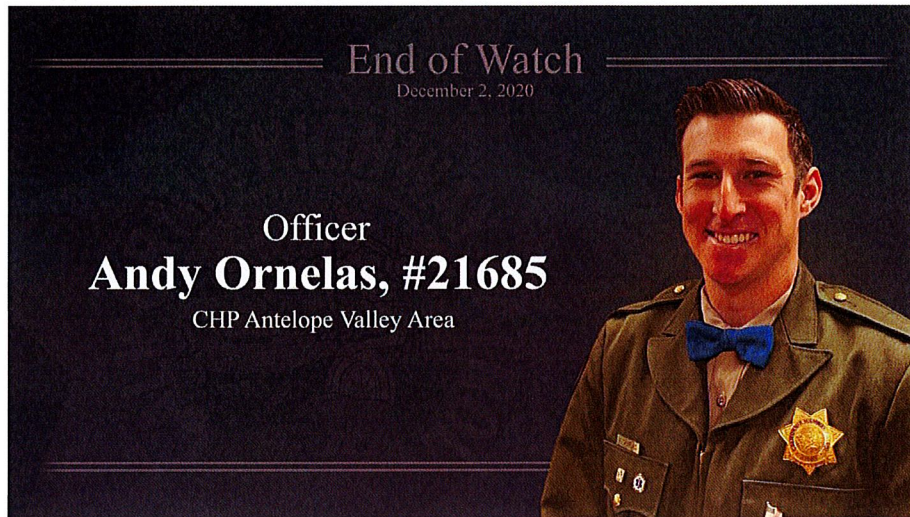




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Officer Andy Ornelas ***California Highway Patrol***

EOW: December 2, 2020

Age: 27 **Year of Service:** 4 years **Cause:** Motorcycle Accident **Suspect:** N/A

Today CHP Officer Andy Ornelas died as a result of a vehicle collision last week.

On November 23, 2020, at approximately 7:05 pm, Officer Ornelas was riding his departmental motorcycle when a motorist pulled from the right shoulder to make a U-turn directly in his path. Officer Ornelas' motorcycle struck the other vehicle, causing him to be thrown from his motorcycle. Officer Ornelas was transported to Antelope Valley Hospital in Lancaster.

Despite significant life-saving efforts by medical personnel, today (Wednesday, December 2, 2020) Officer Ornelas succumbed to his injuries. Officer Ornelas is survived by his wife, mother, father, brother, and sister. Officer Ornelas was a member of the Department for four years.

Our thoughts and prayer are with our brothers and sisters of the CHP and Officer Ornelas' family.

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