

FORT LAUDERDALE POLICE DEPARTMENT PRESS RELEASE

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MISSING ELDERLY FEMALE

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is requesting assistance from the public to locate a missing elderly female.

On August 21st at approximately 9:00 A.M., Gloria Winston left her residence for a dentist appointment. That afternoon Winston telephoned her daughter to say that she forgot the address of her doctor's office and she would be driving home. At approximately 10:30 P.M., Gloria's daughter had not seen or heard from her mother. When she called her cell phone, Winston was in the area of Davie Boulevard and South Federal Highway in the City of Fort Lauderdale. Winston's daughter offered to pick her up, but Winston was determined to drive home on her own.

Winston's daughter advised investigators that she has not seen or heard from her mother since that second telephone conversation.

Winston resides in the 2100 block of Northeast 68th Street in the City of Fort Lauderdale. Law enforcement officials conducted a canvass of Winston's neighborhood and her last known location, and have not been able to locate her or her vehicle.

Winston is described as an eighty-two year old, W/F, 5'05", 150 lbs., short blonde hair, blue eyes, with a medium build. Winston was last seen wearing a white and green shirt and cream colored capri pants.

Winston's family told investigators that she possibly suffers from the early stages of dementia.

Winston's vehicle is described as a 2001 4-door beige Buick Century, bearing Florida license plate E897CV.

Anyone with information as to the whereabouts of this missing person should contact the Fort Lauderdale Police Department at 954-764-4357(HELP).



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