



## Micah Rine Pate

April 30, 2009

Micah Denise Rine Pate was born April 28, 1983 in Searcy and was the victim of a tragic shooting April 30, 2009 in Bartlett, Tennessee. She grew up in Searcy and attended Harding Academy and Harding University. Micah was a Christian. She served as a women's health nurse in Bartlett, where she has lived for the last three years. Survivors include her parents, Dennis and Terri Rine; her brother and his family, Casey, Kellie and Isaac Rine of Sherwood; grandparents, Floyd and Patty Rine of Searcy, Jerry and Delores Pittman of Proctorville, Ohio, plus a very large extended family including aunts, uncles, and cousins. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials be sent to the Wildcat Scholarship Trust at Harding Academy.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *An angel in heaven.*

*Frank, Belgium*

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**Frank** - May 19 at 06:02 PM

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“ *I just saw a documentary on your beautiful daughter Micah. I am amazed by your love and faith in the midst of this unspeakable tragedy. I cried when you read the last line of her dairy...loving God the most and wanting to be with Him. ☐*

*Micah is now in heaven and watching over you. What a blessing to have had her in your life.*

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**Karen P** - July 16, 2025 at 08:35 PM



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“ *Shannon Johnson lit a candle in memory of Micah Rine Pate*

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**Shannon johnson** - October 14, 2021 at 01:42 PM



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“ *Though time has passed, her memory lives on and she is not forgotten. She is still in our thoughts, you are in our prayers.*

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**Tiffany** - February 10, 2016 at 05:49 PM



“ You are our prayers.

May 08, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ I used to clean at Harding Academy 5 plus years ago and I remember Micah coming in occasionally to see her Dad. She would tell me hello and head into Dennis' office. What I remember is her smile. I am very sorry to hear about this and I know Jesus has his arms around your family.

May 08, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Coach Rine and Family, I remember when Micah was born and how proud you were of her and were always proud of her. I'm very sorry to hear of your loss and I know that you can take comfort in knowing that she is with her savior in heaven and we will again see her.

May 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ The Rine Family,

*My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. May you continue to be wrapped in warmth by those around you.*

May 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ My prayers and thoughts are with all of you during this difficult time. Everyone will miss her dearly. She was truly a gift from GOD!!

May 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Micah was so cheerful and happy that it's hard to believe a tragedy like this could happen. We are praying for you. I wish there was more I could do. Amy (Hurd) Bilski and Family*

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May 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Ms. Terri & family,  
Much love, prayers, and thoughts are with you and your entire family.  
I miss my wonderful Christian and Zeta Rho sister, Micah.  
With love,  
Liza (Freeman) Wright*

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May 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our hearts are aching for you and your family. Know that you are in our prayers. May GOD wrap each of you in his arms and comfort you.*

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May 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

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May 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Denny, Terri, Floyd, Patty & Casey,  
There are no words, that we can give you and the family, to ease  
the pain.  
No matter, how they die the pain is just as unbearable, just know we  
understand your grief.  
Our Love & prayers.*

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March 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM