

# Gunman fatally shot during standoff at Tennessee college

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DYERSBURG, Tenn. — A 26-year-old man with a history of mental problems held at least a dozen college students at gunpoint during a nine-hour standoff before a SWAT team stormed the school building and killed him.

Authorities said the gunman, Harold Kilpatrick Jr., had left a note at his sister's house before the standoff Wednesday saying he "wanted to kill some people and die today."

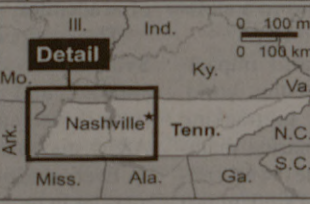
Police rushed into the building at Dyersburg State Community College around 10 p.m. after hearing shots and killed Kilpatrick. Two hostages were wounded, and state agents were investigating whether they were injured by police or Kilpatrick.

Police declined to identify the two hostages or say whether they were students or teachers. The patients were airlifted to hospitals with injuries that police said didn't appear to be life-threatening.

Classes resumed Thursday, and counselors were available to

## Gunman takes hostage in college

A gunman took at least a dozen people hostage Wednesday afternoon in a college classroom in Dyersburg, Tenn., before he was shot by police.



SOURCES: ESRI; GDT; USGS AP

students and faculty, school officials said.

Kilpatrick's cousin, Carolyn Reed, who was at the college Wednesday, said he was being treated for mental problems but was not taking his prescribed medication. Police said Kilpatrick was not a student or college employee.

"He was making threats and it was very clear he was seri-

ous," professor Erskine Ausbrooks, who heard parts of the standoff from a nearby room, told NBC's "Today" show Thursday. "My understanding is this was a completely random choice."

Dyersburg Police Chief Bobby Williamson said there were 12 to 16 people in the basic math classroom when the standoff began. About three hours later, three women students were released, one of whom was three months pregnant. The teacher remained in the classroom.

The gunman, believed to have had a 9 mm pistol and what looked like a butcher knife, made no demands during the standoff. In the evening, he asked for six pepperoni pizzas and two six-packs of soft drinks, which police delivered.

The gunman claimed to be a member of al-Qaida, and Williamson said that although authorities had no reason to believe the claim, the FBI had been called in. Justice Department officials in Washington also said they had no evidence that the gunman was a member of the terrorist organization.

### NEWS IN BRIEF

#### NYSE gets back to business

NEW YORK (AP) — The New York Stock Exchange went back to business without a chairman Thursday amid questions about how much more upheaval would result from the colossal pay package of former chairman Dick Grasso.

Some critics insisted that Grasso's resignation Wednesday needed to be followed by a clean sweep of the board room.

There was much speculation about whom the NYSE board's search committee would consider

for the top job — from former regulators to investment guru Warren Buffett — but there was no clear front-runner. Some traders, fearful of radical change, said they would prefer an insider.

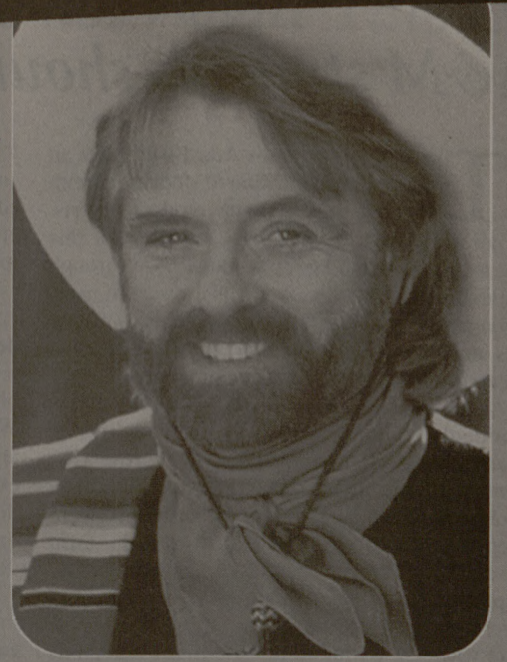
Grasso, a charismatic figure who started out as a floor clerk in 1968 and was named to the NYSE's highest office in 1995, may not be easy to replace.

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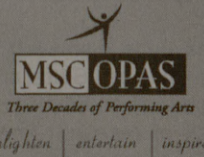


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10:30 a.m. - Worship  
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For more information contact Bill Van Winkle 774-3059

college@fellowshipfbw.org  
http://www.fellowshipfbw.org

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