

Mary Phagan-Kean



Justice for Mary Phagan

Fani T. Willis, Fulton County District Attorney
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Dear District Attorney Willis,

My name is Mary Phagan-Kean, and I am the great-niece of Little Mary Phagan, who, at the age of 13, was brutally raped and murdered by an Atlanta B'nai B'rith leader named Leo Frank on April 26, 1913.

The Phagan Family filed an open records request with Fulton County Open Records Center on May 16, 2019, concerning the formation of the Office of the Fulton County District Attorney Conviction Integrity Unity (CIU) and filed an open records request with the University of Georgia on September 27, 2019, concerning former Governor Roy Barnes; Rabbi Steven Lebow of Temple Kol Emeth; Allison Padilla-Goodman, director of Anti-Defamation League-Southeast; Jerry Klinger, president of the Jewish American Society for Historic Preservation; and others who organized and made public remarks stating they would file "an extraordinary motion for new trial" for Leo Frank.

According to your website this CIU *"will review cases with new factual, physical, or forensic evidence. In addition, the unit will review cases in which there is relevant evidence that went untested at the time of trial or any other new evidence that suggests that a person was convicted wrongfully."*

The CIU, established under your predecessor Mr. Paul Howard in 2019, was not transparent, as it claimed to be. The Phagan Family was not contacted and DA Howard refused to acknowledge the Phagan Family. Obviously, it was set up for one single goal: to "legally" clear Leo Frank of his murder conviction, and to pin his crime on a Black Man, James Conley. And this they intended to do having absolutely NO "new factual, physical, or forensic evidence."

Ms. Willis, when you took office you were quoted thus:

"Cases won't be for sale under my administration. Not for an endorsement, not for money, not for anything....You have my word, during my tenure as district attorney in Fulton County, we will become a beacon for justice and ethics in Georgia and across the nation."

The Phagan family insists that these principles be applied to the Leo Frank Case, because it appears to us that efforts are being made *behind the scenes* to undermine your words.

Representatives of Mary Phagan—the victim’s family—would like to meet with you at your earliest convenience to discuss the Phagan position in this matter. We have overwhelming evidence of Frank’s guilt, and we **VEHEMENTLY OPPOSE** any official body attempting to exonerate Leo Frank. I am offering my book ***The Murder of Little Mary Phagan***, which you can download on my website littlemaryphagan.com. I have also enclosed two copies of the Nation of Islam’s 536-page book titled ***The Secret Relationship Between Black and Jews, Vol. 3: The Leo Frank Case; The Lynching of a Guilty Man***, which provides a massive amount of well-documented, irrefutable evidence of Leo Frank’s guilt and exposes his attempts to frame two Black men. It also details the extraordinary racism of Leo Frank and his defense team, including their calling Blacks the n-word *even in court* (their defense was “White Privilege”), among other racist insults. It documents how Leo Frank and his operatives planted evidence and engaged in multiple illegal acts including bribery and subornation of perjury; they even attempted to poison a Black witness.

Please be aware that Minister Louis Farrakhan’s attorneys sent a letter and a book to former DA Howard when he was being pressured to exonerate Leo Frank. At the Conviction Integrity Unit press conference on April 26, 2019 (anniversary of the murder of Little Mary Phagan), it was obvious that Mr. Howard had read the Nation of Islam research and that he was clearly affected by it.

Facts are not hateful but lies and myths are in fact the enemy of truth. I look forward to meeting with you at your earliest convenience. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mary Phagan-Kean

Mary Phagan-Kean,
Great-niece, namesake of murder victim Little Mary Phagan

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