



Roger Lee Brewer

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Mr. Roger Lee Brewer, 39 of Fayetteville, AR passed away Saturday, October 25, 2003 in Athens, GA. He was born May 30, 1964 in Muncie, Indiana to Patrick A. and Carolyn (Steele) Brewer. He was the President of Smokin'-Rx, Inc.

Roger loved spending time in family activities, competitive BBQ cooking, church related activities, running, golf, basketball, biking, gardening.

He is survived by his wife; Kim, one son; Blake Austin Brewer and one daughter; Blair Nicole Brewer both of the home, his parents of Eatonton, GA, two brothers; Rick Brewer of Bishop, GA, Rand Brewer of Sherwood, AR, and two sisters; Rhonda Bogdanow of Watkinsville, GA, Reesa Stickney of Mayflower, AR. Roger was also loved by many aunts and uncles and nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be Tuesday, October 28, 2003 from 6:00 PM until 8:00 PM at Nelson-Berna Funeral Home in Fayetteville.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, October 29, 2003 at 2:00 PM in Nelson-Berna Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Joe Buca of Georgia officiating. Burial will follow at Fairview Memorial Gardens in Fayetteville.

Memorials may be made to the Roger Brewer Family, 13668 W. Forest Hills, Fayetteville, Arkansas 72704-7834.

Visitation Date Time Tuesday, October 27, 2003 6:00 PM until 8:00 PM Visitation Location
Nelson-Berna Funeral Home Service Date Time Wednesday, October 29, 2003 2:00 PM
Service Location Nelson-Berna Funeral Home Chapel



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JC

Jonette Cobb posted:

Roger and I worked together at Jacksonville Regional Medical Center (AR). He kept me laughing and awake during the night shift. A great, great guy. Rest easy Roger. Rest easy.

January 29 at 4:22 PM

JJ

John & Jennifer Byglin (Friends From Marion,In.) posted:

I'm very sorry for your loss.

August 30 at 10:11 AM

RB

Rand (Brother) posted:

Rog, where do I begin, what can I say, all I want to do is look at a picture of you. All I want to say is your name. The one thing that is most in my mind is that God, without a doubt, has you on a very important task that no one person here on earth could accomplish but you. For God to have taken the most outgoing, most vibrant person I know home I truly have to come to terms that He needed you and only you for something of vital importance. We were brought up in church every Sunday, we were always a tight-knit family...close. The brothers always had each other's back in any situation. My heart weeps daily, yet I know you're in a better place. Alex told me the day of your service that life on earth is only one chapter in life, and when we reach His presence God shows us the whole story. You know the whole story now. I have done some hard things in my life, as you know bro, but without a doubt the hardest thing I've ever done is to live this short chapter of my life without you. As so many people have stated, you brought a smile to their faces and truly impacted everyone you came into contact with to the point of actually leaving them nearly speechless with amazement. The people you touched is absolutely phenomenal. You were the problem solver in this family, the peacemaker. You were the one to hug Ricks' neck when I shook his hand. You were the one that would ease my mind and give me an instant solution to any problem I would have. You were the one that could do it all, and without thinking twice. You were always the toughest. And, as was Troy when we were young kids, you were everyone's favorite uncle. I know my boys, especially Matt, and Sally have a very empty feeling in their hearts, as does everyone that knew you. Blake, Blair and Kim will always be at our foremost thoughts, but you know that. My request to God is that when He needs me, that you are the one that leads me home. Accepting the fact that we will not see you again on this earth is nearly impossible, but we will see you again. You took a big piece of my heart with you, hold onto it, and when the time comes bring it to me...I Love You Rog...

October 22 at 7:00 PM



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AM

Alice Nelson (School Mate) posted:

My prayers are with the family and friends of Roger Brewer, one who was so full of life, and as I look back on those school years, I remember him always with a smile.

