

Dear Dalene

How wonderful it is to have Elizabeth back in our family and resume life. Words cannot express the gratitude we feel to so many who played such an important role in providing help in finding Elizabeth. I again want to thank you for the time you spent with me in drawing the composite sketch of Brian Mitchell. I feel that it was one of the keys in finding her. What fate that you came to the police department seeking an opportunity the day I requested Captain Lyman to have me participate in a drawing. I was particularly anxious to complete the composite and appreciate your cooperation in staying on to the finish. Good luck in your endeavors. You have a real gift.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Ed Smart". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "E" and "S".