

## \$ 100,000 Reward Leading to the Identification and Prosecution of a Serial Homicide Suspect

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In July, 1975, within two weeks of each other, two separate attacks upon gay white males occurred inside of the Fox Plaza Apartments located at 1390 Market Street. Prior to one attack the victim met the suspect, who was drawing caricatures, at a former all night diner on the 1600 block of Market Street. Both victims provided a suspect description of a black male, approximately 19-25 years old, 5'11"-6'0", lanky in appearance, with a medium complexion and smooth skin. One of the surviving victims provided further information to police, which resulted in a composite sketch of the suspect shown below.

From January 1974 to June 1975, there were also a series of five homicides of gay white males that occurred along the Ocean Beach area. The manner and methods of attacks, circumstances surrounding the homicides, and investigative/evidentiary led Investigators to believe that the suspect from the Fox Plaza attacks was also a person of interest in these five homicides.

During one of the homicides there was an audio tape of a call to police dispatch regarding a possible homicide and the caller is yet to be identified. The investigation thus far had led Police to believe the suspect lived in the Bay Area, but outside of San Francisco and would come into the city at night-time on weekends. Information also indicates there is a likelihood of additional victims who may have survived attempted attacks but have not come forward to document the incidents.

1975 Forensic Sketch



African American Male 19-25 years old  
5'11"-6'0" Medium Complexion, smooth skin  
lanky in appearance.

2018 Forensic Sketch



This is an age progression sketch (based on the  
original composite which appears on the left), as to  
how the suspect may possibly look in 2018.

If you have any information, please contact Homicide Inspector Cunningham at (415) 553-9515, Inspector Dedet (415) 553-1450 or Sergeants McWilliams at (415) 553-9208. You may also contact the SFPD Anonymous tip line (415) 575-4444 or Text-A-Tip to TIP411 with SFPD at the beginning of the message.

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