



U.S. Marshals Service Fugitive Task Forces

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REGIONAL FUGITIVE TASK FORCES CATCH OF THE WEEK

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TAKING THE WORST OF THE WORST OFF THE STREETS

New York/New Jersey Regional Fugitive Task Force (NY/NJ RFTF)

On August 15, 2007, Rondolfo Godinez and a juvenile subject were arrested in the greater Washington, DC area by members of NY/NJ RFTF and the Capital Area Regional Fugitive Task Force (CARFTF), along with personnel from numerous other law enforcement agencies. Authorities in Newark, NJ wanted Godinez and the juvenile subject for conspiracy charges relating to the execution-style shootings of four students from Delaware State College, three of whom died. Authorities in Newark quickly identified numerous suspects associated with this crime, and took several into custody. Further investigation identified Godinez, an undocumented alien from Nicaragua, and the juvenile subject as alleged coconspirators to the shooting incident. On August 15, 2007, the Newark Police Department requested assistance from NY/NJ RFTF in locating and apprehending Godinez and the juvenile subject. Investigators quickly developed information indicating that Godinez and the juvenile fled to the Washington, DC area. NY/NJ RFTF units traveled to that area, and with assistance from CARFTF and other agencies established surveillance on several sites. Investigators later identified Godinez's location in Oxon Hill, MD, responded to that site, and safely took him into custody. Incident to Godinez's arrest, investigators also took nine other subjects into custody, including documented members of the **MS 13** gang. Shortly after investigators took Godinez into custody, they identified the juvenile's location in Woodbridge, VA and safely took him into custody there. Both Godinez and the juvenile subject remain in custody pending extradition to New Jersey.



Rondolfo Godinez

**Wanted for:
Conspiracy**

Gulf Coast Regional Fugitive Task Force (GCRFTF)

On August 17, 2007, Sean Sebastian Lane was arrested at Fort Rucker, AL by members of GCRFTF. Authorities in Baldwin County (AL) wanted Lane for Solicitation of a Minor, Transmitting Obscene Material, and Enticing a Child. The charges against Lane result from his alleged communication with an officer from the Gulf Shores, AL Police Department, who posed online as a thirteen year old girl. Lane's communications included e-mail messages of a sexual nature, to include arrangements he allegedly made to meet for sex. Lane also allegedly transmitted sexually explicit images and video. Investigators identified Lane's location, responded to that site, and safely took him into custody.



Sean Lane

**Wanted for:
Solicitation of a Minor**

Southeast Regional Fugitive Task Force (SERFTF)

On August 15, 2007, Deanna Griffin was arrested in Marietta, GA by members of SERFTF, agents from the US State Department, and deputies from the Cobb County (GA) Sheriff's Office. The Milwaukee County (WI) Sheriff's Department wanted Griffin for multiple counts of Armed Robbery after she and an accomplice allegedly robbed multiple businesses at gunpoint. Authorities in Wisconsin also sought Griffin for Probation Violation and Theft. Investigators from the Great Lakes Regional Fugitive Task Force (GLRFTF) developed information indicating that Griffin fled to Georgia, and contacted SERFTF for assistance. SERFTF investigators learned that Griffin began working as a stripper at several clubs surrounding Atlanta, GA, and that she assumed several aliases to avoid apprehension. Investigators later confirmed Griffin's location in Marietta, responded to that site, and safely took her into custody. Griffin remains in custody pending extradition to Wisconsin.



Deanna Griffin

**Wanted for:
Armed Robbery**

Pacific Southwest Regional Fugitive Task Force (PSWRFTF)

On August 12, 2007, Jose Garcia Alvarado was arrested in Pomona, CA by members of PSWRFTF, deputies from the San Bernardino County (CA) Sheriff's Department (SBSD), and agents from the California Department of Corrections. SBSBD wanted Alvarado for Murder after he allegedly killed a person during a drug-related incident in Victorville, CA in April 2007. Authorities also developed information indicating Alvarado participated in another killing in March 2007. Shortly after the killing in Victorville, SBSBD contacted PSWRFTF and requested assistance in locating and apprehending Alvarado. Investigators developed information indicating that Alvarado fled to a residence in Pomona, responded to that site, and established surveillance. Investigators later observed Alvarado enter a vehicle, moved in, and safely took him into custody following a felony traffic stop. During a later search of Alvarado's vehicle, investigators located and seized approximately one half pound of methamphetamine. Alvarado faces two counts of Homicide, as well as additional charges relating to the narcotics seized from his vehicle.



Jose Garcia Alvarado
Wanted for:
Murder

Great Lakes Regional Fugitive Task Force (GLRFTF)

On August 16, 2007, Daniel Shotts was arrested in Mishawaka, IN by members of GLRFTF. The Huntsville, AL Police Department (HPD) wanted Shotts for Receiving Stolen Property after he allegedly received and then sold more than one million dollars in stolen computer chips. Authorities also consider Shotts a suspect in the shooting death of an alleged co-conspirator. Acting on information provided by HPD and the St. Joseph County (IN) Metro Homicide Unit, GLRFTF located Shotts at a residence in Mishawaka. Surveillance units later observed an individual matching Shotts' description, at which time investigators moved in, positively identified the subject as Shotts, and safely took him into custody. Incident to Shotts' arrest, investigators seized a loaded .38 caliber handgun. Shotts, a previously convicted felon, faces additional firearms related charges.



Daniel Shotts
Wanted for:
Receiving Stolen Property

Capital Area Regional Fugitive Task Force (CARFTF)

On August 13, 2007, Kenneth Borders was arrested in Capitol Heights, MD by members of CARFTF. Two days later on August 15, CARFTF also took William Cash and a juvenile subject into custody in the Washington, DC area. Authorities wanted Borders, Cash, and the juvenile for charges relating to an incident on August 06, 2007. On that date, these subjects, along with a fourth individual, allegedly attempted to rob an off-duty police officer at gunpoint. The officer drew his service weapon in self-defense and wounded one assailant during a brief exchange of gunfire. After arresting one individual, the Prince Georges's County (MD) Police Department contacted CARFTF for assistance in locating and apprehending the remaining suspects. Investigators identified the three subjects' location throughout the metropolitan Washington, DC area, responded to those sites, and safely took all three into custody.



**Kenneth Borders &
William Cash (bottom)**
Wanted for:
Assault