

United States v. Brendt A. Christensen
Case No. 17-20037

Transcript of In-person meeting on
June 19, 2017, at 12:38:15

BC: Brendt Christensen

TB: Terra Bullis

TB: I'm turning this thingy on. It's about 12:40 on June 19th and I'm going to go see Brendt on the porch.

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BC: I don't think I was followed here.

TB: No? That's exciting.

BC: There's a dude in that white pick-up truck but the windows aren't that tinted so I don't think it's them.

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TB: I'm glad, you seem like you're doing better too.

BC: I am. Things will probably get better in the next few days.

TB: That's good. I'm sorry about the computer thing 'cause I asked ...

BC: No, it's okay.

TB: ...and he was like he tried and it was....

BC: Yeah, it's okay, we'll go to Best Buy tonight and we're going to buy a shitty laptop. Umm, and I don't know the return policy on laptops. I'll check it out. But I'm hoping there's like a two week return policy or something. I think that's reasonable so then we can just get rid of it.

TB: Yeah. Yeah, that makes sense.

BC: But yeah, it's...I, I checked like...there's like a three hundred dollar one there so it's not like that bad anyway.

TB: Yeah.

BC: So...



TB: That's good.

BC: Yeah, so I'll actually be able to like keep applying and interviewing for that job.

TB: Yeah.

BC: I have a phone interview tomorrow with them actually.

TB: That's exciting.

BC: Yeah. And then my thing is due Wednesday, I think. Yeah, Wednesday.

TB: So I take it since you've had to do the bus you don't have a car still? Well, you have the one car...

BC: Correct. Correct. I'm hoping they'll give it back to us sometime this week. Which is actually a reasonable thought.

TB: Yeah.

BC: I would explain why they have it and stuff but again, I don't...I will explain everything to you in detail when this is all over. Just, for now, they have a bunch of our shit, including our car.

TB: Okay.

BC: I don't think it's a good idea to for you to know. Just for me and for the missing girl.

TB: Yeah.

BC: It's just...and their investigation. It's just better if I don't explain anything.

TB: Okay. Well as long as like...it's not that I require you to explain anything. It would just make me feel better eventually if...like...

BC: I want to tell you.

TB: You want to?

BC: I do want to. [Unintelligible]

TB: I'm sorry. I'm not going to like freak out or push you or anything like that. Like I just...I, I don't want you to think that I'm like weird. I just...it would just be consoling for me 'cause I have no, like.... I, I know you...you know more than I do. I know literally like what's on the news and that's about it. Which is not a whole lot.

BC: I know everything. Well, I know way more than everyone outside of like, you know, the FBI and the police.

TB: Did they say you had to not tell anybody?

BC: They told Michelle that. Umm, but they didn't tell me that. They didn't tell me shit. Uh, but...

TB: But you don't want to put me in a awkward situation.

BC: Just, drawing conclusions, first it's best for everyone if I don't. And it's best for you if I don't. Umm.

TB: Okay.

BC: I really don't want you involved....

TB: I trust you.

BC: For obvious reasons. So, for the moment, the less you know the better. I know it's shitty. And I can sympathize and imagine how frustrating that must be in a lot of ways.

TB: But I'm not angry or frustrated. I just... I'm like...

BC: It's just...

TB: I understand.

BC: I know.

TB: I trust you.

BC: Okay, just uh, for now.

TB: I'll be a good kitten.

BC: I will tell you as soon as I can, as much as I can.

TB: Uh, my back.

BC: For now, that means, nothing. Other than that, probably getting our car back later this week, and I will literally never drive it again. So there's that.

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BC: I'm so mentally exhausted right now.

TB: I know. I can only imagine.

BC: I assume more is going to happen this week. So...

TB: What do you mean more?

BC: Well I know vaguely what they're doing with my shit and I know vaguely when they're going to complete doing their shit with my shit. So, I'm hoping to get the car back before Friday. And we'll see what happens then. I'm really hoping to get one of the random computers we had back by then too.

TB: Did they take hers too?

BC: They took both. All three desktops and both laptops and my phone, and the external hard drive.

TB: [Unintelligible]

BC: Yeah, so... I'm hoping to get one random one of those back soon.

TB: Yeah.

BC: At this point, I don't care which. I mean the laptops are shitty but they more or less work. They need to be fixed a bit...software.

TB: Well, like I haven't been using much in the way of technology. I want to read but I've just been distracted...

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BC: Just a couple more minutes and then I got to leave.

TB: That's okay.

BC: Got to make sure the apartment's clean.

TB: For Michelle?

BC: Yeah, and just in general.

TB: [Unintelligible]

BC: She's still not sleeping in the bed with me but at least she's sleeping in the apartment.

TB: Yeah, I was surprised.

BC: Me too.

TB: I'm really glad.

BC: She's been sleeping in the computer room on the floor.

TB: Do you have like a mat or anything?

BC: She doesn't want it. It's been good for her back apparently. Umm, I said I'd sleep on the couch, she could have the bed, all that kind of stuff. Like, I told her that I would make accommodations for her instead of the other way around. She wants to sleep there.

TB: That's good.

BC: Yeah so, at least I get the bed. Our couch is super comfy but still...

TB: Um-huh. How is she doing?

BC: Okay.

TB: Okay. I haven't checked on her in a while. I should check on her.

BC: Yeah, do it.

TB: I've been trying to make sure she has space but...

BC: No, I think...

TB: I do care about her.

BC: I think that would be good. Just check on her today. I think she'd appreciate that.

TB: I do like her.

BC: Yeah.

TB: She's super sweet. I, I wrote a comment on somebody's thing. Before you go, I'll let...I'll read it to you.

BC: Sure.

TB: Umm... 'cause somebody wrote an article about umm, metamours...

BC: About what?

TB: Metamours, umm, loved ones of people that you love. Like your...

BC: Ah, good.

TB: But I wrote a comment, and... sure it'd be a long thing. Umm, I wrote...that. I won't read it to you, you can read.

BC: [Unintelligible]

TB: They made, they made [Unintelligible] references in their posts, so...

BC: I think I've got to get going.

TB: That's okay.

BC: I don't want to but...

TB: Can I have more porch dates?

BC: Tomorrow night. I'll text you tonight, what's going on.

TB: Okay.

[BREAK IN AUDIO]

TB: It's 1:57 and I'm turning it off.

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