

# NEWS

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County of Los Angeles

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**LOS ANGELES, CA - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

**RE: Coroner Case Number 2012-01471 – BREITBART, Andrew James**

The Los Angeles County Department of Coroner conducted an autopsy on the body of Andrew James Breitbart, age 43, on March 2, 2012.

The final cause of death has been determined to be:

- HEART FAILURE
- HYPERTROPHIC CARDIOMYOPATHY WITH FOCAL CORONARY ATHEROSCLEROSIS

**OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS: NONE**

**MANNER OF DEATH: NATURAL**

**TOXICOLOGY:** No prescription or illicit drugs were detected. The blood alcohol was .04%.

**No significant trauma was present and foul play is not suspected. It is anticipated that the final Coroner report will be available for release within two weeks.**

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