August 30 at 10:11 AM

LC

Lisa Kimbrell (Classmate) posted:

DEAR REESE, SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT ROGER. THE OLDER WE ALL GET IT SEEMS HARDED TO LET GO OF OUR LOVE ONES. JUST KEEP SMILING AND REMEMBER ALL THE GOOD TIMES. YOU AND YOUR FAMILY ARE IN MY PRAYERS.....LISA KIMBRELL

August 30 at 10:11 AM

CB

Cheryl Morris Bunch posted:

Kim - I have just been told the devastating news and want you to know that you and your children and Roger's entire family are in my prayers. I, too, have experienced the sudden and unexpected loss of a husband. The one thing that sustained me and kept me going were the many friends that rallied around me, not only for the first few weeks but for the months and months that follow. Just know that the Lord will never forsake you and the days ahead will get brighter. God Bless you always. Love, Cheryl

August 30 at 10:11 AM

CC

Carrie Ann Little (Cousin) posted:

Kim, I was so shocked when I learned of your loss. I kept remembering you and Roger and your smiles the day you were married. It's amazing how God can place such incredible joy and utter devastation in our paths. I cannot begin to understand your pain or the medly of feelings you must be having, but I am here if you need me day or night. If I can help in any way, please call. I will keep your family in our prayers. God be with you and bless you!!!

August 30 at 10:11 AM



RE

Reesa posted:

Roger...i am at a lost for words. Since we were together in the second grade all the way until we graduated, everyone always thought we were twins, even at the 20 year class reunion. In some ways I think we had that bond that twins have. I can remember times when you took me places that mom & dad would never let me go. You would give me that "brotherly" advice & let me go. I remember going to all your baseball games, track meets, football games, basketball games & being so proud when people called me "Brewers little sister"...did I not have a real name? (lol) I was your little sister & you always looked out for me. Even as adults, you have reached out to me & helped me out so many times in many situations. I could truly reach out to you & talk to you about anything & you always took the time to listen. I am so glad the past two summers you have spent time with my boys & gave them the chance to get to know you & how much fun & energetic you were. Ryan & Trey will never forget the BBQ cook-offs, and they will never forget how you let them drive Uncle Ricks prize & possession sports car at speeds that should have never been reached! Shelby thought you were pretty awesome too & even more special since you were my brother & the father of her favorite cousin! I don't think I will ever be able to accept you being gone & not there to talk to me, but what I do accept is that we all know what a generous & helpful person you are...even to strangers broke down on the side of the road. So, my heart tells me that God needs more angels like you to help him reach out & touch so many of the lost souls out there. You had such an awesome impact on so many people in your life, I am sure you will work just as hard for our Lord in Heaven. Mark is & always be a part of our family. Through him we will remember so many things about you...from college to Desert Storm to you & Kim actually having the true "Barbie & Ken" wedding. Sometimes, I think you & him should have been twins! Kim, Blake & Blair will grow to know you & be with all of us even more so now, than ever. They will know what an awesome father & brother you were. You look out for us up there & know that you were loved by so many people. I love you & my world will never be the same without you. I just wished I could take the pain away that I see Mom & Dad going through, & espically Rick & Rand. You leaving us at such an early age was more of a devistating loss than any of us could have ever imagined. I know you will reach out & touch many lost souls out there as you look down on them & be as charming & persuasive as you were to all of us. My dear brother...I will continue to talk to you through prayers nightly & know you will look out for Kim & your children as well as the rest of your family & wonderful friends. The momories will truly carry on...from my heart & soul Roger...ALL MY LOVE

October 22 at 7:00 PM

LF

Leslie Duprei (Friend) posted:

Roger was one of the most memorable characters I will ever meet in this life. He always left you with a smile and provided a good laugh. He was a good dad and a great husband. Whenever I hear it..... I always think of Roger....."How big a feller are ya!!!!"Lots of love Kim,Leslie

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DS

David Lee (High School) posted:

Kim, you don't know me but please know that my heart goes out to you and your two precious children. I lost my husband when he was 25 and our children were two and three years of age. So, although I'm sure our circumstances are very different, I know what it means to be left alone with two small children and to lose the love of your life. You and your children are in my thoughts and prayers at this most difficult time in your life. Love & Prayers, Sherry Pugh

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RM

Reggie Clow (School Mate) posted:

Your smile and wit will be missed. Thanks for all the laughs.

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BH

Bill Hager posted:

We are friends of the Bogdanows and we offer you are sincerest prayers during this time.

