



Deadly Crash a Reminder for the Need for Defensive Driving

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Driving at night is often more difficult than day driving for several reasons. Not only is visibility much more limited relative to daylight hours, but it seems that more reckless drivers are on the road than at any other point during the day, whether alcohol is involved or not. As such, we all need to be reminded that when driving at any time, defensive driving is simply a must, even if it seems to be overly defensive at the time, as a few seconds can make the difference between life and death.

Tragically, this lesson was reinforced recently because of a crash on Interstate 5 that killed two men. According to the [Modesto Bee](#):

“Two men, one of them a former radio personality for hip-hop station KWIN (97.7-FM and 98.3-FM), died Friday night in a traffic collision on Interstate 5 in south Sacramento County, according to the California Highway Patrol.

According to the CHP, a red Toyota Camry, driven by Reyes-Torres, was southbound on I-5 at 10:15 p.m. when it crossed a divider and struck a white Honda Accord that was going north on the freeway. Hu, and his wife, Romina, were in the Accord.

Witnesses told officers that the driver of the Camry appeared to be driving recklessly prior to the collision, Duryee said, although investigators are not yet sure what caused the accident.”

Obviously, it’s too early to understand any of the details that caused the accident and/or the erratic driving that could have played a central part in the horrible result. Regardless, if you or someone you love has been injured or worse in an auto accident despite your best efforts towards auto safety, contact the [Sacramento auto accident lawyers](#) at Demas & Rosenthal today to schedule a free initial consultation.