

# MISSING

Missing since December 6, 2008 from Lafayette, IN  
**STEVEN LEE SMITH**



**Age Missing:** 52

**D.O.B.:** July 31, 1956

**Height:** 6'1" – 6'2"

**Weight:** 140 lbs

**Hair Color:** Gray

**Eye Color:** Hazel

**Gender:** Male

**Race:** Caucasian

**Identifying Characteristics:** He wears wire rim glasses, and has a pierced left ear.

**Clothing/Jewelry:** A maroon and green striped shirt, a green jacket with a gray liner, black pants or blue jeans and black sneakers.

**Circumstances:** Unknown. He was last seen leaving his home 4th Street in Lafayette. He was headed toward the downtown/river area. He has never been heard from again. Smith's roommate, **Wesley Elliott Kelly** (*photo at left*), was arrested on suspicion of murder, and was charged in Smith's case with murder and misdemeanor battery. He pleaded guilty and was sentenced to 60 years in prison. He stated that he and Smith got into an argument on the day Smith disappeared and that the confrontation flared up again on a railroad bridge over the Wabash River where Kelly struck Smith, knocking him into the water. Smith's body has never been found and is believed to be in the Wabash River.

**IF YOU HAVE INFORMATION ON THE DISAPPEARANCE OF THIS PERSON, PLEASE CONTACT:**

**Lafayette City Police: 1-765-807-1200**

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