



Covington Police Department

PRESS RELEASE

On March 17, 2011, at approximately 12:43 a.m., officers from the Covington Police Department responded to Krystal's located at 3230 Hwy 278, Covington, in reference to a possible robbery.

Officers found a male victim in Krystal's parking lot, nude and bleeding, saying he had just been beaten and robbed. The victim told officers that he was able to get away from several suspects and then ran toward Krystal's to get help. The victim's residence is located next to his place of business, Elm Street Pawn, just a short distance from Krystal's. Officers responded to the area and began searching for the suspects who were described as being armed with weapons. Upon searching the incident location, officers located two additional victims that were outside the residence. The victim that ran to Krystal's was transported to Newton General where he was treated and released.

Any persons knowing information about this crime is asked to call Lieutenant Michael Tinsley at (770) 385-6430. Information may be left anonymously at this number or on the Covington Police web site www.covingtonpolice.com by clicking the MOST WANTED tab.

Public Information Capt. Ken Malcom may be reached on his cell at (770) 833-7251 if any other questions arise.