

# 2016 LINE-OF-DUTY DEATHS\*



**Corporal Harvey Snook III**  
Arlington County P.D., VA  
**EOW: January 14, 2016**  
Cause of Death: 9/11-related illness



**Police Officer Thomas W. Cottrell Jr.**  
Danville P.D., OH  
**EOW: January 17, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Douglas Scott Barney II**  
Unified P.D. of Greater Salt Lake, UT  
**EOW: January 17, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Correctional Officer Adam Conrad**  
Marion County Sheriff's Office, IL  
**EOW: January 20, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Special Agent Scott McGuire**  
U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement  
**EOW: January 24, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Vehicular assault



**Sergeant Jason Goodding**  
Seaside P.D., OR  
**EOW: February 5, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Deputy Sheriff Derek Geer**  
Mesa County Sheriff's Office, CO  
**EOW: February 8, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Deputy Sheriff Scott Ballantyne**  
Tulare County Sheriff's Office, CA  
**EOW: February 10, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Aircraft accident



**Senior Deputy Mark F. Logsdon**  
Harford County Sheriff's Office, MD  
**EOW: February 10, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Senior Deputy Patrick B. Dailey**  
Harford County Sheriff's Office, MD  
**EOW: February 10, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Major Gregory E. Barney**  
Riverdale P.D., GA  
**EOW: February 11, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Jason Moszer**  
Fargo P.D., ND  
**EOW: February 11, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Special Agent Lee Tartt**  
MS Dept. of Public Safety Bureau of Narcotics  
**EOW: February 20, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Corporal Nate Carrigan**  
Park County Sheriff's Office, CO  
**EOW: February 24, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Officer Ashley Marie Guindon**  
Prince William County P.D., VA  
**EOW: February 27, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Deputy Sheriff Travis Russell**  
Las Animas County Sheriff's Office, CO  
**EOW: March 1, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Police Officer David Stefan Hofer**  
Euless P.D., TX  
**EOW: March 1, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Scot Fitzgerald**  
South Jacksonville P.D., IL  
**EOW: March 4, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Trooper Sean E. Cullen**  
NJ State Police  
**EOW: March 8, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Struck by vehicle



**Deputy Sheriff John Robert Kotfila Jr.**  
Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office, FL  
**EOW: March 12, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Vehicular assault



**Officer Nathan Taylor**  
CA Highway Patrol  
**EOW: March 13, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Struck by vehicle



**Police Officer I Jacai D. Colson**  
Prince George's County P.D., MD  
**EOW: March 13, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire (Accidental)



**Patrolman David Ortiz**  
El Paso P.D., TX  
**EOW: March 14, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Motorcycle accident



**First Sergeant Joseph G. Portaro**  
WV State Police  
**EOW: March 14, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Heart attack



**Trooper Thomas L. Clardy**  
MA State Police  
**EOW: March 16, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Police Officer III Allen Lee Jacobs**  
Greenville P.D., SC  
**EOW: March 18, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Deputy Sheriff Carl A. Koontz**  
Howard County Sheriff's Office, IN  
**EOW: March 20, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Susan Louise Farrell**  
Des Moines P.D., IA  
**EOW: March 26, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Vehicular assault



**Police Officer Carlos Puente-Morales**  
Des Moines P.D., IA  
**EOW: March 26, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Vehicular assault



**Trooper Jeffrey Nichols**  
TX Highway Patrol  
**EOW: March 26, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Trooper Chad Phillip Dermeyer**  
VA State Police  
**EOW: March 31, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Steven Michael Smith**  
Columbus Division of Police, OH  
**EOW: April 12, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Border Patrol Agent Jose Daniel Barraza**  
U.S. Border Patrol  
**EOW: April 18, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Sergeant Jorge Ramos**  
FL Dept. of Corrections  
**EOW: May 1, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Heart attack



**Investigator Anthony "TJ" Freeman**  
Bibb County Sheriff's Office, GA  
**EOW: May 5, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Vehicle pursuit



