



## Miles Ricci

July 16, 2013

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# Tribute Wall

WS

“ *Julian is 15 now and I'm 63, March 5th and March 6th. I really needed you here*

William Smart - March 07 at 02:50 AM

BL

“ *Kevin is 19 years old now ☐ we are talking about you today, it's wild. Miss you my dear friend.*

Blanca - August 24, 2025 at 10:56 PM

WS

*I'm glad you still remember him. I'd love for you to meet Julian, he is so much like Miles.*

William Smart - October 18, 2025 at 09:36 PM

SA

“ *We miss you always and we always celebrate you, remember you and talk about you.*

Sarah - June 09, 2025 at 07:37 PM

WS

*It means a great deal to me that you still think of him.*

William Smart - July 28, 2025 at 05:29 PM

BS

“ *Julian is 14 today, I think you'd be proud of the young man he's become.*

Bill Smart - March 05, 2025 at 02:41 PM

CO

“ Hey miles I miss you so much more then you'll ever know I've made a lot of mistakes in my life that's forsure but I feel like you've helped me through most of it I think about you all the time I even got a tattoo for you I love you bro- your little brother cole

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**Cole** - February 18, 2025 at 07:48 PM

BI

“ You would have been 33 years old today. I would have liked to see the man you would have been.

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**Bill** - April 08, 2024 at 07:34 PM

BL

“ I cannot believe you have been gone this long. It feels like an eternity. We miss you!

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**Blanca** - January 08, 2024 at 01:08 PM

BL

“ You still visit. Never stop. Missing you always.

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**Blanca** - August 03, 2022 at 01:05 PM

WS

“ 9 years, I feel as though I'm the only one who remembers.

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**william smart** - July 16, 2022 at 08:50 PM

BL

“ Kevin and I were talking about you yesterday. How you influenced my taste in music and in so many mother things. Kev was just a 1 year old when you and I met. Now he's almost 15. You would not believe the young man he has turned into. He was so interested in your life and what you were like. What you loved and didn't love. We laughed about some things and were sad about others. He even saw a picture of us and thought he maybe recognized you. Always missing you Miles.

Blanca - June 29, 2021 at 09:23 AM

WI

I would love for him and you to meet Julian. My number is 612 799-9783

William.smart@mpls.k12.mn - September 04, 2021 at 10:39 PM

WI

Call me if you'd ever want to connect with Julian

William.smart@mpls.k12.mn - September 04, 2021 at 10:41 PM

BS

“ Happy 29th Birthday Miles, I miss you.

Bill Smart - April 08, 2020 at 10:14 PM

WS

“ 6 years and it doesn't get much easier.

Will Smart - July 16, 2019 at 07:28 AM

WS

“ Ok so the week before your birthday always sucks.

William smart - March 29, 2019 at 08:53 PM

DA

“ *My brother.. It doesnt get any easier.*

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**Darren** - January 11, 2019 at 11:37 PM

WS

*Hey, I'd love to hear your stories of Miles, I'm at 612 799 9783*

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**William smart** - March 29, 2019 at 08:52 PM

WS

*Hey, I'd love to hear your stories of Mikes.*

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**William smart** - March 29, 2019 at 08:54 PM

BL

“ *Still think of you and how you changed my world.*

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**Blanca** - June 30, 2017 at 09:25 AM

CR

“ *I miss you miles today's my birthday I wish u were here to celebrate it with me I remember when you made me have a really good birthday when u were here ... R.i.p miles*

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**Crystal** - February 06, 2017 at 05:12 PM

BS

“ *Time passes but not the sadness, the feelings of being alone and the "what-ifs".*

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**Bill Smart** - October 31, 2015 at 04:36 PM

BL

*I hope you are doing better Bill.*

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**Blanca** - August 21, 2017 at 03:19 PM

LE

“ It's been 2whole years it seems forever ago even though i knew you a short while you changed my life for the better i will never forget you and always love you and i no your lookin out for me my Angel



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**LeAnn** - July 15, 2015 at 10:31 AM

BL

“ Why did you have to go?

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**Blanca** - May 05, 2015 at 12:07 AM

BS

“ 24 years ago today you came into the world. I loved you every minute you were here.

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**Bill Smart** - April 08, 2015 at 10:23 AM

BL

“ Selena passed away 30 years ago. She has been all over social media. It reminded me of how you used to love and sing her songs to me in Spanish as we talked on the phone. I have such lovely memories of your voice. Wish I could hear it one more time. Even if it is to say something sarcastic. Love you :)

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**Blanca** - April 02, 2015 at 02:49 AM

BL

“ Think about you every single day. I miss you so much.

