



## LANCASTER CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT

# NEWS RELEASE

City of Lancaster  
Bureau of Police, 39 West Chestnut Street, Lancaster, Pa. 17603  
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Date: September 19, 2011

### Pedestrian Hit and Run Investigation

**VICTIM:**

William Moran W/M/77  
Ephrata PA

**SUSPECT VEHICLE:**

Late 1990's to early 2000's Tan or Gold Chrysler style vehicle

At about 1820 hrs 18 Sept 2011, Officers from the Lancaster City Bureau of Police were dispatched to the 200 blk of W Vine St for a reported person struck. Upon arrival, above listed victim was found lying in the middle of the roadway. Witnesses indicated that he had been struck by a tan or gold colored Chrysler style vehicle. The driver of the vehicle left the scene of the crash and was last seen driving west on W Vine St. The pedestrian received serious injuries as a result of this crash and was transported to Lancaster General Hospital for treatment.

The Lancaster Bureau of Police Crash Investigation team is currently investigating this incident led by Sgt Phil Berkheiser and Officer Ben Bradley. Any additional witnesses with information regarding the crash are requested to call (717)735-3300. Callers are not required to leave their names to provide information.

**\*\*\*\*\* UPDATED INFORMATION:**

This afternoon William MORAN died at Lancaster General Hospital. An autopsy is pending.

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**\*\*\*\*\* UPDATED INFORMATION: 20 September 2011**



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On 20 SEP 2011, Officer Steve Wolpert located the suspect vehicle and driver based on information learned through this ongoing investigation. The Lancaster Bureau of Police Crash Investigation team is continuing to investigate the crash and is consulting with the Lancaster County District Attorney's Office as part of the ongoing investigation. Further details will be released at a later time when the investigation is complete.

\*\*\*\*\* UPDATED INFORMATION: 22 September 2011

On 22 SEP 2011 the following subject was charged by Officer Ben Bradley of the Lancaster City Police Department.

Andres Daniel LOPEZ  
26 years of age  
100 block of Old Dorwart St.  
Lancaster, PA 17603

LOPEZ turned himself in at MDJ Cheryl Hartman's office on the following charges:

Accidents Involving Death or Personal Injury (F-3)  
Accidents Involving Death or Personal Injury While Not Properly Licensed (F-3)  
Operating During Suspension (S)  
Moving Stopped or Parked Vehicle (S)  
Immediate Notice of Accident to Police Department

LOPEZ was arraigned by MDJ Hartman and bail was set at \$200,000 cash. After processing at the Lancaster City Police Department LOPEZ was committed to the Lancaster County Prison.

*(end of release)*