



**V i C A P A L E R T
MISSING PERSON – ARKANSAS**

Attention: Violent Crime / Cold Case / Crime Analysis Units



MATTHEW DAVID PENDERGRAST
Missing since 12/01/2000 from Memphis, TN

Race: White

Sex: Male

Age: 23 (in 2000)

Height: 5'6"

Weight: 110 lbs.

Hair: Brown

Eyes: Blue

Distinguishing Characteristics: Dimples

Agency Case #: CID-A-00220-00

Photo circa 2000

Matthew David Pendergrast, a senior at Rhodes College, departed his residence in Memphis, Tennessee, between 0730-0800 hours on 12/01/2000 to attend class. He never arrived and was not seen again. His vehicle, a 1998 Toyota 4Runner, was found abandoned in Lonoke, Arkansas at approximately 1400 hours that same day. The vehicle was recovered near a swamp just off Interstate 40 and was unlocked with the keys and victim's backpack still inside. A search of the surrounding area revealed the victim's clothing, shoes and wallet containing cash, driver's license and credit card located approximately 100 yards from his vehicle but no additional clues as to his whereabouts.

To provide or request additional information, please contact:
- Arkansas State Police, Little Rock, Arkansas, (800) 553-3820 -
- FBI ViCAP, (800) 634-4097, vicap@leo.gov -

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