

“We Will Never Forget”

The Denver Police Department created the Cold Case Unit to continue the pursuit of justice for victims long thought forgotten. Dedicated and specially trained investigators utilize their diverse background and skills in concert with forensic experts and prosecutors who have a record of accomplishment and success in pursuing offenders, collectively to bring those responsible to justice.



Victim: Roxanne “Dixie” Valverde

Age: 34

Sex: Female

Race: Hispanic

Case #: 79-556518

Date: 12/18/1979

Location: 4600 Block Glencoe Street

Synopsis: On the evening of December 17th, 1979 Roxanne Valverde met friends at some local bars to watch the Denver Bronco game. The following morning, Roxanne Valverde’s body was found near the roadway at East 46th Avenue and Glencoe Street. Roxanne had been strangled. Roxanne was only thirty-four years old at the time of her death. Roxanne had a nickname of “Dixie”.

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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