



Thomas E. Brown, Sheriff

## NEWS RELEASE

DeKalb County Sheriff's Office  
4415 Memorial Drive  
Decatur, GA 30032  
Contact: Mikki Jones  
(404)298-8105<off> (404)298-8101<fax>  
[mwjones@co.dekalb.ga.us](mailto:mwjones@co.dekalb.ga.us)

August 4, 2009

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### SUSPECTS IN JULY 25<sup>TH</sup> PRESIDENTIAL PARKWAY MURDER SURRENDER TO DEPUTIES AT THE JAIL

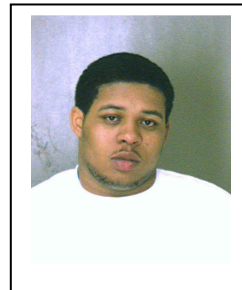
On Monday, August 3, 2009, brothers Desmond and Justin Lakes surrendered themselves to DeKalb Sheriff's Office Fugitive Unit investigators at the DeKalb County jail. The brothers were wanted in connection with the murder of Mark Aaron Dorsett, at the Masters Inn, located at 3092 Presidential Parkway in Atlanta, on July 25, 2009. Investigators coordinated the surrender through family members and the brothers' attorney, who accompanied them to the jail.

According to the official report, Dorsett met the Lakes brothers at the inn where witnesses say the three entered a hotel room. Minutes later a bloody Dorsett staggered from the room and collapsed near the swimming pool, according to witnesses, where he was later pronounced dead by the DeKalb Medical Examiners Office. Dorsett's age and residence are unknown at this time.

Desmond Lakes, age 28, lives in Fairburn and Justin Lakes, age 20, is a Riverdale resident. They are being held in the DeKalb County Jail without bond.



Desmond Lakes



Justin Lakes

###