



# ***BRPD News Item***

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Date:	06-05-14
Slug:	Murder Suspect Arrested
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#### Update June 6, 2014

CHRISTOPHER JACKSON, 22, 11160 SUSAN ST, was arrested yesterday morning by the U.S. Marshal's Fugitive Task Force for his involvement in Travis Mitchell's shooting that occurred on April 2, 2014 at 1409 North 35<sup>th</sup> St.

Detectives are still unclear on the motive for this shooting.

Jackson was booked into East Baton Rouge Parish Prison and charged with 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Murder.

#### Update 04-03-14

The victim in last night's shooting has been identified as TRAVIS MITCHELL, 25 of 1409 N.35<sup>th</sup> Street. MITCHELL died at the scene from gunshot injuries to the face and right arm pit area.

The motive and details surrounding this shooting are still being investigated. Anyone with information on this incident is urged to contact the Violent Crimes Unit at 389-4869 or Crime Stoppers at 344-7867.

#### Original 04-03-14

On 4/2/14 around 11:46pm, BRPD units responded to 1409 North 35<sup>th</sup> relative to a shooting. Upon arrival units discovered that numerous gunshots were fired resulting in a black male victim being struck by gunfire. The victim was pronounced dead at the scene. A black female victim was also struck by gunfire and was transported to BRGH Mid-City with non life threatening injuries. Identity of the black male victim is pending until relatives are notified. BRPD Homicide division is conducting the investigation