

# **JAMES D. BENNETT**

## **TRIAL RECORD**

**MIAMI COUNTY, OHIO JUVENILE PROSECUTOR**  
**7/10/1985 – 3/1/1987**

**Juvenile Court and Children's Services cases**

**Won 101 Cases**

**Lost 10 Cases**

**Jury Trial - Lost - 1 Case**

### **FELONY TRIAL RECORD-COMMON PLEAS COURT**

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|---|------------------|-------------|
| <b>1. State v. Roger O'Neal</b>                     | <b>4/22/1987</b> | <b>Won</b>  |
| <b>Aggravated Burglary-Tampering with Evidence</b>  |                  |             |
| <b>2. State v. Nora Barnett</b>                     | <b>5/5/1987</b>  | <b>Won</b>  |
| <b>Theft</b>  |                  |             |
| <b>3. State v. James Dorsten</b>                    | <b>5/27/1987</b> | <b>Lost</b> |
| <b>Breaking and Entering</b>                        |                  |             |
| <b>4. State v. Aaron Treadway</b>                   | <b>7/1/1987</b>  | <b>Lost</b> |
| <b>Aggravated Assault-Carrying Concealed Weapon</b> |                  |             |
| <b>5. State v. Gary Shaffer</b>                     | <b>8/27/1987</b> | <b>Lost</b> |
| <b>Gross Sexual Imposition</b>                      |                  |             |
| <b>6. State v. Eddie Cupp</b>                       | <b>9/2/1987</b>  | <b>Won</b>  |
| <b>Gross Sexual Imposition</b>                      |                  |             |

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| <b>7. State v. Robbins-Special Prosecutor-Shelby County, Ohio<br/>Theft 12/1/1987</b>                       | <b>Lost</b> |
| <b>8. State v. Jeffrey DeBrosse 12/29/1987<br/>Aggravated Burglary-Aggravated Robbery-Felonious Assault</b> | <b>Won</b>  |
| <b>9. State v. Joel Thiede 3/15/1988<br/>Aggravated Burglary-Aggravated Robbery-Auto Theft</b>              | <b>Won</b>  |
| <b>10. State v. Ricky Havens 5/10/1988<br/>Complicity to Breaking and Entering</b>                          | <b>Lost</b> |
| <b>11. State v. Danny Fry 5/24/1988<br/>Aggravated Vehicular Homicide</b>                                   | <b>Won</b>  |
| <b>12. State v. Ervin Smith 9/13/1988<br/>Gross Sexual Imposition</b>                                       | <b>Lost</b> |
| <b>13. State v. Melissa Hurst 10/17/1988<br/>Trafficking in Marijuana</b>                                   | <b>Lost</b> |
| <b>14. State v. Michael Zepf 11/8/1988<br/>Felonious Assault</b>  | <b>Won</b>  |
| <b>15. State v. Robert Willison 2/1/1989<br/>Aggravated Burglary-Aggravated Robbery-Felonious Assault</b>   | <b>Won</b>  |
| <b>16. State v. Robert Moon 6/13/1989<br/>Theft with prior</b>  | <b>Won</b>  |
| <b>17. State v. Martin Mitchell 11/14/1989<br/>Drug Abuse</b>   | <b>Lost</b> |
| <b>18. State v. Rick Hoffman 3/8/1990</b>   | <b>Lost</b> |

19.	Drug Abuse with prior State v. Mark Smith Grand Theft	6/12/1990	Won
20.	State v. Steven Sheldon Aggravated Burglary	10/2/1990	Hung Jury
21.	State v. Robert Taylor Grand Theft	10/30/1990	Lost
22.	State v. Rodney Franklin Rape	11/20/1990	Lost
23.	State v. Johnson-Special Prosecutor-Montgomery County, Ohio 2/11/1991 Weapon Under Disability. Theft, Escape		Won
24.	State v. Kelly Jones Rape-Felonious Assault-Felonious Sexual Penetration	4/23/1991	Won
25.	State v. William Ison Aggravated Burglary	11/13/1991	Lost
26.	State v. Falke-Special Prosecutor-Shelby County, Ohio 10/10/1991		Lost
27.	State v. Brian Stockslager Aggravated Burglary-Burglary-Attempted Murder	1/7/1992	Won part/Hung Jury part
28.	State v. Blake Cruikshank Tampering with Evidence-Receiving Stolen Property-Theft	1/14/1992	Won
29.	State v. Kevin Cox Murder	2/11/1992	Won

