

# *Shreveport Police Dept.*



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## **Warrant obtained for man accused of murder**



Suspect Tevin Johnson

Shreveport Police Violent Crimes detectives are actively seeking the whereabouts of a man they suspect is responsible for the shooting death of a local man back in July.

Back on July 1, 2017, Shreveport Police patrol officers were called to a shooting in the 3700 block of Flora Avenue. Officers arrived to find two males shot at this location, one suffering fatal injuries. The deceased was identified as 20 year old Benjamin Finney Jr. of Shreveport. The second victim, identified as Christopher Hayes, also of Shreveport, was suffering injuries from being shot multiple times, and was transported via ambulance to University Health hospital for his injuries.

Preliminary information and evidence gathered at the scene of the shooting suggested the victims were traveling near the intersection of Jewella Avenue at Hollywood Avenue, when the car they were in came under fire by suspects driving what was described as a silver colored Cadillac. Since the investigation into the shooting began, authorities have worked tirelessly to gather additional leads into the tragic event. Those efforts have since led to the procuring of an arrest warrant for 22 year old Tevin Johnson, of the 4000 block of Miles Street in Shreveport. Johnson is wanted on a single count of Second Degree Murder. Bond in the matter has been set at \$750,000.00. Persons with any information on the whereabouts of Tevin Johnson are urged to contact Crimestoppers at (318) 673-7373 or visit their website at: [www.lockemup.org](http://www.lockemup.org). Crimestoppers is offering a reward for information leading to the arrest of Johnson.

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