



Scott Gilley

December 31, 1975 - August 7, 2005

Services for Scott Gilley, 29, Flint, are scheduled for 10.30 A.M., Wednesday, August 10, 2005, at Stewart Family Funeral Chapel. Burial will be in Cathedral in the Pines Cemetery under direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home. Scott Gilley passed away Sunday, August 7, 2005 in Tyler. Scott was born on December 31, 1975 in Tyler where he grew up. He was a graduate of John Tyler High School in 1994 and later graduated from the University of Arkansas in Newport Arkansas. He was preceded in death by his sister, Monica Gilley. The surviving family includes his father, Jimmy Gilley and wife, Teddie of Whitehouse; mother, Carol Raibon and husband Otis of Flint; sisters, Carrie Smith and husband Dwayne of Mt. Vernon and Crystal Clower and husband, Casey of Richardson; grandmother, Clara Parrish of Whitehouse. The family will receive friends from 6:00-8:00 Tuesday at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Hwy., Tyler 75703.

Tribute Wall

DG

“ *My deepest sympathy to you. You are in my prayers. I don't always comprehend God's will, but I have confidence that Scott was and will continue to be loved.*

I love you, DeAnna

DeAnna Gilley-Thielvoldt - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DP

“ *Dear Carol, I am so sorry to hear about Scott. My thoughts and prayers are with you during your time of sorrow. Although I have not seen you since our 20th class reunion, I think about our times together when we were growing up and how we influenced each others lives. You will always be a friend I will treasure.*

Again, I am so, so sorry.

Love your friend,

Donna Campbell Price

Donna Campbell Price - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

PW

“ *A good friend is gone but not forgotten. I will miss talking to you. My prayers are with Scott's family.*

Perry Wilson - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

HH

“ Scott you will be missed and I will never forget the time we spent together. Scott was a great person that loved the world and didn't take life for granted, and even though his life was short it wasn't wasted. Knowing Scott he taught me alot of things about life. Scott was a person that cared about the people around him and if they needed help he would give the shirt off his back to help them. My prayers go out to all of Scott's family and friends. Scott I'll always remember that year we shared together at ASU. Sincerely, your friend to the end, HEATH.

Heath Hudspeth - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ My greastest sympathy goes out to Scott's family and friends for the loss of their loved one. Scott was a beacon of light and hope in a dark world. Scott always had a smile on his face and took charge of life, no matter what perils life had thrown his way. Scott would pick himself back up and keep going. He will be missed in this life, but as we all know, Scott will be looking down from above at all of us. Stephanie Wilson- Perry wilson wife. God bless

Stephanie Wilson - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ My heart is heavy and deeply saddened. It was such a privelage to know Scott, even though it was brief. I always looked for the positive in all my fellow employees or as I like to think of them, friends. Scott was no exception. Even though I was an instructor to Scott I felt a bond with him as well as the other guys. In short, we have lost a good Technician, a person with heart, a Friend. Til the morning comes. May God take your burdens and comfort your lives. Scott, I will see you in the morning... Jerry Allen

Jerry Allen - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ Dearest Jimmy, Teddie, Crystal & Casey: Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you and ALL of Scott's family and friends. May the Lord comfort and guide you through this time of sorrow and always.

Deana McCarns - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ I am truly sorry to hear of your tragic loss. I pray that God comforts you during this very difficult time. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

*The Seelbach Family
Sean, Stacy, Grace & Gavin*

Stacy Gilley Seelbach - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

R(

“ I would like to express my deepest sympathy to Scott's family. I was a close friend with Carrie, Scott's sister, in high school.

