

Omaha couple killed in crash

WALNUT -- A two-vehicle crash near the Walnut interchange on Interstate 80 killed an Omaha couple Sunday.

Paul R. Taylor, 63, and Linda L. Taylor, 55, both of Omaha, died as a result of injuries sustained in the accident, Iowa State Patrol reports said.

In addition, four other people were injured. Celestino Bustamante, 34; Fernando Huerta, 28; Bernabe Moreno, 36; and Jose Munoz, 40; were taken to Cass County Memorial Hospital in Atlantic and Myrtue Memorial Hospital in Harlan for treatment of various injuries.

Bustamante and Munoz were listed as being Nebraska residents while Huerta and Moreno were from Illinois, reports said.

According to patrol reports, the Taylor vehicle was westbound on I-80 in a white 1995 Oldsmobile at approximately 5:30 p.m. when a green 1994 Chevrolet van, driven by Bustamante and eastbound on I-80, allegedly veered out of control and crossed the median, colliding head-on with the Taylor vehicle.

The accident is being investigated by the Iowa State Patrol.