**Detective Brad D. Lancaster**  
Kansas City P.D., KS  
**EOW: May 9, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer David Van Glasser**  
Phoenix P.D., AZ  
**EOW: May 19, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Sean Richard Johnson**  
Hilliard Division of Police, OH  
**EOW: May 19, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Motorcycle accident



**Police Officer Ronald Tarentino Jr.**  
Auburn P.D., MA  
**EOW: May 22, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Deputy Sheriff Michael Arthur Winter**  
Branch County Sheriff's Office, MI  
**EOW: May 31, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Animal-related



**Sergeant Derrick Mingo**  
Winnsboro P.D., LA  
**EOW: June 4, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Police Officer Verdell Smith Sr.**  
Memphis P.D., TN  
**EOW: June 4, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Vehicular assault



**Police Officer Natasha Maria Hunter**  
New Orleans P.D., LA  
**EOW: June 7, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Vehicular assault



**Deportation Officer Brian Beliso**  
U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement  
**EOW: June 8, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Heart attack



**Police Officer Endy Nddiobong Ekpanya**  
Pearland P.D., TX  
**EOW: June 12, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Vehicular assault

\*Through December 8





**Police Officer Michael Jason Katherman**

San Jose P.D., CA  
EOW: June 14, 2016  
Cause of Death: Motorcycle accident



**Police Officer Zachary Tyler Larnerd**

Gainesboro P.D., TN  
EOW: June 15, 2016  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Sergeant Stacey Allen Baumgartner**

Patton Village P.D., TX  
EOW: June 19, 2016  
Cause of Death: Vehicle pursuit



**Deputy Sheriff David Francis Michel Jr.**

Jefferson Parish Sheriff's Office, LA  
EOW: June 22, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Deputy Sheriff Martin Tase Sturgill II**

Humphreys County Sheriff's Office, TN  
EOW: June 30, 2016  
Cause of Death: Heart attack



**Sergeant David Kyle Elahi**

Sterlington P.D., LA  
EOW: July 3, 2016  
Cause of Death: Vehicular assault



**Deputy Sheriff Paul Clark**

St. Francois County Sheriff's Office, MO  
EOW: July 4, 2016  
Cause of Death: Vehicular assault



**Police Officer Calvin "Mark" McCullers**

Southern Methodist University P.D., TX  
EOW: July 5, 2016  
Cause of Death: Drowned



**Senior Corporal Lorne Bradley Ahrens**

Dallas P.D., TX  
EOW: July 7, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Michael Leslie Krol**

Dallas P.D., TX  
EOW: July 7, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Sergeant Michael Joseph Smith**

Dallas P.D., TX  
EOW: July 7, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Patricio E. Zamarripa**

Dallas P.D., TX  
EOW: July 7, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Brent Alan Thompson**

Dallas Area Rapid Transit P.D., TX  
EOW: July 7, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Public Safety Officer Michael Joshua Ventura**

Town of Salem Dept. of Public Safety, WI  
EOW: July 8, 2016  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Security Supervisor Joseph P. Zangaro**

Berrien County Sheriff's Dept., MI  
EOW: July 11, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Court Officer Ronald Eugene Kienzle**

Berrien County Sheriff's Dept., MI  
EOW: July 11, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Marco Antonio Zarate**

Bellaire P.D., TX  
EOW: July 12, 2016  
Cause of Death: Vehicle pursuit



**Corrections Officer Mari Johnson**

TX Dept. of Criminal Justice  
EOW: July 16, 2016  
Cause of Death: Assault



**Corporal Montrell Lyle Jackson**

Baton Rouge P.D., LA  
EOW: July 17, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Deputy Sheriff Bradford Allen Garafola**

East Baton Rouge Parish Sheriff's Office, LA  
EOW: July 17, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Matthew Lane Gerald**

Baton Rouge P.D., LA  
EOW: July 17, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Correctional Officer Kristopher D. Moules**

Luzerne County Correctional Facility, PA  
EOW: July 18, 2016  
Cause of Death: Assault



**Captain Robert David Melton**

Kansas City P.D., KS  
EOW: July 19, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Jonathan M. DeGuzman**

San Diego P.D., CA  
EOW: July 28, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Sergeant Shawn Miller**

West Des Moines P.D., IA  
EOW: August 3, 2016  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Police Officer Justin Scherlen**

Amarillo P.D., TX  
EOW: August 4, 2016  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Special Agent De'Greau Frazier**

TN Bureau of Investigation  
EOW: August 9, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Corporal Bill Cooper**

Sebastian County Sheriff's Office, AR  
EOW: August 10, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Border Patrol Agent Manuel Alvarez**

U.S. Border Patrol  
EOW: August 11, 2016  
Cause of Death: Motorcycle accident



**Police Officer Jose Ismael Chavez**

Hatch P.D., NM  
EOW: August 12, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Timothy Kevin Smith**

Eastman P.D., GA  
EOW: August 13, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Shannon Brown**

Fenton P.D., LA  
EOW: August 13, 2016  
Cause of Death: Struck by vehicle



**Police Officer Kenneth Ray Moats**

Maryville P.D., TN  
EOW: August 25, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Senior Police Officer Leander Frank**

Navajo Division of Public Safety, TR  
EOW: August 30, 2016  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Police Officer Clint Corvinus**

Alamogordo P.D., NM  
EOW: September 2, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Senior Police Officer Amir Abdul-Khaliq**

Austin P.D., TX  
EOW: September 4, 2016  
Cause of Death: Motorcycle accident



**Lieutenant Waldemar Rivera-Santiago**

Puerto Rico P.D., PR  
EOW: September 5, 2016  
Cause of Death: Motorcycle accident



**Deputy Sheriff Kenneth Hubert Maltby**

Eastland County Sheriff's Office, TX  
EOW: September 7, 2016  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Master Deputy Sheriff Brandon Collins**

Johnson County Sheriff's Office, KS  
EOW: September 11, 2016  
Cause of Death: Vehicular assault



**K9 Officer Timothy James Brackeen**

Shelby P.D., NC  
EOW: September 12, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Robert Aaron Barker**

McCrary P.D., AR  
EOW: September 15, 2016  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Patrol Officer Jason Gallero**

Cook County Sheriff's P.D., IL  
EOW: September 15, 2016  
Cause of Death: Duty-related illness



**Trooper Kenneth V. Velez**

OH State Highway Patrol  
EOW: September 15, 2016  
Cause of Death: Struck by vehicle



**Correctional Officer Kenneth Bettis**

AL Dept. of Corrections  
EOW: September 16, 2016  
Cause of Death: Stabbed



**Sergeant Kenneth Steil**

Detroit P.D., MI  
EOW: September 17, 2016  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Sergeant Kerry Winters**

Ulster County Sheriff's Office, NY  
EOW: September 22, 2016  
Cause of Death: Drowned





**Agent Edwin Pabón-Robles**  
Puerto Rico P.D., PR  
**EOW: September 23, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Corrections Officer David M. Weaver**  
PA Dept. of Corrections  
**EOW: September 26, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Fall



**Deputy Sheriff John Thomas Isenhour**  
Forsyth County Sheriff's Office, NC  
**EOW: September 28, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Struck by vehicle



**Corporal Robert Eugene Ransom**  
Gregg County Sheriff's Office, TX  
**EOW: September 30, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Heart attack



**Sergeant Steve Owen**  
Los Angeles County Sheriff's Dept., CA  
**EOW: October 5, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Investigator Paul R. Stuewer**  
NY State Police  
**EOW: October 5, 2016**  
Cause of Death: 9/11-related illness



**Agent Victor Rosado-Rosa**  
Puerto Rico P.D., PR  
**EOW: October 5, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Motorcycle accident



