



# Allen County Coroner

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PRESS RELEASE  
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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

To: All Media Outlets  
From: Christopher Meihls  
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The Allen County Coroner's Office has identified and notified the next of kin of the deceased individual from the motor vehicle crash that occurred at US 30 and Felger Road, in Allen County, Indiana, at about 14:56 pm, Tuesday, March 21, 2017. The deceased was identified as Gage Daniel Linnemeier, male, white, 21 years of age, of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Cause of Death has been determined to be Blunt Force Trauma Due to Motor Vehicle Crash and the Manner of Death is Accident.

Gage Daniel Linnemeier is the 4<sup>th</sup> traffic fatality for Fort Wayne and Allen County in 2017.

The incident remains under investigation by the Allen County Police Department, Allen County Prosecutor's Office, and the Allen County Coroner's Office.

Christopher Meihls  
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