

## Man rescued from mine shaft

ACTON (AP) — A man was rescued Saturday after being trapped for nearly six hours on a ledge 150 feet down a mine shaft, Los Angeles County fire authorities said.

The man, 54, was taken to Antelope Valley Hospital with minor cuts and bruises, but appeared to be in good spirits, fire spokeswoman Charlotte Kramer said.

He was trapped after falling in the 800-foot vertical mine shaft about 3:30 p.m., prompting an effort by more than 60 rescuers. He had fallen off a ladder, but details about what he had been doing were unavailable, Kramer said.

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