

# **AFFIDAVIT OF JESSICA MARKLE**

State of Nevada

County of Clark

I, Jessica Markle, being duly sworn, declare under penalty of perjury as follows:

1. **Identity**

My name is Jessica Markle. I am over 18 years of age and competent to testify. The facts stated herein are based on my personal knowledge.

2. **Date and Incident**

On October 11, 2024, I was the driver of a rented vehicle involved in a serious traffic collision in San Bernardino County, California, near the California–Nevada state line. My husband, Joshua Markle, was a seat-belted passenger.

3. **Severity of the Collision**

The collision was severe. My husband sustained catastrophic injuries and was airlifted by medical helicopter from the scene.

4. **My Medical Condition**

Following the collision, I experienced physical pain and distress, including chest pain, and I repeatedly requested medical transport by ambulance.

5. **Requests for Medical Transport**

I requested ambulance transport multiple times to law enforcement officers and/or emergency personnel at the scene. I was told that I had a choice:

- To be transported immediately by ambulance and leave the vehicle and its contents behind, or
- To ride with the tow truck driver to the tow yard.

6. **Property and Inventory**

At the time of the collision, the vehicle contained a large quantity of valuable personal and business property, including rare numismatic inventory and other items essential to our livelihood.

7. **Concerns About Theft or Loss**

I expressed concern that the property would be stolen or lost if left unattended. I asked whether anyone could guarantee the safety of the property if I left by ambulance. I was told that no such guarantee could be made.

8. **Decision Under Duress**

Because of these circumstances, I rode in the tow

truck with a driver unknown to me to the tow yard in order to attempt to secure the property, despite my medical condition and prior requests for ambulance transport.

9. **Subsequent Transport by Law Enforcement**

After arriving at or near the tow yard, I was later transported by a law enforcement officer and was dropped off at Buffalo Bill's Casino, across state lines in Nevada, without medical transport, without a Nevada Highway Patrol officer present, and without arrangements for further care.

10. **Lack of Medical Care**

At no point was I transported by ambulance from the scene, nor was I provided medical care at the location where I was dropped off.

11. **Aftermath**

I was left to find my own way to obtain assistance and medical attention while in physical distress and in possession of significant personal property.

12. **Truthfulness**

This affidavit is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and recollection.

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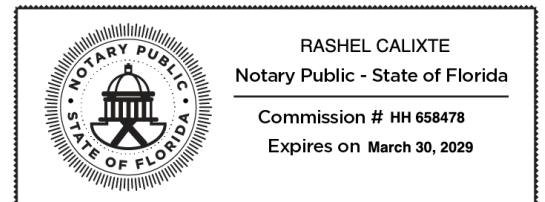
Subscribed and sworn before me on this 7<sup>th</sup> day of  
February, 2026



Notary Public

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My Commission Expires: 03/30/2029



Notarized remotely online using communication technology via Proof.