



## Joshua G. Herndon Obituary

March 12, 1985 - July 12, 2006

Mr. Joshua Glen Herndon, 21, of Leesburg suddenly went to be with The Lord on Wednesday July 12, 2006 due to a motorcycle accident. "Josh" as he was lovingly known was surrounded by his parents and other family members and friends at his bedside. Josh has graduated from Lee County High School, was working at Albany Drive Thru Pawn. Josh enjoyed sports and other outdoor activities such as Wake Boarding and Dirt Bike Riding. Josh leaves behind his loving parents, Glen and Cheryl Herndon of Leesburg, A brother Michael Attebery, sister in Law Trisha, 2 nieces Zoey and Kyra. Grandmothers Margaret Page of Leesburg, Carolyn Anglin and husband Pat of VA Beach, VA, aunts, uncles and cousins. Josh's life although very short lived will forever be cherished not only by his parents, family members, and friends. But also by other families because of the thoughtful and generous gesture of organ donation that will allow other young people the chance for a better life. The family wishes to thank everyone for prayers and support through this difficult time. In lieu of flowers please make donations in memory of Josh to Colony Bank, 2609 Ledo Rd Albany, GA 31707.

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“ *On March 12, my thoughts were with all of you, and especially with sweet Josh, who would have been 22 on that special day. I will always remember him and his loved ones on his birthday. Even though he is no longer with us physically, he is still with us in love and in spirit as we continue to celebrate his life and what he will always mean to us! He touches us all every day as we remember him. That is his legacy. There will never be another quite like Josh. We carry him in our hearts each day as we live his legacy of smiles and living life to its fullest. With much love to you all: Cheryl, Glen, Michael, and Zoey~ Rhonda J. Pate, Albany, GA.~*

**Rhonda Pate** - March 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ *If you need anything please not hesitate to email me*

**Rev Tommy** - November 08, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ I am so very sorry for your loss, my thoughts are with you 2 very loving parents!

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**Ralph Childers** - October 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM

YS

“ I could not imagine what you and Glen are going through, and what you have been through. But I want you to know that I am here for both of you anytime you need me. Not a day goes by that Josh is not in my thoughts. He will be missed so much by us all. Josh I will see you again one day. And know that I love you.  
Aunt/Sister cindy

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**Your Sister** - August 11, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ I am grieving your loss, Cheryl and Glen. I am praying for you every day. Michael, Zoey, and other family members, I am also praying for you. This is such a tragic, unspeakable loss. Josh was one of the most beautiful children I've ever known. I first met him as he came bouncing into my ninth grade English class like a ray of sunshine. He was in my classes in 9th & 11th grades. Josh was a sweet and playful soul. He was a "fun" person, and he always had that big smile! He and my daughter, Julie Pate and her friends, had some great times together throughout high school and afterwards. I will always be grateful that I was able to spend a few hours in SICU with Josh during his last hours on earth. That meant so much to me. I believe that he will always be with us in spirit. Please call me, Cheryl, if you would like to talk. I will always miss and love Josh. He was a very special young person. He made everyone around him happier. Rhonda J. Pate

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**Rhonda J. Pate** - August 07, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ Josh you will not be forgotten. My heart is still broken and will be for a long time. You will forever be missed.

Brokenheart - July 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ I am sorry about your lost.I did now him you your family and what happened. You are in are prayers,God bless.

Cansler Family

Rachel Cansler - July 25, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ Cheryl I wanted you and your husband to know that we are praying for you and yours. We have walked where you are and we really want you to call us and let us help you both through this if we can. Josh left you 5years to the day that we lost Todd. If you don't remember us we are Chris Petermans aunt and uncle. We are so heart broken with you and know that life as you've known will never be again. Please call us. hm 4354422 wk 8891001 anytime day or night. We know that it may be a while before you are ready to talk, but when you are please call. We are praying for you and thinking about you. God is good and he is there, right in the middle of your pain and he will help. God Bless

Barbara

Barbara Smith - July 24, 2006 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ I didn't know Josh personally, but I knew who he was, and I have a lot of friends who adored him. I just wanted to let you know that my thoughts and prayers are with you. God Bless.

