

Deconstructing Bambi

When it comes to discussing the cases of Josef Boehm and Bill Allen, there are dozens of exploited girls and women we could discuss, but one in particular stands out: Bambi Tyree, a striking woman with clear blue eyes and dark hair. In Bambi's Dickensian adolescence, we find one of the greatest tragedies associated with the debauched actions of convicted rapist and pedosadist Josef Boehm and accused pedosadist Bill Allen. Bambi was surrounded by predators on all sides from an early age, first running away from home at 11, then finding herself in McLaughlin Youth Center at age 12, where she met Lisa Moore, a girl three years her senior who would later play a pivotal role in Bambi's life. By age 13, Bambi was out of the youth center and smoking crack with Josef Boehm; she would later testify she first had sex with the prominent Anchorage businessman when she was just 14.



Bambi Tyree

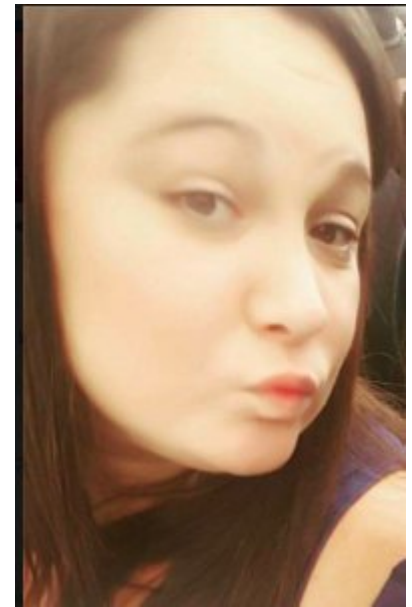
Bambi's involvement with cocaine would stretch beyond her addiction; at age 15, she and her sister Tia, 18, were busted with a combined 11 pounds of cocaine strapped into over-sized girdles after a flight from California. With them was their pimp, a notorious drug trafficker and alleged gang member named Billy Ray Lang, a.k.a. "Freeze." The bust would put Bambi back in McLaughlin, and upon her release, she moved in with Lisa Moore, who was working for Anchorage-based escort service Silk Stockings. It was through her escort work that Moore first met **Bill Allen** (<https://web.archive.org/web/20160415205526/https://unsilencedak.wordpress.com/2016/02/14/1787/>), and the two developed a relationship in which Moore "traded sex" with him in return for "an apartment, money and jewelry" according to reports from Alaska Dispatch News. Soon after Bambi moved in, Lisa Moore introduced her to Allen. Moore would later tell investigators in the Boehm case she thought Allen (who she says abhorred drug use) could help get her "friend" Bambi off of cocaine, but admitted to receiving money from Allen for procuring the young teen (and other friends) for sex—as much as \$500 for each encounter.

According to Moore, Allen soon ended their relationship in order to focus more on Bambi, lavishing the young girl with gifts. One of Bambi's ex-boyfriends, Vincent Blomfield, told police Allen bought Bambi a new Volkswagen Beetle in 1998, although the girl was too young to drive it. The businessman even reportedly paid for her to attend the Trend Setters School of Beauty in Anchorage, with Bambi receiving a student license on August 8, 1998. Amanda Coyne and Tony Hopfinger write in their book *Crude Awakenings* that in a contrived gesture of twisted chivalry, Bill Allen allegedly asked Mark and Cris Tyree, Bambi's parents, for their blessing for him "dating" their daughter—which they are said to have given to the nearly 60-year-old man.

Lisa Moore

Allen's gifts extended beyond Bambi to the entire Tyree family. Blomfield stated that one Christmas, there were gifts from Allen for each member of the household under the tree. Three separate pickup trucks connected to Allen were owned by the Tyree family: a 1994 Ford which was transferred to Mark Tyree from VECO Equipment in 2002, a 1998 Ford similarly transferred to Bambi's brother Anthony in 2006, and

a 2003 truck registered to Anthony Tyree on which Allen is listed as the note holder. Her father, Mark Tyree, a plumber, received lucrative contracts from Allen, including plumbing work and a furnace installation job on Senator Ted Stevens’ cabin in Girdwood. Robert Persons, a friend of Stevens who **testified** (https://web.archive.org/web/20160415205526/http://www.jpscanlan.com/images/Goeke_Response_Exhibits.pdf) in the corruption trial that erupted in 2008 about work done on the cabin described a “relationship intermingled...between Mark Tyree, his very young daughter, and Bill Allen” adding that the nature of the relationship was “stuff [Persons didn’t] want to get into.”



