



# Media Information

Columbus Division of Police  
Homicide Bureau / Homicide Unit

Date: 02/07/25

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Ext:

Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide

Date: 12/05/24

Time: 4:48 PM

Location of Offense/Incident: 3400 block of Nutcreek Ct.

Zone: 1

Precinct: 6

Incident Report #: 240901346

Cruiser District: 61

Victim: Gerald K. Jackson

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: 38

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect: Dasha S. Vinson

Address:

☒ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex: Female

Race: Black

Age: 38

Charges: Murder

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

## Incident Summary:

\*\*\* UPDATE: The previously unnamed female, now identified as DASHA VINSON, age 38, was indicted for Murder after detectives received new evidence. On February 7, 2025, Columbus SWAT officers arrested Vinson without incident. Vinson was slated into the Franklin County Jail. \*\*\*

On December 5, 2024, at 4:48 PM, Columbus Police officers were dispatched to the 3400 block of Nutcreek Ct. on a reported shooting. Upon arrival, the officers located one victim, identified as GERALD JACKSON, age 38, suffering from a gunshot wound. Clinton Township Fire medics transported Jackson to a local hospital, where he was pronounced deceased at 5:28 PM. Next of kin notification has been made.

An adult female identified herself at the scene as the person who shot Jackson. The adult female, whose identity is being withheld at this time, claimed self-defense after being threatened by Jackson. The preliminary investigation revealed domestic violence as a possible motive. The investigation continues and the adult female is cooperating with detectives.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to call Columbus Police Detective Pribe at (614) 645-0114, the Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730, or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477). Detective Pribe is the lead detective on the case and is being assisted by Detective Jude.

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