Help Identify Baby Doe Up to a \$1,000 Reward

San Diego County Crime Stoppers, along with investigators from the San Diego Police Department's Homicide Unit, are asking for the public's help in finding out what happened to Baby Doe.

On May 4, 2004 two hikers found skeletal remains on a hiking trail in Rancho Bernardo. Forensic testing indicates the remains are that of a 2 to 4-year-old boy probably born sometime between 1999 and 2001. Baby Doe's features are consistent with being mostly Caucasian and is believed to have had light to medium brown hair.

Additionally, isotopic testing indicates it is likely that Baby Doe was born on the mainland United States. During a portion of her pregnancy, Baby Doe's mother likely resided in the Southeastern region of the United States where Baby Doe may have spent his first year of life before migrating westward toward California.



The image above of Baby Doe was developed by a forensic artist with the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children. The clothing items featured were found with Baby Doe.

Anyone with information on what happened to Baby Doe is asked to call the SDPD Homicide Unit at (619) 531-2293 or the Crime Stoppers anonymous tip line at (888) 580-8477. Visit the Crime Stoppers website at www.sdcrimestoppers.org for more information on how to send anonymous web and mobile app tips. Detectives are asking for information that helps identify Baby Doe and/or his biological parents and information that also helps detectives figure out what happened to Baby Doe. A reward of up to \$1,000 is being offered if information provided leads to a felony arrest.

