

ARMED ROBBERY SUBJECTS ARRESTED

On January 3, 2026, at approximately 4:20 p.m., City of Miami police officers responded to the area of Miami Avenue and NE 41st Street following reports of a male who had been shot.

Upon arrival, officers contacted the victim, who reported he had been robbed and shot. The victim stated that he was shopping when he was approached by three suspects, one of whom he had a prior conflict originating from the Atlanta area. During the encounter, an argument ensued inside a store, during which one suspect forcibly removed a gold chain from the victim's neck, valued at approximately \$22,000, and fled the scene.

As the victim attempted to pursue the suspect, he was shot by an unidentified male. The suspects then fled the area in a white Mercedes-Benz.

Detectives from the Miami Police Department's Tactical Robbery Unit (TRU) quickly identified and located the suspect vehicle parked near NE 10th Avenue and NE 91st Terrace. During continued surveillance, detectives observed the suspects abandon the vehicle and move through a nearby residential area before entering a residence in the 800 block of NE 90th Street.

A residential search warrant was executed, resulting in the arrest of 3 suspects involved. During the search, detectives recovered the victim's gold chain, keys to the suspect vehicle, and clothing worn during the robbery.

"This arrest sends a clear message: violent crime will not be tolerated in the City of Miami. Individuals who commit acts of violence in our city will be identified, located, and held fully accountable. Our officers and detectives remain relentless in their pursuit of those who threaten public safety, and Miami is not a place where violent offenders can hide."

- Manuel A. Morales, Chief of Police

See attached arrest affidavits.

Anyone with information or who has been victimized by the suspect is urged to contact the Miami Police Department's Robbery Unit at (305) 603-6370. Those with information that wish to remain anonymous can contact Miami-Dade Crime Stoppers at (305) 471- TIPS (8477), visit www.crimestoppersmiami.com and select "Give a Tip" or Send a text message to 274637. Enter CSMD followed by tip information and press send.

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