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## MEDIA RELEASE

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(Investigations -Missing Person)



(33 years-of-age)

(Progressed to Age 51)

**Patricia "Patty Marie Dudek**

Salisbury Police, in conjunction with the FBI, continue to investigate the suspicious disappearance of a Salisbury woman who was reported missing in 2002.

On January 10, 2002 at approximately 9:39 in the morning, members of the Salisbury Police Department took a report for a missing person, who was identified as Patricia "Patty" Marie Dudek (pictured above). At the time of the report Ms. Dudek was described as a Caucasian female, 33 years of age, 5'7" in height, 130 pounds, and having blonde hair and blue eyes. The complainant was a concerned family member and indicated that Ms. Dudek had not been seen or heard from since the early morning hours of January 7, 2002 when she was observed at her residence on the 500 block of Hemlock Street in Salisbury. At the time she went missing, Ms. Dudek was the mother to three young children who are now grown and eager to learn what happened to their mother all those years ago.

The circumstances surrounding Ms. Dudek's disappearance are considered highly suspicious. The Salisbury Police Department and the FBI are now conducting the investigation as if it were a homicide.

The investigation is ongoing and the Salisbury Police Department requests anyone with information regarding this incident to contact the Salisbury Police Department Criminal Investigation Division at (410) 548-3165 or the FBI at (410) 265-8080. Information can also be provided anonymously by contacting Crime Solvers of the Lower Eastern Shore at (410) 548-1776. A reward of up to \$10,000 is available for information leading to the location of Ms. Dudek.

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