THE EDGE "Into the Past"



Gary St. Martin - gary@conventionvideo.com - 619 253-2007

A team of LAPD investigators are aided by a mysterious hacker as they investigate a decades-old cold case, soon finding themselves on the trail of a serial killer - one preparing to strike again.

SYNOPSIS

2003 - College student LILLY FINCH is trailed by a mysterious stalker across Griffith Park. The stalker shoves her to the ground and stabs her multiple times.

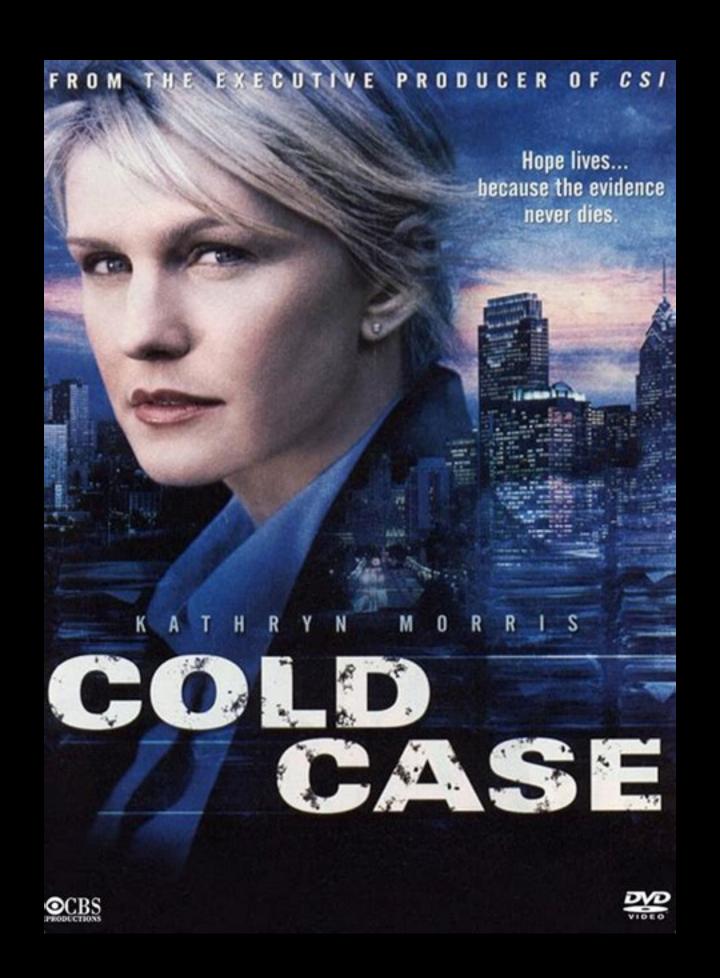
20 years later at a press conference Lilly's brother begs the LAPD to reopen the cold case.

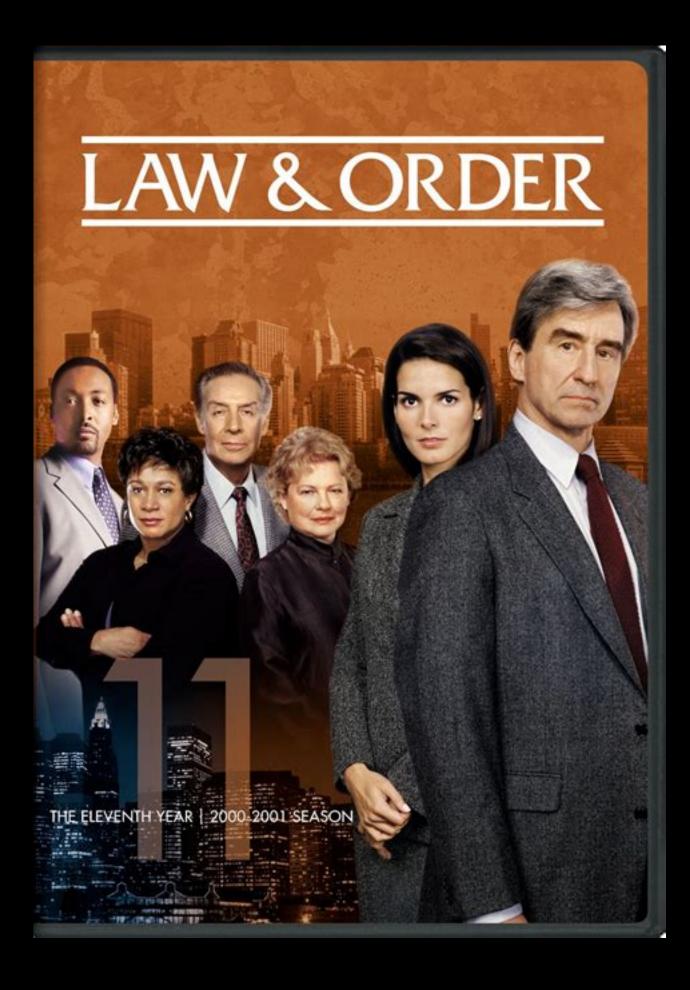
Captain Linda Martin agrees to take the lead on a new investigation into the case. She assembles her team and they quickly start questioning suspects. They bring in C J, a past love interest of Lilly's. Then out of nowhere an Encrypted email lands on Mr. Anderson's computer from an unknown hacker. The hacker attaches proof that C. J. is lying....



