



Banning Police Department

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Press Release

Date: 04-16-2021

Case# 20-2685

Location: 500 Block of North Hathaway, City of Banning

Incident: Residential Burglary / Rape of a Minor

On December 15, 2020, at approximately 3:00pm Banning Police Department Dispatch started receiving emergency calls from a residence located in the 500 Block of North Hathaway Street in the City of Banning County of Riverside, in reference to a burglary in progress. Callers advised the suspect had forced his way into a residence and into the bedroom of a Minor child, where he started sexually assaulting the victim. Family members arrived and caught the suspect in the act who then fled the area on foot. Officers arrived in the area and conducted a search for the suspect; however, he was unable to be located at that time. Detectives were summoned to the location and assumed the investigation. Through the course of the investigation, Detectives were able to identify the suspect as 23-year-old, Di Marques Travian Washington of Rialto California. An arrest warrant was obtained and suspect Washington was located and arrested in the State of Georgia, on April 9, 2021. Washington had changed his appearance and fled the State to avoid capture. Washington was booked into jail and is awaiting extradition back to California to stand trial.



Di Marques Washington

The Banning Police Department is asking anyone who may have additional information in regards to this case to contact the Banning Police Department Detective Bureau at (951) 922-3170.