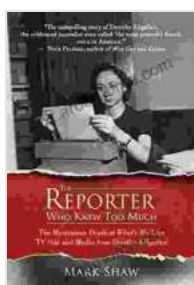


# The Mysterious Death of What My Line TV Star and Media Icon Dorothy Kilgallen

Dorothy Kilgallen was a famous American journalist, television personality, and author. She was best known for her work as a panelist on the popular television game show *What My Line?* and for her syndicated newspaper column, "The Voice of Broadway." Kilgallen was also a close friend of President John F. Kennedy and his wife, Jacqueline Kennedy.

In 1965, Kilgallen died under mysterious circumstances at the age of 52. Her death has been the subject of much speculation and controversy over the years. Some believe that she was murdered, while others believe that she died of natural causes. The truth about Kilgallen's death may never be known, but her story is a fascinating one that continues to intrigue people to this day.



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## **Early Life and Career**

Dorothy Kilgallen was born in Chicago, Illinois, on June 3, 1913. Her father was a newspaper reporter, and her mother was a schoolteacher. Kilgallen began her journalism career at the age of 16, when she got a job as a copy girl at the New York Evening Journal. She quickly rose through the ranks, and by the early 1940s, she was one of the most popular and respected journalists in the country.

In 1950, Kilgallen joined the panel of *What My Line?*, a popular television game show that featured four panelists trying to guess the occupation of a mystery guest. Kilgallen quickly became one of the most popular panelists on the show, and she remained a regular直到1965年去世.

In addition to her work on *What My Line?*, Kilgallen also wrote a syndicated newspaper column, "The Voice of Broadway." The column was a mix of gossip, commentary, and interviews with celebrities. Kilgallen was known for her sharp wit and her ability to get the scoop on the latest news stories.

## **Friendship With the Kennedys**

Kilgallen was a close friend of President John F. Kennedy and his wife, Jacqueline Kennedy. She first met Kennedy in 1952, when he was a senator from Massachusetts. Kilgallen and Kennedy quickly became friends, and they remained close until Kennedy's assassination in 1963.

Kilgallen was a strong supporter of Kennedy's presidency. She wrote several articles praising Kennedy's policies and his leadership. Kilgallen was also a close friend of Jacqueline Kennedy. She often wrote about Jacqueline Kennedy's fashion sense and her role as First Lady.

## **Mysterious Death**

On November 8, 1965, Kilgallen was found dead in her Manhattan apartment. She was 52 years old. The official cause of death was determined to be an accidental overdose of barbiturates. However, there have been many疑点 surrounding Kilgallen's death. Some believe that she was murdered, while others believe that she committed suicide.

There are several reasons why people suspect that Kilgallen was murdered. First, she was a close friend of President Kennedy, and she had knowledge of many of his secrets. Some believe that she was killed because she knew too much. Second, Kilgallen was investigating the assassination of President Kennedy at the time of her death. She was working on a book about the assassination, and she had interviewed many of the key witnesses.

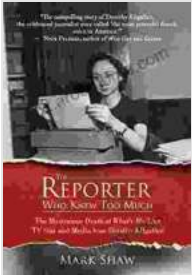
However, there is no concrete evidence to support the theory that Kilgallen was murdered. The official investigation into her death concluded that she died of an accidental overdose of barbiturates. Some people believe that Kilgallen committed suicide because she was depressed over the assassination of President Kennedy.

## **Legacy**

Dorothy Kilgallen was a talented journalist, television personality, and author. She was a pioneer for women in journalism, and she was one of the most popular and respected journalists of her time. Kilgallen's death was a tragedy, and her story continues to intrigue people to this day.

The death of Dorothy Kilgallen remains one of the most unsolved mysteries of the 20th century. There are many theories about what happened to her,

but the truth may never be known. Kilgallen was a talented journalist and a close friend of President Kennedy. Her death was a tragedy, and her story is a fascinating one that continues to intrigue people to this day.

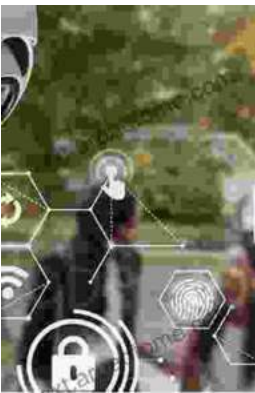


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