

1 comes up whatever--whatever work is required and--

2 JORDAN: Would it be a fair assumption to say you are
3 not a regular ditch digger, for example, with big callouses
4 from digging?

5 SIRHAN: Well, if I had to dig my front lawn to put in
6 a sprinkler system in, how else would--

7 JORDAN: --then it would blister.

8 SIRHAN: --I do it, but dig it?

9 JORDAN: Then it would blister, right? Because you
10 and I are not equipped to handle work like that. We could--
11 we could toughen up in a few days, but you sound like you
12 hate yard work like I do.

13 SIRHAN: I love it. I love it.

14 JORDAN: You mean you like to work in the yard?

15 SIRHAN: I love it.

16 JORDAN: You mean sincerely?

17 SIRHAN: Sincerely. Yes, sir, if the yard is nice to
18 start with. You know, if it is well organized, landscaped,
19 and set.

20 JORDAN: Well, now, what you are saying is you like to
21 keep up a nice yard--

22 SIRHAN: --yes.

23 JORDAN: --but you don't like to do the dirty work--

24 SIRHAN: --no, well--

25 JORDAN: --getting it in in the first place?

26 SIRHAN: If the job has to be done, sir, it has to be

1 done. You know, you can--you can procrastinate about it.

2 MURPHY: Yeah, but I would rather go play golf.

3 SIRHAN: Beautiful, but you're--you're sacrificing
4 whatever it is, the pleasure or, you know, whatever it is
5 that you're not--you're avoiding to do.

6 MURPHY: That's right. And I avoid it all I can.

7 SIRHAN: Beautiful. What's the latest? What's your
8 score? What's your par in golf?

9 MURPHY: Not very good. I'm a 19 handicap.

10 SIRHAN: I don't know the first thing about golf. You
11 know, you go back 18--or is it 9? And you come back 9?

12 MURPHY: Uh huh.

13 SIRHAN: Then Scotland--that's the only thing I know
14 about it.

15 JORDAN: Scotland?

16 SIRHAN: **

17 JORDAN: That's a--they play a lot of golf over there,
18 That's right. You actually enjoy working in the yard,
19 garden, that sort of thing?

20 SIRHAN: That's nice.

21 JORDAN: Well, I mean you said--you said you enjoy it?
22 I've never--I've met a few people who really enjoy it.

23 SIRHAN: You know like building a table, you know,
24 shit, you know how--you got to enjoy it--building it. If
25 you're going to drive a car--

26 JORDAN: --can you work with your hands? Now, I can't.

1 SIRHAN: I can't.

2 JORDAN: I can't. Hell, I can't. If I nail two
3 boards together, they come out cockeyed.

4 SIRHAN: Hell, if you can't work with your hands, man,
5 you can't eat.

6 JORDAN: Well, a lot of people--

7 MURPHY: --I'm eating pretty good, and I am--I'm not
8 too good with my hands.

9 SIRHAN: ** You--you got too much brain power to
10 realize--

11 MURPHY: --I'm not too--

12 SIRHAN: Sir **

13 MURPHY: --heavy on that either.

14 JORDAN: You mechanically inclined, machines?

15 SIRHAN: Really, I'm inclined towards everything, sir,
16 that presents--

17 JORDAN: --you're inclined, do you have any particular
18 skill with one--

19 SIRHAN: --I don't--if I watch a barber for two hours,
20 you know, for cutting hair ** that would interest me, you
21 know, I just go in there, you know, and start dancing the
22 way he sticks those scissors.

23 JORDAN: You've got a good action there, maybe you
24 should be a barber.

25 SIRHAN: ** I was telling you I would want to be him
26 for that moment, and then if I see a dentist drilling holes,

1 then I would want to be him, too, you know, I would watch
2 him and learn about him and whatever--you know, if I see a
3 beautiful waitress in a bar or in a soda fountain, you know,
4 I would like to see how she likes to stay in there, soda and
5 malt, whatever you make, you know, there's something in it.
6 You know, something you get to know.

7 JORDAN: Let me ask you something, do you--

8 SIRHAN: --I was telling--I was telling Frank--he was
9 telling me about that book he was reading and his life and
10 his kids, and what have you, and his life in the jail at
11 night down here. Really, I sort of put myself into his shoes
12 for a minute, you know, and felt how--sort of felt how he
13 lives, you know.

14 JORDAN: Do you draw any distinction between, well,
15 let's say so-called menial tasks--I mean other things you
16 wouldn't like to do particularly?

17 SIRHAN: Everything in life--in life, sir, is there for
18 a reason, whatever it is that has to be--whatever has to be
19 done has got to be done, but--and, you know, if you got--
20 if the grass is too high, you got to cut it. If this thing
21 is empty now, and, you know, you are fond of blowing a smoke,
22 you know, puffing on a--

23 MURPHY: --you don't smoke?

24 SIRHAN: Yeah, if you want me to I will.

25 MURPHY: No, I mean--

26 JORDAN: --if you want--if you want some, we'll get

1 you some.

2 SIRHAN: Do you smoke?

3 JORDAN: I don't--I smoke a cigar once in awhile. I
4 have never smoked a cigarette.

5 SIRHAN: No, I mean just, you know, just to be in the
6 game I'll smoke if you want me to smoke.

7 JORDAN: No, no, no, if you want to smoke, we'll--you're
8 welcome to smoke, but we're not going to force you to smoke.
9 We're trying to stop--they're trying to stop people from
10 smoking. They say it's bad. Now, we're not going to force
11 you to smoke. That's a heck of a way to look at it.

12 SIRHAN: Yeah, I know it.

13 JORDAN: Did you ever work in a gas station, service
14 station?

15 SIRHAN: No, but I--the only reference I made, I said
16 that to Frank was that I was--how did I say it? What did I
17 say to Frank. You know, his--the routine of his job here is
18 like working, you know, he comes here and--I don't remember
19 exactly how it is--it has to be within the context of what
20 he said, sir, that I said gas station.

21 JORDAN: Well, that--believe it or not, in all honesty
22 you may have said that to him. That wasn't--that wasn't
23 where I picked it up, but I'm interested. What did you
24 discuss with him about it once again, if I may.

25 SIRHAN: No, I had the feeling that you, sir, picked
26 it from his--

1 JORDAN: No, I didn't--I would have if I had known, but
2 I didn't.

3 SIRHAN: Well, go ahead now.

4 (Laughter)

5 JORDAN: No, no, but I say I didn't. That wasn't--
6 that wasn't my point of reference at this time. I was just
7 curious if you had ever worked in a gas station, or if you
8 were familiar with it or anything like that.

9 SIRHAN: Not necessarily, but if I was necessary to
10 do it, I would gladly, you know, there's always--there's
11 always a trick to know how to fill a tank and wash the wind-
12 shield and check the oil and what have you, no? **

13 JORDAN: You say we're non-committal guys--** This
14 guy's got to be real good.

15 SIRHAN: **

16 JORDAN: What about a Union Station? Do you like any
17 particular station? Union, Standard? How about Union?

18 SIRHAN: They all do the same work, no?

19 JORDAN: That's right.

20 SIRHAN: Maybe---maybe Standard claims better service,
21 but what the hell, the same product.

22 MURPHY: Just use any reason why you feel you should
23 put us to all this bother trying to find out who John Doe
24 is and what his background is, and--

25 SIRHAN: --really, I mean, really. No, no, no, don't
26 misunderstand me, sir. You're asking me a question, and I'm

1 answering and I'm--I'm--I'm--you're--you're asking me a
2 question, and I'm answering it, really--I mean, and I'm
3 being objective and very frank and--and outright with it.