Carrie, you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Rechelle

Rechelle Patrick (Benge) - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Remember that your
loss is shared
by many friends who care
and that you're in our
thoughts and hearts
and in our every prayer

*May you find the courage
to face tomorrow
in the love that surrounds
you today.*

*May the love of friends and family
be a source of comfort to you
at this time*

*At this time of sorrow
may these truths sustain you..
...your loved one will always be
as close as a memory
and the God of all comfort
is always as close as a prayer.*

*It will be the little things
that you will remember
the quiet moments, the smiles,
the laughter.*

*And although it may
seem hard right now,
it will be the memory
of these little things
that help to push away the pain
and bring the smiles back again*

Dr. Crutchfield's Staff - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

TG

“ *I am so very sorry for your loss. My heart weeps with you.*

*There is a land not far from here
Where love and peace abound.
Where Jesus waits with open arms
And happiness is found.*

*It is a place without disease,
Where illness finds its cure.
And wrinkled faces we once knew
Are now so fresh and pure.*

*Where laughter echoes through the hills
And joy is everywhere,
Where roses bloom eternally
and we have not a care.*

*There is a river flowing there,
A tree of life nearby.
And Father gently wipes away,
The tears from every eye.*

(www.larryhowland.com)

Teresa Goodwin - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ I want to express my deepest sympathy to Scott's family. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Jeane' Patrick - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ I would like to say that I am heart broken that Scott is gone and that my heart aches for his family. I really enjoyed being around Scott and he will always have a place in my heart. I was so looking forward to him coming back to school this semester and I will always miss him! I just want Scott's family to know that he was a great person and a gentlemen around everyone that he befriended. He will be missed...always!

Jaime Richmond - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ Met Scott once last year in Newport. He was visiting Kenneth & Jaime Richmond. Very polite and nice guy.

ANDREA MURPHY - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ He was a very good friend. He was loving, caring, kind hearted. Whenever he was around, his smile would just light up everybody's face. You have truly raised a good man. He will always be special to me. Scott will always have a special place in my heart. Scott's family will always be in my thoughts and prayers. My love is with you always.

Andrea Murphy - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ I remember Scott as a child , camping out at Tyler State Park and canoeing on the Buffalo River . What fun we had. Jim and Teddie you have our deepest condolences for your loss. Our prayers are with you.... June and Cecil Saxon

Cecil and June Saxon - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ A Poem

I Did Not Die

Do not stand at my grave and forever weep.

I am not there; I do not sleep.

I am a thousand winds that blow.

I am the diamond glints on snow.

I am the sunlight on ripened grain.

I am the gentle autumn's rain.

When you awaken in the morning's hush

I am the swift uplifting rush

Of quiet birds in circled flight.

I am the soft stars that shine at night.

Do not stand at my grave and forever cry.

I am not there. I did not die.

by Melinda Sue Pacho

Anita Gonzalez - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ Scott truly set a benchmark for what a man should be. Despite my mistakes, he loved me unconditionally, something that is still to this day overwhelming. He taught me many lessons about life. The most important being that you truly do not know what you have until it is gone. I had the privilege and honor at one time to be his wife and for that I am grateful. He was a man who didn't let the trials of life get in his way. When he called me recently to let me know that he had graduated and over came his fear of academic failure in the past, I could hear the pride in his voice and had shivers from the passion of his success. He used to tell me that he wished he was as smart in school as I had been, but little did he know that he was a much wiser person than I could ever be.

Scott was a son my father wished had been his. Scott was the only one in the family that understood the joy of working in the garage as my father does. He was the purest of heart that my mother wished she could have held on to. To Carol, Jimmy, Teddie, Otis, Jimmy and Janice Wells, I would like to say that through many past conversations with Scott I know that he loved us all unconditionally. I can only say that he has altered our lives for the better and I will always love and admire his beautiful soul. I will hold him in my heart forever and remember him always.

Lucinda Fernandez Gilley - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

YP

“ Dear Gilley Family,

I am extremely sorry to hear about your loss. One of my classmates, David Mason, informed me of this. On behalf, of the JTHS Class of 1994, you are all in our prayers. Please let us know if there is anything we can do. May God bless you and your family.

Yours truly,
Yolanda R. Prince

Yolanda Prince - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM