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January 7, 2009

Location: New Orleans, LA

Victim(s): Wendy Byrne 39

Attacker(s): Drey Lewis 14, Reggie Douglas 15, Ernest Cloud 15

Description: The trio walked up to Wendy and demanded money. She complied, but instead of taking the money, Douglas shot Wendy, before they fled the scene. Lewis was wearing an ankle bracelet at the time as part of the terms of his probation.

Archive.is Link(s):

<https://archive.is/w0SKl> Story on the crime 1-2009.

<https://archive.is/7Xiuf> Lewis was wearing an ankle bracelet.

<https://archive.is/wXphN> Cloud is back in jail.

<https://archive.is/H1bwT> Lewis is killed on a street in New Orleans, and is believed by police to be involved in multiple killings prior to his murder 3-2017. Lewis pleaded guilty to manslaughter in 2012 and was sentenced to 10 years. Douglas was found to have an IQ 56, and was said to be mentally ill and incompetent to stand trial. He was released from a mental hospital a few years ago. Cloud agreed to a plea bargain that saw him get 10 years for manslaughter, with early release, in exchange for testifying against Douglas, and getting his GED.

<https://archive.is/JmzBW> Another story on the 2009 crime, along with follow ups on what happened to each of the defendants.

<https://archive.is/rScKh> A writeup of what happened.

<https://archive.li/TFZ8s> Byrne surname info Ancestry.com.

<https://archive.li/ydjLS> Byrne surname wikipedia entry.

<https://archive.li/A2zJB> Byrne surname info house of names.

<https://archive.li/zZUIU> Byrne surname info surname database.