

**SHERWOOD POLICE DEPARTMENT  
INCIDENT REPORT  
ORI: AR0600400**

Report # <b>1009334-01</b>	Case # <b>1000913</b>		
Reporting Officer <b>Meadows, Heather</b>	Date/Time <b>3/2/10 8:18 AM</b>	Approving Officer <b>182-Michaels, Bill</b>	Date/Time <b>3/19/10 9:24 AM</b>
Subject <b>Sexual Assault</b>			
Location <b>ABUNDANT LIFE (SPD LOBBY)</b>			
Occurred On/Between: <b>3/2/10 12:00 AM-3/2/10 12:00 AM</b>			Source <b>Field Report</b>

## --- Officers Involved ---

<b>Badge Number</b>	<b>Name</b>
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## --- Offenses ---

<b>NIBRS Code</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Description</b>
11D	Completed	5-14-125(a)(4)(A)(ii)-SEXUAL ASSAULT - 2ND DEGREE / SEXUAL CONTACT BY PROFESSIONAL IN POSITION OF TRUST/AUTHORITY OVER PERSON LESS THAN 18 YOA

## --- Persons Involved ---

Type	Name/Address	Phone/City	D.O.B.	Age	Sex	Race	Ethnicity
V1	Confidential				F	W	N
S1	Timothy Ballard 7433 Ridge Point Cove	Sherwood, Ar 72120	11/17/70	39	M	W	N

## --- Property Summary ---

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On 03/01/2010 Sgt. William Michaels of the Sherwood Police Department, Criminal Investigations Divisions, received a phone call from a male who wished to remain anonymous. The male subject made Sgt. Michaels aware of the recent resignation of Coach Tim Ballard from Abundant Life Schools. The male said that Coach Ballard had been accused of having a sexual relationship with several female students. The male stated that Coach Ballard had been placed on administrated leave along with his wife, Sharon Ballard, who is also a teacher at Abundant Life. The male proceeded to give Sgt. Michaels names of some of the females in question and asked that something be done about it. Sgt. Michaels requested that I look into the matter.

On 03/01/2010 Detective Hicks and I made contact with the Superintendent of Abundant Life Schools, Dr. Russell Eudy and Sylvan Hills First Baptist Church Pastor Keith Brickell. Abundant Life Schools is affiliated with Sylvan Hills First Baptist Church. Pastor Brickell stated he was informed on the morning of Wednesday, February 24th 2010 that Dr. Eudy had received an email that was sent on Sunday, February 21st 2010 from a prior student of Abundant Life. The email was informing him that she had carried on an inappropriate long term relationship with Coach Ballard during her attendance at the school. In the email to Dr. Eudy, the female gave details to events ranging from her seventh grade year up to her senior year. Both Brickell and Eudy stated this was not the first time they received a complaint against Coach Ballard about inappropriate behavior with a female student. Eudy stated the first was made eleven years ago and the most recent was made in September of 2009. Brickell provided me with a copy of the email. While speaking with Dr. Eudy and Pastor Brickell, Sgt. William Michaels contacted me via phone and informed me that a female had contacted the Sherwood Police Department stating she was a victim of sexual assault by Coach Ballard. The female asked if she could come in to speak to Detectives. Sgt. Michaels stated that the female on the phone was not the victim reported by the anonymous caller and that it now appeared that we had at least two victims.

I advised Dr. Eudy and Pastor Brickell that a report would be on file and that a criminal investigation regarding these incidents would be initiated.

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