

## Relationship of Victims to Offenders

The table below outlines known family relationships between murder victims and their assailants during 2009.

	Relationship to Offenders	Victims	Percent
<b>Family</b>	<b>Brother</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>.8</b>
	<b>Common-Law Wife</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.2</b>
	<b>Daughter</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>.6</b>
	<b>Father</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>.3</b>
	<b>Husband</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>.6</b>
	<b>Mother</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>.9</b>
	<b>Other Family</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>.5</b>
	<b>Sister</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.2</b>
	<b>Son</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1.5</b>
	<b>Stepdaughter</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.2</b>
	<b>Stepson</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.2</b>
	<b>Wife</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>4.3</b>
<b>Total Family</b>		<b>66</b>	<b>10.2</b>
<b>Known to Victim</b>	<b>Acquaintance</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>10.8</b>
	<b>Boyfriend</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1.4</b>
	<b>Employer</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.2</b>
	<b>Ex-Wife</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.2</b>
	<b>Friend</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>2.5</b>
	<b>Girlfriend</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>4.5</b>
	<b>Homosexual Relationship</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>.3</b>
	<b>Neighbor</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>.3</b>
	<b>Other - Known to Victim</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>19.0</b>
<b>Total Known to Victim</b>		<b>253</b>	<b>39.0</b>
<b>Stranger</b>	<b>Stranger</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>6.0</b>
<b>Unknown</b>	<b>Unknown Relationship</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>44.8</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>648</b>	<b>100.0</b>