

Media Information



Columbus Division of Police
Major Crimes Bureau / Homicide Unit

Date: Update: October 16, 2020

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Type of Offense/Incident: Shooting - Homicide

Date: 8-13-2020

Time: 10:33PM

Location of Offense/Incident: 270 S/B at Hall Rd.

Zone: 3

Precinct: 10

Incident Report #: 200606230

Cruiser District: 100

Victim: Juvenile

Sex: Male

Race: Other

Age: 16

Victim: Juvenile

Sex: Male

Race: Other

Age: 17

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect: Levi Alexander Santiago

Address: 316 S. Burgess Ave, Columbus, Ohio

☒ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex: Male

Race: Hispanic

Age: 14

Charges: Murder

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

Incident Summary: Update: October 16, 2020: On October 16, 2020, Detective Gribi filed murder charges on Mr. Levi Alexander Santiago for Homicide 2020-0098. Mr. Santiago has been arrested for this crime.

On August 13, 2020, at approximately 10:33pm, the listed victims were traveling Southbound on I-270 at Hall Rd when unknown suspect(s) began shooting at their vehicle. Both victims were shot and were transported local area hospitals. Victim #1 was transported in critical/life threatening condition, and victim #2 was transported in stable condition. Victim #1 has been stabilized; however, is still in guarded condition. Victim #2 is expected to recover from his injuries.

Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to call the Columbus Police Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS.

Detective Jennifer Gribi is the lead detective on the case being assisted by Det. Todd Chapman.

This incident is still under investigation.

***UPDATE - Victim #1 succumbed to his injuries and was pronounced deceased by hospital personnel at 12:43 p.m. on 9/4/2020. This was the 98th Homicide in 2020.**

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