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KC

Kim Reddin-Peters (Classmate) posted:

I, too, like everyone else was shocked to learn of Roger's death. After reading the e-mail, I sat there in stunned silence for several seconds trying to make sense of what I'd just read and wondering "how?" and "why?" it happened. I suppose that not everything is for us to know, but as I read the tributes that others have made to Roger, I realized that many of them said virtually the same thing. I guess this consistency was what made us love Roger. I knew each time I approached him I would be welcomed by the same warm smile, a friendly hello and "excited" conversation. Judging from the tributes, this was confirmed, not only by me, but each and everyone of us at the 20-year reunion. Kim, I enjoyed meeting and visiting with you in June. If you need anything, a friend, a shoulder, a laugh, just call. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

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Richard And Mandy Key (Friends) posted:

There'll never be another Roger. He was definately one of a kind. His memory always brings a smile even through the tears. The world is a much better place for those of us who got to know Roger Brewer. Our prayers are with you Kim, Blake, Blair, Pat, Carolyn, Rhonda, Rick, Rand, and Reesa. We love you guys. May God give you the Peace that passeth understanding during these very hard days.

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Navin & Judy Patel (Freind Of Rick, Tony & Rhonda) posted:

Our hearts go out to you all

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RC

Rick Aden Brewer (Brother, Friend, Partner, Admirer, Confidant) posted:

Rog, Words cannot express the turmoil I feel, the ache in my heart, and the emptiness left in my life. You are a huge part of who I am, my make-up, my chemistry and my existence. You know nearly everything about me, things even my wife and our parents don't know...but, you never knew how much I admired you. The way you spent time with your kids, the way you loved your wife, the way you embraced life, the way you ran our business, the way you truly cared for and loved your friends, the way you got every single ounce out of each day and every moment you were ever in, the way you loved and cared for my family and friends, the way you connected with your family, the way you were unafraid to blaze new trails without even thinking about it, the way you lit up a room like no other human being on the face of this earth could even come close to, the way you were uninhibited and could tell me anything, the way you loved your God and family and friends and how we agreed that really nothing else mattered on this earth, your dedication, athletic ability, physical stamina, ability to solve any problem you encountered, the way you hugged me each time you left here telling me you loved me knowing it'd only be a few more days before you'd be back. I love you, Rog, and nothing else matters to me in our relationship except that. You have not only impacted the many, many people who have written above; but, have impacted your brother's life in a way that is impossible to put on paper. As we have felt and said so many times in the past.. "I am you/you are me", it is comforting to know that a huge piece of me is with you right now and always will be (and always was). I will continue to trust that God will fill this void in my life that is larger than any crater, and know by doing so that we will meet again and be able to reminisce once again. We all might only hope that we could adopt the passion you had for life, and live it like you did. I could go on forever, but words do not relay the feelings I have...Kim, You truly did experience something no one on this planet has. You enjoyed life with the closest thing to a superhuman being possible. All of our hearts ache for the emptiness you have recently experienced. You need to commit to your memory the fact that I, and all of us, will be there for you until the end of our time. There is nothing you should ever hesitate to ask for and just know that nothing would please us any more than to do something for you or the kids. Also, never forget what Joe Bucha spoke to us on during the service. When life impacts you beyond any sense of reason there are only 2 choices possible for you-you will either turn to God or you'll turn your back on him. We know which is the right choice, but also know the sin nature of humans and that we need help in making this decision on a regular basis. This is where we want to be for you, a sounding board if you will. I personally pledge to you that I will do anything humanly possible for you if you need at any time you may need it. I love you and Blake and Blair like my own family, because we are family. I will never let Roger's spirit and purpose be forgotten or muffled. Short of God himself, Roger was the greatest thing in your and my life. This bond will never be broken. Blake, Your father is a hero, never forget it and follow closely in the footsteps he left. Blair, Your father is a hero, never forget it and learn to love life as he did. I wish I could take everyone's pain and put it inside my own body and comfort you, but this is what God has instructed us to do with him. May we never lose focus on Him and the plan he has for our lives. Thank you everyone for your love and support, this family will never ever forget it. I humbly pray for every one of us, -Rick

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DC

David Ballou (Classmate) posted:

I am sorry for the families loss and Rogers zest for life. My wife & I sat at the table next to him at the reunion & had some good conversations with him. He seemd the same enthusiastic person he always was and excited about his business & family. It's amazingly shocking to lose someone who seemd so healthy & full of life in an instant without any warning. It makes you want to live life each day as if it possibly is your last. We will be remembering and praying for the family. God Bless.

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DC

Dena (Speer) Wood (Clasmate) posted:

I was not able to come to the funeral but I made it to the visitation. The whole family is in my prayers. I had talked to Roger the previous Wednesday through email. I am so glad I got to spend some time with him at the reunion.

