



Chandler Brazell

June 4, 1992 - July 31, 2011

Services for Chandler “Jimmy” Brazell, 19 of Tyler, will be held on Friday, August 5, 2011 at 3:00 PM at Green Acres Baptist Church Chapel with Dan Baber, MD and Clayton Whalley officiating. Burial will follow in Cathedral in the Pines in Tyler under direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home. Jimmy passed away July 31, 2011 in Montana while serving as a camp counselor.

He was born June 4, 1992 in Dallas to Charles Franklin, III and Rhonda Lynn Weeks Brazell. Jimmy was a member of Family Fellowship Bible Church in Tyler. He was a home school graduate and college student. Jimmy lived a passionate life serving Christ and loving people. His love for the Lord led him to write praise music, lead worship, and serve as a missionary in Beijing China. Jimmy also served in numerous ministries nationwide. Jimmy was a bright light whose godly character and genuine love was contagious and impacted everyone he came in contact with. He was an obedient and honoring son, grandson, loving brother and loyal friend. Jimmy is survived by his loving family including his parents, Charles and Rhonda Brazell; siblings, Charles, IV, Christian and Rachel Brazell, all of Tyler; grandparents, Charles, Jr. and Karen Brazell, of Garland, and Ronald and Anne Weeks of Mesquite. He is also survived by numerous aunts, uncles and cousins. Visitation is scheduled on Thursday, August 4, 2011 from 6:00-8:00 PM at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Hwy., in Tyler.

Memorials in honor of Jimmy Brazell may be made to the Jimmy Brazell Foundation, 1910 ESE Loop 323, PMB 317, Tyler, 75701 or for information

visit [Jimmy Brazell Fan Page on Facebook](#).

Tribute Wall

CZ

“ Rhonda and Chuck,

We were so sorry to hear about Jimmmy. I'm sure there is nothing we can express that would heal your broken hearts at this moment. Just know we are all praying for you.

Chris and Rebecca Zink - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KO

“ To the Brazell Family

Our hearts are saddened at the loss you are experiencing today. We have been praying for your family as you grieve Chandler's death on this earth, but as you are able to celebrate his new life with his Father in heaven. We pray that God will comfort your hearts and bring you strength in the days to come. May you all find joy in your precious memories of Chandler and the godly young man he became.

Ken & Kathy Odle, Meadow View Church of Christ

Kathy Odle - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ Rhonda,

There is nothing I can say that will take your pain away but just know that my family will keep you and your family in our thoughts and prayers. From what I have read you had one amazing son who served his God and left a legacy. I pray God's arms surround you with his love and comfort.

Kristi Lawbaugh Foster - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ My prayers have been with your family since I heard about the accident on Monday the 1st. What a wonderful Christian example Jimmy's life was to the young people he came in contact with. Though he will be greatly missed, I know it is a comfort to you all to know he is with our Lord Jesus. My prayer is that the life he lived will continue to impact young lives for years to come. May God's Love and Peace be with each of you. Love & prayers, Liz Crawford

Liz Crawford - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ Please know we are with you. So love your family and grateful for your example to us. We are honored to know Jimmy; his life message is eternal! In Christ alone... Our Love - Randy, Gayle, James, Laura, John, Lisa, Joel and Leah

Randy and Gayle McDonald - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ May God be with you all in this time of loss.

James - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ Chuck & Rhonda, Words seem so hollow right now to express what's in our hearts. We are so sorry for your loss...we can't even imagine! We are so grateful for the incredible life that the Lord gave Chandler to live. You taught him to live life to the full & to live it in complete & total abandonment of his love for the Lord. Well done, Chuck & Rhonda! You are both amazing, beautiful parents & incredible stewards of the gift of your children. May the Lord's unfailing love sustain you, Chase, Rachel & Christian right now. May the peace of Jesus continue to dwell deep within each one of you. May the Lord's comfort overwhelm you as you grieve. "Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted." Matt. 5:4
What an amazing son you have been blessed with. The life he lived brought honor to the Lord, but also honored you! Our deepest sympathy! We love you! Please know you are being covered in prayer!

Scott & Lori Brown

Scott & Lori Brown - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KV

“ I am very sorry for his loss on his behalf and for those who loved and/or knew him.

