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Bad idea: Don't rob people to pay a bail bondsman **(<http://journalexpress.net/cnhi/x673416265/Bad-idea-Dont-rob-people-to-pay-a-bail-bondsman>)**

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HUNTSVILLE, Texas — Travis Smith just can't stay out of jail.

The 24-year-old man was released on bail Monday and he asked his bondsman to drop him off at his grandmother's house so he could get some money to pay him.

Smith entered the house and asked for some cash, but it wasn't a relative. It was a stranger.

"They people told him to get out because they did not know him," Huntsville Police Lt. Jim Barnes said. "They called the police and when we got there the bail bondsman was still there and helped tell us who the suspect was."

Smith was apprehended later in the day and returned to jail, where he now faces new charges.

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