4 MURPHY: Okay, I'm asking you very frank and--

5 SIRHAN: Really, I mean if--if you can't--I don't think
6 there was anything evasive. I mean if you--if you presented
7 a general question. How can I, you know, answer you in
8 particular?

9 JORDAN: Well, I think I asked you, have you ever
10 worked in a gas station?

11 SIRHAN: No, I don't--I don't--no, I shouldn't say no,
12 you know, if I have to serve myself, that's work, but, you
13 know, it's patronizing the place at the same time.

14 JORDAN: Have you ever been employed? Have you ever
15 been employed by a gas station where you were paid to service
16 a vehicle? Now, is that specific enough? I'm not trying to
17 be funny now. I--you're pinning me down to specific questions
18 so I'm trying to give you specific questions.

19 SIRHAN: Again, I say I must, you know, talking about
20 specifics now, I must--

21 JORDAN: Okay, we're back to--

22 SIRHAN: --go back to the privilege of the First
23 Amendment.

24 JORDAN: Okay, we're back. Fine.

25 (Overlapping voices)

26 JORDAN: We're back too close to--

1 SIRHAN: No, no, no, not to the what?

2 JORDAN: To the area that you immediately clam up and
3 say I don't want to talk about it, and I'm trying to stay
4 away from that area.

5 SIRHAN: Sir, I didn't say--I didn't say--I don't want
6 to talk about anything. Did I limit myself to any discussion,
7 to any type of discussion? No.

8 JORDAN: A tape recorder mentions--well, a--

9 SIRHAN: Yes, you have.

10 MURPHY: Yes, you have. You don't want to answer
11 specific questions.

12 SIRHAN: Now, well--

13 MURPHY: Is that not right?

14 SIRHAN: But--but so far in our discussion you can
15 play--you can replay this thing--it was all general--it was,
16 you know, just plain bullshit.

17 JORDAN: Well, that's--that's why I asked you am I
18 getting into the area that you don't--if I am, you say so.

19 SIRHAN: Are they listening to what we're saying
20 outside now?

21 JORDAN: No, they can't--nobody can hear you out here.

22 MURPHY: They can't hear outside?

23 SIRHAN: Upstairs?

24 MURPHY: Upstairs, yeah. They can't listen, but it's
25 going on a tape upstairs.

26 JORDAN: You can probably listen later.

1 SIRHAN: I would like to see--I would like to know how--
2 tell me how this thing operates. I mean, how does it pick
3 up? **

4 JORDAN: Well, --

5 SIRHAN: The electronics of it.

6 JORDAN: Once again, unless Murph's an electronic
7 expert, I'm not either.

8 MURPHY: **

9 SIRHAN: Well, you see ** tell us about it.

10 MURPHY: I can't even figure out when I turn a TV on
11 what happens. All I know is I get the picture, and I set in
12 front of the boob tube and watch it.

13 SIRHAN: Now, for an investigator that wants particulars
14 and facts, really, you're contradicting yourself.

15 MURPHY: I don't know. I don't know anything about
16 electronics.

17 JORDAN: Some place, and I'll be honest with you, I
18 don't know where, there is a microphone. Now, all I know
19 about a microphone is what it looks like, and--and I tell
20 you in all honesty I have no idea where it is. I--I think
21 it was constructed at the time they built the building, and
22 from that is a wire leading into one of the offices some
23 place else where they have facilities to record. Now, that's
24 a layman's view, but that's as much as I know.

25 SIRHAN: Beautiful.

26 JORDAN: Now, is that a fair--

1 SIRHAN: --Sir, the only thing I can add to it is they
2 are very ingeniously contrapted.

3 JORDAN: Well, that's, you know, the--these people
4 that design buildings and things like that, everybody has
5 their own special talent, you know. Now, that is obviously
6 not mine from my brief description of this you can tell I'm
7 not an electronics man, so that eliminates that.

8 SIRHAN: Well, again, you see--I mean I'm anxious to
9 know about it. Again, I say I'm interested to know about a
10 lot of things in life.

11 MURPHY: So are we.

12 JORDAN: The things we are anxious to know, you don't
13 want to talk about.

14 MURPHY: Like who's John Doe.

15 SIRHAN: John Doe's--well, really, if I say who is--
16 who is--who is Mr. Murphy? Mr. Murphy is right here, you
17 know. That's Mr. Murphy.

18 JORDAN: All right, you ask--

19 SIRHAN: --what is--where is the--what is a cup? This
20 is a cup, you know, and really talking about physics, this
21 is it, I'm John Doe. **

22 JORDAN: We recognize the body, Jess, but we--we'd
23 like to--we'd like to know--you'll admit in our society that
24 we all do go by titles in the form of names. Now, you know
25 Mr. Murphy's name, and you know my name.

26 SIRHAN: Yeah.

1 JORDAN: And we don't--we don't know your name, and
2 naturally we want to find out. I mean I'm sure you don't
3 have any doubts that we want to find out who you are. You
4 know that before we sat down here with you.

5 SIRHAN: **

6 MURPHY: Don't you think we're curious about who you
7 are? Huh?

8 SIRHAN: I'm curious about what you're curious about.

9 MURPHY: I'm mainly curious about who you are, where
10 you're from.

11 SIRHAN: **

12 MURPHY: That's really what's got me curious.

13 SIRHAN: You've taken so many prints, really, with all
14 the knowledge we got in this country, you--

15 JORDAN: No, listen--

16 MURPHY: We can't do it just like that. It takes time,
17 you know.

18 JORDAN: A lot--a lot of places have to be checked.

19 SIRHAN: How do you mean?

20 JORDAN: Well,

21 SIRHAN: Well, now you can't--you can't get out of
22 this question. This is--you committed yourself to answer it
23 truthfully and honestly.

24 JORDAN: I will. Look, I'm not sure--I didn't under-
25 stand your question, if you asked me--

26 SIRHAN: --I didn't ask the question, you said something

1 that you know that there is many things that you got to find
2 out.

3 JORDAN: Well, that's right. We took your finger-
4 prints. We checked you locally.

5 SIRHAN: Uh huh.

6 JORDAN: So we know that locally we have no record of
7 you here, right? You know as far as Los Angeles is concerned.
8 At least none that has been ascertained at this point, but
9 the--to check nationally, this is a large country and that
10 takes--even with modern electronic devices, it takes a little
11 while to do it.

12 SIRHAN: About a million of them, or is it more now?

13 JORDAN: Probably more.

14 MURPHY: There's more prints than that.

15 JORDAN: In the period of time we've been talking,
16 there's--it's probably multiplied thousands or--

17 MURPHY: There's a hundred million people here but
18 they're--** about the prints.

19 JORDAN: We'll have to check immigration, so many
20 places, all these Federal agencies, and you know how many
21 Federal agencies there are.

22 SIRHAN: Yeah, a lot of work.

23 JORDAN: That in itself is a--

24 SIRHAN: --lot of work.

25 JORDAN: --staggering figure right there.

26 SIRHAN: ** Well, a job's a job.

1 MURPHY: You see how easy you could cut through that
2 red tape?

3 SIRHAN: How do you mean?

4 MURPHY: Just by telling us who you are. Right there
5 cuts all kinds of red tape.

6 SIRHAN: If--if you must have a bowel movement--excuse
7 the topic again, but you know just for the sake of discussion,
8 if you must have a bowel movement--if I must have a bowel
9 movement--if anyone has--must have a bowel movement, he
10 doesn't excrete where he is right then, you know, say right
11 here. You go to the--to the toilet, no?