<b>30. State v. Jacque Cox Endangering Children</b>	<b>2/19/1992</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>31. State v. Ron Lambert Trafficking in Marijuana</b>	<b>7/20/1993</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>32. State v. Paul Smith Rape</b>	<b>8/3/1993</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>33. State v. Shaun Boccock Aggravated Burglary</b>	<b>8/17/1993</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>34. State v. Edward Wilson Rape</b>	<b>2/8/1994</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>35. State v. Heather Doseck Murder</b>	<b>6/20/1994</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>36. State v. Randy Downs Aggravated Trafficking</b>	<b>6/30/1994</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>37. State v. Ricky Moore Attempted Aggravated Murder-Felonious Assault Aggravated Burglary</b>	<b>7/12/1994</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>38. State v. Martin Guerra Child Endangering-Compelling Prostitution</b>	<b>11/1/1994</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>39. State v. Lexie Dell Weaver Abduction-Unlawful Possession of a Dangerous Ordinance Aggravated Assault</b>	<b>11/30/1994</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>40. State v. Edmund Smith</b>	<b>2/14/1995</b>	<b>Won</b>

## **Aggravated Murder**

<b>41. State v. Thomas Kiehler</b>	<b>4/20/1995</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>Misuse of a Credit Card-Attempted Grand Theft</b>		
<b>42. State v. Ronald Rice</b>	<b>5/31/1995</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>Receiving Stolen Property-VIN plate violation</b>		
<b>43. State v. Timothy Merrell</b>	<b>6/12/1995</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>Driving Without Owner's Consent</b>		
<b>44. State v. Miriam Adkins</b>	<b>8/29/1995</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>Permitting Drug Abuse</b>		
<b>45. State v. Charles Upham</b>	<b>9/14/1995</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>Sexual Battery</b>		
<b>46. State v. Bobby Cornish</b>	<b>9/26/1995</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>Driving Without Owner's Consent</b>		
<b>47. State v. James Bellamy</b>	<b>10/17/1995</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>Sexual Battery</b>		
<b>48. State v. Bobby Ray Allen</b>	<b>10/26/1995</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>Kidnapping-Aggravated Robbery</b>		
<b>49. State v. Terry Whiting (cold case)</b>	<b>1/31/1996</b>	<b>Hung Jury</b>
<b>Murder</b>		
<b>50. State v. Alon Russell</b>	<b>2/21/1996</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>Aggravated Trafficking in Cocaine</b>		
<b>51. State v. Dave Crumpler</b>	<b>8/27/1996</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>Receiving Stolen Property</b>		

<b>52. State v. Stacy Day Child Endangering</b>	<b>1/15/1997</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>53. State v. William Goode Rape-Disseminating Matter Harmful to Juveniles</b>	<b>2/19/1997</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>54. State v. Mary Guenther Involuntary Manslaughter</b>	<b>5/19/1997</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>55. State v. James Folkerth Permitting Drug Abuse</b>	<b>7/10/1997</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>56. State v. Lorenzo Mojica Attempted Rape</b>	<b>7/29/1997</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>57. State v. James Dorsten Felony Assault</b>	<b>9/16/1997</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>58. State v. John Kennedy Deception to Obtain Dangerous Drugs</b>	<b>10/21/1997</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>59. State v. Duane Rank Sexual Battery</b>	<b>11/18/1997</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>60. State v. Frederick Williams Aggravated Assault</b>	<b>11/24/1997</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>61. State v. Terry Thompson Felony Assault</b>	<b>12/9/1997</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>62. State v. Raymond Williams, Jr. Domestic Violence</b>	<b>12/10/1997</b>	<b>Won</b>

63.	State v. Kevin Kirk State v. Karen Kersey State v. Roberta Zorn State v. David Owen Engaging in a Pattern of Corrupt Activity	2/3/1998	Won
64.	State v. James Sanders Receiving Stolen Property-Possession of Criminal Tools	3/12/1998	Lost
65.	State v. Kenneth Thomas Passing Bad Check		Lost
66.	State v. Brandon Pryzborowski Aggravated Vehicular Homicide-Involuntary Manslaughter	6/16/1998	Won
67.	State v. Gary Dill Arson	9/8/1998	Won
68.	State v. Dwight Clay Rape	9/21/1999	Lost
69.	State v. Tony Bryant Engaging in a Pattern of Corrupt Activity	10/5/1999	Lost
70.	State v. Carlos Carrillo Aggravated Vehicular Homicide-Involuntary Manslaughter	10/19/1999	Hung
71.	State v. Terry Miller Involuntary Manslaughter	11/-/1999	Lost
72.	State v. Jeffery Warnement Carrying a Concealed Weapon	12/21/1999	Won