Tiffany Crain - July 21, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ Cheryl, Glen and Michael, I just heard about Josh today. I know you are devastated and can't imagine the pain of having lost such a beautiful child. Josh was such a special character and I know your lives will never be the same without him. Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with you all. Cherry & Todd Rizer and Zack Turner.

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**Cherry Rizer** - July 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ Cheryl and family, I just found out about Josh today. I tried to call but got no answer, I hope you don't mind if I call again, Cheryl, I would like to see you and just wrap my arms around you. I know you are in alot of pain. We all have losses in our lives, but the loss of a child is something I cannot even imagine. I am so sorry, there are no words to express how I feel. Please call me at 432-1466. Love, Phyllis and family

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**Phyllis Silver** - July 19, 2006 at 12:00 AM

FL

“ MR. AND MRS. HERNDON  
MY GRANDSON SHAWN SHEFFIELD WAS A FRIEND OF JOSH.  
MY FAMILY WAS IN THE ER WHEN JOSH WAS TRASPORTED.  
I"LL NOT EVEN TELL YOU I KNOW HOW YOU FEEL BECAUSE I  
DO NOT. I DO KNOW THAT MY HEART BREAKS FOR YOU AND  
YOUR HUSBAND. BECAUSE WE HAVE NOT BEEN THERE, WE  
WILL SAY "GOD WILL TAKE YOU THROUGH THIS." I KNOW  
YOUR HEART IS SO HEAVY NOW YOU  
MUST THINK NOBODY OR ANYTHING CAN HELP ME  
THROUGH  
THIS .I PRAY THATS GODS STRENGTH AND WISDOM IS YOUR  
FORTRSS AT THIS TIME.  
YOU HAVE MY E-MAIL ADDRESS .IF THERE IS ANY WAY I CAN  
BE OF COMFORT OR HELP, PLEASE LET ME KNOW

LOVE IN CHRIST  
FRANCES LINDSEY

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FRANCES LINDSEY - July 19, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RR

“ to the parnets of mr. herndon i found yall while lookin at my uncles  
he died of the same thing. i just wanna you to look for comfort in  
god here is a scripture to help psalms 30:5 i bet just looking at the  
piture he was a smart man. my email address is revtommy2003@ya  
hoo.com im or email me when you need someone to talk to. i know  
times may seem hard not have your son around. But he is in you  
heart. to the whole family my thoughts and prayers go to all over  
you.if anyone of you need me email me or im me when on line just  
let me me know who you are. i am hear to talk.. love yall in the  
name of Jesus

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Rev Tommy Riley - July 19, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Glen and Cheryl, Our thoughts and prayers are with you and yours through this trying time.

Janet Lane Scott - July 19, 2006 at 12:00 AM

AD

“ Josh was a great person. He made a huge difference in my life, and always managed to put a smile on my face. I will always remember the good times, and I will miss him deeply!  
My thoughts and prayers are with Josh's family and friends!

Allison Dukes - July 19, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ I feel like i lost a brother. Josh will be remembered always. See you soon my brother.

RIP

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PWO

josh lorber - July 18, 2006 at 12:00 AM

NC

“ Thanks for all the good times player. You were always the happy guy wherever there was a gathering. I have nothing but fond, grateful memories of you and I will cherish them all. Although you went way to early, you made friendships that will last a lifetime. To the crunkest, coolest, most fearless man in the crew: YOU WILL NEVER BE FORGOTTEN. ONE LOVE HERNDO

Nick Cribb - July 18, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ Josh you are such an awesome person, you were so much fun to be around and always the life of the party. I have a ton of great memories with you and I am thankful that I had you as a friend. I will never forget all the beach trips, all the parties and all the fun times we had at the lake. You mean SO much to so many people and you are missed more than you will ever know. There isn't a day that has gone by that I haven't thought of you and your family. This is truly the hardest thing I have ever been through. I pray for you and your family and everyone that you left behind. I miss you and love you

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**Christina Scogna** - July 18, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ Glen, I am deeply sorry for the loss of your son. I do want to add that I spoke to him 2 weeks ago and he had the biggest smile on his face and he was very polite every time I saw him in public or at the boat shop. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