12 MURPHY: Uh huh.

13 SIRHAN: So, the same here, you know, you shouldn't
14 want to find out who John Doe is, you know, just like that.
15 (Snaps fingers). You got to walk and find the toilet, no?

16 MURPHY: That's the hard way to do it.

17 SIRHAN: Really--

18 JORDAN: I think--I think--I think I get his message.
19 He wants--he feels we should earn our money and earn our
20 keep as investigators to justify our--our money, right?

21 SIRHAN: I paid a lot of you--I paid, you know, my
22 taxes paid a lot of your wages--yours, too.

23 JORDAN: That's right, and if you pay taxes, you pay--
24 you pay--you help pay our salary.

25 MURPHY: We're sure earning it.

26 (Laughter)

1 SIRHAN: **

2 JORDAN: We got a taxpayer here that wants to be sure
3 he gets his dollar's worth.

4 SIRHAN: You're God damn right. **

5 (Laughter)

6 SIRHAN: It's about time.

7 JORDAN: At least we want you to feel that--that your
8 share of the tax dollar that's going to enforcement in
9 general is being well-spent.

10 SIRHAN: Well, how do you mean by enforcement?

11 JORDAN: Well, police, District Attorney's Office--

12 MURPHY: --enforcing the law.

13 JORDAN: Enforcing the law. You know we have certain
14 laws, and our job is to enforce them, nothing more. The
15 District Attorney's job is to enforce them, nothing more.
16 The District Attorney's job is to prosecute these if we have
17 sufficient evidence; and the judicial, of course, either
18 judges or, you know, presides over the court and lets a jury
19 decide, either one. You understand about--you have court
20 trials and jury trials. I mean you have your choice.

21 SIRHAN: What they call it, speedy and the slow, no?

22 JORDAN: Well, that's---that's one way of putting it,
23 I guess.

24 MURPHY: Well, did you understand our system of justice?

25 SIRHAN: Well,--hello, Frank, how are you?

26 FOSTER: Pretty good. Can I see you for a minute?

1 MURPHY: Are you familiar with our system of justice?
2 How it operates?

3 SIRHAN: Well, you're implying something there.

4 MURPHY: No, I'm not.

5 SIRHAN: Well, sure, are you familiar with our system?
6 Why are you ostracizing me?

7 MURPHY: I'm not ostracizing you.

8 SIRHAN: **

9 JORDAN: All right, if I say--what do you want me to
10 say? Our system wouldn't that include you and I?

11 SIRHAN: No, I understood it's--I felt that I was
12 ostracized with, you know, outside your--our--and--

13 MURPHY: Well, I've--I've ran across lots of people
14 that no doubt whether they were born and raised in this
15 country were not familiar with the way the justice operates
16 here.

17 SIRHAN: They had tough luck.

18 MURPHY: The court system--

19 SIRHAN: --they had tough luck, the court system.

20 MURPHY: I've had a lot of people say to me, all right
21 now--say they are in custody for some charge, what's going
22 to happen now? What happens to me now? Then you have to
23 tell them.

24 SIRHAN: Yeah.

25 MURPHY: First of all we file a complaint. Then you
26 will be arraigned. Then you will have a preliminary hearing.

1 Then you will be arraigned in Superior Court. Then you will
2 have a trial in Superior Court, and these are things that a
3 lot of people are not familiar with. And they ask that
4 question a lot of times. I have had that asked me lots of
5 times. What's going to happen?

6 SIRHAN: Let me ask you--

7 MURPHY: When do I got to court?

8 SIRHAN: Let me ask you the same question.

9 MURPHY: Yeah.

10 SIRHAN: What's going to happen to me?

11 MURPHY: What's going to happen to you? You're going
12 to be arraigned within the next day or so in a Municipal
13 Court. Charges will be read to you. That's when you will
14 be asked, is this your true name, John Doe, which you will
15 have to answer; and then a date will be set for your
16 preliminary hearing, then if you're held to answer at a
17 preliminary hearing, then you will be arraigned in Superior
18 Court, and then within 60 days after your arraignment in
19 Superior Court you'll be tried. Now, the only other
20 alternative would be if the case were taken to the Grand Jury.

21 SIRHAN: What is that?

22 MURPHY: And you were indicted, then you wouldn't
23 have a preliminary hearing. After you are indicted by the
24 Grand Jury, you would be taken into Superior Court and be
25 arraigned on the indictment and then a trial date would be
26 set in Superior Court within 60 days.

1 SIRHAN: Right.

2 MURPHY: There may be a preliminary hearing, and there
3 might be an indictment in front of a Grand Jury, depends
4 upon what the District Attorney decides to do.

5 SIRHAN: That's your job, huh?

6 MURPHY: Not my job. I am an investigator.

7 SIRHAN: Yeah, but you know, your recommendation, huh?

8 MURPHY: Well, Mr. Howard's recommendation. He's a
9 Deputy District Attorney. He might take the case himself.
10 I'm not saying. And he may decide to take it to the Grand
11 Jury; he might just file a complaint. You either have an
12 information or an indictment. Information is a complaint;
13 an indictment is handed down by the Grand Jury. And any time
14 in these proceedings, an individual can plea. If you plead
15 guilty, you cut down some of the time.

16 SIRHAN: Oh, really?

17 MURPHY: If you choose to plead not guilty, then you
18 go through the regular routine and wind up in court, and you
19 wind up in Superior Court, and you get a choice of a court
20 trial or a jury trial which again is strictly up to you,
21 whatever you or your counsel decides. And in all these
22 proceedings, you're going to have an attorney present.

23 SIRHAN: Oh, why is that?

24 MURPHY: Because that's the way the law operates. You
25 have to be represented by counsel.

26 SIRHAN: Why can't he defend himself a priori? That's

1 part of the law, too.

2 MURPHY: Pro per.

3 SIRHAN: Pro per, forgive me.

4 MURPHY: The court has to be satisfied in their own
5 mind--in the judge's mind, if you are qualified to represent
6 yourself pro per.

7 SIRHAN: Where did the big guy that defended himself
8 pro per and fired his attorney and all that ** that was awhile
9 back?

10 MURPHY: Oh, it happens every once in awhile.

11 SIRHAN: Oh, that guy--

12 MURPHY: What kind of a case was it?

13 SIRHAN: I don't remember.

14 MURPHY: There are very few that really defend them-
15 selves pro per. Very, very few.

16 SIRHAN: Why--why's that? I mean--

17 MURPHY: --obviously the judge--

18 SIRHAN: --Kirschke wanted to defend himself.

19 MURPHY: Well, Kirschke was an attorney, though. That's
20 a little bit different. He's qualified to defend himself
21 pro per because he's a lawyer by profession; but the courts
22 don't like to let an individual defend themselves pro per
23 because it goes up on appeal after conviction, and a lot of
24 times it's reversed and sent back for a new trial due to
25 lack of defense, and it just means doing the same thing all
26 over again.

1 SIRHAN: What do you mean doing the same thing over
2 again?

3 MURPHY: Well, you have to go through the whole trial
4 all over again.

5 SIRHAN: If I defended my--if one is defended pro per--
6 there he is.

7 JORDAN: You know, I think you look at me with
8 anticipation each time.

9 SIRHAN: No, I look at you with expectation.

10 JORDAN: Expectation.

11 SIRHAN: Something good.

12 JORDAN: Couldn't you think of anything more interesting
13 this time?

14 SIRHAN: **

15 JORDAN: Okay, let me just have you try this on for
16 size. See how you like this. We've been through Jesse--

17 SIRHAN: Oh, my new clothing, you mean.

18 JORDAN: No, no. No, temporarily you are stuck with
19 that. You have been through Jesse; you have been through
20 John. What about Robert Gene Gendroz or Jendroz?