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GC

Gina (Martin) Eggebrecht (Classmate) posted:

I was sorry I couldn't be at the funeral, but the family is in my thoughts and prayers. I remember going to the state fair with Roger, Cy Hinds & Jill Nesbitt when we were sophmores. Roger got me on rides that I have never been on in my life. We had a great time. It is a fun memory of him. Please know that you & yours will continue to be in my prayers.

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JC

Jeff Smith (Classmate) posted:

I just can't believe the news about Roger. I had the opportunity to get to know Roger when we played football in high school. I remember Rogers smile and his laugh most of all. I remember him as a wild and crazy kind of guy and who was always alot of fun to be around. About a month ago while I was at work, out of the blue I thought about Roger, his family, his kids & how he was & it made me smile. His family will be in our prayers.

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AC

Andy Adams (Classmate) posted:

I cannot imagine what the family is going through. I couldn't believe it when I heard the news. It seemed surreal. I remember the last conversation I had with Roger on the last night of our reunion. He was so excited about his company & seeing his old friends. He planned on keeping in touch with everyone. I just can't believe he's gone. I always considered Roger a friend & he was always fun to be around. Roger will be greatly missed. Losing Roger has had a major impact on me. My thoughts and prayers are with the family.

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SC

Steve Woodall (Classmate) posted:

I would like to say how truly sorry I am on the passing away of Roger. Please express my heart felt sorrow in the families loss. Words cannot express the emptiness that the family is feeling. My thoughts and prayers go out to the family.

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JC

Julie (Sonk) Clements (Classmate) posted:

I was shocked and saddened to hear about Roger. I can't begin to imagine what the family is going through, but they are in my prayers. May God give them strength & comfort during this most difficult time. I thought the world of Roger, & although he will be deeply missed, in the future when I think of him & all the memories from over the years, it will always bring a smile to my face. Love & Sympathy to the family.

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TC

Tina (Nelson) Darnell (Classmate) posted:

I am so sorry to hear about Roger. It was good to see him at the reunion, but I never thought it would be the last time. Roger always wore a smile everytime I was him or had some funny comment to make which then made you smile. He always seemed happy. I am truly sorry for his loss. My thoughts and prayers go out to the family.

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WC

William Howard (Classmate) posted:

I am sorry to hear of his loss. Roger was a fantastic man & I know a wonderful brother. Be strong for his children, because he lives through them now.

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EC

Eugena (Henley) Reeder (Classmate) posted:

I sit here with tears because I remember him like it was yesterday. I am glad I got to see him again at the reunion. I am so sorry for the loss to the family. I extend my deepest sympathy to his wife and children. Although I had not seen Roger since school, at the reunion he was one of the very few people to welcome me and I will miss him greatly. Again, I am sorry for the loss.

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RC

Rudy Beadle (Classmate) posted:

This truly saddens me to hear that my friend has passed away. He was a good friend in high school. I remember the softball team we played on "The Rudy Kazootys" to the good times we had in Mr. Hiltons drafting class. You could always count on him to make you laugh. He will be missed.

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LC

Larry Rhein (Classmate) posted:

Had I known we lived so close, I would have caught up with him so we could have spent more time together. Please accept our deepest sympathies. If the family needs anything, don't hesitate. We are here for you now & in the future. We hold your family in prayer.

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WC

Wendy Tapp (Classmate) posted:

I am sad to hear about this news. The family will be in my thoughts and prayers.

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MC

Monica Wirzfeld (Classmate) posted:

I just cannot believe this. I just talked to Roger two weeks ago. He was such a wonderful person & ambitious. He will be truly missed.

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TC

Tammy (Hopkins) Porter (Classmate) posted:

I will be thinking of the family at this difficult time. I remember Roger always picking on me because I was short. We will continue to keep his family in our prayers.

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AC

Aida Britto (Classmate) posted:

I personally don't remember having met Roger, but I was very sad to know about him passed away so suddenly. I still have his e-mail offering to help with Barbara's death and that touched me. I was an exchange student and I used to get a lift to school with Barbara every day....I pray for Roger's family to get comfort and always remember his good times and how good he was!!!! God bless Aida

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DF

David Sinnott (Friend) posted:

I am so sorry for your whole family's loss, I will keep you and your family in my prayers.

