

## **KNX 'Citizen of the Week' Honors for Operator Davis**

(Oct. 12) A month ago, Metro Bus Operator Evelyn Davis held a new life in her hands when she helped a passenger give birth to a baby boy on her Line 20 bus. It was a profoundly moving event for Davis.

On Saturday, KNX Radio will introduce Davis as its "Citizen of the Week" and will tell her inspirational story to listeners throughout Southern California. The two-and-a-half-minute feature, which will include an interview with Davis, will be broadcast at 6:55 a.m. and again at 4:25 p.m.



Metro Bus Operator Evelyn Davis visits mother and baby she helped deliver on bus.

In addition to the broadcasts, Davis will receive a commemorative plaque and will be invited to attend the radio station's annual "Citizen of the Week" luncheon in January.

### **Birth on a bus**

The event that brought Davis the KNX honor occurred at 7:30 a.m., Sept. 11, when 19-year-old Susana Millan - enroute to an examination at her maternity clinic - suddenly felt intense labor pains. Within minutes and with the help of Davis and two women passengers, she was giving birth to a baby boy she named Juan Jose.

For more than 20 years, KNX has chosen as its "Citizen of the Week" people who were involved in "acts of courage and selflessness that were above and beyond the call of duty," says Jack Salvatore, who has produced the weekly feature for the past nine years.

"The response we get to these stories is always positive," says Salvatore. "They inspire our listeners to volunteer for community activities or get involved in charity work."

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