

FALLEN FINEST

POLICE OFFICER DISDALE O. ENTON

113 Precinct



Police Officer Disdale Enton suffered a brain aneurysm while chasing a domestic violence suspect on foot and died, as a result, several days later on August 28, 2002.

On Friday, August 23, 2002, Officer Enton and his partner responded to assist a detective who had spotted a suspect wanted on a domestic violence complaint. When they attempted to arrest the suspect, he fled on foot. Officer Enton and his partner pursued the suspect on foot, jumping over fences and running through backyards. Officer Enton and his partner were unable to apprehend the suspect and started walking out of a backyard when Officer Enton fell to the ground. He was transported to Jamaica Hospital where he was declared brain dead on August 27, 2002. He was removed from life support the following day on Wednesday, August 28, 2002 and his organs were donated for transplant.

In June 2004, Officer Enton was posthumously awarded the New York City Police Department's Purple Shield Medal.

Police Officer Disdale O. Enton had served with the New York City Police Department for 4 years and he was 33 years old. He was survived by his fiancée, Dominique; his mother, Gwendolyn; his brother, Devon; and his sisters, Patricia, Barbara, Sharon, Donna, Lorraine, Fern and Lorna.