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**Bubba Revels** - July 18, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ Dear Sheryl and Glen,  
My heart goes out to you and your family. It has been a very sad time for Josh's family and friends. All of Josh's friends have been crying for days. I just want to let you know how much we all love Josh. You never know until something like this happens how dear someone means to you. You know Josh was one of my favorite. You and I have had many conversations about how respectful and kind Josh was. I will never forget the times when Michelle and Josh were "dating" we all gathered at the house to watch American Idol. He got a big kick out of hanging out with Christina, Michelle, and myself. Oh, I also fixed pork chops and rice that night. He really enjoyed them. Also, the girls and I will have memories of the beach trip with Josh. It seem like yesterday. I still can't believe this has happened. May peace be with your family and we will continue to pray for you and your family.

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**Darcy Brown** - July 18, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RR

“ MY Prayers BE With YOu all

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**Rev TOMmy Riley** - July 17, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Josh, let's see I have known you for quite sometime, almost 8 years and you did not change one bit, you were still the crazy, fun loving, free spirit you were then. You will be missed by many so much, but no one will ever forget you, or let you be forgotten. You truly were one amazing person. To his family although I have met you, you will be in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Becca Brown** - July 17, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LE

“ Glen & Cheryl,  
*I was so saddened to hear of the death of your son from Laura Sunday. Acppt our condolences and God bless you and yours.*

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**Linda Lane Eskola & Elmer** - July 17, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ *I'm Mark's mom and feel like even though I don't know you all, that I just wanted to express my sadness and concern to you in the loss of your son, Josh. Mark had told me earlier in the week about the terrible accident, and that it really looked bad for his chance of recovery. I lost my only brother at the age of 15 in a bicycle accident and I know my parents had such a hard time. My mother died five years later, having never really gotten over it. I wish there were some special or perfect words to say because I'm sorry seems so inadequate. Time helps as I have found out since I lost my husband in Dec. of 04, but I can't imagine what the loss of a child must be like. My thoughts and prayers are with you and I truly am so very sorry.*

*Joan Bartlett*

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**joan bartlett** - July 16, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BE

“ *Its such a wonderful thing that you did in such a trying time in your lives. I'm so sorry for your loss, and my prayers are with you all; but you've given a new chance at life for so many other people God Bless You All.*

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**Becky** - July 16, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LJ

“ Josh, Wow what can i say?? I will never forget you begging me to high light your hair... that pretty long hair. And "flip-flops" looked amazing on you especially when they were mine!! :) You will never be forgotten and we will always love and miss you!! Run and jump to your big yellow truck as i would always tell you. Oh and lets never forget the MANY fun nights at Ash's crib. You will be missed highly but we will forever party it up for you!! Much love and don't slip...  
Love Always,  
Lynds

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**Lynds Jennings** - July 16, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Our prayers are with u and ur family...may god bless you.

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**Jennifer and John Hallman** - July 16, 2006 at 12:00 AM

TR

“ Though Josh and I weren't as close as some others, I am blessed with the memories I had the chance to share with him. I remember seeing him just a few weeks ago and he came up and gave me a big hug as if I, at that moment, were his best friend in the world. Thats just how he treated people, I will miss him terribly and I am sorry to see such a good man leave so soon.

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**Tera Rethford** - July 15, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Josh will live-on in our hearts forever. We will see you in the new system!

Love,

Judy & Toby

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**Judy & Toby Herndon** - July 15, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JW

“Glen & Cheryl, You already know how much I love you. Days ahead will be hard & lonely but you must know that Josh is okay & looking down on all of us. He is now enjoying life again-no pain -no sorrow. I just want you to know that you can one day see him again. I am only a phone call away. Love always.

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**John & Diann Wright** - July 15, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DJ

“We are so sorry for your loss. You are in my prayers.

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**Donna Smith and Josh** - July 15, 2006 at 12:00 AM

AR

“Josh, the little bro I never had!!! I miss you so much! Fancy misses you too!!!! You will always be remembered and cherished SO MUCH! To Josh's family: my heart and prayers go out to you! Love you Joshy!

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**Ashley Reynolds** - July 15, 2006 at 12:00 AM

HE

“I didn't know Josh that well, but he was in my kindergarten class and a few other classes throughout the years. I also was friends with Leanne in middle school and knew her mom and grandma quite well. This was very shocking to hear. My heart goes out to the family. I can't even begin to imagine the feelings are you dealing with now. You all will be in my thoughts and prayers. Josh will be missed by many.

