

Lianna Shanti has negatively affected my and my family's life.

My name is R [redacted] D [redacted]. I am a mother of four adult children, and grandmother to four grandchildren. My oldest son is W [redacted] M [redacted], and his partner/spouse is P [redacted] H [redacted]. W [redacted] two children (my grandchildren) are L [redacted], and E [redacted] M [redacted].

My granddaughters, L [redacted] and E [redacted], have been abducted by their mother (A [redacted] B [redacted] —now called Mi [redacted] O [redacted]), and stepfather (D [redacted] B [redacted]) and moved to Jacksonville Florida. My son W [redacted] was told by A [redacted], that she had already purchased tickets' to go to Florida for Christmas 2021. W [redacted] and A [redacted] have Joint custody. A [redacted] never asked for W [redacted] written consent (to cross the border), and he refused to offer it. It was his year to have the girls for Christmas. Somehow, without W [redacted]'s consent or their vaccinations, A [redacted] and D [redacted] went to Florida. Little did we know at the time that they had no intention to come back to Canada. This wasn't a vacation, it was abduction.

Since L [redacted] and E [redacted] were born, we have been very close. When I say "we", I am referring to myself, my husband (J [redacted] D [redacted]), and actually my entire family. We would visit the girls as often as possible, but mostly had them stay with us whenever they could. Some of my fondest memories are on our front deck, where all four of our grandchildren loved to come sit with me and have intimate personal conversations.

I am unsure of specific dates, as I had no idea that our life needed to be documented. But I do recall one conversation that stood out because it was terrifying. This conversation took place on my deck, and was before covid. Perhaps 2018-2019. Both girls were talking, and brought up the subject of a psychic from Hawaii that their mom-A [redacted] spoke with on a regular basis. They told me that their mom would just have sessions with psychic in the car with the girls/children hearing everything. They were so upset when they told me that the psychic told their mom that she needs to go to any length, to get rid of F [redacted] (stepmom). They were confused because they loved P [redacted]. The psychic said that P [redacted] was Evil. I learned this psychic's name was Lianna Shanti. This caused the girls to doubt their own instincts/feelings and they began to feel alienated from a relationship with their stepmother.

On another occasion but the same year, L [redacted] told me that their mom read both girls a letter that was addressed to L [redacted]'s grandparents/A [redacted]'s family. It spoke of A [redacted]'s pain and abuse from her childhood along with accusations of family sexual abuse. The girls mentioned that the psychic (Lianna Shanti) spoke with their mom about the need to confront and cut ties with family and friends because they were all toxic. This left the girls alienated from that side of the family, including their cousins and childhood friends. The girls were only about 8 & 10 years old and were too young, vulnerable and fragile to be subjected to these emotionally burdened and frightening conversations.

The girls loved to visit me/grandma D [redacted]. I would cook their favorite meat dishes and snacks to spoil them a bit. They often ate like it was their last meal. Far more than the average child that age could eat. On another occasion, on the deck, they shared that their mom had decided that the family should eat vegan. They said that their mom was complying with the psychics program by going vegan. "But grandma", they said, "it's not fair! We always catch our mom sitting outside in the car scarfing down a hamburger or something else." This only caused more confusion and double standards for the girls. They were also hungry!

During covid, we didn't get to see the girls very often for obvious reasons. But I was told that after one of our visits, they were made to do a coffee enema, because my husband and I had our vaccines. L [redacted] and E [redacted] were told that made us toxic, and that the vaccine could "transfer" onto them and make them infertile to ever have children.

I have closely witness my son W [redacted] and his wife P [redacted] suffer endlessly over the constant manipulation of the girls for many, many years. But now that they have been taken out of country, with no glimpse of their return, the suffering is insurmountable for W [redacted] and P [redacted], as well as endless other family. Since then, L [redacted] and E [redacted] have been denied access to their father and step mother, grandparents, cousins, aunts and uncles. They are allowed to text or phone, but

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this leads me to my next concern. I believe everything they text is being monitored. I can no longer have the close personal conversations with either of the girls. It's always very platonic like "Merry Christmas! I miss you!" I can tell them what I had for supper, or what craft I am making, or that I went to one of their cousins' hockey games, but nothing personal! Everything about our relationship has changed. It feels as though they have been told what they can and cannot say. I have tried to get them to open up, but I quickly realized that they could get into trouble at their end if I push it. Once, L [redacted] sent me and several others a video of her playing a guitar and singing a song she wrote herself. Her talent is amazing, but the words in her song were filled with so much agony and pain that I literally broke down. It felt like it was the only way she could communicate with us perhaps. I was in so much emotional pain for her, and myself that I impulsively texted her immediately and pleaded for her to come home. She quickly changed the subject, and I never brought it up again.

On a few occasions, one of us has asked the girls "so when do you think you will be coming to visit?" They tell us whatever story they have been told, which I always felt was deceptive. They are Canadian citizens and can come to Canada whenever they want. And if they only came home twice/year, they wouldn't need a visa to live there.

Along with this I have met and spoke with other families that are experiencing very similar dynamics that involve Lianna Shanti, as well.

I/we are so afraid for L [redacted] and E [redacted]. They are helpless children in a foreign country. They have lost access to their "safe" family. This cannot go on!

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