Victor M. Griffin

Victor Michael Griffin, 19, of 6100 S. Noland Road, injured Wednesday in a truck-train crash near Humphrey, Neb., died yesterday at a Norfolk, Neb. hospital. His father, Bruce E. Griffin, 59, of the home, was killed in the crash.

The Nebraska Highway Patrol said the truck driven by Victor Griffin struck the engine of a freight train on N-91 a half mile north of Humphrey.

Victor Griffin was born in Kansas City, Kansas, and was a lifelong area resident. He leaves his mother, Mrs. Dorothy Griffin, of the home; two brothers, Richard Ray Griffin of the home, and Bruce Edward Griffin, Jr., 11308 E. 78th, Raytown; four sisters, Mrs. Ella Stephenson, Route 3, Kansas City; Mrs Betty Dotson, 6712 Harris, Raytown; Mrs. Pam-ela Ryan, Lawrence, Kan., and Miss Vickie Griffin of the home; his paternal grandmother, Mrs. Leota Griffin, Stockton, Calif., and his maternal grandfather, Lennie L. Ruth, 9400 State, Kansas City, Kansas.

Bruce Griffin was born in Fort Smith, Ark., and had lived in this area 40 years. He was a self-employed livestock dealer and operated the Griffin Horse and Mule Auction. He also leaves two brothers, Thomas Griffin, Edwardsville, and William Griffin, Stockton, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Clara Shockey, Edwardsville, and Mrs. Viola Allison, Stockton, and seven grandchildren.

Double services will be at 1 p.m. Tuesday at the Carson Chapel, Winner Road at Fuller. Friends may call 7 to 9 p.m. Monday at the chapel.

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