



Christopher Vandiver

October 3, 1992 - June 19, 2012

Christopher Edward "Chris" Vandiver, 19, Russellville, Alabama died on Tuesday, June 19, 2012.

He lived most of his life in Colbert County until moving to Franklin County during the past year. He was a member of Praise Tabernacle Church and a volunteer for the Littleville Fire Department.

Funeral service will be Thursday, June 21, 2012, 4 p.m. at Pinkard Funeral Home, Russellville with Bobby Stancil and Steve Amos officiating. Burial will be in Gray Rock Cemetery in Franklin County. Visitation will be prior to the service from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m. at the funeral home.

Survivors include his mother, Debbie Dabbs and stepdad, Jeff, Tuscumbia; grandparents, Hubert and Freida Garrison, Spruce Pine, Rayford and Lou Vandiver, Tuscumbia, Charlotte Vandiver, Littleville; great-grandparents, William and Etta Garrison, Russellville; sister, Kim Brooks and husband, Curtis, Littleville; brother, Michael Vandiver, Tuscaloosa; niece, Emma Brooks; nephew, Rylan Brooks; special friend, Mary Ellen Wells; brothers at the Littleville Volunteer Fire Department.

Pallbearers will be Littleville Volunteer Fire Department.

Tribute Wall



“ Pinkard Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Christopher Vandiver



Pinkard Funeral Home - June 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *i lost one of my best friends today. he has been my right hand man since my sweet, sweet husband died june 14, 2011. chris has been there for me when i needed him and times when i didn't like the times he scared me to death not knowing he was in the house and i would turn and he would be there. i would just scream and he would laugh and say i thought you heard me.*

after ed died i had a hard time sleeping. i would think of something i needed to tell chris so i would text him so he would get the text first thing the next morning. as soon as i would send it he would answer it. i would ask him why he wasn't asleep and he would say oh i just can't sleep tonight. then we would 'talk' for an hour or so and he would go back to sleep.

we lost a very special young man today but God received a very special angel. i know that chris and ed were watching today enjoying the crowd seeing who all they knew. can't wait to see my two men again.

To Chris' family, you are in my thoughts and prayers. I love you guys. Thanks for being a part of my family.

Mary Ellen Wells##imported-begin##mary ellen wells##imported-end##

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“ Chris, you've always brightened our days & known how to make us smile, even in our darkest hour. You are missed tremendously my friend! Heaven gained a spectacular angel, just don't be giving Peter all our secrets, we want in one day! I can just see you now laughing as you give full details. It brings a smile with all the tears. Kim and Michael, you & your family are held close in our prayers. If you need anything at all, I'm a phone call away at all times. May God grant you strength during this difficult time.##imported-begin##Sherry Parker##imported-end##

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“ My prayers go out to all of the family. Chris was everyone's friend. I know he will be missed by all. Especially his whit.##imported-begin##Tyler Terry##imported-end##

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