21 SIRHAN: Hell, that's a good name. Jendroz.

22 JORDAN: I think--I think we're in pay dirt now.
23 Roberto or Bob?

24 SIRHAN: That's a nice name.

25 JORDAN: It's a nice name, and your car?

26 SIRHAN: Cadillac?

1 JORDAN: No.

2 SIRHAN: Rolls Royce?

3 JORDAN: Not--you're not far off. You're in the same
4 general area.

5 (Laughter)

6 JORDAN: How about a Chrysler?

7 SIRHAN: Beautiful.

8 JORDAN: Beautiful. Nothing wrong with a Chrysler,
9 is there?

10 SIRHAN: **

11 JORDAN: How about 2921 Briar Knoll Drive?

12 SIRHAN: In the moon?

13 JORDAN: Huh?

14 SIRHAN: On the moon?

15 JORDAN: Well, now, you--you're a taxpayer. You pay
16 a lot--and I'll agree if you live there, that you do pay a
17 lot of taxes.

18 SIRHAN: Check me out.

19 JORDAN: So I--no, I mean--

20 SIRHAN: I challenge that. I challenge that. Check
21 me out.

22 MURPHY: Where is that?

23 JORDAN: It's out off Mulholland.

24 SIRHAN: Where's Mulholland?

25 JORDAN: Come on now, you've been real good up to now,
26 but I think you're--I'm going to charge you with overacting

1 a little bit,

2 MURPHY: Briar Knoll is off of Mulholland?

3 JORDAN: Yeah, I'm not sure how--how far out. That is,
4 I know it is out off Mulholland, but that's about as far as
5 I can go. I'm not sure if--it's out this side of Beverly
6 Hills up behind Hollywood, or whether it's out--it's out
7 further.

8 SIRHAN: Mulholland, there was a hell of a civic
9 leader in his days, wasn't it?

10 JORDAN: Yeah, yeah, he's one of the old timers that--

11 SIRHAN: --wasn't he the founder of the water project?
12 Wasn't it, or wasn't he?

13 JORDAN: Yeah.

14 MURPHY: Father of water.

15 SIRHAN: That's where I read it one time in Griffith
16 Park there's a little--

17 MURPHY: --fountain?

18 SIRHAN: Fire--fountain, or whatever it is.

19 JORDAN: This guy misses nothing, you know. I tell you
20 he'd be a hell of a partner to have. You wouldn't miss
21 anything. You wouldn't have to worry about missing anything.

22 MURPHY: Well, did he hit the jackpot there?

23 SIRHAN: How do you mean?

24 MURPHY: Mr. Jendroz. I thought you were--you meant--
25 I thought you meant you--you were from around there, implied
26 or meant Mulholland instead of Jen--Jen--Jen what?

1 JORDAN: G-e-n-d-r-o-z. Now, my pronunciation is
2 undoubtedly horrible so--**

3 MURPHY: ** Your pronunciation of it was pretty good.

4 SIRHAN: Gen something, maybe Jesse? Gen--Gen Jesse?

5 JORDAN: No, no, like I say, we have to try things on
6 for size, but--

7 SIRHAN: Right.

8 JORDAN: --Robert Gen--

9 SIRHAN: Right now they're pretty big.

10 JORDAN: Gendroz, that's true. Those--I'll have to
11 admit we didn't score well with you there.

12 MURPHY: Is there anybody up at that address that is
13 going to be disturbed?

14 SIRHAN: I'm sure somebody. I'm sure somebody lives
15 there. I'm sure.

16 MURPHY: **

17 JORDAN: What about this '58 Chrysler, Bob? Huh? Do
18 you know anything about a '58 Chrysler?

19 SIRHAN: Did you just give me a new name?

20 JORDAN: Well, I'm sorry. I--Robert. Bob is a short
21 for Robert. Roberto, would that be better?

22 SIRHAN: No, no, I thought we were going by--no, John,
23 then we changed it to--

24 JORDAN: We tried Jesse. You didn't like Jesse, so
25 now we're going to try Robert for awhile, and that seems
26 awful formal as well as we know each other by now I thought

1 I could cut that to Bob.

2 SIRHAN: Sure, fine.

3 JORDAN: Without being presumptuous.

4 SIRHAN: If that's my new name, fine.

5 JORDAN: Well, if you were named Robert, would you
6 mind if I called you Bob?

7 SIRHAN: Not the least bit.

8 JORDAN: Okay.

9 MURPHY: Do you drive a '58 Chrysler?

10 SIRHAN: Do I drive one? I can drive any car you want
11 to put me in.

12 MURPHY: Do you drive a '58 Chrysler?

13 SIRHAN: How do you mean?

14 MURPHY: Do you have access to a '58 Chrysler?

15 SIRHAN: I can have access to any car I want, really.

16 JORDAN: Have you driven one let's say in the last
17 12 hours?

18 SIRHAN: A--that make of a car? I don't really know.
19 I don't remember. I don't know.

20 JORDAN: You being truthful with me now? Because you--
21 you've been very truthful--

22 SIRHAN: I--I swear to God--I swear to God on that.

23 JORDAN: --when I come--when I come to something--

24 SIRHAN: I'll swear to God on that. I'll swear to God
25 on that.

26 JORDAN: Okay.

MURPHY: But you don't remember it? **

1 JORDAN: Because he's been very truthful. He just--
2 he wouldn't answer me. If I--if he doesn't like the question,
3 he won't answer me, but he's truthful when he does answer,
4 I'll say that. Starting to--starting to come in a little
5 bit?

6 SIRHAN: Wonderful. The mystery is beginning to unfold
7 now, huh?

8 JORDAN: Now, listen--

9 MURPHY: --pieces are all starting to fit together.

10 SIRHAN: Right.

11 JORDAN: Did you ever work a jigsaw puzzle, Bob?

12 SIRHAN: You know that always puzzled me, Mr. Jordan.
13 A puzzle, really, a jigsaw puzzle. If I can't do it fast
14 enough, a--you know, if I can't grasp the whole picture after
15 awhile of trying, you know, to--to match it, I give up.

16 JORDAN: But you can understand the philosophy **
17 Yeah, that's right.

18 SIRHAN: Well, depends.

19 MURPHY: ** never make it.

20 SIRHAN: I could always read a good mystery story.

21 MURPHY: We don't work the way they write those books.

22 JORDAN: It sounds like fun that way, but--

23 MURPHY: It's like watching it on television. They
24 solve these cases in a half hour.

25 SIRHAN: Huh?

26 MURPHY: They solve these cases on television in a half

1 hour. You can't quite do it.

