

## Details on Las Vegas Crash

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The FAA and NTSB are investigating how two seasoned pilots, both senior officers in the Civil Air Patrol, flew into a mountain near Las Vegas Thursday evening. Col. Edwin Lewis, director of operations for CAP's western region, and Col. Dion DeCamp, commander of the Nevada unit, died when their CAP Cessna 182 hit 8,500-ft. Mt. Polosi, about 12 miles southwest of Las Vegas. According to the FAA preliminary report

([http://www.faa.gov/data\\_statistics/accident\\_incident/preliminary\\_data/events01/media/01\\_881CP.txt](http://www.faa.gov/data_statistics/accident_incident/preliminary_data/events01/media/01_881CP.txt))

visibility was listed as 10 miles when the aircraft crashed about 7:15 p.m.