

Mapping LGBTQ St. Louis
Additional Information Sheet

Location:

murder of Goldstein Johnson

tavern

3000 block of Thomas St. (between Wester and N. Garison)

Additional Information:

Goldstein Johnson, age 25, visits a tavern (possibly the Ten-Spot Lounge) with two friends. All three are dressed in female clothing. Johnson is shot in an alley behind the tavern. Johnson was arrested numerous times for violation of St. Louis city's cross-dressing ordinance. The ACLU of Eastern Missouri was appealing his conviction from 1972 at the time of his death.

For additional history see: