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Wanted Murderer Found Living in Outskirts

One of America’s most wanted fugitives found living on the outskirts of Cleveland under an assumed name. Cleveland Chief of Police Ken Kennedy made the announcement this morning shortly after the arrest of the accused killer at 8:30 A.M. Shelby Fontaine was living in a Bay Village hotel where she was going by the name Maureen O’Keefe.

Shelby Fontaine was added to the FBI’s ten most wanted fugitive list after her fingerprints were found on the weapon left behind at the scene of the murder in Shaker Heights Ohio. The Federal agents received an anonymous tip after America’s Most Wanted featured the story of the Green family murders.

The Green family’s bodies were discovered by their maid Maria Thompson on the morning of Saturday July 15, 2010 when she reported for work. All of the victims were found bound and gagged in the living room. All died from an execution style gunshot wound to the back of the head. The motive appeared to be robbery.

The Green family was well established in their community of Shaker Heights, Ohio. The couple worked at the Cleveland Children’s Hospital where Valerie worked as a nurse and Stephen as a Dietician. The children attended Shaker Heights High School. Fifteen year old Leslie participated in the schools drama club. Seventeen year old Christopher played quarterback on the varsity football team. Christopher planned on attending Penn State University, where he received a full scholarship, in the fall.

Shelby Fontaine is being held with no bond at the Cuyahoga County Jail. Her arraignment is scheduled for tomorrow afternoon where she will go in front of the Honorable Judge Harry Stone.