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Speed Leads To Deadly Traffic Crash in Southeast Shelby County

Shelby County Sheriff's Office Traffic Crash Investigators say a Collierville man was killed this morning in southeast Shelby County when he lost control of his car on Holmes Road.

Just after 6 A.M., William Malone, 27, who was alone in a 2000 Chevy Malibu, was heading east on Holmes Road. Witnesses told Deputies Malone's car attempted to pass another vehicle on the two-lane road just west of Forest Hill Irene. However, Malone's vehicle veered off the road and hit a tree.

Deputies say speed was a factor. The impact almost split the vehicle in half. Due to the damage, investigators have not determined whether Malone was wearing a seat belt.

Investigators are looking for other witnesses, especially the driver of the car Malone attempted to pass just before the crash. Anyone with information should contact the Shelby County Sheriff's Office Traffic Bureau at **(901) 867-1420**.

So far this year, seven (7) people have been killed in traffic crashes investigated by Sheriff's Deputies.

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