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Auto Breakin – Copper-Foothills Open Space Parking Lot on 10/19/15

My wife and I parked in the Parking lot at the far east end of Copper Blvd, entry to Open Space, on Monday 10/19/15 at 9:30 a.m. There was only one other car in the lot – an old dull reddish sedan with a lot of oxidized white paint. On returning from our walk at 10:30 a.m., we found our passenger window was smashed in and the registration and car info books were stolen along with the garage door opener and a jacket. The old sedan was gone.

We returned to our Four Hills home at 10:30 a.m. Our housekeeper indicated that 2 women had come to our house. A black lady about 5'10" with black shoulder length hair with a purple stripe on the left, rang the bell and not getting a response, she came in through the gate and tried the door knob. The door was locked. Our housekeeper asked through the door what she wanted and she asked to see "Janie." Of course, there wasn't any "Janie." A white lady was sitting in a gray-tannish Camry waiting in the road, left arm on the window sill and very tattooed. Then they drove away. We reported this to the police.

We have been told that such individuals work as teams: The men break in the cars and get the registration papers (with your address) and any garage door opener. Then they meet their women, who try out the loot, knowing that the victims are not there. They do this all day long.

Be careful when parking and don't leave any valuables in the car. Don't leave your garage door opener in sight.

