

Jazz Ramsey K-9 Mystery

1 Pre History

20 years ago: Bernadette Quinn had a husband and a 14 year old daughter Leila. a drunk driver named Susan Harper ran into their car and killed the husband and daughter. Susan got a lenient sentence.

Susan cleaned up her act and became a lawyer. She changed her name to Deidre Mason.

2 Recent History

Quinn has a student in her class, Maddie Manard, who is the spitting image of her daughter Leila. (This may just be a coincidence.) Maddie is dyslexic and Quinn gives her help. Later she gives her unwarranted attention, though the father Asher is bothered by that, Maddie doesn't seem to be.

Asher sues Quinn and hires a lawyer who is none other than **Deidre Mason!** A meeting is arranged between Quinn, Sarah (the headmistress of the school) and Deidre at the school. [Speculation: So Quinn meets face to face the person who ruined her life 20 years ago.]

Sarah gets a call from Deidre who cancels the meeting.

Very Shortly after that

1. Quinn resigns from the school.
2. Deidre resigns from the law firm.

The letters are identical.

ALSO: Quinn tells her cousin Sam to house sit and take care of her cats as she is going on vacation. But then Quinn never comes back.

3 Characters that are Probably Innocent

1. **Jazz Ramsey** used to work in Search and Rescue (with dogs) as her dad (now dead, not sure how) was a Firemen. She now trains police dogs.

As a child she went to *Astor Academy for Girls (A Acad)* with her friend Sarah and played pranks on Miss. Quinn.

Three years ago her father died and shortly before that (we think) she broke up with her boyfriend Nick. Nick was all about his work which she didn't like. Nick didn't go to her fathers funeral which she didn't like. Nick said (in current day) *You and your mother needed each other but you didn't need me* which is stupid.

Jazz Ramsey accidentally found a dead body at A. Acad which seems to be Miss. Quinn. She is now helping to investigate it with Nick.

2. **Nick Kolesov** is the cop on the case. He was Jazz's boyfriend 3 years ago (see entry on Jazz).
3. **Sarah Carrington** has been friends with Jazz for 20 year. They went to A Acad together. She is now the head mistress of A. Acad. Odd since she was Miss Quinn's least favorite student.

She tried to fire Quinn because a parent (Asher Manard) was suing the school over Quinn giving his daughter (Maddie) too much attention.

See entry on Quinn for more on this.

4. **Bernadette Quinn** Dead and found under floorboard. She taught at A Acad for 30 years. She was giving a lot of attention to Madeline Manard who had dyslexia. This was good! But then Quinn began paying to much attention to Madeline which angered her father (though Madeline never complained). Her father was going to sue the school. (See section on the lawyer Dieder Mason.) But then Miss Quinn resigned and disappeared (nobody seemed to notice or care about the disappearing) so the issue resolved itself.
5. **Andi Ramsey** Jazz's mother. Dating someone named Robert.
6. **Michael Ramsey** Jazz Ramsey's father, seen in flashbacks.

4 Might be Involved

1. **Asher Manard** Was suing the school since Quinn gave his daughter Maddie too much attention.
2. **Maddie Manard** Asher's daughter. She attends A. Acad and was getting help (good) but too much attention (bad?) from Quinn. Maddie is dyslexic and adapted.
3. **Eddie Dunz** Janitor at A Acad. Has a key to all the rooms, so has access to the third floor, but we don't see a motive yet.
4. **Deidre Mason** The lawyer Asher hired. She was going to meet with Quinn and Sarah at school on the day Quinn left. Deidre and Quinn were at the school when Deidre called to cancel the meeting. Quinn was never seen after that (she was dead) and (I think) left a letter of resignation. Sarah thought that the lawyer just told Asher to drop the suit.
5. **Sam Tilner** Quinn's estranged cousin. Sam fell on hard times and Quinn would not help him. Sam talks about bad choices he made in life that Quinn does not forgive him for (my guess- drugs?) but does not elaborate.

5 Must Have Had a Very Small Role

1. **Jones Carter**
2. **Marnie Smith**