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SPECIALS

DEATH IN THE BAYOU: THE JENNINGS 8

Two-Part Special Premieres Saturday, June 15 and Sunday, June 16 at 10/9c

Between 2005 and 2009, eight women were found dead in or around the small town of Jennings, Louisiana, their bodies discarded in backroads and bayous. While the causes of death were varied, all were connected to one another, oftentimes seen with the same people in their final hours. With a few suspects but no one ever charged, the unsolved cases remain a source of fear and frustration in the community. Now, tired of waiting for justice, one victim's family takes us deep inside their search for answers, revealing a dark underbelly of a small southern town riddled by drug use, violence, and allegations of a major cover-up. In a four-part special programming event, DEATH IN THE BAYOU: THE JENNINGS 8 weaves a raw and authentic portrait of a world in which family bonds and long-buried secrets hold the answer to the question that haunts this community: who killed the Jennings 8?

PREMIERES

FORBIDDEN: DYING FOR LOVE

New Series Premieres Saturday, June 22 at 10/9c

FORBIDDEN: DYING FOR LOVE tells the jaw-dropping stories of relationships that break taboos, cross boundaries, and lead to shocking crimes. From the couple who breaks religious traditions for love to the priest who has fallen for a nun, these star-crossed lovers have defied the forces trying to keep them apart. But once they've crossed the line, anything becomes possible.

Family Matters premieres Saturday, June 22 at 10/9c
 Puppy love is thwarted when Edward Chen's traditional parents try to keep the young couple apart by moving him to another country. The distance only serves to make his heart grow fonder, and he'll stop at nothing to be reunited with his girl.

FINALES

THE LAST 24

Season One Finale Airs Friday, June 21 at 11/10c

THE LAST 24 follows determined investigators working the most shocking murder cases as they reconstruct the tragic final hours in the victim's life, in order to find their killer and crack the case.

- Mayhem on his Mind premieres Friday, June 14 at 11/10c
 16-year-old Theresa Burns is murdered in her family's Indiana home. And though investigators believe they've found the murder weapon, it will take a quarter century before they close in on the killer.
- No Sleep for the Wicked premieres Friday, June 21 at 11/10c
 When a Louisiana man is shot in his sleep, detectives uncover details of his extracurricular love life and a death policy that promised to pay out, even in the event of his murder.

ONGOING SERIES

PEOPLE MAGAZINE INVESTIGATES: CULTS New Episodes Premiere Mondays at 9/8c

PEOPLE MAGAZINE INVESTIGATES: CULTS examines how destructive and terrifying cults can be to cult members and their families. Each of the one-hour episodes dives deep inside a twisted cult, building to that pivotal moment when blind worship turns violent and even deadly. From the Manson Family to "Children of God" PEOPLE reporters are on the front lines, revealing the untold stories of power-crazed cult leaders using mind control, sex, and violence to manipulate and dominate followers. Each episode follows PEOPLE's trusted journalists as they doggedly investigate the evolution of these cults, expose their bizarre and brutal day-to-day rituals, and speak first-hand to survivors who narrowly escaped lives of misery to put their cult nightmares finally behind them.

- Manson Family Murders premieres Monday, June 10 at 9/8c
 In the late 60's, Charles Manson entices dozens of young women to live with him in a California desert commune. The façade breaks when Manson orders his followers to commit a string of murders that still haunt the nation's psyche 50 years later.
- Heaven's Gate premieres Monday, June 17 at 9/8c
 In 1997, Heaven's Gate leader Marshall Applewhite convinced 39 people to follow him to their graves. The world knows the event as the largest mass suicide on U.S. soil, but for followers, it was an exit strategy toward catching a UFO to heaven.

BREAKING HOMICIDE

New Episodes Premiere Mondays at 10/9c

BREAKING HOMICIDE chronicles retired detective and P.I Derrick Levassuer on his quest for answers behind some of the nation's most confounding cold cases. When all hope seems lost and every possible lead has been exhausted, Levasseur answers the pleas of desperate families asking for help by investigating the unsolved murders of their loved ones. Chasing down new clues and reexamining old ones, Levassuer re-revaluates each case with fresh eyes, applying his unique experience as an undercover detective to meticulously dissect each case from top to bottom in hopes of solving the case once and for all.

