

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.