

Allen County Coroner

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The Allen County Coroner's Office has been notified of the death of Lizzie Lee Caldwell, female black, 68 years of age, of Fort Wayne, Indiana. The autopsy has been completed and the family has been notified of the death. On September 12, 2018 Lizzie Lee Caldwell suffered thermal burns, at her home in the 5600 block of Harrison Street, Fort Wayne, Indiana. Lizzie Lee Caldwell was transported to a local hospital where she remained until her death on Friday, September 28, 2108.

The Cause of Death has been determined to be Respiratory and Renal Failure due to Thermal Burns and the Manner of Death has been determined to be Homicide.

Lizzie Lee Caldwell is the 35th Homicide in Allen County, for 2018.

This incident remains under investigation by the Fort Wayne Police Department, the Fort Wayne Fire Department, the Allen County Prosecutor's Office and the Allen County Coroner's Office.

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