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Man Charged with Murder for North Hills Triple-Fatal DUI Crash

Three murder charges were filed today against a 19-year-old man accused of being under the influence when he crashed into a vehicle in North Hills, the Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office announced.

Riley John Holman (dob 6/27/96) of Mission Hills faces three counts of murder and one count of driving under the influence of a drug causing injury in case PA084081.

A date for arraignment will be set once Holman is treated for injuries from the car crash and is able to appear in court.

Victim Santos Benjamin Ordonez-Baquiag, 22, was driving a Toyota Corolla on Aug. 9 near Roscoe Boulevard and Haskell Avenue when the defendant's vehicle crashed into the car, prosecutors said. The driver and two of his passengers, Francis Olivas Oxlaj-Alvarez, 25, and Edgar Ordonez-Baquiag, 20, were killed, prosecutors added.

The requested bail for Holman is \$3.1 million.

The defendant faces a possible maximum sentence of 49 years to life in state prison if convicted as charged.

The case remains under investigation by the Los Angeles Police Department, Valley Traffic Division.

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