



Tasha T. Trotter – 25 Years in Prison

For the last three years of his short life four-year-old Joseph Artis lived with his maternal grandmother. His mother Tasha Trotter had a long history of mental health issues and had once abandoned him outside of a hospital which caused custody to be given to her mother. Trotter was still in the boys life although it was usually under supervision.

On the evening of March 28th 2014, when Joseph and his grandmother arrived home Trotter was waiting for them on the porch. She followed them into the house and was noticeably acting strange. Before anyone could react she grabbed a knife, ran into her sons bedroom and began stabbing him in the neck and chest. She then carried the boy outside and waited for police.

When Authorities arrived she laid his body down in the grass and was placed under arrest. The little boy nicknamed turtle, and who loved Spiderman was rushed to the hospital but died less than an hour later.

On April 5th 2014 Joseph "Turtle" Artis was buried in a Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles lined coffin. Tasha Trotter is awaiting trial on first-degree murder charges. Other than her documented mental health issues, her motive remains unknown

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