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THE COALITION TO END RELATIONSHIP ABUSE REMEMBERS JAELYN NICHOLE WALKER MINNESOTA'S 10TH CONFIRMED VICTIM OF INTIMATE PARTNER HOMICIDE IN 2024

Jaelyn Nichole Walker, 14, was stabbed and killed in Moorhead on or about August 20, 2024. Isaac Arndt, 18, described as Jaelyn's ex-boyfriend, is charged with second-degree murder. Jaelyn was reported missing around 12:35am the day she was found. Following the missing persons report, police searched the area of her last known location, where they discovered her body on the banks of the Red River. Police found text messages between Jaelyn and Arndt agreeing to meet at Gooseberry Park in Moorhead at 7:30pm the night of August 19th. After telling several different versions of the story, Arndt finally admitted to police that he had stabbed Jaelyn approximately 13 times, cut her throat, and left her body by the river. Arndt told investigators that he and Jaelyn had "been in a relationship for several months" and had "recently broken up," and that he knew she was no longer alive when he left the scene.

Jaelyn Nichole Walker is described by loved ones as "beautiful, blue eyed, fearless, and feisty" with a "beautiful voice" who loved singing, fishing, cats, anime, and spending time with her family.