



AMY BRAATEN, 26

November 10, 2003 – Omaha, NE

Amy was killed by a bullet that nicked an artery in her neck. Her boyfriend, Mark Ware, originally claimed Amy committed suicide, then gave police a lengthy explanation about how he accidentally killed his girlfriend when she tried to stop him from committing suicide. Forensic evidence did not support either of Ware's stories. Ware received a sentence of 17-20 years in prison. Amy was originally from Sioux city, IA. She moved to Omaha in 1994 to study at Creighton University. She graduated in 1998 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Biology.

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