



Brett Cozad

August 24, 1960 - April 8, 2012

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Tribute Wall

JV

“ *Brett was a long time customer of mine. I could always look forward to seeing him as he had me laughing the whole time. He was such a great guy.*

Joseph Vanderbosch - April 22, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DZ

“ *My condolences to Wayne and his Family. I remember Brett as a cool little brother to Wayne, not a pesky little pain in the neck as I was to my siblings !*

Dave Zipp - April 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DE

“ *Uncle Brett, you were an amazing, generous, kind man. I remember you coming over for Super Bowls and other family events. Gosh, you could talk forever and always had a story to tell. Every family dinner, every little visit, I'll remember your laughter and your voice and your smile.*

When I walk across the stage in May, I'll be thinking of you. We'll always be thinking of you.

Love you, Uncle Brett,

Devon

Devon - April 15, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KJ

“ Dearest Brett, as I sit here thinking of you, tears fill my eyes. I think about our lives together as kids. I think we were very lucky to have grown up in the projects. We lived close together and that made us family. Seeing you at Moose Millers wake after 30 years or so made me realize that love doesnt go away with time. When we hugged I felt all those years apart changed nothing. I am so thankful that we reconnected, if only for a short time. You will live on in my memories, I love you Brett.....until we meet again.....Karen

Karen L. Koepsell Johnson - April 15, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CK

“ Hey Brett...I wanted your family to know that I have been thinking alot about you and the memories of growing up in the projects, all of us with single moms who raised good people. What a support system they must have been for each other, we as kids just didn't realize how hard it must have been ya know? I smile when I think back on you, Jeff, Bobby and Steve, the best of buddies, how you survived with the three of them I don't know, you were always the quiet one of that group, you probably wondered yourself how you stayed out of trouble most of the time ;) I remember your soft spoken mother Lillian, I dont think I ever heard her raise her voice! It was mostly you and Wayne, your older siblings were grown and gone by the time we met you. I remember your super wavey hair, parted down the middle and that little mustache you seem to be born with lol ;) You were my "boyfriend" for about 5 days, when Steve was dating Margie for about 2 weeks...All this time both living in NT and never seeing you although we talked of you often, esp when Stevie came home from Texas.

You always think there is more time...

hugs to the Cozad family

trust that this is not the end...

Love,

Cindy Koepsell

Cindy Koepsell - April 15, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AL

“Charlie” haven’t heard you called that in years. It brings back so many memories. Our two families did a lot together and for that I’m glad. They say your first friends are family and that’s so true because we know each other in more ways than one. I’m so glad we got together the last time we were in town and had a great time. Took pictures to remember it and I’ll always cherish them. Now your rejoicing in heaven and what a reception you must have had. I love you cousin.

Alana - April 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MI

“MY DEAREST COUSIN..YOU WILL BE MISSED BY SO MANY PEOPLE.I AM SO THANKFUL OF THE TIMES WE SPENT TOGETHER..FAMILY FILMS OF OUR BUEATIFUL MOMS TOGETHER..NOW YOUR WITH THEM.I LOVE YOU..GET THE BIG FISH IN HEAVEN..

mickey - April 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ *Brett,*

I don't know how to begin to say good-bye to such a dear brother. I will miss the pictures you'd send of the deer, fish and places around town and the pictures of your meals! I'll miss your voice and kind heart. You're loved and it is so very hard to lose your earthly presence among our family. I must try to find "the peace that passes all understanding".

Steve wrote that one of his memories was of Mom waiting at the door for you when you came home. Well, I picture her waiting at the door for you one last time and so, so glad to have you home!

*My precious brother, I love and miss you beyond words.
Love, Carole*

Carole Robins - April 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM

WC

“ Brett,

My precious brother. I still can't believe that the inevitable has separated us in this way. I know that it is a part of God's plan and that I must accept it. There are just so many memories of our lives together as brothers. Living at Gram's, Moving to and growing up together in the Projects with Mom, Going to school together at St. Marks and NT, Growing up together in NT, Working together at Ultra Tool. You knew my friends and I yours. If we could talk about them one more time we'd share a lot of laughs again. There were just so many good times with our friends when we were younger, so many I could never stop you at Foosball even though you'd tell me what shot was coming and I'd be buying the beer all night if I tried to beat you at pool. I can hear Steve and Jeff laughing, particularly Steve! Allegheny we knew it inside out and going the same week with the Demler's every year was a blast. Our building at Courtside housed the Miller's, the Koepsell's, the Demler's, the Swans and of course us. How it is still standing I don't know! Those were simpler times my brother. How I loved sharing them with you! So here I am. Broken. Trying to summarize what it was like to be your brother. Looking for a different way to say "I Love You" and that I am missing you dearly. I know I will heal. I know why you meant so much to other people and how kind you were when someone truly needed a hand. There were people you would go the extra distance for. You understood and helped. I want others to know we were blessed to have you in our lives and that I was truly blessed to be able to call you my brother. My God how you will be missed.

Brett, I Love You.

Wayne

Wayne Cozad - April 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ *Brett Allan Cozad-so many great memories when we were so young and growing up..Fishing at the canal and river,building forts in the woods or just riding our bikes and cant forget your family taking me to Allegheny every year with you..I had a blast as a kid from the projects thanks to your company and I loved your mother too!.....I remember keeping you out late one night and there was your mother waiting at the door for you....now she is waiting for you in Heaven...You will be missed dearly....Rest in Peace my friend and God Bless*

Steven W Beatty - April 13, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ *Our condolences to you all on the loss of a beloved family member.*

Don & Tracy McCauley - April 13, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PT

“ *may you fly on angel's wings and be comforted in your dear Mother's arms. the family you left behind have heavy hearts that are filled with the pain of losing you. but their hearts will be lighter when you are all together again. much love to all*

peg rattigan thibodeau - April 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ *my prayers go out to the cozad famuly for this tragic loss.it has been a few years since i have been able to hang out wuth brett but i have so so many great memories of him and the fun we had for so many years. i was lucky to have him as a friend and neighbor. he will be dearly missed. R.I.P my friend .*

jeff koepsell - April 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ *My precious brother - I miss you so much - I can't believe we will never be e mailing each other every week again - I know you are with Mom & both of you are happy being together. God has his reason for taking you so soon from us. It is the people on earth who are so sad & won't forget you. I LOVE YOU*

Paula - April 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

TE

“ *Brett,
I remember when you bought that big pickup truck and I wondered why such a small guy needed such a big truck. Now I know - it was so your heart could fit n it.*

Love you Buddy

Terry - April 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM