



Bret Ryan Goolday

January 30, 1988 - December 25, 2012

Bret Ryan Goolday, age 24, of New Castle, DE, went home to be with the Lord on Christ's Day, December 25, 2012, after complications from a massive heart attack on December 22nd. Bret, born in New Castle, DE on January 30, 1988 will be forever remembered for his exceedingly gracious heart. He was spared by none, but touched by many. Bret loved to write and had hoped to someday be published. A diehard Eagles fan, his love for music and the Jersey seashore will carry on.

Bret will survive in the hearts of his daughter, Brooke Goolday Hawkins; his mother Tracie (Goolday) Kimsey, (Charles Kimsey); fathers, Ronald Sharp and James Hayes; his maternal grandparents, Victor and Emily Goolday; his paternal grandparents, Patricia Hardy, Mary Felletti, and James Hayes Sr.; his brothers, Ronald Sharp II (Kristy Briggie) and Chance Hayes; his sisters, Tabatha Sharp, Ashley Sharp (Stephen Hobbs) and Emily Sharp, and his best friend, Steve Hemmelstein; and countless aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews, and friends. For such a young life, Bret touched countless souls. A visitation for family and friends will be held on Monday, December 31, 2012 in Strano & Feeley Family Funeral Home, 635 Churchmans Road, Newark, DE 19702 from 1pm-2pm followed by a service in celebration of Bret's life at 2pm. Burial will be private. For directions and to express an online condolence, visit www.strano-feeley.com.

Strano & Feeley

Family Funeral Home

302-731-5459

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 31. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Strano & Feeley Family Funeral Home
635 Churchmans Rd
Newark, DE 19702
(302) 731-5459
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Service

DEC 31. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JF

“ Renee,

My thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this very sad time. Seems like he was a nice guy and cared for by many. It's so hard when they're so young. May God bless you all with very fond memories to cherish and look back on. I'm sure he would want you to keep his spirit alive. :) xoxoxo Jeanine Fusco-Lano and family.

Jeanine Fusco-Lano - December 29, 2012 at 01:32 PM

DJ

“ To my dear freinds chuck and tt. My heart and prayers go out to you . Rest in peace Bret you will be missed by all who knew you .we take comfort knowing the angels are taking you home love you guys

Donnie Graley Jr - December 29, 2012 at 10:02 AM

MP

“ Wishing you peace to bring you comfort...courage to face the days ahead, and loving memories to forever hold in your hearts.



mark & donna pardue - December 29, 2012 at 02:21 AM



“ Fern lit a candle in memory of Bret Ryan Goolday



Fern - December 28, 2012 at 06:31 PM

PS

“ My deepest and heart felt sympathies for you all at this time of tremendous loss! My tears and prayers are with you all, I pray you can find a time of comfort in the memories you have. John 11:17-27

Pastor Randy Scott

Pastor Randy G. Scott - December 28, 2012 at 02:41 PM

SH

“ To The Family,
Please accept my condolence. I hope that you are able to draw comfort from the scriptures during this difficult time. Let me tell you my favorite text. Job said: “If an able-bodied man dies can he live again?”. You will call, and I myself shall answer you. For the work of your hands you will have a yearning.” (Job 14:14, 15).

Sherry - December 28, 2012 at 12:21 PM

LR

“ I had the pleasure of getting to know Bret and his Dad, Ronni Sharp. I knew him for such a short time, but I found him to be an awesome friend, willing confidant and all around good person. It is such a shock to loose someone this young and to make it all make sense. Maybe someday there will come a time when family and friends come to terms with this tragedy. Until then, know that this young man is sleeping with the angels today and he is comforted but the warm embrace he finds in Heaven. We can find comfort in the words of the Serenity Prayer



*God, Grant me the Serenity to accept the things I cannot Change
The Courage to Change the things that I can
And the Wisdom to Know the Difference
God's Will Not Mine*

God Bless each one of you in this terrible time

Lori R.....

Lori R - December 28, 2012 at 06:00 AM