**Police Officer Blake Curtis Snyder**  
St. Louis County P.D., MO  
**EOW: October 6, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Lesley Zerebny**  
Palm Springs P.D., CA  
**EOW: October 8, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Jose Gilbert Vega**  
Palm Springs P.D., CA  
**EOW: October 8, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Sergeant Luis A. Meléndez-Maldonado**  
Puerto Rico P.D., PR  
**EOW: October 12, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Aaron J. Christian**  
Chesapeake P.D., OH  
**EOW: October 18, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Deputy Sheriff Jack Hopkins**  
Modoc County Sheriff's Office, CA  
**EOW: October 19, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Sergeant Alfonso Lopez**  
Los Angeles County Sheriff's Dept., CA  
**EOW: October 24, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Trooper Timothy P. Pratt**  
NY State Police  
**EOW: October 26, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Struck by vehicle



**Sergeant Allen Brandt**  
Fairbanks P.D., AK  
**EOW: October 28, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer James Brockmeyer**  
Chester P.D., IL  
**EOW: October 28, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Vehicle pursuit



**Police Officer Myron Jarrett**  
Detroit P.D., MI  
**EOW: October 28, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Vehicular assault



**Deputy Sheriff Dan Glaze**  
Rusk County Sheriff's Office, WI  
**EOW: October 29, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Sergeant Rod Lucas**  
Fresno County Sheriff's Office, CA  
**EOW: October 31, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire (Accidental)



**Deputy Sheriff Scott Williams**  
Taylor County Sheriff's Office, FL  
**EOW: October 31, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Police Officer Jorge Sanchez**  
Miami P.D., FL  
**EOW: November 1, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Police Officer Justin Scott Martin**  
Urbandale P.D., IA  
**EOW: November 2, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Sergeant Anthony David Beminio**  
Des Moines P.D., IA  
**EOW: November 2, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Sergeant Paul Tuozzolo**  
New York City P.D., NY  
**EOW: November 4, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Sergeant Patrick Michael Sondron**  
Peach County Sheriff's Office, GA  
**EOW: November 6, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Cody Brotherson**  
West Valley City P.D., UT  
**EOW: November 6, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Vehicular assault



**Police Officer Darrin Reed**  
Show Low P.D., AZ  
**EOW: November 8, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Deputy Sheriff Daryl Smallwood**  
Peach County Sheriff's Office, GA  
**EOW: November 8, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Police Officer Jude Williams Lewis**  
New Orleans P.D., LA  
**EOW: November 8, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Police Officer Scott Leslie Bashioum**  
Canonsburg Borough P.D., PA  
**EOW: November 10, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Deputy Sheriff Dennis Wallace**  
Stanislaus County Sheriff's Dept., CA  
**EOW: November 13, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Deputy Sheriff Justin White**  
Newton County Sheriff's Office, GA  
**EOW: November 15, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Border Patrol Agent David Gomez**  
U.S. Border Patrol  
**EOW: November 16, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Heart attack



**Assistant Commander Kenneth Joseph Starrs**  
South TX Specialized Crimes and Narcotics Task Force  
**EOW: November 16, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Struck by train



**Deputy Commander Patrick Thomas Carothers**  
U.S. Marshals Service  
**EOW: November 18, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Detective Benjamin Edward Marconi**  
San Antonio P.D., TX  
**EOW: November 20, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Deputy Sheriff Eric James Oliver**  
Nassau County Sheriff's Office, FL  
**EOW: November 22, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Struck by vehicle



**Trooper Eric Dale Ellsworth**  
UT Highway Patrol  
**EOW: November 22, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Struck by vehicle



**Sergeant Collin James Rose**  
Wayne State University P.D., MI  
**EOW: November 23, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Trooper Cody James Donahue**  
CO State Patrol  
**EOW: November 25, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Struck by vehicle



**Police Officer Reginald "Jake" Gutierrez**  
Tacoma P.D., WA  
**EOW: November 30, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Trooper Frankie Williams**  
NJ State Police  
**EOW: December 5, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Deputy Sheriff Ryan Thomas**  
Valencia County Sheriff's Office, NM  
**EOW: December 6, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Automobile accident



**Police Officer Nicholas Ryan Smarr**  
Americus P.D., GA  
**EOW: December 7, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire



**Public Safety Officer Jody Smith**  
GA Southwestern State University Dept. of Public Safety  
**EOW: December 8, 2016**  
Cause of Death: Gunfire