<b>73. State v. Carlene Van Zant Trafficking in Marijuana</b>	<b>1/27/2000</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>74. State v. Douglas Houston Possession of Drugs</b>	<b>2/17/2000</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>75. State v. John Kingrey Escape</b>	<b>3/20/2000</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>76. State v. Gambill Having A Weapon Under Disability</b>	<b>5/17/2000</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>77. State v. Robert Wissinger Aggravated Vehicular Homicide-Aggravated Vehicular Assault</b>	<b>5/23/2000</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>78. State v. John Jenkins Rape-Gross Sexual Imposition</b>	<b>9/19/2000</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>79. State v. Jason Parsons Assault on Police Officer</b>	<b>1/17/2001</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>80. State v. Randall Johnson Rape</b>	<b>2/6/2001</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>81. State v. Marcus Landers State v. Lammont Aarone Aggravated Robbery-Failure to Comply</b>	<b>2/13/2001</b>	<b>Lost Won</b>
<b>82. State v. Susan England Child Endangering</b>	<b>3/27/2001</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>83. State v. Kenneth Johnson Gross Sexual Imposition</b>	<b>4/26/2001</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>84. State v. Donald Whitmore</b>	<b>5/2/2001</b>	<b>Won</b>



## **Aggravated Robbery**

<b>85. State v. Steve Williams Sexual Battery</b>	<b>12/5/2001</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>86. State v. Joseph Hall Unlawful Sexual Conduct with a Minor</b>	<b>2/26/2002</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>87. State v, Scott Stringham Murder</b>	<b>3/12/2002</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>88. State v. Willie Cunningham Drug Abuse</b>	<b>4/2/2002</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>89. State v. Stephen Sowry Conveyance of Contraband into a Detention Facility</b>	<b>6/11/2002</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>90. State v. William Carey Rape</b>	<b>11/5/2002</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>91. State v. Wayne Stoner Illegal Use of a Minor in Nudity Oriented Material</b>	<b>12/10/2002</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>92. State v. Barry Rogers Engaging in a Pattern of Corrupt Activity Conspiracy to Engage in a Pattern of Corrupt Activity</b>	<b>3/25/2003</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>93. State v. Jermaine Lucas Domestic Violence</b>	<b>8/18/2003</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>94. State v. Scott Stringham (re-trial) Murder</b>	<b>11/4/2003</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>95. State v. Nakia Brewer Intimidation of a Witness</b>	<b>12/3/2003</b>	<b>Lost</b>

<b>96. State v. William Williams Illegal Manufacturing of Drugs</b>	<b>12/16/2003</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>97. State v. Theodore Kemp Rape</b>	<b>1/6/2004</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>98. State v. William Hall Trafficking in Marijuana</b>	<b>7/13/2004</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>99. State v. Natasha Wheeler Trafficking Cocaine-Possession of Cocaine</b>	<b>8/11/2004</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>100. State v. Daniel Phipps Aggravated Robbery</b>	<b>8/31/2004</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>101. State v. Michael Cruea Rape</b>	<b>9/14/2004</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>102. State v. Terry Hedrick Gross Sexual Imposition</b>	<b>11/9/2004</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>103. State v. Timothy Miller Aggravated Vehicular Homicide</b>	<b>11/16/2004</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>104. State v. Dana Taylor Pandering Obscenity Involving Juveniles</b>	<b>7/28/2005</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>105. State v. Jacob Henn Theft</b>	<b>8/4/2005</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>106. State v. Laurie Young Permitting Drug Abuse</b>	<b>10/5/2005</b>	<b>Won</b>

