

Justice for Keaton Otis

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KEATON OTIS was shot 23 times by Portland police in May, 2010.

He had committed no crime.

There were no drugs, alcohol or contraband

in his car. He had no criminal record.

He was killed, at random, by rogue officers on the day the Mayor fired their Police Chief.

He "looked like a gangster" they said. "He was wearing a hoodie."

Video* records Keaton shouting, "I've got my hands up." An officer orders, "Let's do it!"

The officers are still on patrol. And there is still no justice for Keaton Otis.

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* <http://youtu.be/T9xNEX93sYM> and <http://vimeo.com/12121790>



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THE OFFICERS who shot Keaton Otis 23 times claim that he had a gun and shot a cop, twice.

The cops of HEAT say they fired in self-defense -- in a 7-second frenzy of 32 shots. Nine missed.

The facts* are:

*** The Taurus handgun allegedly used by Keaton Otis held rounds with gold-colored casings. No gold casings were found at the crime scene. One appeared in evidence two days later.**

*** Keaton Otis was in the driver's seat when he was shot while he had his hands up. Seven shots hit him in his left arm, wrist and hand.**

*** No finger or palm prints were found on the gun or casing. The gun was not linked to Keaton Otis in any way. No residues were found on him.**

*** The officers who dragged Keaton Otis's body from the car say they never saw a gun.**

*** All three officers who shot Keaton Otis from point-blank range specifically deny seeing the gun. None could describe it to detectives.**

*** The gun was stolen in 2006, but its owner forgot to report it. Where was it for 4 years?**

*** The gun was found sitting on the driver's seat an hour after the shooting.**

* These facts are from publicly available police interviews and Grand Jury testimony, available at: <http://justiceforkeatonotis.wordpress.com>

Justice demands no more cover-up

The Grand Jury was told Keaton Otis after being shot 23 times, and once through the aorta artery, was a threat to the police... despite all the autopsy evidence.

To keep control of the crime scene, the planting of a gun and the cover-up, officers argued to stop the Strategic Emergency Response Team being called.

Key witnesses were not called to the Grand Jury or were openly discredited. The witness who shot the video was asked to leave when a police-edited version was shown.

To Governor J. Kitzhaber, 160 State Capitol, 900 Court Street, Salem, Oregon 97301-4047

Please use your authority under ORS 180.070 to give Oregon's Attorney General full authority to hold an independent and thorough investigation into the killing of Keaton Otis by officers of the Portland Police Bureau on 12 May 2010.

Signed

Date

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