



## Mike Whitmire Obituary

August 13, 1959 - January 28, 2011

James Michael "Mike" Whitmire, 51 of Albany, died Friday, January 28, 2011 at Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital. The funeral services will be 11 AM, Monday, January 31, 2011 at Morningside United Methodist Church with Rev. Carl Felts officiating. The interment will follow in Oakridge Cemetery, in Tifton, GA. The family will receive friends 6 to 8 PM, Sunday, January 30, 2011 at Kimbrell-Stern Funeral Directors. Mike was a native of Buchanan WV, but was a life long resident of Albany. He was a 1978 graduate of Dougherty High School, worked at Stardust II Skate Center, and was an assistant manager at Carquest Auto Parts with over 32 years of service. He was a member of Morningside United Methodist Church. He was a loving husband, father, son, brother, nephew, uncle and a loyal friend to all. Following his love for his family came, golfing, Monday Night Wrestling, and NASCAR. Survivors include: his wife of 31 years, Cheri Whiddon Whitmire, his daughter, Niki Whitmire Glover (Jackie), his parents, Gene and Betty Whitmire, his brother, Scott Whitmire (Dawn), his nephews Taylor and Trent Whitmire, and Connor and Drew Whiddon, his mother-in-law, Bobbie Whiddon, all of Albany, his sister-in-law, Terri Polis (Barry) of Atlanta, his brother-in-law, Marty Whiddon (Andrea) of Albany, and several aunts and uncles in WV.

# Tribute Wall

KT

“ *Im so sorry about your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.*

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**Kathy Edore Taylor** - February 04, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ *Our thoughts and prayers to your family I have just found out today 2/3/2011 Mike and I go all The way back to dougherty jr & high school.Mike was one of those friends you could trust and was always nice to everyone he will be missed here on earth but we will see him again one day! Billy Wright & Family*

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**Billy & Cindy Wright** - February 03, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RT

“ *Thoughts and prayers to the whole family.Mike was a dear cousin of mine that was just one year younger than me.We spent alot of time together when we were younger.This was some very sad news for sure so dear cuz rest in peace bud.J.Rod and Delores Tallman.*

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**Rodney Tallman** - January 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

ET

“ *Hey Niki! I saw the notice in the paper. I just wanted to sign the guestbook, I wanted to tell you sarah and I are thinking about you and praying for you. It has been along time since high school huh....*

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**Elizabeth Tate** - January 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RD

“ miss cheri thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family on the loss of a loved one. mike was a good friend and will be miss alot.may god ease your pain in a time of sorrow.

RON DUCKWORTH - January 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GP

“ CHERI MY HEART GOES OUT TO YOU & THE FAMILY . I WILL MISS SEEING & TALKING TO MIKE ON THE PHONE & SAYING ( HEY MY BROTHER ) . GP

GARY PATNAUDE - January 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ Sorry for your loss, Mike was a great person.

Dale Henry - January 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with your family in the Homegoing of Mike. Mike was a great person and will be surely missed. Mike comes from a good family and I know that he was called home unexpectedly. God be with the entire family.

Bill & Beth Banks - January 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ To a dear amd close friend who i will truly miss the chats and work on Saturday nights and a buddy who i spend enjoyable time with and never forget.Will truely miss you

monterey moody - January 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ To Sheri and Nicki I hope that the two of you will call me if theres anything that i can help you with at our lost.Mike was a true friend and will be greatly missed and it will be a true honor to be one of hid paulbears one that I will always remember

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**Monterey Moody** - January 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DL

“ It seems unreal that Mike could be gone. My thoughts and prayers go out to you at this time of sorrow. Never forget, he loved you very much!

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**Debbie A. Lucas** - January 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ I was so very sorry to hear about Mike. Loss is hard and I hope God will relieve your pain at this time.I went to school with Mike and have very fond memories of those days back at DHS.

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**Sheila Laramore Hayes** - January 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BT

“ Our deepest sympathies go out to Mrs. Cheri and Mike's whole family. You will be in our prayers for peace and strength through this time. God Bless you!

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**Bobby and Joy Turner** - January 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ Cheri, we are so so sorry to hear about Mike- he and Jerry were friends for many many years, Jerry always thought the world of Mike... our hearts are broken to hear this news... know you and your family are in our thoughts and our prayers.

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**Jerry & Debbie White** - January 29, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ Mrs, Cheri . I am so dearly sorry for your lose . I love you and i loved Mr. Mike so much . He will be missed . He is already missed terribly . Im always there for you if you need anything we will be here . You will be in our prayers . We love you .

Amber Barber and family - January 29, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ Betty, Gene and Family, You are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

Anita Moats George and Family - January 29, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Mike will be missed deeply by his family and friends. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Cheri and Niki, if there is anything you need or that we can do, please let us know. We still care and love all of you and are so heartbroken over this.

Kay & Steve Heard - January 28, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AH

“ Jackie & Niki We are so sorry for your loss. Ya'll are in our hearts, thoughts and our prayers. Al & Donna Hatcher Cal Zander & Alli

Al & Donna Hatcher - January 28, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ Cheri, Niki and the rest of the family. We are so sorry about Mike. He was a great man and will be missed. I have alot of happy memories of him from my childhood. You are all in our thoughts and prayers. Wishing we could be there for you. We love you all. Love Tina, Mark, Richie, Brandon and Brittany

Tina & Mark White - January 28, 2011 at 12:00 AM

FK

“ We love you both so much and are so very sorry for your loss.

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**F Scott, Misty, Anna and Will Kroll** - January 28, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MT

“ So sorry to hear of Mike's passing. Our prayers and thoughts are with you at this time of sorrow. Mike & Lillie Taylor Raleigh, NC

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**Mike & Lillie Taylor** - January 28, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ we are thinking about all of yall. we are so sorry for yalls lost. he was a great guy. we love all of yall and will be thinking of yall

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**tammy david lee and katlin welch** - January 28, 2011 at 12:00 AM