<b>107. State v. Michael Mills Burglary</b>	<b>11/1/2005</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>108. State v. Francisco Guerra, Sr. Gross Sexual Imposition</b>	<b>10/15/2005</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>109. State v. Jermain Vawe Assault on a Corrections Officer</b>	<b>11/15/2005</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>110. State v. Elmer Coffey Aggravated Burglary- Aggravated Robbery-Kidnapping Escape-Auto Theft</b>	<b>12/13/2005</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>111. State v. John David Comolli Theft</b>	<b>1/31/2006</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>112. State v. Joe Weidenheft Carrying a Concealed Weapon</b>	<b>2/2/2006</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>113. State v. Carol Collier Possession of Drugs</b>	<b>3/10/2006</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>114. State v. Venucci Estep Rape-Attempted Rape-Gross Sexual Imposition</b>	<b>3/14/2006</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>115. State v. Brian Banks Illegal Possession of Chemicals to Manufacture Drugs</b>	<b>7/20/2006</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>116. State v. Patrick Johnson Domestic Violence</b>	<b>9/19/2006</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>117. State v. Richard Markland Rape-Gross Sexual Imposition</b>	<b>11/14/2006</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>118. State v. Ryan Keller</b>	<b>2/6/2007</b>	<b>Lost</b>

## Unlawful Sexual Conduct with a Minor

119.	State v. Justin Higbee Robbery	4/3/2007	Won
120.	State v. Jamaal Crosby Grand Theft Auto	5/4/2007	Won
121.	State v. Willie Fairchild Receiving Stolen Property-Motor Vehicle	9/21/2007	Won
122.	State v. Lisa Tabler Theft	3/4/2008	Lost
123.	State v. Stanley Feltner Possession of Drugs	4/8/2008	Won
124.	State v. Edward Burge Trafficking in Marijuana	5/28/2008	Lost
125.	State v. Ralph McCreery Possession of Drugs	11/14/2008	Lost
126.	State v. Darrick Rucker Attempted Abduction	11/18/2008	Lost
127.	State v. Mary Chaney Felony Assault-Failure to Comply	2/27/2009	Won
128.	State v. Christopher Harvey Murder-Involuntary Manslaughter	5/5/2009	Won
129.	State v. Brock Swartz Felony Assault	8/18/2009	Lost

<b>130. State v. James Clay Aggravated Arson</b>	<b>9/1/2009</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>131. State v. Tiffani Cantrell Endangering Children</b>	<b>10/6/2009</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>132. State v. Kyle Cornelius Interference with Custody</b>	<b>12/1/2009</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>133. State v. Kathy Hurley Aggravated Trafficking</b>	<b>1/5/2010</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>134. State v. Curtis Lux Gross Sexual Imposition</b>	<b>2/22/2010</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>135. State v. Charles Bond Felony Telephone Harassment</b>	<b>5/18/2010</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>136. State v. Bobby Williams Gross Sexual Imposition</b>	<b>9/15/2010</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>137. State v. Corey Plunkett State v. Joshua Penny Receiving Stolen Property</b>	<b>10/26/2010</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>138. State v. Julius De La Cruz Unlawful Sexual Conduct with a Minor Corrupting Another with Drugs</b>	<b>1/11/2011</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>139. State v. Zack VanMatre Endangering Children</b>	<b>2/17/2011</b>	<b>Lost</b>
<b>140. State v. Bruce Borgerding Theft</b>	<b>6/7/2011</b>	<b>Won</b>

<b>141. State v. Carl Huelsman</b>	<b>7/12/2011</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>Obstructing Official Business</b>		
<b>142. State v. Ryan Monahan</b>	<b>1/24/2018</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>Felonious Assault-Tampering with Evidence</b>		
<b>143. State v. Larry Troutwine</b>	<b>3/1/2018</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>Rape-Gross Sexual Imposition</b>		
<b>144. State v. Najir Rajib</b>	<b>3/3/2018</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>Receiving Stolen Property -Motor Vehicle</b>		
<b>145. State v. Dennis Yohey</b>	<b>11/27/2018</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>Aggravated Arson</b>		
<b>146. State v. Michael Keaton</b>	<b>6/26/2019</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>State v. Charles Gray</b>		
<b>Aggravated Robbery-Misuse of a Credit Card</b>		
<b>147. Sate v. Stephen Garner</b>	<b>7/16/2019</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>Felonious Assault-Reckless Assault</b>		
<b>Conveyance of Drugs into a Detention Facility</b>		
<b>Aggravated Possession of Drugs</b>		
<b>Tampering with Evidence</b>		
<b>148. State v. Tyelor Henry-Dever</b>	<b>9/9/2020</b>	<b>Won</b>
<b>Failure to Register as an Arson Offender</b>		