## GARY RIDGWAY'S 1984 LETTER TO THE SEATTLE POST-INTELLIGENCER At the time, the FBI determined it was not written by the Green River Killer. It was, whatyou cedtonoaboutthegreenriverman first onepokarori slocatarmuhy 20replackin iverpladashonelache 3whyloneinriver comeabove rounde 4insurance hoyotit 5whostypainbwharedeaths 6trucki southiste befatterhaupainte dori: river 7sore ladi ingernalskutofi 8hehadse yafterthey deadhesmokes 9hechewsgun 19chanos irstoneblackhalechim 1iyot orymeornobory 12thinkonengadnismo tussnasmanorse limen Ridgway litter found with iter Ridgway's admission Sex after killing confirmed. Ridgway littered scenes where bodies were iBoarund ote reservation i4manseembiglugageoutofmotelwashesvynsedeihelp keysidoardatroodiSwhos found with items to throw off authorities. iswhereselosssomering and isc by indicating a sa responsible for the indicate property of the indicate property is a same property of the indicate property is a same property of the indicate property is a same property of the indicate property of Attempts to mislead authorities by indicating a salesman could be responsible for the crimes. 2Convinceprealing 2ineadfourdehofoundity pareners. 2ineadfourdehofoundity pareners. 22whendidthey hipdday prizht 23whathurntheremoutheorisitatrick 24whytaketomet lottes hollesveryast 25theki leiwheregat eastonering 26reeles tanisoneman Appears to refer to the killing of Carol Christensen. Appears to refer to the killing of Kimi-Kai Pitsor. 26reflestmanisoneman 27longram Wiruckdriverhastsoepwithone 28somehaaf openirkes oneckendbands 29onebla Langiverhadtrauronemiy 30elabrangledbutwithbeferhethads 3ioneblackierisdriadwarkedformetro 32mosthadpimpsbettinganem 33escortmodelingforcedthemoffearufde Ridgway strangled all of his victims, court documents later show. Attempt to throw off authorities by outlining 34maybepimphatergathackatthem \_\_\_34whofindstheboneswhateretheythere different killing methods. 5manwhithgumorknife 36someonepaidtokilloneothersarsthideit 27killwhothevareorisitwhattheyare 28anydeaddiforthenrestt Referring to prostitutes, despised by Ridgway, who said they're easy to hunt, kill and hide 39itcouldamanportladsomeworkedthere because few people notice 40ehatkindofmanisthis their absence. Suggesting the therewasabookliftstdenneysigotthisotof murderer kills in Portland, too, itbilongsto-cop Ridgway now admits to planting remains in Oregon. 812 Personals callmefred REWARD OR the return of checks taken from South Seathle Safework store Sungary, February 19th No questions asked. Replies will be kept confidential. Call Jim of This copy of the letter shows hash marks Barber used to try to decipher THE ULTIMATE LIFE Is Here and Now. ENJOY P Bootism of Pleasure Eastside Area the run-together words. COURTING THE AUTHOR Tocomo Area Thought For The Cov Appointments Shortly after receiving the letter, P-I reporter Mike Barber placed this classified ad, hoping to hear from "callmefred." OMPANIONSHIP? USIVE CONTACTS INC Yesterday, sources close to the Green River Killer task force said Ridgway admitted to being the letter's author. collimated, act your message interested in talking with your