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THE COALITION TO END RELATIONSHIP ABUSE REMEMBERS DEVON MICHAEL ADAMS

MINNESOTA'S 40TH CONFIRMED VICTIMOF INTIMATE PARTNER HOMICIDE IN 2023

Devon Michael Adams, 27, was shot and killed in a Cub Foods parking lot in Fridley on March 9, 2023 at approximately 11:30 am. Johnson Kenny Sirleaf, 34, was found guilty of first-degree murder in June 2024 for shooting and killing Devon, and was sentenced to life in prison without parole. On the morning of March 9, 2023, Sirleaf forced his ex-girlfriend into her own vehicle at gunpoint. She was forced to lay down in the back seat where she was physically assaulted and was bleeding from the head. The perpetrator eventually drove into the Cub Foods parking lot, where Devon was sitting in his vehicle. Devon rushed over immediately, leaving his car door ajar after hearing a woman screaming. Witnesses then heard two men yelling at each other and then a gunshot. Devon died 30 minutes later just after arriving at the hospital. Devon will be remembered as a Hero for his actions to intervene.