



Breonna Taylor

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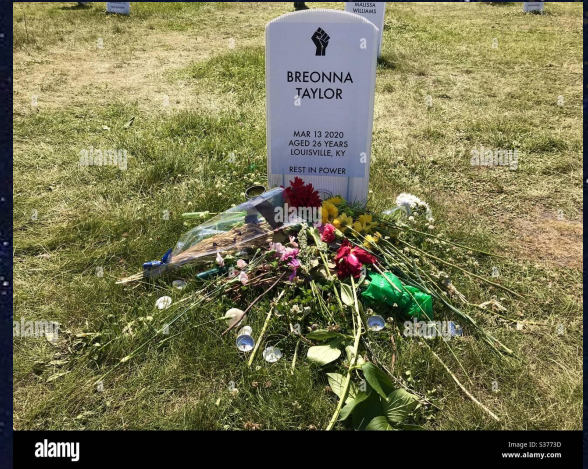
Who is she?

- She was born June 5, 1993
- Her full name is Breonna Shaquelle Taylor
- She had 5 siblings
- She was born in Grand Rapids, Michigan
- She moved to Louisville, Kentucky, with her mom and sister
- She worked at university of Louisville health



What happened to her?

- She was 26 years old
- Her apartment door hinges broke and seven police officers were standing at her door armed with guns
- They shot 20 times in her hallway and around her apartment before shooting her 8 times
- Her boyfriend was also armed with a gun and hit one of the officers leg



What did people do after her death?

- After Taylor's death, her family and other activists campaigned to ban no-knock warrants in Louisville
- Last Spring, the city officially passed "Brianna's Law," which banned the use of those warrants.
- Some other police departments and cities have also started to move away from no-knock warrants
- They also named a street after Breonna Taylor's name



Breonna Taylor's court case

- When she died her boyfriend (Kenneth Walker) was charged for firing his gun
- Mr Walker said he fired his gun because he thought attackers were breaking into the home
- He was first charged with attempted murder, but the charges were dismissed by a Judge in March 2020



This video is 10:42 minutes

How has her death affected this country?

- They started a protest after her death
- In the protest they said "Say her name"
- Taylor's death helped spark the racial justice movement in 2020



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Watch a video about what happened to her!



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Sources

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Review questions



- When was she born?
- How many times was she shot?
- Where did she work at?
- When were her boyfriends charges dismissed?