

Table 3.159

**Law enforcement officers feloniously killed in Sept. 11, 2001 terrorist attacks**

By selected characteristics of officers

Officer characteristics	Number
Total	72
<b>Sex</b>	
Male	70
Female	2
<b>Race</b>	
White	59
Black	12
Not reported	1
<b>Age</b>	
Under age 25	0
25 to 30 years	8
31 to 40 years	31
Over 40 years	33
<b>Length of service</b>	
Less than 1 year of service	0
1 to 4 years of service	7
5 to 10 years of service	20
Over 10 years of service	43
Not reported	2

Note: These data include 71 law enforcement officers killed at the World Trade Center in New York and 1 officer that died in the plane crash in Somerset County, Pennsylvania.

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation, *Law Enforcement Officers Killed and Assaulted, 2001*, FBI Uniform Crime Reports (Washington, DC: U.S. Department of Justice, 2002), p. 65.