

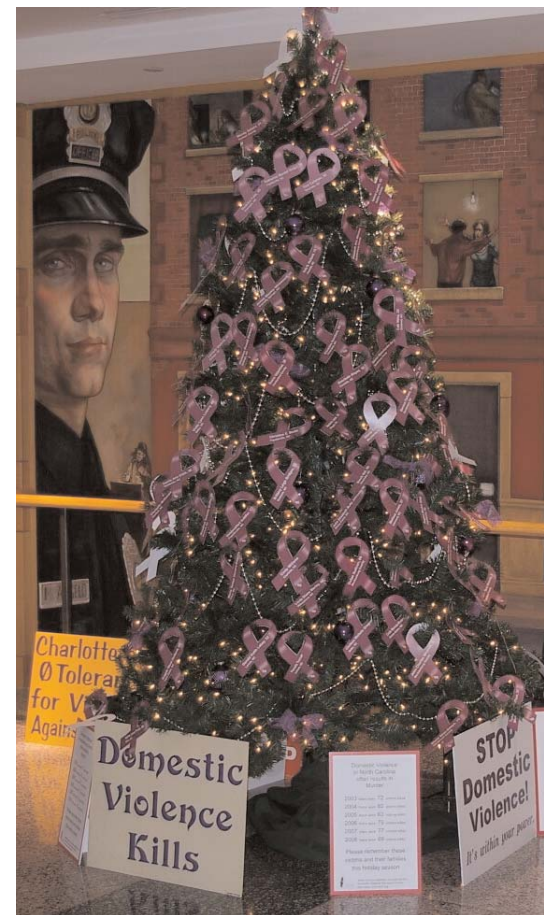
In 2011, there have been 57 victims killed due to domestic violence in the State of North Carolina. Three of those lives lost were in Mecklenburg County.

In some cases they were wives or husbands, some were boyfriends or girlfriends, and some were innocent children caught in the middle.

This Domestic Violence Memorial recognizes the 57 victims of 2011 that have died at the hands of their intimate partner.

Our goal is to help give a voice to the families left behind AND to raise a banner for those out there surviving in a violent home.

This Memorial also sends a note of appreciation to ALL fallen victims of domestic violence, for they are all a ray of hope shedding light on this issue, giving others the courage to speak up and ask for help.



In Partnership With:



Community Support Services  
Women's Commission  
<http://CSS.Chameck.org>

## 7th Annual Domestic Violence Memorial Tree Lighting

Monday, December 5th  
5:30 PM

Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police Department Headquarters  
601 East Trade Street, Main Lobby