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**Brookville Man Indicted for Murder of Mother**  
*State v. Taylor Walter, 2020-CR-3668*

**DAYTON, OH (01/13/2021)** – Prosecuting Attorney Mat Heck, Jr. announced today that **TAYLOR WESLEY WALTER**, 28, has been indicted on counts in connection to the stabbing death of his mother, Donna Walter, on February 12, 2020.

On the afternoon of Wednesday, February 12, 2020, the victim's sister became concerned about the victim because she could not reach her by phone or text. The sister called a neighbor of the victim and asked her to check on the victim. The neighbor found the victim, unconscious and bloody, and called 911. Perry Township Police and Brookville medics responded to the Brookville-Pyrmont Road residence. The victim was pronounced deceased.

The autopsy determined the victim had been stabbed approximately 30 times with a kitchen knife.

Further investigation determined the defendant, the victim's son, had committed the murder. At the time of the homicide, the defendant was under indictment for Aggravated Possession of Drugs from an incident that occurred on September 3, 2019 on Upper Lewisburg Road. That case is pending.

Today, the Montgomery County Grand Jury has indicted the defendant for:

- Two counts of Murder
- One count of Felonious Assault with a deadly weapon
- One count of Felonious Assault causing serious harm

The defendant was previously indicted on June 15, 2020 for burglary and other counts in an unrelated case that occurred on Johnsville-Brookville Road on June 4, 2020. That case is currently scheduled for a trial in April.

The defendant will be arraigned on this new case on Tuesday, January 19, 2021, at 8:30 a.m.

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