SHOW CROSS







CAPTAIN LINDA MARTIN

MAIN CHARACTER

Captain Linda Martin, 39, all business, direct, very organized and eccentric. Not your typical cop, very fashionable dressed, she could be a runway model.

She wants to be the best, she out paces everyone of her peers.

She will not fail...





ZARIA ANDERSON

COMPUTER TECHNICIAN

Zaria Anderson, 36 Computer Tech, in complete control of his world...

DETECTIVE MARTA LOPEZ

MAIN CHARACTER

Marta Lopez, 33, Detective III

Pretty, although not in an obvious way. Tough as nails, sexy, smart, knows how to deal with a though situation...





HACKER

MAIN CHARACTER

A mysterious informant hacker,
who starts be sending the cops
hacked information detailing
Lilly's movements on the night of
the murder and the identity of a
potential suspect

PILOT

THE EDGE immediately places itself in the crime thriller niche.

Right off the bat, we've got a gritty, detail-oriented true-crime-style serial killer story that shares a lot of common ground with, THE GIRL WITH THE DRAGON TATTOO.

Also some definite TWIN PEAKS vibes to be found in how the pilot handles Lilly's storyline, using Martin's investigation to reveal the details of her victim's melodramatic double life.

While the story's structure feels similar to classic mystery-driven police procedurals like CSI, and LAW AND ORDER, among others.

For most of the pilot's runtime, our murder mystery feels like it could easily be resolved by the end of the episode, with most elements playing out similarly to your standard mystery-of-the-week series - until the other three cases are revealed. The discovery that Lily's death is part of a chain totally upends our expectations; what once seemed like a simple mystery is now the beginning of something far bigger and darker, drawing us in deeper and keeping us hooked for the next episode.

This choice helps make the pilot stand out, giving it a unique X-factor that should help it in the market. Its ideas are familiar, but its execution - that twist in particular - presents those ideas in a way that feels fresh and entertaining, ensuring our attention is preserved.

EPISODE CONCEPTS

EPISODE 1: "INTO THE PAST"

"The Original" A team of LAPD investigators are aided by a mysterious hacker as they investigate a decade-old cold case.

EPISODE 2: "Another Killer"

When the serial killer moves up his timeline another killer adds to the confusion

EPISODE 3: "ONE DOWN"

One Killer is apprehended

EPISODE 4: "WHY KILL C.J."

C.J. gets in the way.

EPISODE 5: "ACCOMPLICE TO A CRIME"

The discovery of an additional person of interest pushes the investigation in a different direction.

EPISODE 6: "DARK MEMORIES"

Lilly memory brings several distant friends into the search.

EPISODE 7: "IT'S NOT MY FAULT"

When something goes wrong, the blame moves from one person to another.

EPISODE 8: "THE SILENCE IS LOUD"

Following a new lead divides the team into different paths.

FUTURE SEASONS

SEASON 1

Lilly Finch, a UCLA student is murdered.

SEASON 2

A new case brings added tensions to the team

SEASON 3

The trail goes cold...Then a new lead brings this case to a conclusion...



TONE

The series follows Captain Linda Martin and her team through the underbelly of the Los Angeles, digging through the old cold cases.

Her team, along with the HACKER dig into these hidden cases solving one after another...



