



Victim: Michael Franklin Thomas

Age: 19
Sex: Male
Race: White

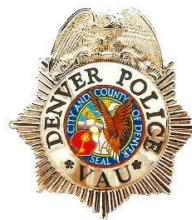
Case #: 79-519259

Date: 06/23/1979

Location: East Mississippi Avenue and South Lafayette Street

Synopsis: On the morning of June 23rd, 1979 a Denver Parks and Recreation employee noticed an individual inside of a sleeping bag within Washington Park. Upon closer observation, the Parks and Recreation employee noticed a significant amount of blood around the person's head. Members of the Denver Police Department and emergency service personnel responded to the scene. During the preliminary investigation it was determined that Michael Thomas was shot to death. A suspect has yet to be identified. Michael was just nineteen years of age at the time of his murder.

The Denver Police Department's Cold Case Unit is seeking information that will lead to the arrest and prosecution of the suspect(s) responsible for this murder. If you have information that could assist with this or any other unsolved case, you can help investigators by calling the **Denver Police Department at 720-913-2000 (24 hours a day - seven days a week) or by calling the **Crime Stoppers Tip Line at 720-913-STOP (7867)**. Callers may remain anonymous and receive a reward up to \$2,000.**



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