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**Blanca** - April 02, 2015 at 02:45 AM

SA

“ Every time I go in my room I look at the photo booth pictures of us, next to a picture of my grandparents and my two cats. There has been a lot of loss for me the last couple of years and missing you still stings like it happened yesterday. Whenever I am feeling blue, til this day a song that reminds me of you will play. It's kinda crazy but losing my grandma last week, all your favorite songs were on the radio every time I turned on my car and on the way to the funeral. I'd like to think you were trying to be there for me, because you knew how much she meant to me. My grandparents always loved you. I hope you guys can cross paths again and say hello. You are missed Miles.

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**Sarah** - January 10, 2015 at 09:47 PM

BS

“ Miles, thank you for the dreams; I think I'm getting your point.

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**Bill Smart** - December 20, 2014 at 04:45 PM

BS

“ It's been too hard lately. I miss you so much.

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**Bill Smart** - October 28, 2014 at 07:16 PM

SA

“ Yesterday, all I could hear was your laugh in my head. Like your huge genuine higher pitched laugh when Bron would say something funny or something that didn't make sense HA. You are so missed.

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**sarah** - October 26, 2014 at 12:06 PM

BL

“ You're gone, but certainly not forgotten Miles.

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**Blanca** - October 23, 2014 at 01:54 AM

BL

“ *I hope you've climbed that staircase to heaven love.*

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**Blanca** - July 06, 2014 at 01:08 PM

BL

“ *Happy Birthday Miles?*

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**Blanca** - April 08, 2014 at 08:04 AM

BL

“ *I've had multiple dreams about you in the past week. The most I've had since you passed. My mom was cleaning out some papers today and she found a cd and asked me if I needed it. I sd yeah, it had the words mix 1 on it. I just sat down to listen to it and realized it was the FIRST ever mix you made for me after we became a couple. Coincidence? Idk, I like to think you are trying to get my attention in your own little way. Thank you for that hun ?*

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**Blanca** - March 21, 2014 at 06:45 PM

SS

“ Still think about you everyday - even if I don't post on here or use social media. You're always in my thoughts. Everywhere in NE reminds me of you. We've just been in each other's lives so long that I am blessed w. Memories across the lifespan from kids to adults with you. Everyday I notice something new I either learned from you or was shaped by you. Like songs, foods, movies, places, etc. It makes me so happy to know you've impacted my life tremendously. Not only as a playmate as kids, best friend, love, and a forever friend but the way I act, the way I treat people, the way I view things- you have helped shaped. I just hope you know all the beautiful things you have done for me and I hope that you know how much absolutely everyone who ever knew you, misses you so much. I wish I could give you a hug and ask about anything new happening and ask how Xia, Julian, and bill were doing- like we used to. I anticipate texts from you because it feels like I should be receiving one from you. It feels like I should still walk into a NE bar and see you. It still feels like I would be seeing you at a bonfire soon with this warmer weather approaching. Haven't had a dream about you in at least 2 or 3 months. I hope you're safe. I hope you're happy. And I hope there is no more pain. You are loved by me for eternity. Missing you always

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sarah sharpe - March 16, 2014 at 09:05 PM

GA

“ I was a transplant in Minneapolis for five months, and in those five months, Miles was one of the few friends I made out there. We were coworkers at Chipotle at the time, and the kid just felt like a good friend right from the start. He reminded me of my good friends back home. I really didn't get the chance to have that many memories with Miles, but the ones I did have will not soon be forgotten. It's strange. I used to listen to his music, anticipating the day I would make my return to Minneapolis, and see the friends I have made. Now I listen to his music, and anticipate the day I will return, to leave a rose at his grave. I just wonder, is there a tombstone to visit? I'd like to say goodbye to one I considered a dear friend. Thank you.

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**Garrett** - February 12, 2014 at 01:11 PM

BS

Yes there is, thank you for posting your thoughts. I'm glad Miles touched your life.

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**Bill Smart** - February 15, 2014 at 09:44 AM

HA

Bill-Do you mind letting me know where the tombstone is? I have been meaning to visit it but I do not know where it is. Garrett- I miss Miles too, I think of him everyday. Let me know when you come out to visit and we will have to meet to visit his grave. I also found the CD of his band and I have been meaning to get you a copy...

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**Hannah** - May 07, 2014 at 02:24 PM

BS

The name is Morninside Memorial Gardens, 11800 University Ave NW, Coon Rapids. I've been trying to contact you, I have something of Miles' I wanted you to have. My # is 612-799-9783.

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**Bill Smart** - June 03, 2014 at 12:27 PM

HS

I will give you a call. thank you!

