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Man charged in shooting, critically injuring local woman

A Shreveport woman remains in critical condition Monday morning, while her accused attacker faces attempted murder charges.

Shortly after 7:30 p.m. on May 22, 2016, Shreveport Police patrol officers were called to the 6600 block of Liberty Street relative to a shooting. As officers arrived at the scene, it was learned the victim, 39 year old Mariam Tamica Harley, was suffering what appeared to be multiple gunshot wounds to the body. Harley was taken via ambulance to University Health where she remains in critical condition.

Investigators with the Shreveport Police Department's Violent Crimes Unit responded to the scene of the crime, immediately launching an investigation. Authorities detained 48 year old Steven Killingworth of Grand Prairie Texas, on scene at the crime. Preliminary information and evidence gathered at the scene suggests Killingworth was the alleged gunman responsible for shooting Harley. Killingworth reportedly arrived at Harley's residence unannounced and confronted her with a gun. When Harley attempted to leave, it is believed Killingworth opened fire striking Harley multiple times. It was gathered Harley and Killingworth had dated previously and had recently ended their relationship. Investigators believe a gun recovered at the scene of the crime is the weapon used in the shooting. Killingworth was transported to University Health for treatment of injuries he received as he was subdued by persons there at the scene. Killingworth has been charged with a single count of Attempted Second Degree Murder. Following his release from the hospital, Killingworth will be booked into the Shreveport City Jail.

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