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## **Three Fighting for Their Life Following Suspected DUI Crash**

Staff Writer, 247 Headline

Posted: December 27, 2017, 8:20 a.m.

**HESPERIA** – Three occupants involved in a traffic collision suffered from life-threatening injuries after the pickup truck they occupied careened off of the roadway on Christmas Eve. Authorities believe that the traffic collision that occurred on Mariposa Road, south of Main Street in the City of Hesperia was caused by both unsafe speed and alcohol consumption by the driver prior to the collision.

At around 10:00 p.m. deputies from the Hesperia Station, the California Highway Patrol and the **San Bernardino County Fire** Department were all dispatched to the rollover crash. When they arrived they located the mangled 2006 Ford Pick up truck on its side. Three occupants, a male driver, a male passenger, and a female passenger, all adults were located trapped inside the vehicle. The three were extricated and all had sustained major injuries. They were rushed to the hospital for treatment of life-threatening injuries.

The road was closed southbound on Mariposa Road and on one lane of the northbound 15 freeway for around 4 hours while the scene was processed and repairs were made to the fencing damaged by the collision.

Through investigation deputies were able to determine that the truck was traveling north on Mariposa road, south of Main Street. The speed is yet to be determined but the driver lost control and the vehicle left the roadway. Unable to gain control, the vehicle careened into the barrier fencing between the northbound I-15 and Mariposa Road. The vehicle overturned into the flood control culvert and went back through the fencing to Mariposa Road. The impact caused a roof collapse on the vehicle which trapped the occupants.

No other injuries were reported as a result of the collision. Anyone who witnessed the collision is asked to contact the Hesperia Police Department.

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## **Three people suffer major injuries in rollover crash on Mariposa Road**

Kevin Trudgeon, Daily Press

Posted: December 26, 2017, 12:28 PM

**HESPERIA** — Three people suffered major injuries in a rollover crash that shut down a portion of Mariposa Road and Interstate 15 late Christmas Eve, according to authorities.

San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department, California Highway Patrol and **San Bernardino County Fire** Department personnel responded to reports of a crash in the area of Mariposa Road, south of Main Street, at approximately 10 p.m. on Dec. 24.

According to authorities, the first responders found a 2006 Ford truck on its side with three people trapped inside.

“Based on physical evidence found at the scene it was determined that the Ford truck had been traveling north on Mariposa Road, south of Main Street, at an unknown speed when the driver lost control and the vehicle left the roadway,” sheriff's officials stated.

“The driver was unable to gain control of the vehicle after it left the roadway, at which time the vehicle went through the barrier fencing which separates the northbound lanes of I-15 and Mariposa Road.”

The truck overturned in the flood control culvert and continued back through the fencing toward Mariposa Road, authorities said. The impact caused the entire roof of the vehicle to collapse, trapping all three occupants.

Rescue personnel were able to extricate all three occupants and found two men and one woman suffering from major injuries. All three were transported to hospitals for treatment of life-threatening injuries.

“The Hesperia (Sheriff’s) Station Traffic Division is conducting the investigation,” sheriff’s officials stated. “Unsafe speed and alcohol are both suspected to be a factor in the collision at this time and the investigation is ongoing.”

The southbound lane of Mariposa Road and one lane of northbound I-15 were closed for approximately four hours while investigators processed the scene and repairs were made to the barrier fencing by Caltrans personnel.

Anyone who may have witnessed the crash is urged to contact the Hesperia Sheriff’s Station at 760-947-1500.

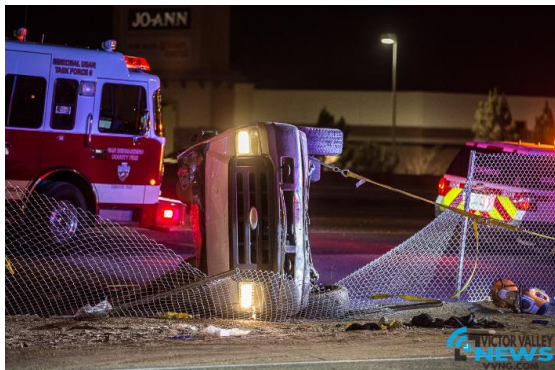
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## **POLICE: Alcohol and speed blamed in rollover crash on Christmas Eve**

Staff Writer, Victor Valley News Group

Posted: December 26, 2017



Three people were extricated from a pickup truck after a rollover crash Christmas Eve. (Hugo C. Valdez, Victor Valley News)

**HESPERIA, Calif. (VVNG.com)** – Unsafe speed and alcohol are both suspected to be a factor in a collision that left three people critically injured Christmas Eve, officials said.