Kirk Vogel - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ I do not think I have see you and your family since your oldest was a toddler. I was so saddened to hear of this news. I saw his picture and was overwhelmed with how he has your eyes, Rhonda. I am grieving with and for your family. I am praying fervently for God to guide your family through this difficult time.

*With deep sympathy and prayerful blessings for your family,
Lara (Butler) Slawson*

Lara (Butler) Slawson - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ Sweet Brazell Family - we send our love and prayers to each of you as you begin the journey towards healing and understanding in the arms of Our Lord and Savior. May He provide the comfort, guidance and direction for each of you in profound and loving ways.

*We are lifting you in prayer and praising God for Chandler's impact on us as well as all those who crossed his path.
The Seifferth's*

Craig, Linda & Ellie Seifferth - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

NS

“ I was so lucky to have been Chandler's fourth grade teacher. He was such a sweet young man and I am so proud to read about all of his work for the Lord. I am so sad that his work here is finished. God had other plans but it is so hard to say good bye until we see him in Heaven one day. Know that you are in my prayers and thoughts.

Nadine Schwartz - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CK

“ Our most heartfelt payers are with you all during this very difficult time. May God bless and keep you.

The Kenyons

Craig and Michelle Kenyon - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this time.

Chad, Traci Denton and Family - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ What a sweet young man Chandler/Jimmy was. I'll always remember his smile.

Gerald & I send our love.

May God comfort you in ways that only He can. -Julie

Julie Gwartney - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ Dear Brazell family:

I met Jimmy four weeks ago at the Summit conference in Colorado. I went with him when we got feathers in our hair, and I was completely blown away by his incredible zeal for the Lord. When he smiled at me, it was like he was giving me a beautiful gift—so full of life and joy and love for Jesus. When I was with him, I was inspired by his life to do more for Christ. He shone so brightly.

He gave his testimony at Summit. He said he just wanted to impact people for the Lord.

He did.

I only knew Jimmy for a short period of time, but I am so thankful that I had the opportunity to meet him. He was such a treasure, a gift, and a blessing. One day, if I can look back on my life and see I've had half the impact he did in his nineteen years, I'd be the happiest girl in the world.

“Hear my cry, O God; Attend to my prayer. From the end of the earth I will cry to You, when my heart is overwhelmed; Lead me to the rock that is higher than I. For You have been a shelter for me, a strong tower from the enemy. I will abide in Your tabernacle forever; I will trust in the shelter of Your wings.” ~ Psalm 61:1-4

I'll be praying for your family, that God blesses you as much as your son and brother Jimmy blessed everyone who knew him.

To God be all glory,

Christina “Kuri” Ridders

Christina "Kuri" Ridders - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ I believe I saw Chandler several times at Randy & Susan's home in Canton, when he was there to play with Hunter. What an incredible and faithful young man he was to serve the Lord and influence so many young people.

My heart is saddened for all of you and I am praying for our Lord to comfort you, as only He is able to do at this time. May the precious memories you have of Chandler, help to heal your hearts.

Jo Mueller - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ Chuck - My heart goes out to you and your family. You're in our prayers and I wish we were a little closer to Tyler. Let me know if there's anything we can do. Love you man - Micah

Micah Goodspeed - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AP

“ Dear Charles and Karen and extended family,
Our hearts go out to you in this time of unspeakable grief. You are in our thoughts and prayers and we pray that God will see you all through this difficult time. We don't see each other very much but family is a bond that transcends distance. May we all hold each other closer and dearer at ALL times.

Love, Archie & Anita

Archie & Anita (Butler) Proctor - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ Chandler Brazell

Tom Barbara Miller - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ *Ron, Ann and All Sorry for your loss.*

Tom Miller Family - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ *My thoughts and deepest prayers are with you all in your tremendous loss. May the love of God comfort you as only He can.*

Katie McClellan - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

G.

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. May "the God of all comfort" (2 Corinthians 1:3,4) comfort and soothe your heart. His promises, found in the Holy Scriptures, can offer much hope. It assures us at John 5:28,29 that our loved ones will be remembered and brought back to life in the resurrection. Please allow God's Word to strengthen you and help you to endure this most difficult time.*

G.Ford - July 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM