

## **BURBANK POLICE DEPARTMENT**

200 North Third Street, Burbank, CA 91502

## OFFICIAL NEWS RELEASE

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## RESIDENTIAL BURGLARS ARRESTED

DATE: January 20, 2017

On Wednesday evening, January 18, 2017, at about 10:00 pm, a female resident was home alone in the 3000 block of N. Naomi Street. She heard her doorbell ring several times along with very loud constant knocking on her front door. The resident could see someone was at her front door shining a light into her home. She then heard her side gate, which leads to the backyard, being tampered with. Believing the suspects were going to break into her home, the resident called 911.

Officers responding to the home saw a vehicle leaving the area when they arrived. The vehicle, which had paper plates, was stopped and three people were detained.

The investigation revealed that two people had exited the car, approached the victim's home, peered inside using a flashlight and entered her backyard after breaking the lock on the side gate. Just before the police officers arrived, the suspects fled to the awaiting vehicle and drove away prior to being stopped by officers a short distance away.

All three vehicle occupants were arrested and booked into the Burbank City Jail. The Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office has since filed felony attempt burglary charges against all three individuals:

**Destiny Trotter**, 25 years-old from Adelanto, is a third strike candidate **Donald Trotter**, 23 years-old from Lancaster, is a third strike candidate **Daven Trotter**, 21 years-old from Los Angeles

The relationships between the suspects, who all share the same last name, is unclear at this time. All three are on parole for residential burglary and are being held without bail. They were due to appear in the Burbank Branch of the Los Angeles Superior Court this morning.

The Burbank Police Department would like to take this opportunity to remind our residents to keep their doors and windows locked. If you get an unexpected visitor to your door, we suggest making it known that you are home, but never open the door. If you think the person or persons are trying to break into your residence, call 911 from your landline or (818) 238-3000 from your cell phone.

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