Children's Therapy

Interaction Play Therapy

The children interact with toys and figurines during therapy. Although they have individual sessions, they both appear to follow the same story line in which they are a character being guided by an evil character along with a good character that either dies or simply goes away.

Also of note are entries that correspond with a specific event at a specific time involving their father.

<u>Jack</u>

Theory:

Jack states he is the dragon. Dad is the skeleton. Mom is the king and wizard. The skeleton is the dragon's original owner. Jack is daddy's boy. The dragon is controlled by the King and fights the skeleton. Jack's mother begins alienation tactics. The day Jack tells the therapist he is going to talk to the judge about his father he also states that the skeleton was the dragon's original owner and has died. The dragon is now evil, and the wizard had taken over him and used him for his evil plans. Jack has self-guilt for betraying his father, but it is his mother controlling him.

- 5/13 Jack introduces a dragon, controlled by a king, fighting skeleton warriors.
- 5/27 Jack states a dragon is fighting multiple skeletons.
- 6/17 Jack identifies himself as the dragon.
- Jack states that he is going to talk to the judge about how daddy is treating them.

During the session Jack builds a house in the sand and places the skeleton inside. He states that the skeleton was the original owner of the dragon. The skeleton has died, and the dragon turned evil. That is when the wizard took over him and used him for his evil plans.