

## Boy Rescued From Mine Killed in Auto Accident

Tarentum (AP) — A 16-year-old boy, rescued from a coal mine last May, was killed today in an auto crash in which three companions were injured.

The youth was Joseph Pitkavish of Tarentum. He was a passenger in a car which police said was operated by Robert L. Pometo, 18, also of Tarentum.

Pitkavish and Paul Crawford, 15, of nearby Brackenridge, were lost for 24 hours in an old coal mine in nearby Harrison Twp. last May.

A rescue team brought the youths to safety. The boys said they were exploring the coal pit when they got lost.

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