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Homicide Investigation

The Birmingham Police Department reports that detectives are conducting a homicide investigation. The incident occurred Friday, December 25, 2015 in the 5000 Block of Martin Luther Avenue.

The victim's name is being withheld pending next of kin notifications.

On Friday, December 25, 2015 around 2:00 am., officers from the West Precinct responded to the listed location on a person shot. Upon arrival, officers located the victim inside his car suffering from multiple gunshot wounds to the body. The victim was pronounced deceased at the scene by Birmingham Fire and Rescue.

Our preliminary investigation revealed neighbors saw the victim's vehicle pull up on the street and later heard gun shots. It appeared the shooter was inside the vehicle with the victim. This is an ongoing homicide investigation and additional information will be released as it becomes available.

If there is anyone who has information pertaining to the case, please contact the B.P.D. Homicide Unit @ 254-1764 or Crime Stoppers @ 254-7777.