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COMPASSION TO CARNAGE



Courtney Gordon (near r.), with aunt Christine Watson, who had invited him to stay in her Far Rockaway, Queens, home (above), where she'd hoped he could get his life back on track after becoming homeless. Instead, cops say, he killed four relatives and left Watson in critical condition in a knife rampage Sunday morning. Gordon then stabbed two responding cops, one of whom fatally shot the 38-year-old.

- Man taken in by aunt kills 4, including 2 kids, stabs cops and is shot dead
- Sister tells News how split with wife, homelessness, psych ills led to horror

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