

**GLOBE rips lid off
and jury files**

HOUSEKEEPER SAYS: JON BENET MOM WAS HAVING A SECRET AFFAIR



**Ramsey servant
believes tragic tot
killed by mom**

PATSY RAMSEY may have been having a passionate love affair at the time her daughter JonBenet was brutally murdered, according to shocking evidence presented to the grand jury in Boulder, Colo.

Ripping the lid off testimony that's been sealed for two years, the Ramseys' housekeeper Linda Hoffman-Pugh tells GLOBE in an exclusive interview that much of her eight-hour grilling by the panel zeroed in on Patsy's sex life and loveless marriage to John.

"They questioned me heavily about their marriage and asked whether I knew Patsy was having an affair," Hoffman-Pugh reveals. "I was forced to relive those months before JonBenet died, when Patsy would get dolled up every morning and never tell me where she was going.

"Looking as if she'd stepped out of a store fashion display window, she'd say, 'Linda, I'm going out for the day,' and she actually looked happy.

"When John would call and ask me where she was, I never knew what to tell him. He'd always sound annoyed that she wasn't there, and especially when she didn't tell me where she had gone."

The housekeeper's suspicions were further aroused by phone calls from a man who would ask "how long ago Patsy had left. It was always the same man and he'd never leave his name."

Hoffman-Pugh says, "Patsy would come home in a very happy mood after her days out.

"At the time, I had a feeling she was off doing something naughty, but I never knew for sure. But as I testified for the grand jury, I realized my instincts were right. The grand jury believed the Ramseys' marriage was in trouble and they were trying to find out if Patsy was having an affair."

The housekeeper tells



Former Ramsey housekeeper Linda Hoffman-Pugh and her attorney Darnay Hoffman talk to reporters

GLOBE that the grand jury repeatedly asked her questions probing the Ramseys' union—and she had plenty to say about a couple that she says rarely had sex and displayed no signs of love.

"I never saw John kiss, hug or show any affection to Patsy," confides Hoffman-Pugh, who worked

for the family for more than a year before JonBenet's battered body was discovered Dec. 26, 1996, in the basement of their \$1.3 million mansion in Boulder. "It looked like a very empty marriage and Patsy was a very unhappy woman.

"I could tell by the sheets that they had sex only on



It's been nearly five years since JonBenet's body was discovered in the basement of the Ramseys' home in Boulder, Colo.