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Cold Case Homicide - 318 Campbell Ave.

On February 5, 2023, Benjamin Reyes (H/M 12/14/1990) voluntarily came to the Pasadena Police Station to confess to the 2013 murder of Julian Maldonado.

Cold Case Detectives, who had re-opened the case in 2019, say that Reyes has been a person of interest since they began re-investigating this case. Pasadena Police arrested Reyes in August of 2022 for a Criminal Trespass violation to which he pled guilty. Upon his release from the Harris County Jail, he voluntarily came to the Pasadena Police Station and confessed to the murder of Julian Maldonado.

Upon corroborating the information provided by Reyes, along with the physical evidence, Reyes was subsequently charged with Capital Murder. As a result, Reyes is being held in the Harris County Jail without Bond.

This investigation is ongoing, and further updates will be provided as they arise.



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