



Steven "Stevie" Hernandez

February 28, 1993 - November 1, 2013

Age 20, of Normal, IL, formerly of Braidwood and Diamond, IL, passed away Friday, November 1, 2013 at Advocate Bromenn Medical Center in Normal.

Born February 28, 1993 in LaGrange, IL. Graduate of Coal City High School, Class of 2012. Employed by North America Movers in Normal. Stevie enjoyed playing basketball and most of all he loved spending time with his girlfriend, Whitney and loved her son, J.P. as his own.

Surviving are his loving parents, Phil and Nicole (nee Nastali) Metz of Godley, IL; beloved girlfriend, Whitney Davis and her son, J.P. of Normal; maternal grandparents, Patricia (David) Border of TN; paternal grandfather, Robert Metz of Cleveland, OH; and uncles, Steve (Sheri) Bojko of Joliet, IL and Sean (Laurie) Border of TN.

Preceding him in death was his paternal grandmother, Sandra Metz.

Cremation rites have been accorded. Memorial services will be held at a later date. R.W. Patterson Funeral Homes, Ltd. & Crematory is entrusted with the arrangements.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in his name may be directed to:
American Foundation for Suicide Prevention (afsp.org): 120 Wall St., 29th

Floor, New York, NY 10005.

Tribute Wall

SS

“ *My sincere condolences go out to Steven's family . I just found out a couple of days ago you left to be in a better and happy place. It saddens me so much that my last memory of you is when my dad (Geno) used to grab you by your little legs and you would get so stiff and act like you were a plane. Then you did the cutest thing when your dad (Tony Hernandez) would put your pacifier in your mouth upside down and you would flip it the right way with your mouth . U will truly be missed . And one day we will all reunite again like a family is suppose to ..*
Sincerely Sammi Soto

sammi soto - February 07, 2014 at 06:15 PM

LM

“ *My deepest sympathys go out to Stevens family. I just can't believe you're gone. I can still hear you saying "that's my daddy's funny tar (car)" as you looked out grandmas front door. I used to love taking car rides with your dad to pick you up..man did you have a lot to say on the way back! Not a day went by that we didn't think of you and wonder if you were thinking of us. You are gonna be missed so much! Love you lots!*
Your tia....Rena
Lorena

lorena mondragon - February 05, 2014 at 01:51 PM

LM

“ My deepest sympathy goes out to Stevens family! I can't believe you are gone I can still hear you saying "that's my daddy's funny tar (car)"

*As you giggle and look out the front door of grandmas house. Not a day went by that we didn't think of you and just wonder how you looked or if you were thinking of us. You will be missed so much!
Love you lots! Your tia Rena
Lorena*

lorena mondragon - February 05, 2014 at 12:46 PM

TH

“ Condolences go out to the family of Steven.. We are saddened with this tragic news. Steven you will be truly missed!! I do want to tell you that there wasn't a day that went by that I didn't think of you.. I love you so much your Tia Terry "Theresa" Hernandez

Theresa Hernandez - February 05, 2014 at 05:59 AM

TG

“ I got to know Steve from working at Vuteq. He was one of the first that we trained. He was always there to laugh or make a joke with. I am glad that I got to know him. He was a good kid and will truly be missed. To his family I am very sorry. Tyler Gambrel

Tyler Gambrel - December 10, 2013 at 08:54 AM

JM

“ *My deepest sympathy to your family and loved ones. My son died by suicide nearly 10 years ago - parents shouldn't have to bury their children; yet we never know the battles they fight within. Always remember he is only a whisper away, walking with you always. My prayers to you all.*

-Joe's Mom

Joe's Mom - November 19, 2013 at 02:53 PM

JM

“ *Joe's Mom lit a candle in memory of Steven "Stevie" Hernandez*



Joe's Mom - November 19, 2013 at 02:46 PM

NI

“ Good morning Steven. Its your crazy mom. I got to give you a kiss and hug you and tell you that I loved you this morning. I'm so glad that I have the ability to do that. I just want to say how much I love you and how much I miss you. I smell your axe body spray and I close my eyes and I remember hugging you and smelling that on you. I remember giving you a kiss on your beautiful lips. I can still feel it and i never want to forget that. I just want to say thank you for visiting me, finally! I was very mad when I woke up because I'm not sure when you will visit me again. But it was a good visit. I remember that we were in the house and your dad was outside working and our backyard had trash all over the ground and I remember you looking at it and then we got dressed to go outside to help dad and we were talking to each other and as soon as we get done getting dressed we looked back out the window and your dad had already cleaned it up and we just laughed because you know your dad when he wants something done he gets it done right away. I wish your visit was longer but I will be patient and wait for you to visit me again. I just want to say I love you and I miss you and I will never forget. One last thing I wanted to tell you and I know that you will like this! Whitney and I decided to get matching tattoos in your honor. she is coming over very shortly and spending the night and maybe we can figure out. I wanted to tell you that you picked out one of the most beautiful intelligent young woman i have ever met! I believe she was your soulmate. I know because I can't even tell you how much time her and I have spent together. She is now family, never to be forgotten ever. I love you so much! My baby, my young man. I cherish every moment I had with you. I hope that you are happy and at peace. I love you.

Nicole - November 08, 2013 at 12:00 PM

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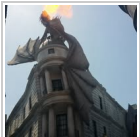
Wow Nicole.. We are blood I wish you would of told us about him. Prayers go out to all of the family! We are all saddened about Steven. I can remember when my kids would always ask for him to come over and they would have a blast in the basement. Making teepee with all the sheets.. What memory's!! He will be missed!! :(

theresa hernandez - February 04, 2014 at 10:21 PM

LH

Stevie I can remember the last time I seen you was at your 7th Birthday party at chucky cheese in Joliet. I think all of us took turns running around with you and we still couldn't keep up. 'Im saddend to hear this news. We never gave up on trying to find you and always thought about you! Our Holidays were never complete without you. We always had faith that one day we would be reunited in real life and now our hope is gone and it is hard to accept reality! I know you can now see everything and hope that you know you were always loved and you will always be missed. Till we meet again. THE HERNANDEZ FAMILY WILL ALWAYS REMEMBER YOU!!! Love your Tia Linda Hernandez.

Linda Hernandez - February 05, 2014 at 10:55 AM



“ Jen Moreno lit a candle in memory of Steven "Stevie" Hernandez



Jen Moreno - November 08, 2013 at 09:57 AM

SD

“ Sharon Duffy lit a candle in memory of Steven "Stevie" Hernandez



Sharon Duffy - November 08, 2013 at 02:26 AM



“ *I Love You So Much Steven. You Are Such An Amazing Person, Inside And Out. You Brought So Much Happiness Into Our Little Families Lives. I Know That Through Our Time Of Weakness You Will Be Our Strength. Forever Will You Watch Over JP And I With Nothing But A Smile On That Gorgeous Face Of Yours. May You Finally Be At Peace. I Love You So Much And Miss You More Than Anything. I Cant Wait To Be In Your Arms Again. I Know You Will Be There To Open The Gates For Me. Until We Meet Again Babe. Always & Forever Steven With So Much Love, Your Girlfriend And J.P <3*

Whitney Goujon-Davis - November 07, 2013 at 09:11 PM



“ *The Quam Family lit a candle in memory of Steven "Stevie" Hernandez*



The Quam Family - November 05, 2013 at 09:47 PM



“ *R.i.P Stevie <3 You'll always be remembered. Never Forgotten. Keep watch over all your loved ones and friends. I love you. Save a seat for me up there. <3*

Danielle Renee - November 04, 2013 at 12:25 PM