

Gunshots Erupt Outside White House, Secret Service Shoots Armed Suspect

A frightening scene unfolded outside the White House Saturday evening after gunshots rang out near the presidential complex, sending Secret Service agents, journalists and staff scrambling for safety.

According to Fox News, an armed male suspect was shot by Secret Service personnel after an exchange of gunfire near the White House grounds. The incident reportedly occurred near 17th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue in Washington, D.C., just outside one of the security checkpoints surrounding the executive mansion.

Fox later reported that authorities confirmed the suspect's identity as Nasire Best, 21, from Maryland. He reportedly died while being transported to GW Medical Center. He reportedly had mental health challenges and a history of encounters with the Secret Service.



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At the time of the incident, President Donald Trump was reportedly inside the White House, but he was not affected and remained secure throughout the ordeal.

In moments like these, Christians are called not only to remain alert, but also to pray fervently for national leaders, law enforcement officers and the peace of the nation.

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