



CASE NO. 380-81229-10 COUNT Single INCIDENT NO./TRN: 9161741264 TRS: A003

THE STATE OF TEXAS

v.

RONNIE GENE NICHOLS, JR.

STATE ID No.: TX04525151

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IN THE 380TH JUDICIAL

DISTRICT COURT

COLLIN COUNTY, TEXAS

**JUDGMENT OF CONVICTION BY COURT—WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL**

Judge Presiding:	HON. SUZANNE WOOTEN	Date Judgment Entered:	3/4/2011
Attorney for State:	DALE BARRON	Attorney for Defendant:	BARNETT WALKER

Offense for which Defendant Convicted:  
**THEFT OF PROPERTY OF THE VALUE OF \$100,000.00 OR MORE BUT LESS THAN \$200,000.00/AGGREGATED, A LESSER INCLUDED**

<u>Charging Instrument:</u>	<u>Statute for Offense:</u>
<b>INDICTMENT</b>	<b>31.03 Penal Code</b>

Date of Offense:  
**9/19/2008 thru 05/26/2009**

<u>Degree of Offense:</u>	<u>Plea to Offense:</u>	<u>Findings on Deadly Weapon:</u>
<b>2ND DEGREE FELONY</b>	<b>GUILTY</b>	<b>N/A</b>

Terms of Plea Bargain:  
**COURT COSTS, WAIVERS, BACKTIME CREDIT AND EIGHT (8) YEARS CONFINEMENT IN THE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONAL DIVISION, TDCJ**

<u>Plea to 1<sup>st</sup> Enhancement Paragraph:</u>	<b>N/A</b>	<u>Plea to 2<sup>nd</sup> Enhancement/Habitual Paragraph:</u>	<b>N/A</b>
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<u>Findings on 1<sup>st</sup> Enhancement Paragraph:</u>	<b>N/A</b>	<u>Findings on 2<sup>nd</sup> Enhancement/Habitual Paragraph:</u>	<b>N/A</b>
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<u>Date Sentence Imposed:</u>	<b>3/4/2011</b>	<u>Date Sentence to Commence:</u>	<b>3/4/2011</b>
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Punishment and Place of Confinement: **EIGHT (8) YEARS INSTITUTIONAL DIVISION, TDCJ**

<u>Fine:</u>	<u>Court Costs:</u>	<u>Restitution:</u>	<u>Restitution Payable to:</u>
<b>\$ N/A</b>	<b>\$ 292.<sup>00</sup></b>	<b>\$ N/A</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> VICTIM (see below) <input type="checkbox"/> AGENCY/AGENT (see below)

**THE CONFINEMENT ORDERED SHALL RUN CONCURRENTLY.**

**THE FINE ORDERED SHALL RUN CONCURRENTLY.**

**SENTENCE OF CONFINEMENT SUSPENDED, DEFENDANT PLACED ON COMMUNITY SUPERVISION FOR \_\_\_\_\_ YEARS.**

**Sex Offender Registration Requirements do not apply to the Defendant. TEX. CODE CRIM. PROC. chapter 62**

**The age of the victim at the time of the offense was N/A years.**

If Defendant is to serve sentence in TDCJ, enter incarceration periods in chronological order.

From **06/15/2010** to **03/04/2011** From \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ From \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

Time Credited: From \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ From \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ From \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

If Defendant is to serve sentence in county jail or is given credit toward fine and costs, enter days credited below.

**N/A DAYS NOTES: N/A**



All pertinent information, names and assessments indicated above are incorporated into the language of the judgment below by reference.

This cause was called for trial in Collin County, Texas. The State appeared by her District Attorney.

**Counsel / Waiver of Counsel (select one)**

- Defendant appeared in person with Counsel.  
 Defendant knowingly, intelligently, and voluntarily waived the right to representation by counsel in writing in open court.

