I'm just getting some documentation published before I am accused of forging this stuff. I'll explain later.

Last night I got an email from Miss Tickly:

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From: (redacted)

To: Nellie

Sent: Saturday, February 18, 2012 11:35 PM

Subject: You're Mary Ann...

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I was up until 2:30am reading the post and responding with an e-mail:

---- Original Message -----

From: Nellie (redacted)

To: redacted

Sent: Sunday, February 19, 2012 2:28 AM

Subject: Re: You're Mary Ann...

(redacted), I have 2 certified copies of my daughter's certificate of fetal death, issued Jan 26, 1993. I suppose they are debossed because I can feel the texture on the back but the words are the correct direction from the front. I've got the images posted on my blog. These are computer-generated seals apparently, because they are made of dashes.

This past year I got a copy of my own birth certificate so I could work in the after-school program. It has a larger embossed seal not made by computer.

When you asked the person at the Nebraska Dept of Health did you ask them what they were doing in 1993? I know that all these copies are genuine; our insurance rep was in charge of getting the insurance to pay for burial costs and she got the copies of the "Certificate of Fetal Death" for us. What it suggested to me was that at some point (most likely after 9-11) they might have switched to a non-computer-generated seal. I haven't looked into the laws of Nebraska so have no idea what the legal requirements are now or were then.

Regarding the size of the OFFICIAL seal, that is not discretionary. The director has discretion to reproduce the seal in a different size, for use on stationery, etc. but the OFFICIAL SEAL is always supposed to be 2 1/4 inch in diameter. The HDOH Administrative Rules explicitly say that the OFFICIAL SEAL must be displayed on certified copies of vital records. "The paper shall display the official seal of the Department of Health or the seal of the state". A reproduction of a different size is not the same thing as the official seal. The Administrative Rules say explicitly that it must be the OFFICIAL seal, and the statute explicitly states that the OFFICIAL seal must be 2 1/4 inches in diameter. In making my claim I was using the specific language of both the Administrative Rules and Title 11-1.

You have to believe what you can believe. There's not much I can know for certain, but I do know for certain that these are genuine certified copies and I would swear on a stack of Bibles to that fact. It's up to you whether you believe me or not, but I do have in my possession 3 documents which show that the Nebraska seal used on a Certificate of Fetal Death in 1993 was different than the seal used on a Certificate of Live Birth in 2011.

Ultimately the only way we're ever going to know whether the HDOH has been fudging their certification all along, whether they have deliberately put out disinformation, or whether the people who came forward with certified copies put out disinformation is by looking at the computerized transaction logs, original paper records, and microfilm rolls from several years. I do know that the certificates I have are genuine. I understand that you have no way of knowing whether I am telling the truth or not so I can't hold it against you if you disbelieve me. I have no way of knowing whether anybody else's is genuine either so I know what it's like to be in that boat.

Nellie

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From: (redacted)

