

1 what you had seen inside of Room 107 that night; did you?

2 A. No.

3 Q. You went directly to your room and shut the door;
4 right?

5 A. I didn't say that I locked the door, but I entered
6 the room.

7 Q. Okay. Did you close the door behind you?

8 A. The door closes always.

9 Q. Okay. But later on that night, when you were at
10 Kings County Hospital, you did speak to the police; didn't
11 you?

12 A. Personally, no.

13 Q. Well, did you speak with them some other way,
14 other than personally?

15 A. A policeman arrived who spoke with us through a
16 person named Eli Potack.

17 Q. Eli Potack was interpreting for you?

18 A. He was interpreting or translating, interpreting.

19 Q. But like I'm talking to you right now, you had a
20 translator; right?

21 A. With a few more people with me.

22 Q. Okay. And did the officer ask you questions
23 through the translator?

24 A. Yes.

25 Q. He asked you what happened?

1 A. Basically, what happened.

2 Q. Okay. And he asked you who hurt you; right?

3 A. Yes.

4 Q. And you didn't name anybody other than Geddy
5 Hershkop; did you?

6 A. I don't recall what I said exactly. I don't
7 remember if I said everybody's name or I didn't say.

8 Q. Did you give a description of anybody else?

9 A. It's possible.

10 Q. But you don't recall?

11 A. This detail, no.

12 Q. Isn't it true that you did not give a description
13 of anybody else?

14 A. Again? Come again?

15 Q. Isn't it true that you did not give a description
16 of anyone else other than Geddy Hershkop?

17 A. I don't know because there were a few people there
18 that together spoke with the policeman and maybe the
19 interpreter simply generally gave the general interpretation
20 of what we were all saying.

21 THE COURT: No, it's not what you were all
22 saying or we were all saying. Did you, personally, tell
23 the interpreter or speak through the interpreter and, in
24 doing so, give a description of the other people?

25 THE WITNESS: I can't remember that detail.