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Fingerprints don't match in Fort Worth investigation

Associated Press

FORT WORTH — The single piece of evidence linking a 25-year-old man with the murder of a 20-year-old woman was discredited Tuesday by the Fort Worth Police Identification Bureau, officials said.

Tarrant County Sheriff's officials and believed that a fingerprint

had believed that a fingerprint found on the trunk of the woman's

car matched one of Timothy Paul Volkmar, so he was charged Sunday in the shooting death of Lisa Griffin. But Fort Worth police experts said Tuesday that the two prints do not match. Assistant District Attornot match, Assistant District Attor-

ney Steve Chaney said, adding that Tarrant County Sheriff's officials later concurred.

Chaney said Volkmar may be released Wednesday when the case

against him is expected to be presented to a grand jury.

Griffin's body, with a single gunshot wound in the head, was found in southwest Tarrant County on Jan. 10. She is one of five women from southwest Fort Worth who are either missing or dead, and police have said the cases may be related.

"What I thought was the best piece of evidence we had turned out

not to be so good," Chaney said.
"That case was filed on the minimum evidence needed. If he was the one, no one wanted to be responsible for him going out and killing again.

Chaney said the district attorney's office could dismiss the charge but that it is better, procedurally, to take the case to the grand jury once a charge is filed. charge is filed.

Meanwhile, Volkmar was held in the county jail in lieu of \$100,000 bond and for violating the terms of a previous probationary sentence, officials said.

Woman sentence for abuse

Associated Press

HOUSTON - A woman failed through "ignorance" to her 4-month-old daughter as n as the infant needed to stay alive been sentenced to 10 months pro tion on a charge of involuntary m

slaughter.
The woman, Charlene Mae Sp nemore Martinez, 28, pleaded contest to the felony manslaug charge and was sentenced on Ma day by State District Judge I.D. M

Assistant District Attorney Br Beers said the child, who weig less at death than she did at h was fed primarily sugared watera did not receive enough nourishme to sustain her life.

However, Beers said that the was no malicious intent on the pa of the mother.

"There was nothing to india that she tried to kill her baby didn't want her baby," said Bee "It's a pathetic situation." Martinez' attorney, Ray Mor gomery, said the woman didn't kn enough about child care to feed it

infant properly.
"I think this is nothing more a case of ignorance," Montgome

He said that he persuaded his ent to plead no contest because feared that her case would ang trial jury and she would be for

Beers, on the other hand, said was afraid a jury would take pity the woman and acquit her of

Martinez' pleading and her so tence came as the result of a ple

The dead child, Rosa Linda Spor nemore, was born in October, 1982 and died in January, 1983.

An autopsy showed she had n food in her stomach at death, and medical examiner ruled starvation

in the freak inches

the cause of death.

At the time the child was bor Martinez had four other child none of whom were malnourished

Parental rights to these childr were severed, and they were tak into to custody of the child welfa

department.

Montgomery said Martinez gav
birth to still another child while is
jail and has retained custody of the

Martinez' husband, Benitt Huerpa Martinez, a 38-year-old le borer who routinely works 12-how days, did not know the child was b ing undernourished, attorneys said

Mr. Martinez initially was charg in the death, but the state later dis missed its case against him.



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