At about 10:00 pm, deputies from the Hesperia Sheriff’s Station, along with officers from the California Highway Patrol and rescue personnel from the **San Bernardino County Fire** Department were dispatched to an unknown injury, roll over traffic collision that occurred in the area of Mariposa Road, south of Main Street in the City of Hesperia.

Upon arrival, emergency crews located a white 2006 Ford pick-up truck on its side with three occupants trapped inside. Firefighters stabilized the vehicle and were able to extricate an adult male driver, adult male passenger and an adult female passenger, all suffering from major injuries.

All three occupants were taken to hospitals for further treatment of life threatening injuries. Officials have not provided any updates on their conditions as of Tuesday afternoon.

According to a Sheriff's news release, "based on physical evidence found at the scene it was determined that the Ford truck had been traveling north on Mariposa Road, south of Main Street, at an unknown speed when the driver lost control and the vehicle left the roadway. The driver was unable to gain control of the vehicle after it left the roadway, at which time the vehicle went through the barrier fencing which separates the north bound lanes of I-15 and Mariposa Road. The vehicle overturned in the flood control culvert and continued back through the barrier fencing toward Mariposa. The impact caused the entire roof of the vehicle to collapse, trapping all three occupants in the vehicle."

The crash shutdown Mariposa Road and one lane of the northbound I-15 for about 4 hours while investigators processed the scene and repairs were made to the barrier fencing by Caltrans.

"Unsafe speed and alcohol are both suspected to be a factor in the collision at this time and the investigation is ongoing," sheriff's officials confirmed in a news release.

The Hesperia Station Traffic Division is conducting the investigation and anyone who may have witnessed the collision is asked to contact 760-947-1500 and reference case # 191710184.

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## **Man shot on Christmas Eve**

**Rene Ray De La Cruz, Daily Press**

Posted: December 25, 2017 , 7:37 p.m.

VICTORVILLE — A man was shot as he sat in his car just before midnight on Christmas Eve, authorities said.

The San Bernardino County Victorville Sheriff's Station received a report at 11:13 p.m. Sunday that a shooting had occurred in the 12100 block of Industrial Avenue just north of Bear Valley Road, according to Sgt. Josh Conley,

The victim, who was not identified, told deputies he was living in his car in an alley behind the Victorville Speed Wash when a group approached his vehicle and began firing at his car. During the shooting, the victim was shot multiple times before the suspects fled the scene.

**San Bernardino County Fire** Department personnel treated the victim and he was transported to Desert Valley Hospital and later to Arrowhead Regional Medical Center, where he remains in stable condition, Conley said.

The investigation is ongoing, and anyone with information is urged to contact the Victorville Sheriff's Station at 760-241-2911. Persons wishing to remain anonymous can contact the We-Tip Hotline at 1-800-782-7463 or online at [www.wetip.com](http://www.wetip.com).

## **Man shot during alleged attempted carjacking in Victorville**

**Staff Writer, Victor Valley News Group**

Posted: December 25, 2017

**VICTORVILLE, Calif. (VVNG.com)** – Police in Victorville are looking for multiple suspects in an alleged attempted carjacking and shooting which injured one person Christmas Eve.

The shooting occurred shortly before 11:00 p.m., in the 12100 block of Industrial Blvd. near Bear Valley Road in Victorville.

According to scanner traffic, the victim lived in his car and was sitting inside when the shooting occurred. He reported that four armed men approached his vehicle wearing ski masks. At some point, the suspects began firing at his car striking him the shoulder and the abdomen.

The victim indicated he was in an alley behind the Speed Wash Car Wash at the time of the shooting and then pulled out onto Industrial Blvd. after he was shot.

**San Bernardino County Fire** responded and treated the victim who was transported to an out of area trauma center.

The suspects fled the scene and are still at large as of December 25th.

Sheriff's officials haven't released any details on the incident. Information will be updated as it become available.

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