course in bartending	

(Title)

*Murkin*

(File No.)

15. 5/13/68 - 5 photos of subject

14. 5/15/68 photo of laundry marks

Disposition.

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MAY 13 1968	
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*[Signature]*

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Date Received 5/13/68

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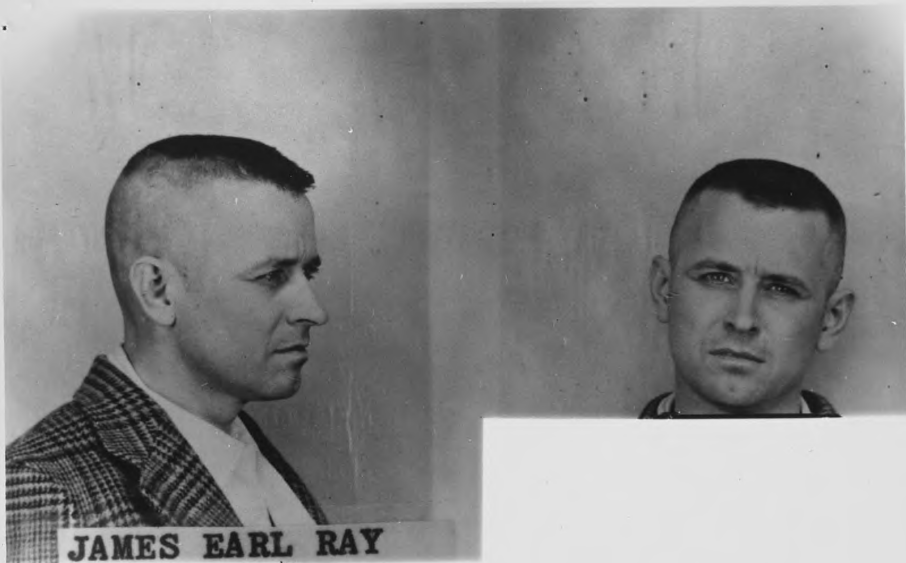
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**JAMES EARL RAY**



JAMES EARL RAY

(Photograph taken late January  
or early February 1968  
in California)





JAMES EARL RAY

(Photograph taken 1967 in Mexico)



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JAMES EARL RAY

(Subject is TAKEN 1967 in ALABAMA)

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*Photos of laundry  
marks*



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