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Missing Person

COPPERAS COVE, TEXAS – The Copperas Cove Police Department is investigating a missing juvenile case involving 15-year-old Kahlan Anne Moreillo. Her family advised she was last seen in the backyard of their home around 7:30 PM on the evening of June 12th. Kahlan is believed to have been picked up by an unidentified white male in an unidentified vehicle. Kahlan was believed to have been communicating through a social media website with the unidentified male. The unknown male is believed to be around 30 years of age and not a local resident.

Detectives from the Criminal Investigation Division have been working diligently, using all available methods at their disposal to identify the unknown male. Anyone with information on the whereabouts of Kahlan or the identity of the male are asked to notify the Copperas Cove Police Department immediately at 254-547-8222.

Unidentified male (photo):



Missing Person Update

COPPERAS COVE, TEXAS – June 14, 2023

Detectives of the Copperas Cove Police Department, with the assistance of the Texas Department of Public Safety Fusion Center, positively identified the previously unknown male as 33-year-old Simon Ryan Salais IV of Denver, Colorado. Detectives were able to establish probable cause Salais committed the act of Online Solicitation of a Minor based on information uncovered during the investigation. On June 13, 2023, a criminal complaint was filed before Coryell County Justice of the Peace Bill Price of Precinct 2, who issued an arrest warrant for Salais. The Coryell County District Attorney's Office authorized the warrant for full extradition.

Salais was taken into custody without incident at his home in Denver, Colorado by the Denver Police Department. Kahlan was found unharmed and arrangements were made to return her to the safety and care of her family. Salais is being held without bond and is awaiting extradition back to Texas. The investigation is still ongoing.



Simon Ryan Salais IV

