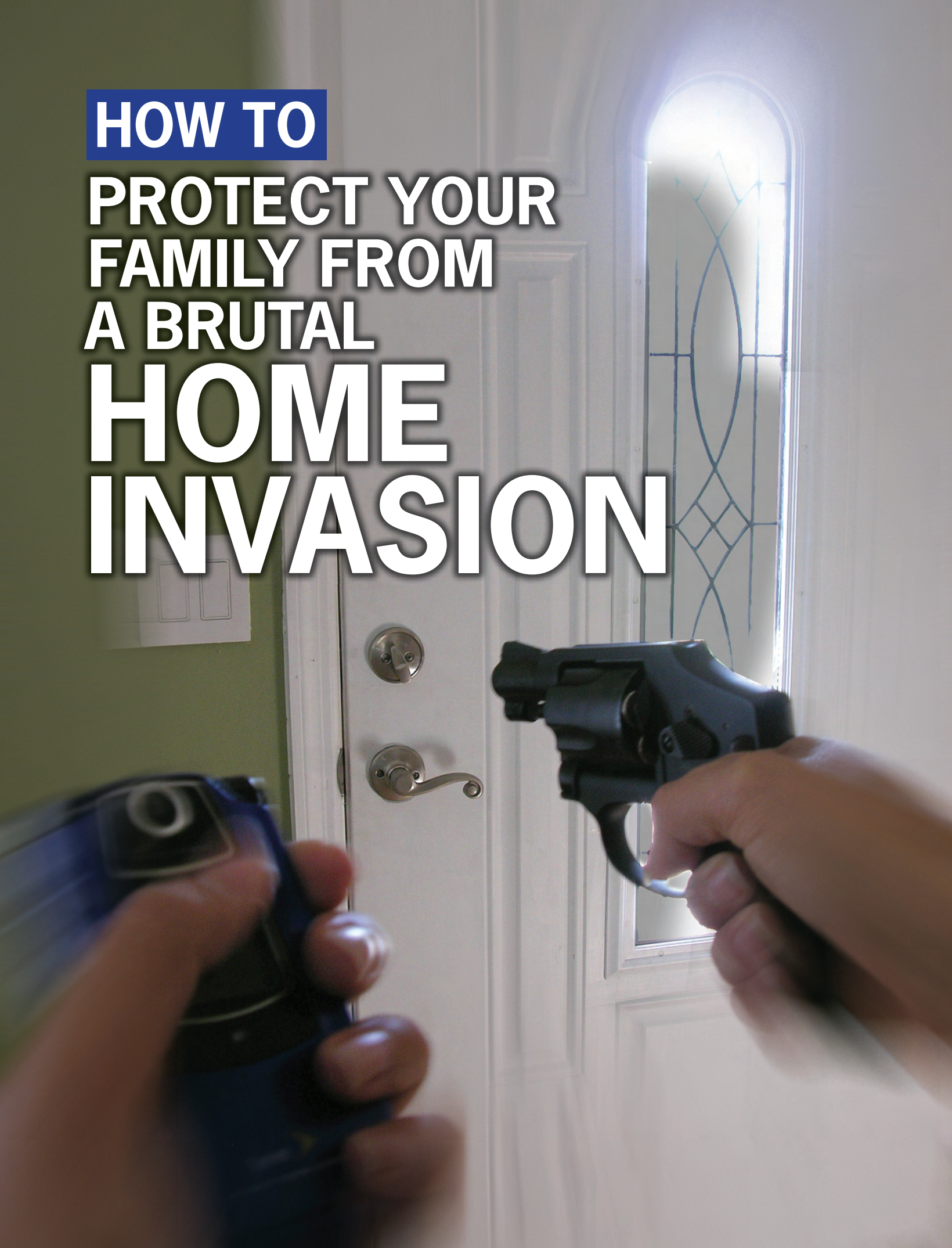


HOW TO

**PROTECT YOUR
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**HOME
INVASION**



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INTRODUCTION

A woman is alone in her house in a nice neighborhood in the middle of the day. The doorbell rings, and she opens the door. She sees a girl—maybe fourteen years old—sobbing, and in obvious distress, her face buried in her hands.

