

Henry Lee Lucas

“The Confession Killer”



Overview

Pre-Confessions

Confessions

Time in Custody

Texas Rangers Impact

Inconsistencies and Innocence

Psychological Factors



Pre-Confessions*

Child Abuse

Poverty

Relatively Low IQ

*Murder of His Mother

Confessions in 1963



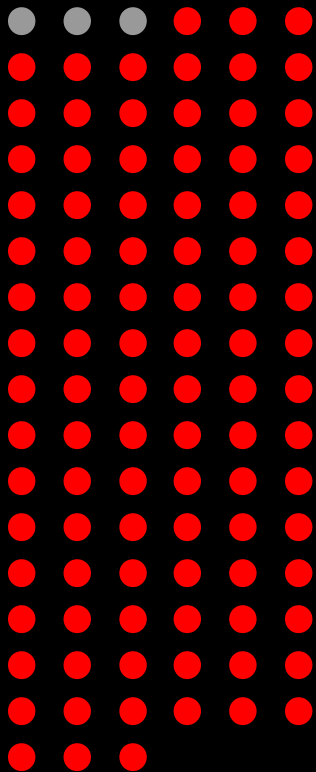


Start of Confessions

On trial for the murder of his girlfriend and landlord in 1983

“What are we going to do about these other 100 women I killed?”

Confessions in 1983





Texas Rangers Impact

Task Force

Well Respected

Secretive



Time in Custody

Special treatment

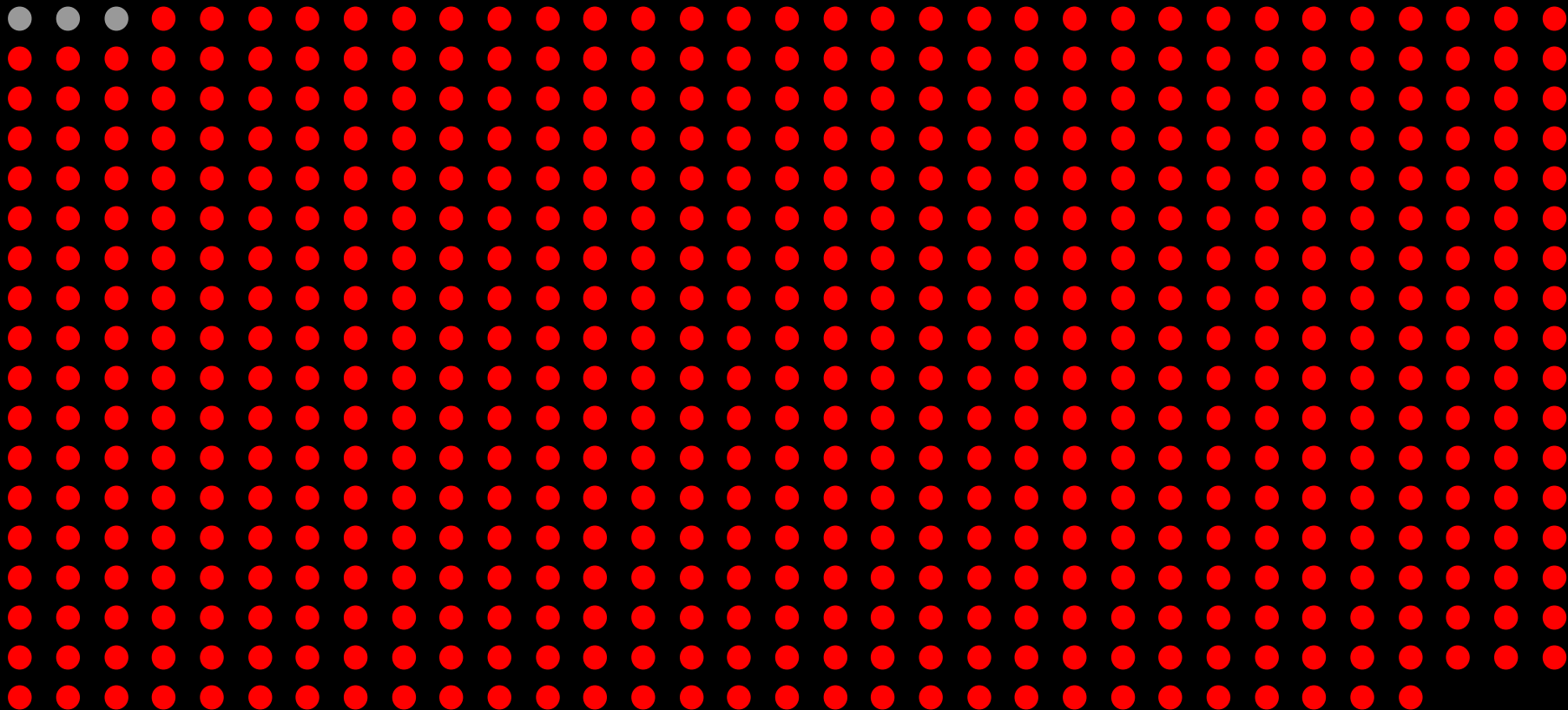
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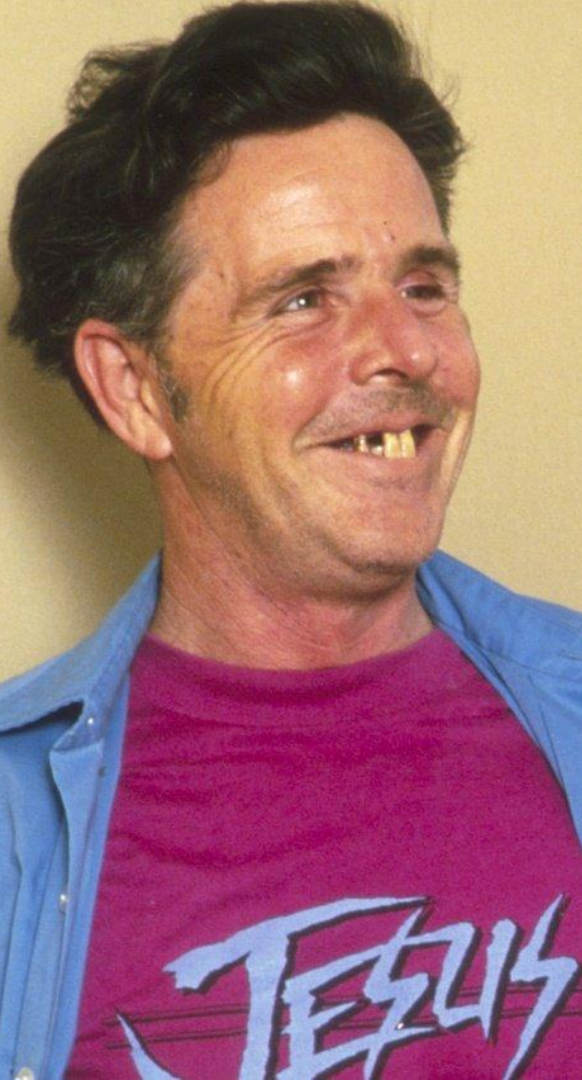
Tour of Murders

Media Attention

Orange Socks Case

Confessions Pre-1998





Inconsistencies and Innocence

Families of Victims

Journalists

Change of Custody

Henry Lee Lucas Himself

Murders Henry Lee Lucas Most Likely Actually Committed



Factors from Class

Tunnel Vision

False Confession

Malleable Memory

Political Impacts