Both parties announced ready for trial. Defendant waived the right of trial by jury and entered the plea indicated above. The Court then admonished Defendant as required by law. It appeared to the Court that Defendant was mentally competent to stand trial, made the plea freely and voluntarily, and was aware of the consequences of this plea. The Court received the plea and entered it of record. Having heard the evidence submitted, the Court found Defendant guilty of the offense indicated above. In the presence of Defendant, the Court pronounced sentence against Defendant.

The Court FINDS Defendant committed the above offense and **ORDERS, ADJUDGES AND DECREES** that Defendant is **GUILTY** of the above offense. The Court FINDS the Presentence Investigation, if so ordered, was done according to the applicable provisions of TEX. CODE CRIM. PROC. art. 42.12 § 9.

The Court **ORDERS** Defendant punished as indicated above. The Court **ORDERS** Defendant to pay all fines, court costs, and restitution as indicated above.

**Punishment Options (select one)**

- Confinement in State Jail or Institutional Division.** The Court **ORDERS** the authorized agent of the State of Texas or the Sheriff of this County to take, safely convey, and deliver Defendant to the **Director, Institutional Division, TDCJ**. The Court **ORDERS** Defendant to be confined for the period and in the manner indicated above. The Court **ORDERS** Defendant remanded to the custody of the Sheriff of this county until the Sheriff can obey the directions of this sentence. The Court **ORDERS** that upon release from confinement, Defendant proceed immediately to the Collin County District Clerk. Once there, the Court **ORDERS** Defendant to pay, or make arrangements to pay, any remaining unpaid fines, court costs, and restitution as ordered by the Court above.
- County Jail—Confinement / Confinement in Lieu of Payment.** The Court **ORDERS** Defendant immediately committed to the custody of the Sheriff of Collin County, Texas on the date the sentence is to commence. Defendant shall be confined in the Collin County Jail for the period indicated above. The Court **ORDERS** that upon release from confinement, Defendant shall proceed immediately to the Collin County District Clerk. Once there, the Court **ORDERS** Defendant to pay, or make arrangements to pay, any remaining unpaid fines, court costs, and restitution as ordered by the Court above.
- Fine Only Payment.** The punishment assessed against Defendant is for a **FINE ONLY**. The Court **ORDERS** Defendant to proceed immediately to the Office of the Collin County District Clerk. Once there, the Court **ORDERS** Defendant to pay or make arrangements to pay all fines and court costs as ordered by the Court in this cause.

**Execution / Suspension of Sentence (select one)**

- The Court **ORDERS** Defendant's sentence **EXECUTED**.
- The Court **ORDERS** Defendant's sentence of confinement **SUSPENDED**. The Court **ORDERS** Defendant placed on community supervision for the adjudged period (above) so long as Defendant abides by and does not violate the terms and conditions of community supervision. The order setting forth the terms and conditions of community supervision is incorporated into this judgment by reference.

The Court **ORDERS** that Defendant is given credit noted above on this sentence for the time spent incarcerated.

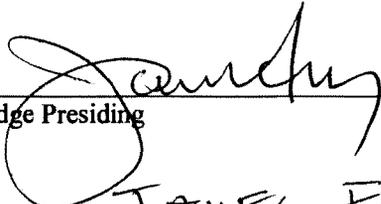
It is further ORDERED that the cost to Collin County for the payment of this defendant's court-appointed attorney, if any, is taxed against this defendant as court cost. The District Clerk is granted leave to amend the court cost to reflect this amount without the necessity of a further order.



Following the disposition of this cause, the defendant's fingerprints were, in open court, placed upon a Judgment Certificate of Defendant's Prints. Said Certificate is attached hereto and is incorporated by reference as a part of this Judgment.

Furthermore, the following special findings or orders apply:

Signed on the 28 day of MARCH, 2011.

