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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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## **AT RISK MISSING ADULT**

**RIVERSIDE, CA** – On Friday, December 19, 2014 at about 1630 hours, the Riverside Police Department was dispatched to 2211 6<sup>th</sup> St. in Riverside reference Guadalupe Ortiz, a 69 year old woman, had wandered away from home. Ortiz' daughter, the reporting party, told police that Ortiz was last seen at the listed address at around 1440 hours. Ortiz suffers from Alzheimer's and has been known to wander away from home in the past. The reporting party said Ortiz was located in the downtown area the last time she left home.

Riverside Police Officers conducted a search in the area of the home, downtown, and in the Main St. Mall area, focusing on the area in which the Festival of Lights was taking place. Missing Person flyers were posted in and around the Mission Inn, and several citizens were notified and asked for help in locating Ortiz.

Riverside Police Officers also conducted a door to door canvas of the neighbors in Ortiz' neighborhood, but were unable to locate her. Local hospitals and ETS were also contacted, but Ortiz was not found. The Riverside Police Department is seeking the help of the public in locating Ortiz. If she is located or if anyone has any information as to her whereabouts, please call the Riverside Police Department Dispatch Center at (951) 354-2007.