2 SIRHAN: Well, you are a man who has experience to--

3 MURPHY: Look, look, how many hours we've been trying
4 to find out who the hell you are.

5 SIRHAN: Who the hell am I?

6 JORDAN: Well, we're not sure.

7 SIRHAN: **

8 JORDAN: But at this point we're--

9 SIRHAN: Jordan? Make it Roberto Jordan?

10 MURPHY: I'm going to call you Mr. Gendroz.

11 SIRHAN: Are you going to be--am I going to be your
12 adopted son, eh?

13 JORDAN: Hell, I may have to adopt you to put a name
14 with you here if I get desperate enough.

15 SIRHAN: Well, you're a hell of a man, sir.

16 JORDAN: Well, if--if we haven't ID'd you, Robert, and
17 there's a good chance there could be a mixup here. At least
18 one thing I'm--I'm fairly sure of now is that you were
19 driving a '58 Chrysler tonight. I have a little more than
20 just speculation there. If you say you don't--that you don't
21 know--

22 SIRHAN: ** If you say something, back up.

23 JORDAN: Well, in this case there's no secret. I'm not
24 giving away any--any big secret. You had the key to the car.

25 SIRHAN: All right. If you want to put it that way,
26 fine.

1 JORDAN: Well, now, you asked me.

2 SIRHAN: Do you have any keys to a car?

3 MURPHY: To my car.

4 JORDAN: These were keys to a particular car.

5 SIRHAN: I--I agree. Well, sir, every key is to--to
6 a particular lock.

7 JORDAN: That's right. So that's why I've been asking
8 you, and Mr. Murphy has been asking you, about a '58
9 Chrysler and if you still--

10 SIRHAN: A--a--a--a--

11 JORDAN: No, no, I was going to say, you--you still
12 don't remember what--

13 SIRHAN: --did you say a--you used the wrong vowel
14 there the first time.

15 MURPHY: It sounded like he said stole.

16 JORDAN: No, no, I--

17 SIRHAN: You're a good investigator, Mr. Murphy.

18 JORDAN: Well, you're both investigators, but if it
19 came out that way, you were jumping the gun. Stole hadn't
20 entered my mind at all until it was just brought up. My
21 first statement was merely that you still don't remember
22 what kind of car you were driving. If you say you don't,
23 I believe you.

24 SIRHAN: Well, really, I think my first--my original
25 stand with regards to that question--

26 JORDAN: Okay.

1 SIRHAN: --of being a particular question.

2 JORDAN: Okay, that's fair enough.

3 MURPHY: We're getting closer to it, aren't we? Huh?

4 SIRHAN: That's a presumption, a good presumption,
5 (Laughter)

6 SIRHAN: How did you know I had a '58 Chrysler? The
7 key? Beautiful.

8 JORDAN: Well, listen, now you're a taxpayer. Now,
9 wouldn't you be disappointed if we--

10 SIRHAN: Sure, sure.

11 JORDAN: --if we didn't come up a little bit for you?

12 SIRHAN: You're God damn right.

13 JORDAN: It's like Mr. Murphy was telling you. We're
14 slow but--

15 SIRHAN: Slowly but surely, you're driving there.

16 JORDAN: --but we get there.

17 SIRHAN: You get there.

18 JORDAN: Get there. I wish we could do as he said
19 like they do on television. ** We'd never--we'd never get
20 a sponsor.

21 SIRHAN: You know, you just can't take shit like that
22 and leave it. You got to go where it belongs, you know,
23 you just got to leave it where it belongs, not--not in--in
24 the wrong place, no? So do I, too.

25 JORDAN: Amen! I'll agree with you. What about Mr.
26 Chavez? Does that name mean anything to you?

1 SIRHAN: Chavez. Nice sounding name.

2 JORDAN: I agree. It's a--

3 SIRHAN: **

4 JORDAN: He probably does. Mr.--I could pinpoint it
5 a little bit for you, and Mr. Chavez, what was it? Do you
6 remember--did you read by any chance about the--the strikes
7 up in Delano, and so forth, where they were, I believe--
8 I'm not that familiar with it.

9 MURPHY: Farm workers.

10 JORDAN: Underpaying the farm workers. Mr. Chavez,
11 I'm referring to, is quite active in that--in that area.
12 If you read about the incident, I'm just trying to give you
13 a point of reference on it.

14 MURPHY: Caesar Chavez.

15 SIRHAN: Caesar. Man--man, that's a good name.

16 JORDAN: You like Caesar, too? I knew you would.

17 SIRHAN: ** Everybody--everyone's name is beautiful
18 sounding to me.

19 JORDAN: Well, no, I don't think some names--

20 SIRHAN: Don't you like Jordan? Really? Well--

21 JORDAN: It grows on you.

22 SIRHAN: How were you named Jordan, if I may be personal
23 enough to ask that?

24 JORDAN: Why was it? That's my lastname. That's my
25 family's name. I didn't have any choice. I didn't pick it
26 out. They brought me into the world, slapped me on the

1 behind and said, "You are now Jordan."

2 SIRHAN: You're Jordan.

3 JORDAN: That's right, so I didn't have--you didn't
4 have any choice.

5 SIRHAN: No, I guess not.

6 JORDAN: I guess if--now some people legally change
7 their names, so then you can say you had a choice, but--

8 SIRHAN: --have you ever done that, Mr. Murphy?

9 MURPHY: What?

10 SIRHAN: Legally changed your name?

11 MURPHY: Not me. Think I'd change a name like Murphy?

12 JORDAN: Who? Murphy?

13 MURPHY: Huh?

14 JORDAN: You must not know Irishmen.

15 MURPHY: There's two kinds of people in the world, the
16 Irish and those that wish they were. Huh?

17 SIRHAN: If I wished I were, what kind of a person
18 would I be?

19 MURPHY: You'd have a lot of class.

20 SIRHAN: Beautiful. In other words, all the people
21 who wished they were are just dogs then?

22 MURPHY: No, they're just unfortunate.

23 SIRHAN: **

24 MURPHY: Is your ankle bothering you?

25 SIRHAN: Very much so.

26 MURPHY: Is it?

1 SIRHAN: They'll take some X rays as soon as the
2 facilities are open. I'll see if I **

3 MURPHY: It's swelling up now.

4 JORDAN: Oh, yeah, you'd never believe this, but I've
5 had a few of those playing football, and they are painful.

6 SIRHAN: Yeah, a lot of pain.

7 JORDAN: They are very painful.

8 MURPHY: Does your knee hurt, too? Is that popped up?
9 Pull up your pants **

10 JORDAN: He probably wrenched it, a twist, and the
11 ligaments were--

12 SIRHAN: They're looking at you, eh?

13 JORDAN: No, there is a place for that, but there is
14 nobody there as far as I know. See, after all, what's there
15 to gain?

16 SIRHAN: Well, well, if there was nothing to gain,
17 why would you have it there?

18 JORDAN: No, no, no, I'm not saying it isn't used
19 periodically. I'm just telling you right--right now--

20 MURPHY: --showup.

21 JORDAN: --to my knowledge there's nobody out there
22 because I'm sure we'd know about it if there was. It is
23 used for that. I mean now when you walked over there and
24 looked at yourself in the mirror, now you walked over there
25 to examine the mirror?

26 SIRHAN: No, frankly, I--it's the first time I've seen

1 these--

2 JORDAN: Oh, I see.

3 SIRHAN: --two-way mirrors.

4 JORDAN: Would you like to talk about the car?

5 SIRHAN: I'll talk about any cars.

6 JORDAN: Well, I'm--would you care to talk about the
7 '58 Chrysler?

8 SIRHAN: Shoot.

9 JORDAN: Well, whose car is it?

10 SIRHAN: Somebody's, I guess. You know, somebody owns
11 a '58 Chrysler around here. Somebody owns one.

12 JORDAN: I'm sure they do.

13 SIRHAN: **

14 JORDAN: You don't want to tell me what you know about
15 it? That's all. Just say no, I'm not going to pressure.

16 SIRHAN: I honestly--honestly don't know anything
17 about a '58 Chrysler or any Chrysler, and you may take me
18 all the way.

