



“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: Leonard McAdoo

Age: 30
Sex: Male
Race: Black

Case #: 74-168992

Date: 07/03/1974

Location: 1400 blk. Race Street

Synopsis: In the early morning hours of July 3rd, 1974 officers from the Denver Police Department responded to the area of East Colfax Avenue and Race Street on a report of a man down. Upon arrival, the body of Leonard McAdoo was discovered within the parking lot of the Aladdin Theater. During the on-scene investigation it was discovered that Mr. McAdoo was shot to death. Prior to his murder, Leonard McAdoo was at a local tavern. The suspect(s) responsible for Leonard McAdoo’s murder still remain unknown.

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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