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**PLEA REACHES OUT TO COMMUNITY TO FIND KILLER OF  
13 YEAR OLD JONATHAN GARDIA-VALLADARES.**

PLEA DONATES \$3000 TO SILENT WITNESS TO HELP FIND THE BOY'S KILLER(S)  
PLEA NEWS CONFERENCE WEDNESDAY, 12.15.10, 2:30 P.M. @ PLEA OFFICE, 1102  
W. ADAMS, PHOENIX

PHOENIX -- Early Sunday morning November 7, 2010 thirteen (13) year- old Jonathan Garcia-Valladares was treacherously murdered while jogging at 2700 N 26<sup>th</sup> St. Jonathan not only lost his life, he lost his hopes, his dreams, and his future. "Because the days with our children are few and precious, the Phoenix Law Enforcement Association is deeply saddened by the senseless loss of this young man's life," PLEA President Mark Spencer stated. PLEA will hold a news conference, Wednesday, December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2:30 p.m. at the PLEA Office (1102 W. Adams) to update the media and the public on the case. Please share any information involved in this case by calling Silent Witness at 480.WITNESS (480.948.6377) or by calling the Phoenix Police Department at 602.262.6141.

"Justice becomes a reality when three key groups create an effective partnership – the cops, the courts, and the community," Spencer stated. "PLEA is asking our partners in the community for help in not only bringing about justice, but also to begin the healing process in a family that has been wounded by a devastating loss."

In addition to the \$2000 reward from Silent Witness, PLEA is more than doubling this reward with an additional \$3000 for information leading to the arrest of the murderer who stole the life of Jonathan. Another \$1000 is being contributed to this reward from the law offices of PLEA's attorney Michael Napier. The total reward for information leading to the arrest of the murder suspect of Jonathan Garcia-Valladares is now \$6,000. This reward can never replace the pricelessness of a young man created in the image of God, but it can clearly communicate that lawlessness will not and cannot be tolerated in the City of Phoenix.

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