



## Brett L. Studdard Obituary

June 22, 1971 - October 17, 2003

A native of Hattiesburg, MS, he had lived in Marietta for the several years and was of Presbyterian Faith. He was a 1989 graduate of Westover High School, where he played basketball. Mr. Studdard was a graduate of the University of Wyoming in Laramie, WY where he received his BS in Marketing and was an Academic All-WAC Athletic Scholar in his 3 years attendance. He was also a graduate of Georgia State University with an MBA in Computer Information Systems and was President of Pro-Link Financial Services in Atlanta.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Brett L. Studdard Obituary*

May 22, 2023 at 10:29 AM



“ *Brett will be greatly missed by those who knew him. I am sorry for your lose.*

**Michele Christiansen** - November 14, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ *Brett was a very good friend to me during an important time in my life. He will be greatly missed, but the meaning he had to my life will always be with me.*

**Tony Hind** - November 03, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ *Brett was my best friend throughout college and we continued to be close over the years despite how far apart we lived. He was a guy who I could always count on when I needed someone to listen. There wasn't anything he wouldn't have done for me.*

*I will miss Brett dearly and will always remember how generous and loyal he was and how he used to make me laugh with his quick wit and great sense of humor.*

**Eric R. Scalzo** - October 27, 2003 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ You are in our prayers and thoughts, and we extend to you our very deepest sympathy.

*Joe and Nina Cox*

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**Joe and Nina Cox** - October 24, 2003 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ I played tennis with Brett on a number of teams in Marietta. His competitiveness and friendship will be missed. Please accept our condolences on the passing of your son and remember that we will always have fond memories of the good times we shared with Brett. Our thoughts and prayers will be with you in the coming days.

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**Steve & Irene Barton** - October 23, 2003 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Dear Dr. & Mrs. Studdard  
Brett was my neighbor for over year. My fondest memories are when we would leave our homes at the same time and he had Drew with him, they both had the biggest smiles on their faces, they would come over and say hello. I will truly miss Brett. Please let me know if there is anything I can do for you. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**June Meineke** - October 22, 2003 at 12:00 AM

AD

“ I had the pleasure of knowing Brett through Georgia State Basketball. He was a big part of my final year playing basketball. He was a great friend to me and he will be missed. My prayers go out to you and your family.

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**Alicia Doherty** - October 22, 2003 at 12:00 AM

BL

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you in your loss.  
Love Becky Lee*

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**Becky Lee** - October 22, 2003 at 12:00 AM

LR

“ *Dear Dr. & Mrs. Studdard: I was truly shocked and saddened to hear of Brett's death. I have fond memories of Brett that reach all the way back to Deerfield Windsor. My thoughts and prayers are with your family.*

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**Laura Prisant Raker** - October 21, 2003 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ *I have had the pleasure of knowing Brett just for too short awhile. I could always tell when Brett came into the room because there was an enthusiasm and laughter he brought with him. Brett had a determined demeanor with a soft, gentle heart. And what a neat laugh and sense of humor!  
I am very grateful I had the honor of knowing such a fine young man. I am so sorry for your loss and many tears. Please know your family and Brett will continue to be in our prayers.*

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**Maria Billings Schneider** - October 21, 2003 at 12:00 AM

EB

“ *Dear Priscilla, Jerry Sculley emailed me news of Brett's death. Although I never taught him I remember well his devotion to you. I can remember seeing him slip by your room to check on you during the school day and thinking that there was truly a loving son. There are no sure words of comfort at this time except to let you all know that you are lifted up in my prayers from Texas and will remain in my thoughts daily. God Bless, Edith*

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**Edith Black** - October 21, 2003 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ Dear Mr. & Mrs. Studdard,

*My heart goes out to you at the loss of your son. I worked with Brett for a short time here in Buckhead and I know how devoted he was to Drew. As a mother, I can only imagine the terrible loss you must feel and sorrow over the situation. God Bless You All.*

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**Susan Patricco** - October 21, 2003 at 12:00 AM

WN

“ *With deepist regrets of the passing of your son Brett. I watched Brett grow up and play baskett ball at Westover, and listen to his mother brag on him ,which he certainly deserved.My hart and prayers go out to you in this time of your great loss.*

*Sincerely*

*Wayne Mc Nease*

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**wayne Mc Nease** - October 21, 2003 at 12:00 AM

