

ADELINA CANTERARO, 21

May 26, 2003 – Omaha, NE

Adelina Canteraro's body was found two days after she was murdered by her boyfriend,

Albino Ornelas-Perez. Adelina was strangled because she wanted to break off her relationship with him. When Adelina tried to defend herself with a box cutter, Ornelas-Perez wrestled it away. To stop her from screaming, Ornelas-Perez grabbed a two-foot long broomstick and pressed it against Adelina's throat. After she stopped moving, he raped her. Ornelas-Perez was convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to 18-20 years in prison. He was released in 2012 on discretionary parole.

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