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**Hannah Sutherland** - July 01, 2014 at 10:28 AM

BL

“ 1 file added to the album *New Album Name*



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**Blanca** - January 22, 2014 at 02:10 PM

BS

*I really like the picture, where was it taken? You both look very happy.*

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**Bill Smart** - January 23, 2014 at 05:40 PM

BL

*I don't know if I ever got back to you on this Bill. We were at Edison. I was a freshman and Miles a sophomore. We had only begun dating and we were very happy :)*

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**Blanca** - April 02, 2015 at 02:51 AM

BL

“ *Hey Miles,*

*I love looking on this page and seeing all the wonderful things that people have to say about you, how you touched so many peoples lives in so many ways. Thinking of you everyday and how great you are. I love you hun <3*

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**Blanca** - January 16, 2014 at 08:37 AM

BL

“ I stare at the picture I have of us everyday and think what if, what if, what if. The more I think the more I come to the realization that those questions will forever be unanswered. All I can hope for is that you found the answers that will bring you peace of mind and soul. I love you hun.

*And Sarah in case you read this, that was beautiful.*

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**Blanca** - December 16, 2013 at 01:22 PM

BS

*I know you were and Kevin were very important to Miles, thank you for caring for and loving him.*

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**Bill Smart** - December 16, 2013 at 03:49 PM

SA

“ Had a dream about you and bill last night. Woke up to the snow on the window of my car with some sort of word on it and it started with 'm' and it looked like an L was in there too. Perhaps a sign from you. Thinking about you every single time I'm in my car w. The music on. Hope you have some special plans in mind for the holidays and visiting your loved ones. Hope your safe love.

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**Sarah** - December 14, 2013 at 01:08 PM

BS

*I hope you are doing well, I know this will be a difficult time of year for all of us who love Miles.*

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**Bill Smart** - December 16, 2013 at 08:02 AM

BL

“ miss you Miles <3

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**Blanca** - December 05, 2013 at 02:49 PM

SA

“ *We love you!*

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**sarah** - November 16, 2013 at 09:13 AM

BS

*You are truly a wonderful person and I'm so glad you were in his life.*

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**Bill Smart** - November 21, 2013 at 05:54 PM

BL

“ *The image of you laughing will forever be engraved into my memory. I hold many memories of you near and dear. I especially think about the times when you didn't hold back and just laughed, laughed as hard as you could knowing noone would judge and you didn't care if they did. It was the most contagious thing ever. Time is inevitable. Though they say time heals all wounds, the scars are left. Scars that will forever remind me of you. You are greatly missed by all Miles. Te amo.*

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**Blanca** - October 16, 2013 at 09:00 AM

SA

“ *I don't know where else to write to you, besides in my journal and in here. Love you, thinking of you always. Literally, almost everything reminds me of you. You were such a good person and friend. Just have to remind myself that this is what you wanted, this is how you wanted to end the pain and be able to protect all of us from above. I love you*

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**Sarah** - September 29, 2013 at 09:51 PM

B<

“ 2 months and 1 day. I still miss you. I am so grateful that I got to meet you in this lifetime. I know I will see you in the next. You were a pivotal person in my life. You taught me as much as you could about music and love. It's still hard to wave good-bye, I never will. I will never ever forget you Miles. I love you.

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**Blanca <3** - September 17, 2013 at 08:54 AM

LL

“ Today marks 2 months. It's still very hard for me a lot of days, but I find comfort when you make your way into my dreams or give me little signs. If I am in this much pain where I did not see you everyday, I can't even bear to imagine the pain of the one's you did see everyday, your family, your best friends, your love, your child. You mean so much to everyone. We all hurt because you are gone. We all wish we could hear your voice one more time. There are so many memories that have been resurfacing these past months. Top the tater with doritos, the river, Bron's, Bonfires, Stumblebums, Honeywell Hill, Windom Carnival, my knee brace, guitar picks, videos of you and the guys on my video camera, cds, music, Aardvark, The garage, columbia park with everyone, The moose, SO MANY THINGS. You have impacted my life in so many ways, and I know you have with just about everyone who knew you. I love you forever and ever and after that. Thank you for watching all of us and keeping tabs on us. I listened to "spanish bombs" the other day and just smiled and laughed because not only were you Clash obsessed at one point, but you knew spanish well! I just remember you singing that all the time when we were younger. I hope you're still making music where ever you are Miles. Love you

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**Little Lady** - September 16, 2013 at 12:33 AM

BL

“ It has been one month since our beloved Miles has left us. His will forever be present in my thoughts and memories. I know you are smiling down on us. Love you Miles.

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**Blanca** - August 16, 2013 at 03:03 PM

Jl

“ The past few years Miles has been one of my closest friends. I will always remember the good times we had in St. Cloud. But what I will miss the most is spending time in the basement listening to Tommy, Aaron, Alicia and Miles jam. Great music.

