

Investigation Summary Report

Jefferson Hotel Jefferson, TX



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We were very fortunate to have the chance to investigate the beautiful Jefferson Hotel in Jefferson, Texas. This historic hotel once served as a storage area for cotton, being used for several other purposes thereafter.

Activity has been reported here for quite some time. Stories tell of a Sheriff being shot in the lobby and dying on the stairs, as well as a young woman hanging herself in one of the rooms. Activity is reported through the entire building and in a majority of the rooms. The most common activity reported are doors opening/closing, water turning on, footsteps, children laughing, shadows being seen, objects being moved, and scratching along the walls. One of the more interesting reports is of the mirror in room 19, which when fogged up, shows the words "Judy Help..Redrum".

We arrived early at the hotel to meet the gracious staff, tour the hotel, as well as the historic little town. After deciding on camera placement, we began attempting to debunk some of the reported activity. Immediately we debunked the bathroom door in room 17 that would not stay locked. Due to an offset frame, the bolt could not rest firmly into the frame. We then made our way to the mirror in room 19. We turned on the hot water and let the mirror fog up, finding the words

"Judy Help...redrum". We then thoroughly cleaned the mirror with glass cleaner and steamed up the bathroom again, only to find that the words reappeared. In my opinion, I feel some sort of chemical was placed on the mirror to cause this affect, mainly b/c the words appear in the exact same spot every time.

We then began to do some initial base EMF readings to find that room 19 had some very distinct readings. Readings ranging from 1.5 to 3.0mg were being recorded in areas of no known electrical wiring. They were constant readings but we could not pinpoint the source. This was only evident in room 19. Later in the night we returned, however the readings were only spiking at about 1.5mg in any given area!

We began setting up our IR cams, placing them in rooms 5, 14, 17, 18, 19, the main hallway, the stairway, and the dining area. As we were doing this, both Brandon and Marti heard a female voice whisper to them "get out". This took place at two different times and was heard in room 19.

We then went "lights out", conducting our usual investigation. During this time, no substantial activity was noted, except for three short, yet distinct, EMF spikes in room 17, after asking for signs of activity.

In closing, several of us had enough personal experiences to add to previous guests, to feel that there is definite activity at the Jefferson Hotel. We thank the staff for their gracious hospitality, giving us "free roam" of the place and we cannot wait to make a return visit.