- Death by the Bay premieres Monday, June 10 at 10/9c
 In 2013, three weeks after 51-year-old Robin Pope was reported missing, her body washed ashore just a mile from her ex-husband's home. Did she drown that night, or did her recent affair push her jealous husband over the edge?
- Justice for Geno premieres Monday, June 17 at 10/9c
 23-year-old Codi Joyce ended up dead after a brawl at a house party in 2015. However, nobody has been charged for his death, and witnesses won't talk. Who was the instigator that night? Was this a case of self-defense? Or was Codi murdered in cold blood?

STILL A MYSTERY

New Episodes Premiere Mondays at 11/10c

Just because a case is closed doesn't mean the truth has been revealed. Suicide or murder? Runaway or kidnapping? Accidental or premeditated? STILL A MYSTERY re-examines cases where unanswered questions still remain. Through original interviews with law enforcement, family members and private investigators, news footage and social media, STILL A MYSTERY dissects the evidence and presents new theories in a quest to uncover the truth.

- The Midnight Murders premieres Monday, June 10 at 11/10c
 Carla Stefaniak, a spirited Florida insurance agent with a passion for travel, heads to
 Costa Rica. On the day she's supposed to return, she vanishes. Then, in 2014, 19-yearold college student Pravin Varughese disappears after a party.
- Secrets in the Cars premieres Monday, June 17 at 11/10c

 After a night out with friends, 20-year-old Jaleayah Davis is found dead in the midst of a horrifying scene. Then, 21-year-old Kelsie Schelling drives two hours to show her boyfriend a sonogram of the baby they're expecting, but she never makes it home.

DIABOLICAL

New Episodes Premiere Tuesdays at 9/8c

Calculating. Cunning. Cold as ice. In DIABOLICAL, these shockingly devious masterminds use their wits and wiles to manipulate, seduce and try to get away with murder.

- Queen of Deception premieres Tuesday, June 11 at 9/8c
 2011 is off to a rocky start when a beloved Susanville police officer is found dead. What first looks like a suicide morphs into a full-blown murder investigation when his wife becomes a suspect and detectives uncover a story of love, lust and murder.
- Control Freak premieres Tuesday, June 18 at 9/8c

Donna Scrivo hasn't seen her 32-year-old son Ramsay in days and she's worried. She alerts the local police, but days pass with no sign of him anywhere. Then, a discovery reveals an act of shocking violence.

TRUE CONVICTION

New Episodes Premiere Tuesdays at 10/9c

TRUE CONVICTION explores real stories of how homicide cases are solved on the street and won in the courtroom in a close cooperation between detectives and prosecutors. In each episode, Nicolazzi visits the scene of the crime, examines the case through the eyes of the prosecutor, and meets with key figures at the center of the case including the loved ones and investigators. Along the way, Nicolazzi shares her personal reflections and insight into the case, connects elements of the story to her own experiences as a prosecutor, and reveals how the complex layers of each murder investigation came together in the courtroom.

- John is Calling premieres Tuesday, June 11 at 10/9c
 When a 19-year-old college student working the night shift at a convenience store goes missing, residents of Sheridan, Wyoming are stunned. A discovery confirms investigator's worst fears and leads detectives back to a key witness that breaks the
- A Long Road to Justice premieres Tuesday, June 18 at 10/9c
 Anna-Sigga Nicolazzi meets the detective and prosecutor who took on the case of Karen Ann Watson, a wife and mother who was murdered. Nearly 30 years after the crime, they track down a killer who thinks he got away with murder.

THE KILLER BESIDE ME

case wide open.

New Episodes Premiere Wednesdays at 9/8c

THE KILLER BESIDE ME exposes the dark underbelly of workplace evil, where rivalry romance and the abuse of power culminates in murder. How well do you really know your co-workers?

- Deadly Delivery premieres Wednesday, June 12 at 9/8c
 Sandy Berfield was killed in January of 2000 after suffering years of harassment from a co-worker. She finally had him jailed for violating a restraining order, but once released, he escalated to the unthinkable.
- Almost Home premieres Wednesday, June 19 at 9/8c
 When Gayle Isleib is shot on April 30, 1996, police in Manchester, Connecticut are initially drawn to Gail's husband. As the investigation continues, police are drawn to Gail's work, where an unlikely suspect emerges.

