

CRIME **STOPPERS** of Southern Oregon



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The Jackson County Sheriff's Office is seeking your help in identifying a suspect, from a sexual assault case from October, 2011.

In that year, two 17-year-old females reported being forcibly, sexually assaulted by two men near Ashland. The girls told authorities, they met the two men, by the street names of "Misha," and "Storm" in Lithia Park. They said that the two men gave them the drug "ecstasy" and took them back to a campsite at the Jackson Wellsprings, where the alleged assault took place.

A lengthy investigation led to the 2013 arrest of the suspect known as "Storm." "Storm," turned out to be identified as James Ellis Chism, who was 25 at the time of the assault. In February of 2014, Chism was convicted of sexual abuse in the second degree and delivering a controlled substance to a minor. He was sentenced to 18 months in prison.

All leads have been exhausted in the search for "Misha." He was in the Ashland area in Fall of 2011, but its not know is he's still in the area.

"Misha"

- Approximately 29 years old in 2011.
- 5'10" to 6" tall with a thin to average build.
- Black, medium-to-long hair and beard.
- Brown eyes.
- Wore cargo pants and a bowler hat.



“Misha” may have ties to San Francisco, and may be tied to the Rainbow Family group.

Other Possible Aliases: “Alex” or “Rooster”

Description of last known vehicle: Red or rust colored 1990’s GMC van.

Anyone with information is asked to call the Jackson County Sheriff’s Office. **Case #11-19398**