  
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Judge Presiding  
JAMES FRY  
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PRINTED NAME  
If sitting for Presiding Judge

Clerk:

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**JUDGMENT CERTIFICATE OF DEFENDANT'S PRINTS**

Defendant's Right Thumb\*

Defendant's Hand

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE FINGERPRINTS ABOVE ARE THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT'S FINGERPRINTS TAKEN AT THE TIME OF DISPOSITION OF THE ABOVE STYLED AND NUMBERED CAUSE.

DONE IN OPEN COURT ON THIS 4 DAY OF March, 2011.

  
SUPERVISION OFFICER / BAILIFF / DEPUTY SHERIFF

Indicate here if print other than the defendant's right thumb is placed in box:

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Left / Right Index Finger

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

DEFENDANT RONNIE GENE NICHOLS, JR. CHARGE THEFT, TPC 31.03 (a)( and (c)(7)

ADDRESS Thomas Havins Unit, 500 FM 45 East, Brownwood, TX 76801 CAUSE# 380-81229-10

DESCRIPTION W/M/ DOB: 05/04/1974 / SS # 455-99-9113 AGENCY/# CCDA  
TX DL: 13600053

ARREST INFORMATION GJR

C/C Ricky Ray Knowles; John David Riddle; Casey Ray VanLoon Witness: TSSB Mogeey Lovelle

**TRUE BILL OF INDICTMENT**

IN THE NAME AND BY AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: The Grand Jury of Collin County, State of Texas, duly organized at the January Term, A.D., 2010 of the 366<sup>th</sup>

District Court of said county, in said court at said term, do present that \_\_\_\_\_

**RONNIE GENE NICHOLS, JR., hereinafter "defendant,"**

on or about the dates listed below, and before the presentment of this indictment, in Collin County, Texas, did then and there unlawfully appropriate, to wit: acquire and exercise control over, property other than real property, to wit: current money of the United States of America, from the following owners, and in the following amounts:

<u>Owner</u>	<u>Date of Appropriation</u>	<u>Amount of Appropriation</u>
Gary Weddle	September 19, 2008	\$82,350.00
Alma Sparks	December 17, 2008	\$30,417.33
Herman Peace	December 31, 2008	\$30,000.00
Beatrice Breedlove	January 12, 2009	\$49,652.09
Joanna Bryant	January 22, 2009	\$18,339.70
Jesse Covin	February 6, 2009	\$137,218.88

Beatrice Vasser	March 2, 2009	\$15,616.43
Billie Nevill	March 19, 2009	\$15,191.00
Jean Register	March 23, 2009	\$44,282.87
Carita O'Brian	April 7, 2009	\$18,800.00
Marcia Stifter	April 7, 2009	\$45,129.50
James Willis	May 8, 2009	\$151,289.74
Charles Hernandez	May 13, 2009	\$15,022.00
Garland Downing	May 26, 2009	\$67,276.00

and said appropriations were without the effective consent of said owners in that consent was induced by deception, to wit:

- a. defendant created and confirmed by words and conduct false impressions of fact that were likely to affect the judgment of said owners in the transactions and that defendant did not believe to be true; and
- b. defendant failed to correct false impressions of fact that were likely to affect the judgment of said owners in the transactions, that defendant previously created and confirmed by words and conduct, and that defendant did not at the time believe to be true;

and defendant acted with the intent to deprive said owners of said property by withholding said property permanently and for so extended a period of time that a major portion of the value and enjoyment of said property was lost to said owners, and by disposing of said property in a manner that made recovery of said property by said owners unlikely;

and all of said amounts were obtained, as alleged, as part of one scheme and continuing course of conduct, and the aggregate value of the property so appropriated was \$200,000.00 or more;

Against the peace and dignity of the State.

*Gordona. Beach*  
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FOREMAN OF THE GRAND JURY

**FILED**

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HANNAH KUNKLE  
DISTRICT CLERK  
COLLIN COUNTY, TEXAS  
BY *[Signature]* DEPUTY