LONE STAR JUSTICE

New Episodes Premiere Wednesdays at 10/9c

Everything is bigger in Texas, including Sheriff J.B. Smith's personality. In a new six-part series, join Sheriff J.B. Smith, Det. Joe Rasco, and Det. Pam Dunklin as they recount stories from their decade-long history solving crimes in the Smith County, Texas area. Each member of this crime-fighting trio has skills designed to perfectly complement each other, proving that when it comes to East Texas, if you're going to do the crime, you will do the time.

Cold as Ice premieres Wednesday, June 12 at 10/9c

A woman comes to the Smith County Sheriff's department and begs Detective Joe Rasco to reopen the unsolved murder of her aunt. Despite the case being 25 years old, Joe and the team embark on a quest to re-examine old suspects and track down long lost evidence that could solve the case and finally secure justice for a forgotten victim.

• Killing Fields premieres Wednesday, June 19 at 10/9c

A distraught woman calls 911 to report that her husband, Calvin Fields, has taken his own life. It's an open and shut case, ruled quickly as a suicide. However, a discovery by a mortician leads detectives to suspect murder. With precious time lost, it's a race for J.B., Pamela and Joe to collect evidence and dig into the Fields family's not-so-perfect life.

MURDER LOVES COMPANY

New Episodes Premiere Thursdays at 10/9c

MURDER LOVES COMPANY examines how murder can happen anywhere – even among a close group of people. We meet a group of people in a unique world, whether it be a group of coworkers, or neighbors in a tight-knit community. Someone in this group will be murdered and someone in this group is the killer - the identity of each is a mystery and always a surprise.

- Friends to the End premieres Thursday, June 13 at 10/9c
 - A close-knit group of co-workers are devastated when one of their own is found dead near a soccer field at the edge of their quiet Indiana town. Was this a random act of violence, or are these workers not as close as they thought?
- Killer Coverup premieres Thursday, June 20 at 10/9c

A beloved friend and co-worker goes missing on a desolate mountain, and detectives must sort through a list of tightknit colleagues with potential motives for murder. One of them has crucial information that will lead to a killer amongst them.

MURDER CHOSE ME

New Episodes Premiere Thursdays at 11/10c

Offering a uniquely personal connection to the story of each homicide he solved, MURDER CHOSE ME takes viewers on a journey with legendary Shreveport, Louisiana homicide detective Rod Demery as he continues to be driven by his one mission in life: to find justice and resolution for the families of murder victims, just like his own.

- Red Flags premieres Thursday, June 13 at 11/10c
 - A popular teen is shot down at school, but the shooter was not a student and had motives far more sinister than in a typical schoolyard spat. Then, Demery must rely on instinct when investigating a supposed break-in that culminated in a showdown.
- Episode 308 premieres Thursday, June 20 at 11/10c

 Demery is called to the scene of a roadside shootout. When the smoke clears, he realizes the victim is someone he loves. Then, an unidentified body hidden in the trunk of an abandoned sedan opens the door to a tragic mystery.

MURDER IN THE HEARTLAND

New Episodes Premiere Sunday at 9/8c

In MURDER IN THE HEARTLAND, it takes a village of vigilant neighbors, family members, shopkeepers and local police to piece together the stories of tragedy and justice committed within a community's core walls. MURDER IN THE HEARTLAND relies on the collective viewpoints of everyday American townsfolk to share critical clues in the homicides that forever changed their lives and how they understand their home.

- Shallow Grave premieres Sunday, June 16 at 9/8c
 Christmas will never be the same for two local residents of Noble, Oklahoma when their dog drops a human skull onto their front porch. After six years and no leads, the police must navigate the twists and turns of the victim's past to find redemption.
- If the Walls Could Talk *premieres Sunday, June 23 at 9/8c*A quiet affluent retirement community in Monroe, Ohio is baffled when Barbara How simply vanishes one night. The police soon find her body in the trunk of her car. The hunt for her killer takes them back to an unlikely source.

ON THE CASE WITH PAULA ZAHN

New Episodes Premiere Sundays at 10/9c

ON THE CASE WITH PAULA ZAHN takes viewers on an exciting journey inside the most fascinating crime and mystery investigations. First person accounts, along with insight from experts are featured as each case reaches its dramatic conclusion.

• A Life Halted *premieres Sunday, June 23 at 10/9c*When a young woman is murdered in her own home, police and her family find the clue hidden inside the crime scene that will lead them to her killer.