AE

“ *Mrs. Studdard, I was very sad to hear about Brett. I remember how sweet he was to me and the other girls on the Westover softball team. My heart and prayers are with you and your family.*

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**Angie Bryant Edwards** - October 21, 2003 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ *Mr. and Mrs. Studdard. I was shocked and saddened to hear of Brett's death. Please accept my deepest condolences during this extraordinarily difficult time. I will always have fond memories of Brett from Westover and, of course, sports at the YMCA - where you were ALWAYS on the winning team if Mr. Studdard was your coach. My family and I have you in our thoughts and prayers. Please contact me if I can help in any way.*

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**Stan Whatley** - October 21, 2003 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ *Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you all. We will remember Brett always for his friendship and comraderie. We wish Brett eternal peace and will never forget his kindness, competitiveness and caring.*

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**Dan and Becky Harrington** - October 21, 2003 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ *Hugh and Family-*  
*I had the pleasure of working with Brett in our Office for Sports Business Research at GSU. He was my GA for a year and we became very close--I have not talked to him for a while but he was my friend and on behalf of the students and friends from the GSU Sports Administration, I extend our sincerest sympathy. Brett will be truly missed by all.*

*Dr. Rankin Cooter*

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**Dr. Rankin Cooter** - October 21, 2003 at 12:00 AM

PP

“ *Brett was such an exceptional little kid and grew up to be what every young man would like to become. He touched my life as well as Scott and Stevie's. we loved him very much.*

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**Pat and Steve Johnson PJ** - October 21, 2003 at 12:00 AM

AY

“ *I only knew Brett for a brief time, but during that time I knew him to be a pleasure to work with.He was always caring,energetic and loved talking about his son.He will certainly be missed by many and I know he will be loved and protected where he now finds peace. We miss you BRETT!!*

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**ANN YEARY** - October 21, 2003 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ *Words cannot express the saddness we feel over Brett's passing. You are in our prayers.*

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**Linda and Ron Conway** - October 21, 2003 at 12:00 AM

KN

“ *We are saddened to hear of Brett's death. I know how hard this is for you; however, you will always have his joyful memories. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**Kellie & Chandler Nelson** - October 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

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“ *We are sorry to read about your lost of your loved one, and extend our deepest sympathy- our prayers and love.*

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**Anne McKendrick & Son (AI)** - October 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ Our Thoughts and Prayers are with you now and in the days to come.

*Brett was a fine young man. I knew him best in his teen years and he was nothing but sweet and polite.*

*We never know why these things happen but just know that he is at the Right Hand of God and is at Peace!*

*All our Love,  
Donna and Ronnie Keel*

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**Donna Keel** - October 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Please know that my prayers and thoughts are with you doing these days and the ones to follow.

*Julia*

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**Julia Hickson** - October 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ Our deepest sympathies on your loss. We experienced many good times with Brett around the tennis courts in Marietta these last several years and will miss his smile and laugh.

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**Michael & Marsha Leban** - October 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ Mr and Mrs Studdard, I knew Brett for a couple of years playing tennis in marietta. My deepest sympathies to you and to the family. Brett was a great guy and someone i will always remember. He will be missed for sure.

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**Mike Peckham** - October 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

EC

“ Charles and I share your sorrow and pain. We send you much love and support, today and all of the days to come. Please contact us when you can!

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**Emily Clark** - October 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ Brett and I became friends three year ago playing tennis at Indian Hills Country Club. We played on several teams together and won the city and state last year. Brett was a great competitor and fun to be around. I know he loved his son very much. May God bless all his family and friends to get through this troubling situation. terry McCain

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**Terry McCain** - October 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ It's so hard to believe the sad news of Brett's death. I am so sad for you. I am glad I had a chance to visit with him at the reunion in June. He was a great guy. God bless you.

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**Dean Studdard** - October 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ I am very saddened to hear of Brett's passing. We graduated together in '89, and Brett was such a great guy. He was truly a joy to have in our class, and will be sincerely missed. Our prayers go out for the family.

