Michelle Sue Gearhart

December 12, 2001

Feb. 3, 1968, to Nov. 27, 2001

Michelle Sue Gearhart, 33, of Anchorage, Ala., whose parents and grandparents were longtime Nevada residents, died Nov. 27 at her home of cardiac arrest.

She was born Feb. 3, 1968, in Atlantic to Jack Ruxton and Helen Marie (Boten) Gearhart. She graduated from Atlantic High School in 1986. She had a bachelor's degree in political science from the University of Anchorage, Alaska. She was employed as media coordinator for the State of Alaska Tobacco Prevention and Control.

Survivors include her husband of six years, Caleb; her parents, Jack and Helen Gearhart of Atlantic; two sisters, Jan Myers of Atlantic and Cindy Steckel of Salem, Ore.; one brother, Richard Gearhart of Cincinnati, Ohio; her grandmother, Lois Gearhart; her father and mother-in-law, Dennis and Patsy Wells and a sister-in-law, Ana Wells.

She was preceded in death by her grandparents, Glen Gearhart, Henry and Arlene Boten; and a niece.

Funeral services were held Dec. 6 at the Evangelical Free Church in Atlantic with Pastor Terry L. Shoenfeld officiating. Roland Funeral Service, Atlantic, handled arrangements.

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