

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL
FIRST DISTRICT, STATE OF FLORIDA

CHRISTOPHER RAY
BERRYHILL,

Appellant,

v.

STATE OF FLORIDA,

Appellee.

NOT FINAL UNTIL TIME EXPIRES TO
FILE MOTION FOR REHEARING AND
DISPOSITION THEREOF IF FILED

CASE NO. 1D14-3072

Opinion filed November 24, 2015.

An appeal from the Circuit Court for Duval County.
J. Bradford Stetson, Judge.

Nancy A. Daniels, Public Defender, and M.J. Lord, Assistant Public Defender,
Tallahassee, for Appellant.

Pamela Jo Bondi, Attorney General, and Matthew Pavese, Assistant Attorney
General, Tallahassee, for Appellee.

PER CURIAM.

Appellant Christopher Ray Berryhill appeals his judgment of conviction for
carjacking. Appellant was permitted to represent himself after a *Faretta*¹ inquiry

¹ Faretta v. California, 422 U.S. 806, 835, 95 S.Ct. 2525, 45 L.Ed.2d 562 (1975).

was conducted, and stand-by counsel was appointed. However, the trial court erroneously held that the suppression hearing was not a crucial stage of the proceedings below and did not adequately renew the offer of assistance of counsel; therefore, we are compelled to reverse. See Kears v. State, 858 So. 2d 348 (Fla. 1st DCA 2003); Fla. R. Crim. P. 3.111(d)(5).

Accordingly, appellant's judgment of conviction is REVERSED, his sentence is VACATED, and the cause is REMANDED.

WOLF, BILBREY, and WINOKUR, JJ., CONCUR.