

Pleasanton man killed in Bourbon County rollover

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BOURBON COUNTY, Kan.

- A Pleasanton man was killed and another injured in a car wreck that occurred just south of the Bourbon County line in the early hours of Sunday, Dec. 14.

21-year-old Matthew D. Croan was killed when the 1999 Dodge Dakota pickup he was driving northbound on 215th Street near the junction of Yellowstone Road exited the roadway and entered the east ditch. Authorities say the vehicle rolled several times and Croan was ejected along with his passenger, Michael D. Braim, Jr., age 24.

Croan was pronounced dead at the scene and Braim



Matthew D. Croan

was transported to Overland Park Regional Medical Center for treatment of injuries.

Services for Croan are planned for 2 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 18, at the Coffel Schneider Chapel in Pleasanton.

Matthew Donald Croan

04-25-1987 to 12-14-2008

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Matthew Donald Croan, 21, of Pleasanton, died Sunday, Dec. 14, 2008 as the result of an automobile accident. He was born April 25, 1987 in Kansas City, Kan., the son of Brent and Rebecca Johnson Croan.

Matthew was a graduate of Jayhawk-Linn High School, Mound City, Kansas and worked at Cooke's Drive-In in Pleasanton.

He is survived by his father, Brent Croan of Olathe, Kan.; his mother, Rebecca Grant and Doug of Olathe, Kan.; one daughter, Karleigh Jaeger; two brothers, Deric and Austin Croan; two sisters, Ashley and Haley Grant; maternal grandparents, Linda Semlor

and Ed and Jack Johnson and Joann; paternal grandparents, Lewis and Emma Croan and maternal great grandparents, Mildred Tyner and Jack Johnson Sr.

Services will be held at 2 p.m., Thursday, Dec. 18, 2008 at the Coffel-Schneider Chapel, Pleasanton. Visitation will be from 6:30 - 8 p.m., Wednesday at the Chapel. Contributions are suggested to the Matthew Croan Memorial Fund c/o the funeral home. Interment will be in the Curry Cemetery, Mound City, Kansas. Online condolences may be left for the family at www.coffelschneider.com.

Arrangements: Coffel-Schneider Funeral Home, Pleasanton.