19 JORDAN: Well, if you say you don't know about a '58
20 Chrysler, knowing how sharply you define, I--I believe you,
21 a--

22 SIRHAN: No, it is not how sharply I define, being an
23 investigator so you have to be sharp. You have to define
24 everything sharply, you know, you can't just assume things
25 and--and rough edge everything. You know, you got to clear
26 cut, no?

1 JORDAN: Have you driven any car within the last 12
2 hours?

3 SIRHAN: You're repeating the question, sir. Please
4 don't.

5 JORDAN: I'm sorry. You did refuse to answer, and I
6 apologize. I'm not trying to force those--force those down
7 you. You did refuse, so strike the question. How's that?

8 SIRHAN: How does the court say--the judge say when
9 they say--

10 MURPHY: He orders it stricken.

11 SIRHAN: Stricken, right. Stricken.

12 JORDAN: What about this address on Briar Knoll Drive?
13 Do you know anybody that lives on Briar Knoll Drive?

14 SIRHAN: Somebody does.

15 JORDAN: Well--

16 MURPHY: Does anybody there know you?

17 SIRHAN: Possibly. I don't really know.

18 MURPHY: If somebody went up there at 5:30 in the
19 morning, would they disturb anybody that was close to you?

20 SIRHAN: If whoever was close to me was there.

21 MURPHY: Or would you rather we waited 'til about
22 eight o'clock in the morning to go there?

23 SIRHAN: Go there any time you wish, sir.

24 MURPHY: Huh?

25 SIRHAN: Go any time you wish there, you have the
26 authority.

1 JORDAN: No, we don't want to abuse that. When you
2 say you have authority, you shouldn't abuse it.

3 SIRHAN: Oh, but it's often done.

4 MURPHY: Why wake up somebody at 5:30 in the morning
5 when we could wait until seven o'clock when they got up?

6 SIRHAN: Well, that's your prerogative, you know,
7 whatever is more convenient to both people, to both parties.

8 JORDAN: Well, we don't know what's convenient to the
9 other party. That's why we're asking you.

10 MURPHY: That's why we're asking you. We'd like to
11 do what is convenient for you.

12 SIRHAN: ** You're very thoughtful. At least you give
13 the impression of being.

14 MURPHY: We're not mad at you.

15 SIRHAN: Neither am I mad at you.

16 MURPHY: Okay.

17 JORDAN: We're not--listen, for the moment, Robert,
18 Bob--

19 SIRHAN: --Jesse and John.

20 JORDAN: No, no, we'll try this for awhile.

21 SIRHAN: Fine. Fine.

22 JORDAN: You know just like the blind man, we feel
23 our way around,

24 SIRHAN: Right. Right.

25 JORDAN: We feel our way along. We feel our way along
26 slow.

1 SIRHAN: Right, right, right.

2 JORDAN: Well, whatever else we do, nobody is trying
3 to trick you. I mean, you--we are policemen. You are in
4 here as a suspect, and we are attempting to get information
5 from you. I mean--you know that, and we know that. We're
6 not trying to--any subterfuge.

7 SIRHAN: That's right.

8 JORDAN: Right. I mean we're laying our cards on the
9 table as we get them.

10 SIRHAN: As you get them. One of--beautifully said,
11 sir--beautifully put.

12 MURPHY: Little by little.

13 SIRHAN: Right. Right. As the Chinese say, when you
14 got a big rock, sir, and you want to have it erode, you
15 know, you can--you can run a stream of water on it and it
16 erodes faster. But if you just trickle drop by drop,
17 eventually it will--it will melt or erode something, you
18 know.

19 JORDAN: That's supposed to be one of the most famous
20 tortures of all times.

21 SIRHAN: I thought Confucious came up with something
22 like that.

23 MURPHY: ** done a lot of reading.

24 JORDAN: **

25 SIRHAN: Oh, hell, any grammar book will tell you that.
26 Any grammar school book will.

1 JORDAN: Possibly so, but I dare say if we lined up a
2 hundred thousand people out here, if we were capable of it,
3 we wouldn't find too many that would remember it.

4 SIRHAN: Oh, hell, you're giving me too much credit.

5 JORDAN: No, I don't give you too much credit. There's
6 one thing we do is talk to a lot of people now. You give
7 us the benefit of the doubt there that we do talk to a lot
8 of people.

9 SIRHAN: Well, right. I have to take you at a--

10 JORDAN: --say in a career, mine is short, like 15
11 years.

12 SIRHAN: This thing here is bothering me ** this--this
13 ventilation.

14 JORDAN: Air conditioning?

15 SIRHAN: Whatever it is.

16 MURPHY: Sit over here.

17 JORDAN: What's it--feel drafty?

18 MURPHY: Yeah. Oh, yeah, you can really feel it from
19 here.

20 JORDAN: One thing we haven't done well by you, I'll
21 have to admit, our tailor hasn't done justice to you. That
22 is not your size. I'll go for that.

23 MURPHY: They don't have that jail clothes around here
24 any more, because they don't have any trustees any more,
25 do they?

26 JORDAN: That's right, but he does--he's got a

1 ridiculously small waist.

2 MURPHY: Yeah.

3 JORDAN: And I don't think they've seen anybody--

4 SIRHAN: Really?

5 JORDAN: Yeah, they keep--they stick pretty much to
6 the norm, the average, you know. They don't--

7 MURPHY: --what do you weigh, about 120?

8 JORDAN: Hey, now, I made a guess. We were all guessing
9 your weight out there. Now, I said--now I said 107. Who
10 is the closest?

11 SIRHAN: ** you were the least, and one of the boys in
12 your room estimated 50.

13 JORDAN: 150.

14 SIRHAN: It could be any one of those. I honestly
15 don't know exactly.

16 JORDAN: Well, I'm sure it's not 150.

17 SIRHAN: I'm sure of that myself, too. I don't feel
18 150. But exactly how much?

19 JORDAN: You really don't know?

20 SIRHAN: To the ounce or to the exact pound, I don't
21 know.

22 JORDAN: Have you been examined by a doctor recently
23 at all?

24 SIRHAN: By your man.

25 MURPHY: **

26 JORDAN: Well, very good, Bob, prior to your meeting

1 with him, have you been examined by a doctor, oh, say in
2 the last three to six months?

3 SIRHAN: I don't really know. I--I never had the
4 occasion to. I don't--well, what would you want to go to
5 a doctor for?

6 JORDAN: No, I don't--I don't know. I'm not saying
7 you had to go. I was just curious if you had been examined.
8 Usually they, you know, take your--they measure you and
9 take your weight and stuff like that, and I thought if you
10 had been examined, why it might refresh your memory as to
11 what you weigh. That's all.

12 SIRHAN: Well, I could maybe say, you know, rough
13 guess, maybe 120, you know, you estimated 7? 107? Or 117?

14 JORDAN: No, I--I'd like to fib and say 117, but I--I
15 said--I said 107 because you looked like you've lost--have
16 you lost any weight recently? I mean recently.

17 SIRHAN: Really, maybe, you know it fluctuates.

18 JORDAN: You know, you just--I go--I go through this.
19 I go up, I go down.

20 SIRHAN: Maybe if Mr. Murphy took a strong dose of
21 laxative.

22 JORDAN: Careful now.

23 (Laughter)

24 SIRHAN: It's true. I mean--I mean that in good
25 gesture, no kidding. You know, boy, he would lose four or
26 five pounds--maybe six or seven.

