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Press Release

For Immediate Release:

April 24, 2017 CORRECTION

Mr. Younkin was in custody for sexual assault and kidnapping, NOT the crimes of sexual assault with a victim under 16 or lewdness with a minor as was previously stated in the earlier press release. We apologize for the mistake and have corrected the release below.

April 15, 2017

The Nevada Department of Corrections (NDOC) reports that on Friday, April 14, 2016, at approximately 1:58 PM, Inmate Clarence M. Younkin, #70493, died at the Northern Nevada Correctional Center in the Regional Medical Facility in Carson City, Nevada. Younkin, a 72 year old male, was committed from Clark County on September 27, 2001, and was serving an aggregated sentence of Life with the possibility of Parole for Sexual Assault and Kidnapping. The Carson City Sheriff's Office coroner responded. An autopsy will be scheduled per NRS 209.3815 unless family declines. Next of kin have been notified.



Clarence M. Younkin

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