



NYC Mayor Blasts BLM Silence Over Crime Spree: “I Thought Black Lives Mattered?”

Description

USA: How long until Democratic New York City Mayor Eric Adams – who is black – will find himself facing the firing squad of liberal cancel-tards after he **dared to criticize the Black Lives Matter movement** over their silence amid the surge in crimes in his city and the seeming daily murders of black children.

During an interview with NY1 – initially focused on the arrest of Frank James, who now faces a federal terrorism charge for shooting 10 people on a Brooklyn subway train – a clearly exasperated Adams declared after being asked by the host how to handle the increasing number of shootings occurring in the city (as she cited that over a dozen shootings took place on Wednesday night alone):

“By being consistent with our message. **Here’s my question that I put out to the city. Hey, I thought black lives matter.** Where are all those who stated ‘black lives matter?’”

“Then go do an analysis of who was killed or shot last night. I was up all night speaking to my commanders in the Bronx and Brooklyn,” he said.

“The victims were Black. Many of the shooters were Black.”

Adams concluded to a rather shocked NY1 anchor:

“If Black lives matter, then the thousands of people I saw on the street when [George] Floyd was murdered should be on the streets right now stating that the lives of these Black children that are dying every night matter,” adding, **“we can’t be hypocrites.”**

[As DailyCaller notes](#), since taking office in January, **Adams has [clashed](#) with Black Lives Matter Greater New York and its co-founder**, Hawk Newsome, over the city's policing policies.

"Eric Adams has a lot of good ideas but he doesn't have a plan," Newsome told Fox News' Bill Hemmer in February.

Since the beginning of the year, **crime rose in New York City by more than 75% from the same time frame in 2021**, according to New York City Police Department [data](#). **Black people were victims of 65% of murders and 74% of shootings in 2020**, the New York Times [reported](#).

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