1 JORDAN: You know some people could say the implication
2 was there that Mr. Murphy might have an over--be overly
3 supplied with defecation or something? You know,

4 SIRHAN: No, no, well, whatever it is that keeps his
5 guts--really, I'm--I'm open, you know. I explained that,
6 and he can take it whichever way he wants or however way
7 he wants. I expressed it, and I meant it in good faith.
8 You know, I mean I don't know how he would respond to it.

9 JORDAN: Murph and I both are used to things about
10 weight. Neither one of us get too excited about this,

11 MURPHY: You sure you're not hungry?

12 SIRHAN: No.

13 MURPHY: We got to make that clear now that you're not
14 hungry.

15 SIRHAN: Do you want to dissect my guts?

16 MURPHY: No.

17 JORDAN: No, no, no, we just want to be sure that if--
18 like I told you--

19 MURPHY: For the record if you've been offered food,

20 SIRHAN: I--I'll never deny that.

21 MURPHY: Yeah.

22 SIRHAN: I'll never deny that.

23 JORDAN: Now, I was going to say if you were hungry
24 but you were fearful of food--

25 SIRHAN: --no, no, no.

26 JORDAN: I'd be glad to--

1 SIRHAN: Please, please don't--don't misunderstand
2 me.

3 JORDAN: Okay.

4 SIRHAN: If I were hungry, I would holler.

5 JORDAN: Do you know anybody named Robert Gene Gendroz,
6 Jendroz, whatever it is?

7 SIRHAN: ** Robert, Robert--I know a Robert, maybe
8 James. I went to school with many James's.

9 JORDAN: Well, specifically does--do those three names
10 together ring a bell with you as anybody you know or have
11 met?

12 SIRHAN: I honestly don't know. I don't think so. I
13 might meet in the future. I might never, you know, or I
14 might have met him, you know, but forgot that I meet him.

15 JORDAN: I doubt--I doubt if you have forgotten too
16 many meetings in your life.

17 SIRHAN: Now, why do you say that?

18 JORDAN: Well, just because you don't strike me as the
19 kind of person that forgets.

20 SIRHAN: Well, I don't forget. I don't forget.

21 MURPHY: No, you're not too forgetful.

22 SIRHAN: Why?

23 MURPHY: You're too intelligent.

24 JORDAN: Don't give us--don't give us modesty now.

25 SIRHAN: You going to give me a psychology test or a--
26 a ** test?

1 JORDAN: We don't have to.

2 SIRHAN: You don't have to, oh, boy.

3 JORDAN: We don't have to.

4 SIRHAN: Keen.

5 JORDAN: Now, you got--you got to go along with us.

6 Give us a little credit, like I say.

7 SIRHAN: No, I **

8 JORDAN: We talked to a lot of people.

9 SIRHAN: ** you're extending a lot of credit there,
10 but really the credit, the guy that, you know, I'm not
11 asking for it.

12 JORDAN: I know you're not asking for it, but you're
13 getting it because your responses--you know, that's the
14 only reason you're being--if I thought you were a dumbbell,
15 by this stage of the game I would probably have told you I
16 thought you were a dumbbell. That's my big problem. I've
17 got a big mouth, and I--I say things sometimes I shouldn't,
18 but--but I don't--you're not a--I--I think you of all
19 people would appreciate this, you're a challenge. You're
20 invigorating. You make--make the job interesting if you--

21 SIRHAN: --make you work a little bit, huh?

22 JORDAN: Right. No, that's--that's good. I got to
23 know what your field of endeavor is, but I'm sure just the
24 little bit I've talked to you that something that just
25 comes in and falls in your lap, you know, you can take it
26 and leave it alone, but something you have to work for,

1 that's challenging, it's interesting to you. Now, I think
2 I'm right.

3 SIRHAN: Well, you know, like I said, you know, if you--
4 if you're going to work at puzzles, you know, it's going
5 to take a long time, you know, piss on 'em.

6 JORDAN: Well, now--see, now, there's--there's where
7 we differ.

8 SIRHAN: ** There you see I could really contradict
9 myself, but that would help.

10 JORDAN: No, no, that's right. We're all there. That's
11 what makes the world go round. You--we're all similar in
12 some areas; we are dissimilar in others. That's--that's
13 fortunately it's that way. For us we have to enjoy putting
14 the puzzle together. Each little piece as it goes into
15 place you have to get a little feeling of satisfaction,
16 and after all, really, that's all this job is. If you ever
17 stopped to analyze it, I know people view us as, oh,
18 various--you know, the fuzz, the police, the cop, and all
19 that.

20 SIRHAN: Super fuzz.

21 JORDAN: Super fuzz. Thank you. But do you know what
22 we are? We're a bunch of mechanics. We try to take facts
23 that are presented to us and fit 'em into the right little
24 spot. I'm not carrying anything. So in a way we're sort
25 of a mechanic, too. In fact, you might say we get paid for
26 doing kid games because we're trying to put puzzles together.

1 SIRHAN: Beautiful. Beautiful.

2 JORDAN: And you're a good puzzle. It's falling into
3 place, but you're a good puzzle.

4 SIRHAN: ** What?

5 JORDAN: Gene--

6 SIRHAN: Oh, Gene.

7 JORDAN: Now, I'm really not sure of the pronunciation.
8 It's G-a-n-d-r-o-z is the way--the way it was indicated to
9 me. Like I say, that I'm not sure of as far as that vehicle
10 now, we're a little more firm ground. I mean I am.
11 Possibly--

12 SIRHAN: Yeah.

13 (Unidentified voice yelling in the background)

14 SIRHAN: What was that?

15 (Voice in background)

16 JORDAN: Probably somebody they brought in that's
17 unhappy.

18 (Voice again in the background)

19 JORDAN: Somebody wants to get the soap off of him.
20 Apparently they probably just gave him a shower and maybe
21 they cut the water off before the soap--who knows.

22 SIRHAN: That's good humanitarianism.

23 JORDAN: Well, we try to give them a shower. There's
24 nothing wrong with that, is there?

25 SIRHAN: They shut the water on me.

26 JORDAN: Huh?

1 SIRHAN: They shut the water on me.

2 JORDAN: You mean they shut it off before you--

3 SIRHAN: --no, no, I was completely washed.

4 JORDAN: Oh, I think that's what he was complaining
5 about because they shut the water off--

6 SIRHAN: --oh, oh, I see.

7 JORDAN: --before he got the soap off.

8 SIRHAN: Oh, oh, that is really irritating. At least
9 I would think so.

10 JORDAN: Yeah, well, when I was in the Pacific in
11 World War II, whenever it rained, you didn't have any fresh
12 water; so whenever it rained, we would rush out and get
13 lathered up and then the ship would run out of the storm,
14 so there you are stuck with all the soap and then you have
15 to go down and take the salt water and wash it off. Very
16 bad. You travel? Have you traveled much? A little
17 momento, a little souvenir from my younger days.

18 SIRHAN: Well, not from the 15 years?

19 JORDAN: Oh, no, no, no, this was service to God and
20 Country, or whatever you want to call it.

21 SIRHAN: Beautiful.

22 JORDAN: Mom's old apple pie and all that stuff. Do
23 you travel much, or have you?

24 SIRHAN: Oh, if I had the means.

25 JORDAN: No, I didn't say would you; I said have you
26 traveled much.

1 SIRHAN: **

2 JORDAN: I don't think that's--if you do, of course,
3 you're the--

4 SIRHAN: I like to travel. I watch all kinds of travel
5 programs and things.

6 JORDAN: Are you telling me you've never had much
7 opportunity yourself, or would you rather not tell me? Like
8 I said, if I'm getting in an area that you don't want to
9 talk about--

10 SIRHAN: ** Really, I don't see--travel, see, if I
11 had the money, I would love to travel. But I don't have any
12 so naturally you can't--you can't do it. Really, what do
13 you think? Have you traveled?

