**STATE OF TENNESSEE**
**SHELBY COUNTY**

**CRIMINAL COURT OF SHELBY COUNTY**
JANUARY Term, A. D. 19 68

THE GRAND JURORS of the State of Tennessee, duly elected, empaneled, sworn and charged to inquire in and for the body of the County of Shelby, in the State aforesaid, upon their oath, present that JAMES EARL RAY, alias "ERIC STARVO GALT", alias "JOHN WILLARD", alias "HARVEY LOWMEYER", alias "HARVEY LOWMYER"

late of the County aforesaid, heretofore, to-wit on the 4th day of APRIL, A. D. 19 68 before the finding of this indictment, in the County aforesaid, did unlawfully, feloniously, wilfully, deliberately, premeditatedly and of his malice aforethought KILL and MURDER MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

against the peace and dignity of the State of Tennessee.

Phil M. Canale Jr.
Attorney-General Criminal Court of Shelby County, Tennessee.

No. 18645

# STATE OF TENNESSEE

**INDICTMENT FOR**

MURDER IN THE FIRST DEGREE

VS. JAMES EARL RAY, alias "ERIC STARVO GALT", alias "JOHN WILLARD" alias "HARVEY LOWMEYER", alias "HARVEY LOWMYER"

**WITNESSES:**
**Summon for State**

Bessie Ruth Brewer 422-1/2 S.Main
Ralph Carpenter c/o York Arms Co.162 S.Main
Guy W. Canipe 424 S. Main or 1028 Brower
John L.Carlisle- Criminal Investigator, (Attorney General's Office)
Inspector N.E. Zachary-c/o Police Dept.
Lieut. J.L. Harrison-c/o Police Dept.

**By order of**

PHIL M. CANALE, JR.
**Attorney-General**

**Sworn by the Foreman of the Grand Jury to give evidence on this Bill of Indictment on this, the** 7th **day of** MAY 1968

**Foreman of the Grand Jury**

J.L.HARRISON
**Prosecutor**

## A TRUE BILL

**Foreman of the Grand Jury.**

STAR-O-TYPE/MEMPHIS 20 4566

**STATE OF TENNESSEE**
SHELBY COUNTY

CRIMINAL COURT OF SHELBY COUNTY
JANUARY Term, A. D. 19 68

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late of the County aforesaid, heretofore, to-wit on the 4th day of APRIL, A. D. 19 68 before the finding of this indictment, in the County aforesaid, did unlawfully carry a Dangerous Weapon, to-wit, a RIFLE, with the intent to go armed

against the peace and dignity of the State of Tennessee.

Attorney-General Criminal Court of Shelby County, Tennessee.

No. 16819

**STATE OF TENNESSEE**

**INDICTMENT FOR**

CARRYING A DANGEROUS WEAPON

**VS.** JAMES EARL RAY, alias "ERIC STARVO GALT", alias "JOHN WILLARD", alias "HARVEY LOWMEYER", alias "HARVEY LOWMYER"

**WITNESSES:**
**Summon for State**

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Ralph Carpenter c/o York Arms Co. 162 S.Main
Guy W. Canipe 424 S. Main or 1028 Brower
Lieut. J.L.Harrison-c/o Homicide Div.Police Dept.
Jno. Carlisle- Criminal Investigator- Attorney General's Office

**By order of**

PHIL M. CANALE, JR.
**Attorney-General**

**Sworn by the Foreman of the Grand Jury to give evidence on this Bill of Indictment on this, the** 17 **day of** MAY **19** 68

**Foreman of the Grand Jury**

J.L.HARRISON
**Prosecutor**

**A TRUE BILL**

**Foreman of the Grand Jury.**

STAN-O-TYPE/MEMPHIS 20 4284

**STATE OF TENNESSEE**
**SHELBY COUNTY**

**CRIMINAL COURT OF SHELBY COUNTY**
JANUARY Term, A. D. 19 68

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**By order of**

PHIL M. CANALE, JR.
**Attorney-General**

**Sworn by the Foreman of the Grand Jury to give evidence on this Bill of Indictment on this, the** 7th **day of** MAY 1968

**Foreman of the Grand Jury**

J.L.HARRISON
**Prosecutor**

## A TRUE BILL

**Foreman of the Grand Jury.**

STAR-O-TYPE/MEMPHIS 20 4566