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Thread: [Mass shooting in New Mexico leaves 3 dead and 15 or more injured.](#)

jcole - March 22, 2025, 12:41 pm

Quote:Three killed and at least 15 injured in mass shooting in New Mexico

Authorities responded on Friday to reports of gunfire at a park and have asked for videos from bystanders to aid in investigation

Three people were killed and at least 15 others were injured in a mass shooting on Friday night at an "unsanctioned car show" in Las Cruces, New Mexico.

Local police said the shooting occurred at around 10pm on Friday at Young Park following "an altercation between two groups of people". There were approximately 200 people at the park when the shooting occurred.

This is crazy because I worked in Las Cruces, New Mexico for three weeks last year. I had the idea that it was a nicer area of New Mexico, but in reality there is a shit load of crime in certain areas of that state.

Quote:Las Cruces, New Mexico, has a higher crime rate compared to the national average. In 2025, the total crime rate in Las Cruces was 5,980 incidents per 100,000 people

source: <https://www.theguardian.com/us-news/2025/mar/22/mass-shooting-new-mexico>

Pr0m3th3us - March 22, 2025, 3:15 pm

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The Joker - April 21, 2025, 2:26 am

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The commonly accepted definition is four injured so there can be no dead or one dead and three injured and it counts, but a gang shooting shouldn't really count as it's not a random event. And serial killers are not mass murderers since they kill people serially. Some people don't understand these things.