



Corporal Mohamed Said End of Watch July 21, 2024

While responding to a suspicious situation, Corporal Mohamed Said of Melvindale Police Department was fatally shot in the line of duty. The suspect fled the scene, which sparked a massive manhunt throughout southeast Michigan. The following day, Corporal Said's handcuffs were used to apprehend the suspect, who is being charged with murder, being a felon in possession of a firearm, carrying a concealed weapon, and drug possession.

It is our honor to bless the family thanks to each of you. Robert J Turner Foundation's President Cory Williams presented \$25,000 and \$5,000 in Kroger gift cards to Said's family at Melvindale Police Department. With hearts full of sorrow and compassion, Cory met with Chief Kennaley, Officer Said's father Mohamed Mohsein Said, his brother Ahmed Said and an uncle from Yemen. The officer's mother was too distraught to attend.

Through tear filled eyes, Officer Said's father said nothing during the meeting except thank you. His son was only 26 years old and was about to leave for Yemen to get married and bring her to America. In a strong accent, the uncle explained the significance of Muslim faith, how destiny is given to them by Allah at birth, and his nephew's destiny was to be a police officer and die a martyr's death as a hero. "Mo died in the most honorable and highest way possible and will be greeted as such," explained the uncle. Chief Kennaley said Officer Mohamed "Mo" Said was a "tremendous and brave police officer" and will be greatly missed. They were so appreciative of the work our foundation does for the police family and impressed with the Kroger Corporation. Like other fallen officer's families, the brother and Chief Kennaley expressed the importance of our foundation and our generous donors who support the families of Michigan fallen police officers. This demonstrates our support and appreciation for the sacrifice these officers make to keep us safe.

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