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**Haley Eilers** - July 15, 2006 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ my prayers and thoughts are with you. R.I.P my friend!

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**kayla stewart** - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ i have been friends with josh for a long time, and also went to school with him, he always knows how to make me smile, we have had many of good times together, there is never a dull moment when he is around, josh has blessed my life in so many ways and has left behind so many great memories, and will never will be forgotten, unfortunatly i can not make the service due to traveling issues, i am sorry for your loss.

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**kayla stewart** - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ Josh will be missed, he touched peoples lives in different ways. I have known him for about 11 years all the way back to the skating rink days. Those will always be my fondest memories of him. He will never be forgotten.

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**Marydon Stokes** - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MT

“ We are sorry for your loss and our thoughts and prayers are with you. Josh was a wonderful young man and will be greatly missed. May God be with you and give the strength to go forward.

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**Mike & Mona Trotter** - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ Thoughts and prayers are needed from everyone now. Your selfless act of organ donation is such a tribute in Josh's memory. Our prayers are with you and his family. Trust in the Lord and you will find comfort! I remember his beautiful smile...

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**A friend and her family** - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ just want you to know that our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

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**mona and mark smith** - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

HW

“ Cheryl, You do not know me. I am a friend of Vicki Judy. She told me of your great loss. I want you to know that I will place you and your family on my church's prayer list. I know the pain of losing a family member. During these days and days to come, the only real shelter where you can find peace is when you are alone with God. Talk with him. He will listen and He loves you. One thing that helped me the most was to understand that losing my loved one through death did not make him a part of my past but it made him a part of my future. I have something to look forward to because I know I will see him again one day. He's happy, well and waiting for me. So when times get tough lean on God and remember Joshua is still part of you future not your past.

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**Harriet Woodyard** - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JN

“ i miss you bro and wish u the most. u may be gone, but never forgotten!

jeremy norris - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JN

“ i knew josh really well and he was a great friend of mine and i just found out that he died and i moved to california recently and i just hope that his family and friends will hope he rests in peace and i cant tell you how sad it is to hear that he died.

jeremy norris - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JN

“ i knew josh real well

jeremy norris - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ "J.J", I have so many wonderful memories with you. I'll never forget YOU, your goofy laugh, or how you thought that me plucking your unibrow was a "good hurt". You were a wonderful friend to me and I'll miss us counseling each other on EVERYTHING. There won't be a day that you and your family won't be in my thoughts and prayers. I love you. You'll always be "my rural".

Christina Sumner - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

TI

“ i don not know josh or his family, but i am very sorry for your loss and you all are in my prayers.god bless

Tia - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

KK

“ Josh, I will never forget you, and all the fun times we have had. To Mr. & Mrs. Herndon, although I have never met you, I know you are wonderful people, because of the wonderful son you raised. You and your family are in my prayers.

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**Karla H Knox** - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ Although in times like these, we must believe that Josh is with God and is living a much better life now! May God have open Gates waiting just for you! You will be missed Josh!

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**Jessica Hunt Jones** - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ Josh was loved by many. He will never be forgotten. Our prayers are with you all. If there's ANYTHING we can do, let us know.

Love,  
Melissa & John

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**Melissa Fleck & John Cox, friends of Leanne Page** - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CE

“ Josh, I will never forget the night we were at Hooters and you got a splinter in your pinky finger. You said it was so big and we could probably sell it to Lowes once we got the "log" out. I worked on it for what seemed like hours with the waitress's name tag because you wouldn't sit still. You gave me the name "momma" because of that. We have had many wonderful and hilarious times together. You will be missed by so many people. You always knew how to make everyone smile. I know you will keep our hearts full of warmth and love. (Don't slip...) I love you.

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**Christy Elliott** - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

EM

“ josh i will never forget you, and all the fun times we use to have!!! to the herndon family your in my thoughts and prayers. We will all miss you josh!!!

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**Erin McIntosh** - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MO

“ I'll miss you bunches!!!

