



San Diego County Sheriff's Department

Homicide Detail

Media Information

SUBJECT: Cold Case Homicide Arrest

LOCATION: Interstate 8 at Tavern Road, Alpine

DATE: October 13th, 2005

VICTIM: Daniel Rodriguez

SUSPECTS: Jose Reyna
Rashad Lansing
Jose Valdez

On October 13th, 2005, Daniel Rodriguez was discovered under a bridge at Interstate 8 and Tavern Road in Alpine. He had suffered a gunshot wound to the head, and he died on October 16th, 2005. Rodriguez was 20 years old at the time of his murder.

On September 19th, 2013 a coalition of law enforcement agencies including the Sheriff's Homicide Detail – Cold Case Unit, the East County Gang Task Force, the Chula Vista Police Department, the National City Police Department, and the FBI arrested three suspects for the murder of Daniel Rodriguez. Jose Valdez (5/27/1983), John Reyna (4/26/1983) and Rashad Lansing (1/29/1980) were each booked for murder and conspiracy. This case has been turned over to the District Attorney's Office.

Jose Valdez is also accused of shooting and killing Joseph Medina in Chula Vista on December 11, 2002 in the 1500 block of Industrial Avenue.

Jose Valdez is also charged for the shooting and killing of Francisco Chaires in National City on July 6, 2003, in 000 block of West 8th Street. An officer patrolling the area heard gunshots and subsequently found Francisco Chaires in the driver's seat of his vehicle. The vehicle had collided into a gas pump in the parking lot of a local gas station. Francisco Chaires remained in the hospital for several days and later died as a result of a gunshot wound to his head.

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to call the Homicide Detail at (858) 974-2321/after hours at (858) 565-5200. You can remain anonymous and be eligible for up to a \$1,000 reward for information leading to an arrest. Call Crime Stoppers at (888) 580-8477.

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