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**McKawonjalia Hall Bates** - October 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ *Dr. and Mrs. Studdard,  
You and your family have my  
deepest sympathy. Brett was  
such a fine and outstanding  
young man. He will be missed.*

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**Coach Pat Frierson** - October 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ *Wayne & Priscilla,*

*I want you to know that you are in my prayers. I am deeply sorry  
about your loss, and I will continue to pray for your inner strength.  
Please let me know if I can do anything to help ease your pain.*

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**Leah Moore** - October 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

GI

“ *I pass my deepest sympathies during this tragic loss of such a  
wonderful son. I was a student at Monroe High and Ms. Studdard  
was my teacher and she was so proud of all of the  
accomplishments and goals reach by her son. He will be truly  
missed.*

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**Gene Carrithers II** - October 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

IS

“ *There are no words to express our sorrow in hearing of Brett's  
death. I just wanted you to know that my prayers and love are with  
you. Love, Irene*

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**Irene Shiver** - October 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ *Mr. & Mrs. Studdard, Please know that you have our deepest sympathy. Our prayers are with you.*  
*The Paramore Family*

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**Shirley Paramore & Family** - October 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ *It is with deepest sympathy I address you at this time. My heart is deeply saddened at your loss. God bless you.*

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**Coach Archie Chatmon** - October 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

RR

“ *Mr & Mrs Studdard...I am so sorry for your loss...I thought the world of Brett in high school...He will be deeply missed...*

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**Robin West Rowland** - October 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

NR

“ *I was a teacher at Albany Middle School during Brett's times there. I am sorry to hear of your loss. Many a day I watched you watch him play basketball as I was the cheerleader sponsor at the time. I also have many memories of you and Doyle Wilder as he and I were very close.*

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**Nancy Reimer** - October 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

TK

“ *Dear Mr. and Mrs. Studdard, I am very sorry to hear of Brett's death. You have my deepest sympathy during this time of sorrow.*

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**Thomas King** - October 19, 2003 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ Like David, I too have many fantastic memories about Brett during high school. Please know that your family is not grieving alone. You have my deepest sympathy.

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**Michael Boyd** - October 19, 2003 at 12:00 AM

BM

“ Hugh and Priscilla My heart is bleeding for you in this time of sorrow. Maybe it will touch your hearts to know that while we mourn the loss, we also celebrate the gifts we never would have known if we hadn't known such a wonderful person. God be with you.

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**Barbra Maddox** - October 19, 2003 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ Dear Priscilla and Hugh, I am out of town but Richard informed me of your tragic news. Please remember you are in our prayers. Linda Hodge

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**Linda hodge** - October 19, 2003 at 12:00 AM

HD

“ There's never going to be any words that can express our loss and the life that has been so tragically taken away from our family. We will grieve forever, but with God's help time will ease the pain, but our love will be eteranl. Now another beautiful star is shining in the heavens, along with Dad, Mom and Pricilla's family. When we look up we can smile because there will never be any more sorrow. Always remember our love and concern is eternal and everlasting

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**Herbert, Sister, Don** - October 19, 2003 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ Dear Dr. and Mrs. Studdard, Holly and family,

*I am so sorry to hear of Brett's death. He will be truly missed by all who new him. Thinking back on my memories of Brett's friendship truly brings a smile to my face. He is a smart, witty and wonderful person. I remember about 10 years ago he, Raj, Chris and I went on a rode trip to Atlanta to see a Braves game. We had a great time hanging out, laughing, eating and just having fun. We even got in some basketball. Even though it was a 3 on 1 game (all three of us versus Brett), he still schooled us. It was a great time that I will never forget. I could go on and on? You are in my constant thoughts and prayers.*

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**David Corner** - October 19, 2003 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ Dear Hugh and family:

*Helen and I were driving to Florida Sunday. We stopped for gas in Cordele, where I bought an Albany Herald and read of Brett's death. We are so sorry. Know that you are in our prayers. I remember the summer he interned for me in the sports department and especially the whipping he gave me one day on the tennis court. We are retired and living in Manchester, GA so we don't get a lot of Albany news. Please know that you are remembered in this time of sorrow.  
Paul and Helen*

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**Paul and Helen McCorvey** - October 19, 2003 at 12:00 AM

PK

“ Our Hearts and Prayers are with you...All Our Love...

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**Pat, Melissa and Kelley** - October 19, 2003 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ We are so sad to here of Brett's death. It's incredibly hard to lose a child,I've been there. If I ca help you at all please call. You all are in our prayers. Love you.

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**Layne and Bryce Hunt** - October 19, 2003 at 12:00 AM