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**John Iverson** - August 14, 2013 at 09:14 AM

SS

“ Missing you every single day. I can still hear your laugh and see your smile. I hope you have the peace you have always looked for. I love you miles. Thank you for being my first love. Thank you for the beautiful 17 years of you in my life. You will always be in my heart.

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**sarah sharpe** - August 13, 2013 at 06:36 AM

SS

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**sarah sharpe** - August 13, 2013 at 06:36 AM

LL

“ We are very sorry to hear of Miles' passing. Our prayers are with all of the family and friends who were close to him. Our boys were friends at Pillsbury. Our sincere sympathy to you in this sad time.  
*The Lurvey Family*

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**Lynn Lurvey** - July 21, 2013 at 04:54 PM

JA

“ I've know him since he was about 3 years old. He was a beautiful kid. There is not enough space to write all my memories down with the time I spent with him. He always put a smile on my face! I will forever miss him.  
*Jason A.*

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**Jason** - July 19, 2013 at 06:22 PM

ND

“ I played Goalie on the MPLS East high school hockey team, both on Junior Varsity and the Varsity. In the locker room and on the bus he was always making the team laugh, he never seemed to care which level he was going to play, he was just happy to be with his friends. I remember loving when he was on the ice because I knew nobody was going to come around my net.

*After high school I bumped into him a few times at restaurants while visiting with other friends. Miles would walk right up and start bs-ing with all of us like he had known everyone for years.*

*I will always remember his fun loving attitude, his jokes, and his love for friends.*

*I only knew you for a short time but you made a huge impact on my life both on and off the ice. Love you Miles*

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**Nicholas Dudero** - July 19, 2013 at 12:44 AM

KH

“ Growing up, miles was the brother I never had! I'd do anything to have one more chance to see his smile!

kyriacos hadjiyiannis - July 18, 2013 at 08:18 PM

AF

“ Miles was part of our family and was like a brother to our daughter, Alex. We shared vacations and important milestones together like birthdays and holidays. Miles's humor, goodness, and talents will be sorely missed. I will miss his hugs and his smile.

Anita Larson / Larson Family - July 18, 2013 at 03:31 PM

KS

“ 5 files added to the album New Album Name



Kris Solz - July 18, 2013 at 01:50 PM

SS

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Sarah Sharpe - July 18, 2013 at 12:16 PM

SS

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Sarah Sharpe** - July 18, 2013 at 12:15 PM

CD

“ *Chad Dubbeldee*

*Miles came in to the MPLS High School hockey program while I was coaching junior varsity. He was a stand out player for me on and off the ice. He was very shy and quiet and let his skill on the ice speak for himself. I then moved up as the varsity's defensive coach and miles followed me. While on Varsity Miles grew as a player and a young man. He quickly came out of his shell and was a leader in the locker room and on the ice, and the comedian on the long bus rides and hotel stays. Miles will always have a place in my heart as a player and person I am so glad I was able to have in my life!*

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**chad dubbeldee** - July 18, 2013 at 11:17 AM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Miles Ricci.*



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July 18, 2013 at 09:27 AM

KS

“ Miles will always be one of 'my boys'. So many memories and special moments over the years, watching Alex, Miles and all the other boys playing hockey, playing poker in my basement, and just being boys hanging out together. You will be missed, Miles.

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**kris solz** - July 18, 2013 at 06:52 AM

YB

“ I remember growing up playing hockey, hanging out, and causing trouble in hotel swimming pools at tournaments. From around the age of 6 and on, myself and several others skated with Miles every day of the week from September through March, and these are the best memories of my life. In fact, i still have a hockey stick from a trade with Miles, which is one stick that never managed to break. We always had each others backs, on and off the ice. I am deeply saddened for Miles, for Bill, who is one of the nicest and most caring people I know, and all of us (family and friends) who were lucky to be in the presence of miles. You will never be forgotten, you will be deeply missed, and I will always call you a close friend.

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**Yarri Bryn** - July 17, 2013 at 03:55 PM

LK

“ Bill and families, I am so saddened to hear of Miles' passing and share any and all support I or my family can offer. Miles and Bill -- your were such a big part of Joe and Nick's youth and high school hockey, with Tony always watching the big boys from the sidelines. Our hearts go out to all of you at this time of sorrow.

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**Lynn Klobuchar** - July 17, 2013 at 03:21 PM

AN

*Bill is the best damn thing that has ever touched miles life. For you to say that is the most ignorant comment you could ever say. Bill was his only family, bill is his father, he has been there since day one. This is in loving memory of Miles, not for you to bash people who truly cared about him.*

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**anonymous** - August 13, 2013 at 10:26 AM

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**anonymous** - August 13, 2013 at 10:26 AM