To: Nellie

Sent: Saturday, February 18, 2012 11:35 PM

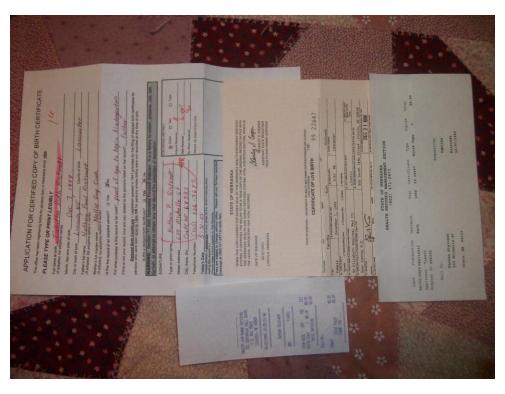
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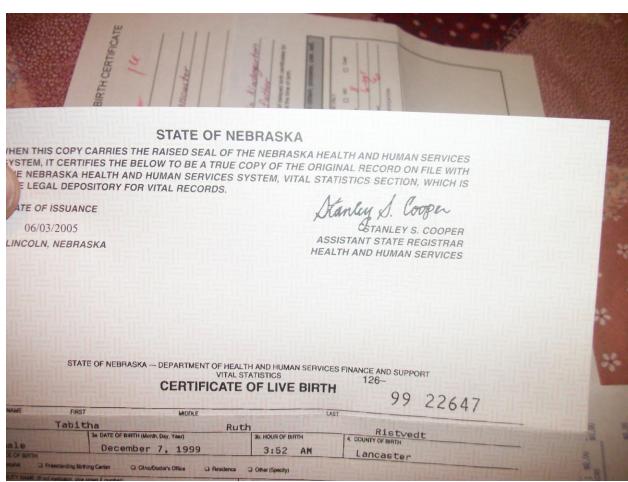
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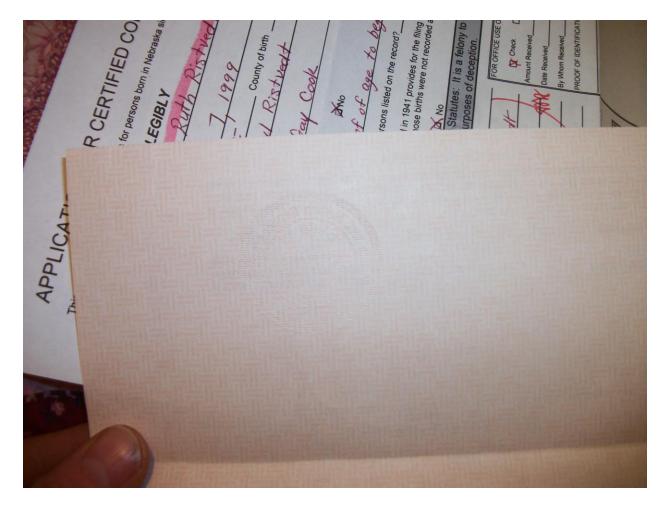
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Got up this morning, got the kids ready for church, took some photos of my daughter's birth certificate and the documentation that it was received from the NE Dept of Health. I can zoom in on the seal later. For right now I just want to document the timeframe in which I did all this:





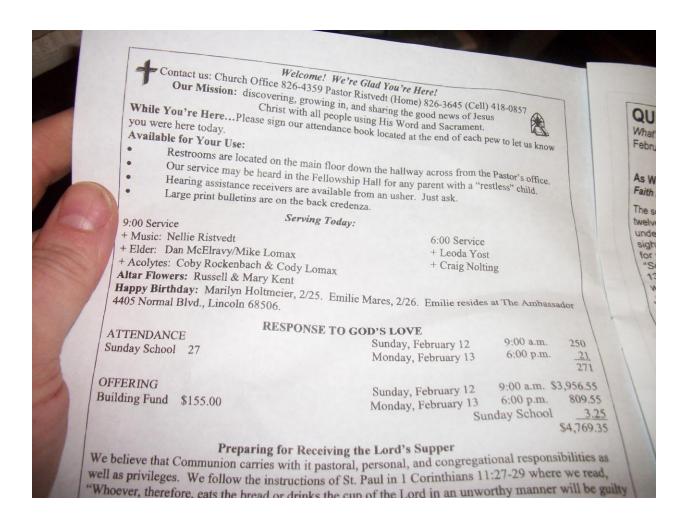


I took some other pics too but these should be clear enough and I'm not going to take the time to add the others.

I went to church, where I played the organ. Skipped Bible class to come home and get this posted, because Miss Tickly rejected Danae's documentation of having received her birth certificate from the HDOH because she said the time delay gave enough time for Danae to forge the envelopes too. OK, I forgot to take a pic of the envelope so I'll do this now. I'm just telling you how this went down so if anybody looks at time stamps if there are any they'll know why it's how it is. Here's the photo of the envelope.



Church started at 9AM, I played the organ, got home about 10:25 and took a pic of the bulletin:



I've been typing this up since and will now save and post this on the blog so it can be seen that I did not have time to forge all this stuff.