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## **Unattended Death**

Thursday, February 19, 2015 (*Siloam Springs, Ark.*) Siloam Springs police officers responded to the Stone Inn, 1150 Hwy 412 West, at 7:50 a.m., Monday, February 16, 2015, for an unattended death of 24 year-old Kayla Rae Butler.

The initial investigation revealed no foul play. However, Siloam Springs Police Officers have continued the investigation. Based on information received during the investigation, including concerns of the family, the body has been sent to the State Crime Laboratory in Little Rock for an autopsy. The investigation continues as we await the result of the autopsy. This is still an active, open investigation.

The husband of the decedent, Russell Scott Butler, was detained by Siloam Springs Police and subsequently arrested on felony warrants issued by the Benton County Sheriff's office and not for any event that occurred at the scene.

Ms. Butler was originally from the Gentry area but her last known address was the Stone Inn in Siloam Springs.

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