14 JORDAN: Some, but usually with Uncle Sam paying the
15 expenses, and that isn't the most luxurious way to travel,
16 and you don't get to pick your destination. So that's about--
17 I've traveled a little bit within the country and like I've
18 been in Mexico a few times, and that's about it. I've saw
19 a lot of islands. They're not as romantic as I was led to
20 believe. But now there are some--

21 SIRHAN: --sounds like a lot of illusion, isn't it?

22 JORDAN: Yeah, but there are some real nice. There
23 are some that I would--I would--

24 SIRHAN: --I would like to go to Hawaii.

25 JORDAN: --I would like to go back--not Hawaii, I
26 bet by now Hawaii is so commercialized--

1 SIRHAN: That was what I was going to say.

2 JORDAN: --that they've ruined what charm it had, but
3 the outer islands, you know, if you're down south or up in
4 the Central Pacific, some of those are pretty.

5 SIRHAN: I wish I were there.

6 JORDAN: We probably both would be happier if we were
7 there. Could I ask you where you were born?

8 SIRHAN: In the world.

9 JORDAN: Well, okay, now you can just tell me--if you
10 would rather not answer, you can just tell me that. I'm
11 not--I mean, you understand I'm trying to pry but I won't
12 if you say no, well, that's--that's as far as I'll go. So
13 are you telling me you're not going to tell me, or you would
14 rather not discuss it, or do you want to play 20 questions?

15 SIRHAN: What is that? Is that a new game?

16 JORDAN: No, that's an old game.

17 SIRHAN: **

18 JORDAN: No, that is an old game.

19 SIRHAN: An old trick, huh?

20 JORDAN: No, no,

21 SIRHAN: How does it go?

22 JORDAN: It's not a trick, really. It's kind of a
23 parlor game they give you--

24 (End of one side of the tape)

25 SIRHAN: Can I give you a yes or a no instead of
26 refrain other than seeking a refuge of my--

1 JORDAN: Right, right, which is perfectly permissible.

2 SIRHAN: It's legal and permissible.

3 JORDAN: Right. Have I ever tried to put you down for
4 that?

5 SIRHAN: But just for the tape.

6 JORDAN: Okay.

7 SIRHAN: Do you ever do any censoring on the tape?

8 JORDAN: Censoring?

9 SIRHAN: Yeah.

10 JORDAN: Well---

11 SIRHAN: Anything or something, you know, modify it?

12 JORDAN: If you edit at all, it loses whatever limited
13 value it would have.

14 SIRHAN: Is any of what I am saying, sir, would be used
15 against me in court?

16 JORDAN: If you said anything of an incriminating
17 nature, it could be used against you in court, certainly.
18 Just like that's the reason I advised you of your rights.
19 Anything you say of an incriminating nature could be used
20 against you in court.

21 SIRHAN: **

22 JORDAN: That's right.

23 SIRHAN: Justice, though?

24 JORDAN: Well, we--we want you to understand that
25 before you, you know, and in your case it was easy because
26 you grasp things very easily. Sometimes I have a hard time

1 because I really--I feel that these people should understand
2 before they talk.

3 SIRHAN: You really send them to the slaughter, no?

4 JORDAN: No, no, I don't feel that way. Do you--do you
5 think I send people to the slaughter? I mean--

6 SIRHAN: --well, I--a stereotype, you know, I--
7 generally this is a stereotype ** Every average person
8 regards or has an attitude or--you disagree?

9 JORDAN: Well, I disagree because naturally I'm
10 prejudiced.

11 SIRHAN: Right, right, right.

12 JORDAN: In my own favor both as a human being and as
13 a law enforcement officer. I mean I'd much rather feel
14 that--that I serve people, not that I persecute people. I
15 know you think possibly that Mr. Murphy and I were putting
16 on a little bit when we said--but it give--it gives you a
17 nice feeling to some guy that looks real bad--I know that
18 you're skeptical.

19 SIRHAN: How do you mean?

20 JORDAN: You look like you're skeptical, but to clean
21 some guy--clear some guy that looks real bad, everything
22 looks boom! This guy's dead and nobody believes him--even
23 his family say I don't know how my--any son of mine could
24 have done this sort of thing, and then you--I start digging
25 around, and you come up with stuff and you show that the
26 guy didn't do it. That's a--that's a nice feeling. That's

1 a--that's a reward that nobody can appreciate except you,
2 and if you don't appreciate it, you're missing a lot of
3 this. I'm not getting through to you. But I mean it very
4 sincerely. It's not all that way. Let's face it. We're--
5 we're like any other group, a--everybody has a different
6 outlook and attitude on the job. Some guys want to cut
7 corners. Some guys have to do everything out of the book,
8 and I think no matter what field that you go into, judges,
9 doctors, you have different kinds of people. That's a safe
10 ground there. I think you'd go along with that.

11 SIRHAN: Yes.

12 JORDAN: Could I ask you where you were born in this
13 country? No? So I can save a lot of time. If I were to
14 ask you the proper country you were born in, would you
15 answer me? No? Okay, then, we'll forget it, and we won't
16 talk--we won't play that.

17 SIRHAN: No, I didn't say no, and I didn't say yes.

18 JORDAN: Oh.

19 SIRHAN: You said that no.

20 JORDAN: Well, no, I--I was asking you a question.

21 SIRHAN: I said nothing really.

22 JORDAN: And you--well, you shook your head which to
23 me indicates negative.

24 SIRHAN: Again, that's--that's--

25 JORDAN: Would you answer me? Would you answer me if
26 I--if I asked you were you born in such--let's just say if

1 I asked you if you were born in Ireland in deference to Mr.
2 Murphy, and you had, in fact, been born in Ireland, would
3 you answer me?

4 SIRHAN: I believe--

5 JORDAN: Would you answer me truthfully? Or would you
6 not answer? I--I'll strike that because I think you'd
7 answer me truthfully, but you might not answer the question.

8 SIRHAN: Well, again, again, you're infringing on my
9 first commitment, my first statement. There he is!

10 MURPHY: Hi!

11 SIRHAN: Hi! Refreshed?

12 MURPHY: Yeah.

13 SIRHAN: How many pounds did you lose?

14 MURPHY: Oh, I didn't help myself too much. I think
15 we better let him go back.

16 JORDAN: Yeah. You sure you don't want anything before
17 you go now, to eat?

18 MURPHY: We're going to arraign you in a little while
19 You're going to court. **

20 SIRHAN: Please make sure about my attire.

21 JORDAN: Well, I'm--I'm not sure about--

22 SIRHAN: Well, can I wear my own?

23 JORDAN: A--

24 SIRHAN: Why not? I don't see why.

25 MURPHY: I don't think so. I think they took it and
26 booked it, didn't they?

1 JORDAN: Yeah, I doubt if it's available.

2 SIRHAN: Well, can you buy me some?

3 JORDAN: Well, we'll--we'll def--because they're not
4 going to embarrass you in front of the--

5 SIRHAN: I would like this all fixed up if at all
6 possible.

7 JORDAN: Well, I don't--I don't think we can remove it.

8 SIRHAN: No, but you know.

9 JORDAN: It's--it's--actually, you look very presentable
10 compared to when I first saw you. You're clean; you're neat;
11 your eyes are clear, and if we can get you something that
12 will fit you a little better, why--

13