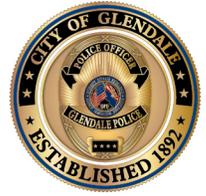




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## Glendale Police Identify Victim in Fatal Traffic Collision

**GLENDALE, AZ.** – Glendale Police identify the man killed in a fatal traffic collision as 21-year-old Abraham Villa Salgado.

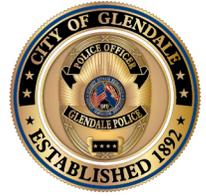
On the evening of September 20, 2021, just after 8:30pm, Glendale Police responded to a call for service regarding a person who possibly stole a bicycle in the area of 4500 NW Grand Avenue. As an officer was arriving, Villa Salgado was seen in the median of the roadway on Grand Avenue. After seeing the officer, Villa Salgado dropped the bicycle and ran into the northwest bound lanes on Grand Avenue. Villa Salgado ran into the side of a white box truck that was traveling northwest in the center of the three lanes. After Villa Salgado collided with the truck he fell backwards onto the ground. At that point, a dark colored Chevy Tahoe, which was traveling northwest in the lane next to the median, then struck Villa Salgado while he was on the ground. Villa Salgado was transported to a local hospital where he was pronounced dead.

The two drivers left the area without stopping. Police need anyone with information in this case to contact Silent Witness at 480-WITNESS or 480-TESTIGO or the Glendale Police Department at 623-930-3000.



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*(Abraham Villa Salgado 21 yo)*