

July 15, 2004

Delbert Leslie Matters

Died July 12, 2004

Death Notice - Delbert Leslie Matters died on Monday, July 12, 2004 in a car accident on Lincoln Highway west of Nevada.

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### **Nevada man dies in fatal crash**

A Nevada man died Monday morning in a head-on car crash along Lincoln Highway. Delbert Leslie Matters, 42, died at the scene of the crash.

According to a news release from the Story County Sheriff's Office, the crash occurred shortly after 6:30 a.m. The report states that as Matters pulled out to pass another car as he approached the 590th Avenue along Lincoln Highway, his Ford pickup struck an eastbound Chevrolet Tahoe driven by James Ross Hambly, 61, of Nevada.

Hambly was taken to Mary Greeley Medical Center in Ames with injuries reported not to be life-threatening. On Tuesday a public relations spokesperson for Mary Greeley Medical Center reported Hambly was in fair condition.

According to the report, heavy fog was a factor in the fatal car accident.

Matters and his wife, Jennifer, have two children, ages 8 and 5. For the past eight years Matters worked as an auxiliary operator for the power plant in Ames.

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Lisa Lynch July 15, 2004