

92-Year-Old Woman Mauled By Pit Bull



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A 92-year-old woman was mauled and killed by her pit bull at a home on Detroit's west side Monday afternoon, Local 4 reported.

The woman inherited the dog after her grandson died about three years ago, according to Local 4. The dog, for an unknown reason, turned on the woman and mauled her, the station reported.

Police said two other people who were inside the home on Tyler Street at the time pulled the animal off the woman and brought it outside. A neighbor who witnessed what happened fired shots at the dog, Local 4 reported.

The dog was hit by a bullet, but was not killed, the station reported. Police arrived at the scene and an officer also shot at the dog, killing it, Local 4 reported.

The 92-year-old woman was found dead inside the home. Her name was not released.

Police continue to investigate.

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