As Bambi transitioned from her teens into her early 20s, she maintained contact with Josef Boehm, although her role seems to have shifted into procuring young girls, much as she had been procured by Lang and Moore when she was a young teen. Court records state Leslie James Williams, Jr. and Allen Keith Bolling (a.k.a. “Foul Al”) would provide Boehm—known as “Joe Millionaire”—with drugs, while Bambi “and other unnamed people would be given drugs and money in exchange for bringing young women over to party with the group.”



Bill Allen, Josef Boehm, Billy Ray Lang

Some time in the late 90s, Bill Allen had his lawyer draw up an affidavit for Bambi Tyree to sign stating the two had never had sex. He allegedly attempted to get Lisa Moore to sign a similar document stating she had never seen or known about the illegal relationship, but Moore says the \$5,000 Allen offered her wasn’t enough to get her to agree. During interviews conducted with Bambi before she went on trial with Boehm, Williams and Bolling, she maintained the affidavit was her idea—a ploy to help Allen stay out of trouble from alleged blackmail from Lisa Moore. But while we readily admit Bambi is a clever woman, we doubt—as investigators did—she had the wherewithal as a teenager to set up a meeting with Allen’s lawyer on her own. In fact, we find Assistant United States Attorney Frank Russo’s notes show that at first he wrote down “at the request of Bill” in regards to the affidavit—only to cross them out some time later and write “Bambi’s idea.”

At the request of [redacted] Bambi's idea



Frank Russo seemed unable to recall exactly why he changed his notes when asked.

Although Moore maintained VECO owner Bill Allen and Alaska Industrial Hardware president Josef Boehm weren't friends, Jim Wendt, a lawyer who represented former state representative Pete Kott at a corruption trial in which Allen was a key witness for the prosecution, painted a different picture of the relationship between the two businessmen. "I do know that I received information that...Mr. Allen was a friend and associate of Mr. Boehm's and that he visited Mr. Boehm's house on Oceanview..." Whether the two men were close friends is debatable, but they did move in the same circles—and if the accusations against Allen are found to be true, it's clear they shared some very dark interests in underage girls.



Josef Boehm's house at 300 Oceanview Drive. One of the **dismembered torsos** (<https://web.archive.org/web/20160415205526/https://unsilencedak.wordpress.com/2015/09/06/the-brutal-murders-of-desiree-lekanoff-and-michelle-rothe/>) found in 2003 was found just 1000 yards from this house. Boehm **claimed knowledge** (<https://web.archive.org/web/20160415205526/https://unsilencedak.wordpress.com/2016/02/26/josef-boehm/>) of the murders.

Richard Maurer, a reporter for what was then the *Anchorage Daily News* said in an article about Bambi, Allen and Boehm, "The record shows a long pattern of involvement with older men." While we respect Maurer for his dogged pursuit of Bill Allen over the years, we do take issue with this description. Bambi Tyree was not simply "involved" with older men, she was repeatedly exploited by them. This is a girl who first ran away from home at 11 years old, and while we don't know the reason or circumstances, Mark and Cris Tyree's later actions in allegedly allowing 59-year-old Bill Allen to exploit their daughter indicates that Bambi's home life was unstable and her parents did not have her best interests at heart.

Bambi Tyree was caught in Josef Boehm's spiderweb of crack addiction and prostitution by the age of 14, and by 15 was being used as a drug mule by a notorious pimp. Her teenage years were spent moving between juvenile hall and places where people like Lisa Moore allegedly sold her to sick men like Bill Allen. That she later began doing the same thing by bringing girls to Josef Boehm isn't at all surprising—it seems Bambi found throwing other victims to the wolves kept them distracted and her safe.

In *Crude Awakenings*, Coyne and Hopfinger describe Bambi's role at Josef Boehm's house as leader of

a *Lord of the Flies* situation. But while such a comparison may seem apt on the surface, to focus only on her crimes would be analogous to picking up the story right after the boys kill Piggy, ignoring the plane crash which put them on the island in the first place. Hers was a life knocked off the rails by the time she was 11, and while that does not excuse the harm she caused, it certainly provides an explanation for it. Cruel men like Josef Boehm and Bill Allen have woven a tapestry of destruction in dozens of lives. There are more men in Alaska just like them who continue to abuse, exploit and destroy the lives of girls and women every day. They are the true enemy, yet too often they are protected by wealth and influence, while their victims are blamed for the debauchery and depravity in which these men delight.

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