Teen driver kills

A teenage driver struck a family riding blcycles on the sidewalk in the Northern California city of Concord

two bicyclists

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this weekend, killing a man and one of his daughters, po-

lice said. Witnesses told police the 17-year-old was driving a Cadillac Escalade errati-

morning.

cally Saturday

passing cars and blazing through an intersection when he crashed into a car changing lanes in front of

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him. "Then he careened into a

family on bicycles on the sidewalk," said Sgt. Matthew Morrissey of the Concord Police Department. Authorities responded

shortly after 9:30 a.m. to Treat Boulevard near Oak Grove Road, where they pronounced 41-year-old Con-

cord resident Solaiman Nuri

dead, according to a news release from the department.

Hadessa Nuri. 9, was taken to a hospital, where she died. Her older sister, who was also riding a bike, suffered minor injuries. All three were wearing helmets. police said. The 17-year-old driver

was treated for minor inju-

ries at the hospital and then

arrested on suspicion of vehicular manslaughter. Morrissev said the driver could be charged as an adult if the district attorney determines there is sufficient evidence to do so. Morrissey said police found the teenager's cell-

phone in the vehicle and would try to determine whether it was a factor in the crash. He said there was no evidence of alcohol. - ARI BLOOMEKATZ