

# TRUTH BE BOLD

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A booking photo of Sherry Leak. (Courtesy Muskegon County)

### MOTHER FACES UPGRADED MURDER CHARGE FOR SITTING ON DAUGHTER

Sherry Leak of Muskegon County, Michigan is facing upgraded Open Murder charges for sitting on and killing her defenseless 11-year-old adoptive daughter. The charges are a far cry from the original charges of Involuntary Manslaughter and Second-Degree Child Abuse.

On November 23, 2025, Sherry Leak attempted to physically discipline Mialah on her birthday. This turned into a physical altercation between the two in their Clover Estates Mobile Home Park in Fruitport Township, Michigan.

At some point during the fight, Sherry shoved or knocked Mialah on the floor. From there, Sherry ruthlessly sat on the little girl's back, stopping her from breathing. Sherry coldly admitted she sat on Mialah for an extended period of time until she "stopped struggling." Sadly, Mialah lost consciousness and died.

Read this article in full on [TheReedersBlock.com](http://TheReedersBlock.com).

### RIDDLE ME THIS

Take some time, kick back and mull it over with your favorite drink and a friend. Relax a little. What is the answer to the riddle? Feeling brave? Email it.

The Hint: Your guess is as good as mine.

Email your answer to be featured in the next issue's answer reveal.

Last Issue's Answer Reveal: Footsteps

People make me,  
save me,  
change me,  
raise me.

What am I?

### THREE JEWELS

Anybody excited to tell you negative things someone else said about you is just as bad.

Hate doesn't turn into accomplishments.

Teachers said we could be anybody, and the best of us chose to be ourselves.

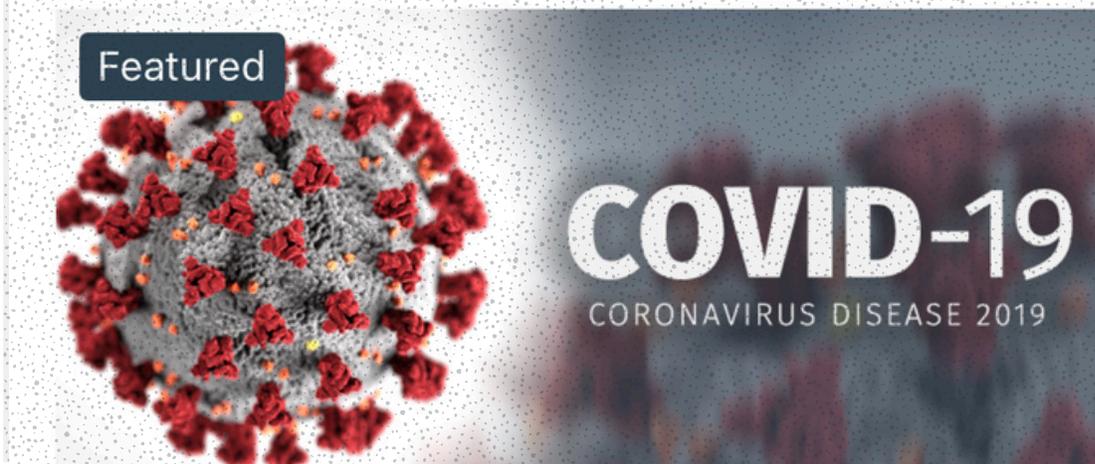


# HEALTHY REEDER TIPS

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### COVID-19 Likely Originated in a Chinese Lab, Report Says



In November of 2019, three researchers from the Wuhan Institute of Virology (WIV) laboratory in China are rushed to a hospital and treated. They had been researching viruses, particularly coronaviruses. Just 40-minutes from the institute, visitors of the Huanan wet market are experiencing the first outbreak

According to the CDC, by December 31, 2019, the World Health Organization Country Office in China is notified of pneumonia in patients coming from an unknown pathogen. They're informed the disease appears to be "connected to the Huanan Seafood Wholesale Market." The next day, the market is shut down.

At this time, WHO foresees the potential for an outbreak. So, on January 2, 2020, it activates its Incident Management Support Team (IMST) on all three levels. These include the Country Office, Regional Office and Headquarters.

Although WHO moves fast, its efforts are seemingly to be too late. On January 3, Chinese officials inform WHO they have identified at least 40 more cases. But a breakthrough happens on January 7, 2020, when public health officials in China identify the cause of the outbreak as a novel coronavirus.

Even with finding the cause of the outbreak, it continues to spread. By January 15, 2020, Japanese health officials confirm the disease's presence in its country. This is the first proof the disease has spread outside of China's borders. Just five days later, the CDC reports the first cases in America. The samples had been taken January 18, 2020, from patients in the state of Washington.

Read the rest of the findings [here](#).

#### THE TAKEAWAY

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#### LAST WORD FROM THE EDITOR



THE SHERRY LEAK CASE IS DISTURBING. SHE SAT ON HER ADOPTIVE DAUGHTER UNTIL THE GIRL STOPPED BREATHING. CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES MIGHT HAVE BEEN ABLE TO SAVE MIALAH. THE WORLD WILL NEVER KNOW. HOW CAN THIS BE PREVENTED FOR OTHER KIDS?