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UPDATE* Man charged following weekend homicide**



Suspect Clarence Youngblood Jr.

Shreveport Police have jailed a man following the shooting death of another early Saturday morning.

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Investigators immediately launched their investigation and worked through the day to identify that man believed responsible for the shooting as 50-year-old Clarence Youngblood Jr, also of the 3100 block of West Caperton Street. Following interviews with investigators, Youngblood was booked into the Shreveport City Jail on one count of Second Degree Murder.

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Overnight shooting leaves man dead

Shreveport Police detectives are in the early stages of an investigation into a shooting which left one man dead in west Shreveport overnight.

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Based on preliminary information, authorities learned residents reported hearing several gunshots fired, prior to seeing the victim on the ground. There were no immediate descriptions available of potential suspects; however, investigators are working to gather additional information and evidence in relation to this matter.

Persons who have any information regarding this shooting are urged to contact Crimestoppers at (318) 673-7373 or visit P3tips.com. Crimestoppers is offering a reward of \$1,000.00 dollars for information leading to the arrest of the person or persons responsible for this crime.

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