



Jeremy "White Mike" Riggs

November 15, 1983 - June 28, 2019

Jeremy "White Mike" Riggs, 35, of Cairo, died on Friday, June 28, 2019 in Cairo.

He was born on November 15, 1983 in Cairo to Jesse Sisk and Glenda Riggs.

Jeremy is survived by his daughter, Isabella Riggs of Cairo; guardians, James and Laura McWilliams of Tamms; sister, Jamie McWilliams of Tamms; niece, Trinity Daniels of Mounds; father and step-mother, Jesse (Margaret) Sisk of Indiana; half-brother, Jesse Sisk III of Indiana; girlfriend; Tiffany Bennett of Cairo; several aunts, uncles, cousins and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Glenda Riggs-Keith; grandparents, John and Eleanor Riggs and Jesse Sr. and Rebecca Sisk.

Visitation will be held from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm on Friday, July 5, 2019 at Crain Funeral Home in Tamms.

Funeral services for Jeremy "White Mike" Riggs will be at 1:00 pm on Friday, July 5, 2019 at the funeral home with Pastor Kenneth Maupin officiating. Interment will follow at Rose Hill Cemetery in Thebes.

Memorial contributions can be made to St. Jude Children's Hospital or

Shriners and will be accepted at the funeral home.

Cemetery Details

Rose Hill Cemetery

Thebes, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 5. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Crain Funeral Home - Tamms
420 Front St.
Tamms, IL 62988
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Tribute Wall

DD

“*Jeremy, my family, affectionately calls you "White Mike." You are a legend in your own right. Everyone knew you by the whimsical personality and airy energy you generated.*



You will always be a part of the Patton family. I was a classmate of your mother, Glenda and Aunt Laura. My sister Dorothy Patton grew to love you like a son, and my nephews Lance Patton, Maceo Patton, and Tai Griffin love you as their brother. It's been years since your transition. The sudden departure has still left my family shattered and asking what if? They continue to grieve in anguish and crave for your return. I wish you had known how deeply you were loved and needed.

Their intense distress, guilt, and complicated feelings have left them struggling to understand how they missed the stressors that led you to so much pain, hopelessness, and despair.

On many occasions your name has risen and memories of your magic, special places and activities have been discussed.

Mike, you brought my family so much joy, endless laughter, and unity. Your chapter on earth will never end as long as you live safe and protected inside of those who love you. May you experience ever lasting serenity and peace.

The lighting of the periwinkle candle symbolizes the serenity, peace, and calm that I, the Patton, and Dalton Family hope that you'll find. It represents the tender memories, emotional connection, friendship, and strong bond that reaches from earth to eternity. Much Love 💜

💜💜 Auntie Belinda Dalton (Patton)

Dr. Belinda Dalton - February 17 at 11:04 PM



“ *Jeremy "White Mike" Riggs*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Rest Easy "White Mike". You will surely be missed...*

Sierra Dickerson - July 07, 2019 at 06:56 PM



“ *Goodbye my ninja.....You was like a brother to me.....I'm sorry I couldn't have been there in your hour of need.....We will miss you dearly.....If I knew that would be the last night I was going to see you I would have made the best of it.....I pray the father grants you the peace you were looking for.....Gone 2 soon my guy.....till we meet again😭*

Lance Patton - July 05, 2019 at 12:25 PM



“ *well cuz,,lately i was lucky enough to spend time with you and i regret not seeing all the demons you had..so sad you had to go so soon but i can only pray that you are finally at peace..you are with grammy and your mom now so smile and fly high! i will miss you and i hope you know you were very much loved!!*



lee ann rapert - July 04, 2019 at 09:49 PM



“ *I just wanna say to the family, I'm very sorry for your loss, he will be truly missed, R.I.P WHITE MIKE, you will forever be in our hearts*

Sebrina Jackson - July 04, 2019 at 04:29 PM



“ Rest Up Jeremy. Reality just hit me like a million ton of bricks that you are the one who left this world gar before your time old friend. I knew of you through my bff for extremely long time Amy but we became co-worker Pizza Hut buddies. You would be doing your thing making all them pizzas and me pregnant at that stanking dish washer but you always found time to lend your ear, advice, and help with all them lunchtime dishes because as the days passed by the more pregnant I became. You were awesome friend and co-worker. I never told you how much it meant that you actually cared what I was going through before, during and after losing my son...Say hi to my pops Randy and if you don't mind hold my son when you get chance. You will never be 4gotten...you are loved by lots and touched many lives and I doubt you ever even knew...well now you do. Fly high Jeremy!

Heather Miller - July 04, 2019 at 07:44 AM

RW

“ With deepest sympathies. Rest is peace, Mike. You will never be forgotten.



Renee Wright - July 04, 2019 at 04:36 AM

DM

“ I remember he came out to the huddle house i was new there didnt really no boudy he came up and started talking to me out of no were he was and is a good hearted dude im proud to call him my friend fly hi bro peace till we meet again

David meeks - July 03, 2019 at 08:20 AM

TD

“ J.W. Williams Jr. \$\$\$ and the Williams Funeral homes all locations, He was a real good hearted dude, Always showed me great respect and me him, R.I.P. "White Mike" Fly High On That Mountain!!!!



taye diggs - July 03, 2019 at 08:07 AM

AA

“ Andrea Aden lit a candle in memory of Jeremy "White Mike" Riggs



Andrea Aden - July 03, 2019 at 07:21 AM

RB

“ Boomland will never be the same without u much love

Rhonda Bostic - July 03, 2019 at 12:23 AM

LC

“ Lori Cossey lit a candle in memory of Jeremy "White Mike" Riggs



Lori Cossey - July 02, 2019 at 10:41 PM

AT

“ I'll never forget when we were little and went swimming at The Charleston Inn. I'll never forget that you got a Dallas cowboy coat and hat and I was jealous lol! Rest up cousin. I've always loved you and I'm thankful that we stayed in touch through the years.

Amy Tyus - July 02, 2019 at 10:26 PM

HH

“ We worked together in Charleston at Pizza Hut for years and always had a blast. We made a great team. I'm still in shock. I'll miss you bub.



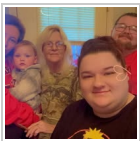
Heather Honey - July 02, 2019 at 09:10 PM

EL

“ Eugene Lynch lit a candle in memory of Jeremy "White Mike" Riggs



Eugene Lynch - July 02, 2019 at 09:03 PM



“ Lisa Anderson lit a candle in memory of Jeremy "White Mike" Riggs

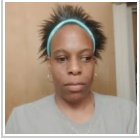


Lisa Anderson - July 02, 2019 at 05:57 PM



“ RIP Jeremy you were always a smiling face I loved to see.

airbiscuit - July 02, 2019 at 05:47 PM



“ I'm going to miss you so much this hit me really hard we go way back from growing up in Elmwood and your mom was my mother's best friend so I'm going to say Goodnight and I love you Ashley Bell

Ashley Bell - July 02, 2019 at 05:45 PM



“ I'm sorry for your loss. White Mike was always respectful to me and he always tried give me some good advice. I'm praying for your family



CaSaundra Prater-Hill - July 02, 2019 at 04:00 PM



“ He was a great guy who would be truly missed RIP FRIEND LOVE YA 😍😍



Nesha Williams - July 02, 2019 at 03:34 PM