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# SAN BERNARDINO POLICE SHOOT, KILL SUSPECT WHO GRABBED OFFICER'S TASER



A man trying to break into a room at a San Bernardino motel was shot and killed by police early Friday morning after he tried to attack officers.

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**SAN BERNARDINO, Calif. (KABC) --** A man who broke into a room at a San Bernardino motel was shot and killed by police early Friday morning after he tried to attack officers.

San Bernardino police responded to the Economy Inn on the 600 block of West 6th Street shortly before 2 a.m. following a report of someone trying to break into a room. Authorities said the man was able to gain access into a room occupied by a woman.

Police confronted the suspect, who became combative. The officer tried to use a Taser on the man, but investigators say the Taser deployment was ineffective. The reason for this was unknown.

The suspect tried to make a run for it, but two other officers caught up with him after the chase led them over a wrought iron fence, landing them on 6th Street.

The man then grabbed a Taser from an officer's holster and tried to attack the officers. That's when police say an officer opened fire on the suspect, who died on scene.

As for the woman in the motel room, authorities said she was fully cooperating with the police investigation.

The identities of those involved in this incident were not immediately released.

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Don't grab a LE officer's taser. It in its self is not a lethal weapon but if used correctly it could incapacitate an officer allowing the suspect to gain control of the officer's gun. So does that warrant lethal force by LE...? Heck yeah it does! Did this dude deserve to die, of course not but it sounds like he made a very poor choice that cost him his life.

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Well..... if you take away his less lethal weapon, that only leaves his lethal weapon, so it doesnt really take a genius to figure this one out.

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A sad story with a happy ending.

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How come everyone is believing the officers account of events ? The police lie all the time.

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Im sure you do too.

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A taser is not a lethal weapon , or is it ?.....mmmmm

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It doesn't matter. You do NOT assault police officers! Didn't your mamma teach you anything?

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The original translation is "thou shalt not murder". There is a large difference between the two... Church doesn't teach that but biblical study exposes it..

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Reason i asked was that some people have DIED from being tased , mom didnt teach me ,bu you're momma did...

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Criminal grabs taser, puts cop down, grabs cop's gun, kills cop. Yes, taser could be a lethal weapon.

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Not a bad scenario if it worked.

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**lizandick** • 35 minutes ago

Back home, when someone tries to grab a LEO's weapon, we call that H\*nky suicide. Mothers - teach your children to love and they will have a meaningful life.

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He fought the law and the law won.

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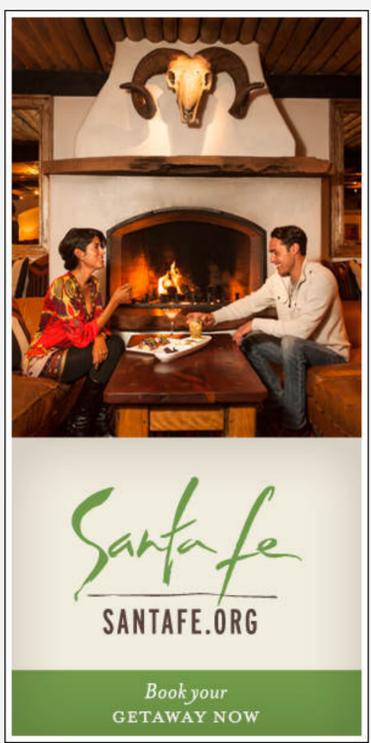
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