

\$ 250,000 Reward

Leading to the identification, apprehension and conviction of a serial homicide suspect.

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A series of homicides occurred on or near Ocean Beach between January 1974-June 1975. Throughout the years it was believed that there were five (5) homicide victims. As a result of a new investigation, it is believed that Warren Andrews may be the sixth victim of the same suspect. On April 27, 1975, Andrews was a victim of an assault/battery at Land's End. Andrews was found unconscious and never regained consciousness, dying approximately seven weeks later. All six (6) victims were believed to be Gay Caucasian males.

In July 1975, two different attacks on Gay Caucasian males occurred within two weeks of each other in the Fox Plaza Apartments. Both of the victims who were attacked lived on the same floor but did not know each other. It was determined by Homicide Inspectors at the time that there was a connection between the attacks at/near Ocean Beach and the attacks at the Fox Plaza Apartments.

One of the survivors from the Fox Plaza attacks had met the Suspect after the bars closed in July of 1975 at the "Truck Stop" diner near Market/Church St. The Suspect was drawing animal figures on a napkin. The suspect commented to the Victim that he was attending art school and was studying to be a cartoonist. The Victim believed the suspect to be skillful in drawing as he himself had a background in art. In October 1975, this survivor who spent the most significant amount of time with the suspect was able to provide Homicide Inspector's with specific suspect information which generated a composite of the suspect who committed the two attacks in the Fox Plaza.

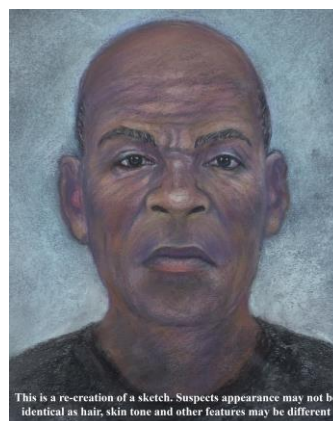
Soon after the initial suspect sketch was released, an anonymous phone call was made by a female to SFPD. This anonymous caller provided police with a name and a vehicle plate of a suspect. This female called twice within 10 days. We are looking to identify this caller. After this caller contacted SFPD it is believed that at least two different people also contacted SFPD providing the same suspect name. We would also want to speak with these individuals. The person named was interviewed by SFPD Homicide in January 1976 and he was considered a strong suspect. This same person interviewed by police in 1976 is still the focus of our investigation in 2023.

We believe there are other persons who may have survived attacks by this same suspect or may have information regarding this suspect and these attacks



African American Male 19-25 years old
5'11"-6'0" Medium Complexion, smooth skin
lanky in appearance.

1975 Forensic Sketch



This is a re-creation of a sketch. Suspects appearance may not be identical as hair, skin tone and other features may be different

2023 Forensic Sketch

If you have any information regarding these homicides/attacks please contact Cold Case Investigators Tom Newland@ 415 553-1144, Dominic Celaya @415 553-9856 Daniel Dedet (415 553-1450) or Daniel Cunningham (415 553-9515)

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