

Sheriff Puts 10 Detectives On Kim Wendy Allen Case

Long hours of leg work continued today as Sheriff's detectives sought an early break in the investigation of 19 year-old Kim Wendy Allen's murder.

Sheriff Don Stripeke assigned virtually his entire detective bureau, ten men in all, in hopes of developing a lead on the girl's whereabouts between 5:30 p.m. and midnight March 5.

Sheriff's Lt. Charles Kishbaugh said "time is of the ess-

ence because memories deteriorate quickly."

The Santa Rosa Junior College coed was last seen about 5 p.m. in Larkspur in Marin County, apparently en route to the freeway to hitch a ride home.

A pathologists report said she died about midnight.

Her body was found in a creekbed near a lonely road east of Santa Rosa the following day.

Twelve Sonoma County Sheriff's officers were in Marin County Saturday seeking to retrace the girl's steps.

Lt. Kishbaugh met with detectives for more than an hour this morning before officers returned to their legwork.

He said there are no promising leads.

"Hopefully someone will recall something or hear something or find something, he said.