

Alexander Kwoksum Sung (1953-2017)

Alexander Kwoksum Sung, 64, drowned inside his clock repair business, according to Harris County officials and The Associated Press. He had repaired clocks in South Houston for decades.

Sung's daughter Alicia Contreras told *The Washington Post* that she spoke to her dad over the phone during the early days of the storm. He had been checking in repeatedly to make sure she and her sister were safe, the *Post* reports. But Sung himself was

at his business, Accu-Tyme, frantically trying to move customers' clocks to higher shelves. "Sweetie, I'll have to call you back," he said. He texted a few minutes later, telling her he loved her.

That was Saturday night. His body was found in the flooded shop on Sunday.

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