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**Meagan Owens** - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

AD

“ Straight Wallin, always ready for whatever whenever you will always be in my heart with all of us. already miss you more than words can say rejoice in the memory of you always & forever, peace,love,& chicken grease dont slip in it. I love U BRO!!!!

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**Alex DAvidson** - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ Josh, you are my best friend. I will never forget all of the great times we had. Whether it was riding horses or dancing at the club you always made everything better by being there. I will miss you more than anyone can ever understand. I feel priviledged for getting the chance to know you as long as I did, and I will do anything I can to help your family. All they need to do is ask and I will be there. Peace up A-town down. I love you and will never forget you.

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**Blake Walsh** - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

SL

“ Dear Herndon Family; I am very sorry for your loss. I am lost for words. Josh and I were good friends all through school. I will always remember his great personality and sense of humor. He will be missed.

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**Scott Layfield** - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

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“ THE HERNDON FAMILY WILL REMAIN IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS. JOSH AND JAMES WERE GOOD BUDDIES THRU OUT HIGH SCHOOL AND EVEN AFTER THEY GRADUATED. IT IS HARD FOR US TO UNDERSTAND WHY THESE THINGS HAPPEN BUT THEY DO. AND DUE TO THE WONDERFUL GIFT THE FAMILY HAS GIVEN TO OTHER PEOPLE--JOSH WILL LIVE ON!!!! GOD BLESS YOU AND KEEP YOU!!!!

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**CINDY SPENCER, JAMES, MARC AND FRANK HARRIS** - July 14, 2006 at 12:00 AM

AP

“ I am very sorry to hear about your loss. Although I don't know you guys I went to school w/ josh and i know leanne and mrs. margaret. I want you to know my prayers are with you and your family at this time of loss and grief. Josh was such a friendly, outgoing, freespirted guy and to know what happened to him crosses me as a shock. God be with you and your family and bless you!

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**April** - July 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BP

“ we are so sorry for your loss. i went to school with josh and my brother scott layfield was good friends with him in school. i lost my uncle just two years ago in the same typr of accident and i understand your pain and sense of loss. you are all in my family's thoughts and prayers.

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**bryce layfield and parents** - July 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ My prayers are with you during this most difficult time. I feel I have lost a grandson as Josh always called me "Granny" . I will always remember Josh saying that Ira taught him how to fish and it was with him he caught his first fish. Maybe they can catch a big one together in Heaven as I am sure Ira already knows the best fishing holes. I love you all.

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**Mary Anne Bland** - July 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM

TD

“ I do not know the family nor Josh, but my heart absolutely breaks, I am drawn to tears. I am so very sorry and cannot imagine the pain and loss you are feeling. I will pray for you and your family as the days go by but trust in the Lord, lean on Him and hold close to Him, rest in His arms - He will give you the peace, comfort and healing you will need as you try to get by. Please know that not only your friends and family will be praying, but those you may never meet will be holding you close in their thoughts and prayers. Josh looks like an awesome young man and one that I am sure was loved by all. May God Bless and Grant You Comfort.

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**Tina Dodgen** - July 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CG

“ Please accept my deepest sympathies. I can still picture my nephew, Ryan and Josh playing at the creek together. Josh was like a nephew to me. I will always remember his sweet smile. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

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**Christie Bland Guy** - July 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ There are no words to express the sorrow I feel at this time for you and your family. I know we have lost a beautiful person. He not only was a kind soul but my son's best friend. There was not too many days that would go by that Josh was not here at my house playing nintendo, going out to eat with their girlfriends or just "hanging out" with Stephen. The days will be missed when I knew he was going home because he would ride by and honk or step on the gas of his truck to let us know he was going by (no matter what time it was, day or night). I looked forward to this and it will be greatly missed. Stephen hurts deeply for your loss and when he hurts I hurt as you as parents know. Josh was not only his friend but his brother and we all loved him dearly. Cheryl and Glen, we love ya guys and if we can do anything for you, please do not hesitate to call.

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**robin cater** - July 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ I am at a loss for words. I always thought of Josh as my own and think back and see Josh and Ryan playing in the mud holes and dressing up for halloween. I have lots of memories of Josh and will always keep them close to my heart. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**Mona Higgs** - July 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ *Our thoughts & prayers are with you.*

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**Mike, Lynne & Gray Jones** - July 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM