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## Woman Killed In Crash; Drowning Victim Found

An Aurora woman was killed in a four-car accident on US 50 in Lawrenceburg.

About 25 miles away, the body of one of two men believed drowned in Brookville Lake was recovered Wednesday.

The auto victim was identified as Mrs. Carolyn F. Ogden, RR 2, Aurora. The accident occurred just west of the Lawrenceburg public boat landing when a westbound car driven by Donald L. White Jr., 16, RR

2, Dillsboro, crossed the center line and ran head-on into the victim's eastbound car, Lawrenceburg Police Sgt. Chuck Evans said.

White's car was then struck broadside by an eastbound car driven by Billy R. Donly, 35, Aurora, and debris struck a third eastbound car driven by Mrs. Ruth H. Evans, 40, RR 2, Moores Hill, Evans said.

White was hospitalized; Mrs. Evans, Donly and James Dills, 311 Importing St., Aurora, a passenger in Donly's car, received minor in-

juries.

In Brookville, Franklin County deputies said they discovered the body of Robert L. Thome, 35, RR 5, Brookville, along the eastern shore of the lake about one mile north of the dam. The search for Thome's companion, Gary A. Ruwe, 28, Sunman, had to be suspended Wednesday night because of darkness.

According to police, the two men went fishing in a motorboat Tuesday afternoon.

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Robert L., beloved husband of Mary Ellen (nee Beetz), devoted father of Jo Ann, Karen and Donna Thome, dear son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thome, brother of Frank and Roger Thome, Roberta Fisher and Maria (Terry) Costello, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Beetz. Suddenly, March 14, 1979. Age 35 years. Resident of St. Leon, Indiana. Relatives and friends may call at the Dhonau-Rosenacker Funeral Home, 5527 Cheviot Road, Friday 5 to 9 P.M. Mass of Christian Burial, St. Joseph Church, St. Leon, Indiana Saturday at 10:30 A.M. Memorial contributions to the Thome Daughters Education.