“Can I help you, Honey? What’s wrong?” She moves closer to the girl to comfort her. In one well-practiced movement the girl pushes the woman violently against the door frame, extracts a razor blade from under her tongue and presses it against the woman’s throat.

“Don’t move, bitch,” the girl snarls.

A moment later, five other teenage girls appear and bundle the woman back into her house and close the door. After they beat her up, they ransack her house and then leave as quickly as they arrived.

This particular incident actually happened on the West Coast a few years back.

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Police call it a home invasion. Homeowners—if they survive—call it their worst nightmare. While individual home invasions are varied, a typical incident starts with one or more violent intruders forcing their way into a home when it is occupied. They use force to threaten and intimidate the occupants into handing over their valuables, and then they leave. This scenario is about as gentle as it gets. Far worse incidents involve assault, rape and murder.

But why, when so many homes now have security alarm systems and are fairly



TRULY EVIL PEOPLE WILL TAKE ADVANTAGE OF ANOTHER PERSON IN ANY WAY THEY CAN- EVEN IF IT MEANS EXPLOITING THE GOOD PERSON'S NATURAL REFLEX TO OFFER AID.

secure in terms of double glazed windows and neighborhood watch, have home invasions increased in number and spread across the country from both coasts? Possibly the single most relevant reason is the prevalence of sophisticated security alarm systems!

In the old days, criminals who wanted to steal property from a house would wait until the home was either empty or the occupants were asleep, and then burgle the place. But as it became increasingly likely that they would have to defeat an alarm system, burglars switched to stealing from homes at the one time they could almost guarantee that the alarm system would be turned off—when the family is at home and they have left the windows and doors open or unlocked.

Likewise, so many vehicles are now equipped with car alarms that car thieves often find it easier to drag a motorist out of their car and steal it (while the alarm is off) than try to defeat a sophisticated alarm system. This is called carjacking.

In both these types of violent crime, it's bad enough that hard-earned, valuable possessions are suddenly transferred from their rightful owners to these worthless low-lives who have no redeeming features and seem to feel they have a right to just take what they want. In many instances possessions can be replaced. But the real threat in a home invasion has nothing to do with the loss of a laptop, an SUV, or a diamond ring. It has to do with loss of life, serious injury, rape, and the attendant emotional issues that many survivors—and those close to them—have to deal with for the rest of their lives.

But it doesn't have to be this way. Nobody has to live their life as a grass-eater, timidly grazing, head down, waiting for the axe to fall and hoping

that a predator won't pick them for his next meal.

To paraphrase Lt. Colonel Dave Grossman's writings on sheep, wolves, and sheepdogs: The term sheep is not meant to be derogatory. It simply describes "kind, decent people who are not capable of hurting each other, except by accident or under extreme provocation." Wolves on the other hand, are the bad guys. "The wolves feed on the sheep without mercy."

Does any law-abiding, normal person really want to be either a sheep or a wolf? We don't have to be either. There is a third option: The sheepdog. In Lt. Colonel Grossman's view, the sheepdog protects the sheep from the wolves.

Police officers are sheepdogs, although we cannot expect them to always be there to protect us. Our friends and neighbors who own guns and have obtained concealed weapons permits may be sheepdogs. They are often cited by violent criminals as the people with whom they least want to cross swords. But again, we cannot expect or rely upon them to be there for us or fight our battles for us. No. If we want to protect our families and ourselves from despicable acts by wolves we must accept that it is our responsibility to become sheepdogs.

If the last paragraph makes any sense to you at all, then read on because we are about to examine how you can improve your chances of keeping the home invasion wolves from your door. We are going to study more than just the physical armor for protecting one's home from an attack. We are going to examine the mindset that homeowners need to develop in order to effectively defend their loved ones, themselves and their homes against violent thugs—a mindset that enables us to say, "You shall not destroy what I've worked to build. You shall not hurt those whom I care about. You shall not pass!"



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