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KR

Karen Coleman (Friend Of Rhonda And Rick) posted:

Dear Kim and children, I was touched by the photos and remembrances of your husband. I never met him, but I can see the same sparkle in the eyes of Rhonda and Rick. When I learned of your loss I began to have feelings flood me from my similar experience. My husband died suddenly at age 35 leaving me with 2 boys (carbon copies of himself) ages 4 and 6. Fifteen years later I'm here to tell you that faith in God and leaning on your friends and family makes all the difference. I know your loss is overwhelming, just take it a day at a time and know you are loved and cared for by the Maker of the Universe. Sending a hug and prayers your way.

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TF

Teresa L. White Verboon (Friends) posted:

Roger, Was such a sweet, kind hearted person. I loved him so. I am so thankful I got to spend alot of time with him at the reunion. Roger and Reesa are always so outgoing and so up lifting in all that they do. If you were ever down no matter what it was Roger could always make you smile... He was what I call a true friend. I am sure he was a very loving father and husband. He will truly be missed by all. I know Roger is in a much better place now he is home with God. And we will all get to see him real soon. My Prayers go out to the family May God bless each and every one of you.

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PC

Paige Deloney/Paula Holleman (Friend- Coworker) posted:

roger was a great nurse and friend. your family will be in my prayers.

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JF

James & Tara Easterling (Friend) posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. Enjoy life every day as if it is your last. The Easterling's

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TF

Tesha Malone (Ewing) (Friend) posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this most difficult time.

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EW

Esther Farmer (Friend/Co-Worker) posted:

We are so saddened by your loss. Know that our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.If ever we can help you in any way please let us know.Esther

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TF

Tricia (Gibson) Dejong (High School Friend) posted:

What a loss!! I remember hanging around with Roger on the weekends. He always stood up so straight, smiled big, eyes squinting and always had a funny response to whatever was said. I admire his dedication to his business and was looking in Wal-Mart for his sauce. Dear wife Kim, though I don't know you, I know I would like you because you love Roger. Bless you and your children as you struggle through each day. Just lean on the everlasting arms. Wow, I still can't believe it. I hurt for you. Be strong for the children. Pray!!

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KF

Karen Sullivan Williams (Friend) posted:

He was adorable...I will miss him.

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BF

Barbara (Lowe)Miller (Friend) posted:

All my sympathy and prayers are with you and all the family at this great time of need. Roger embraced life like no other. He had an energy and joy that anyone around him could not help but be affected. He will be missed but never forgotten.

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CC

Cathy Cuffel Cartoon (Classmate) posted:

To Roger's family, I want to express my condolences on your loss. Roger and Reesa are two of the classmates I remember fondly from high school, though we lost touch over the years. May you find peace in knowing that he know longer suffers the pains of this earth. I hope you find the strength to work through your sadness. You remain in my thoughts.

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SF

Sammie Dunkum (Friend) posted:

Chris and I are both so sad and so sorry about Roger's death. We are praying for your family.

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BF

Bea Rowden (Friend) posted:

I am so sorry for your loss of Roger. I know he will be greatly missed by all of his family and friends.

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RC

Richard Wells (Friend Of Carolyn) posted:

We read this after the services. I emailed Shirley. We will be praying for you and your family.

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EU

Evelyn Craver (Co-Worker At Uams) posted:

I was so shocked and saddened when I heard. My prayers are with you during this terrible time. I will always remember Roger as a bigger than life personality and great friend. Evelyn Craver (Bed Control at UAMS)

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CS

Cindy (Dennis) Womack (Friend Of Reesa's) posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with this whole family, who I know is a very close knit family. I hope knowing that other people are thinking about you in this time of sorrow and need will get you through the hard times. May you remember the good things and call on those when you are at your lowest point and know that Roger that each and everyone of you loved him very much as did he love you.

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JF

Jeanie Truesdell (Friend) posted:

Carolyn, Pat, Kim and family, My very deepest sympathy on Roger's death. What a wonderful and special friend he was to Lara and Mark. I remember him showing up the morning Lara and Mark left for California, just to say goodbye. And coming to the hospital when Zack was diagnosed with diabetes. And seeing him and Mark on CNN! I can't begin to share your loss, but please know my thoughts and prayers are with you.

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GF

Gena Manning (Friend) posted:

I am so sorry to hear about Roger. Kim, you and your children are in my thoughts and prayers, as well as all of Roger's family.

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TF

Teri Bennett (Friend Of The Family) posted:

I was truly saddened to hear about Roger. I haven't seen the family in over 15 years and ran into Roger and Reesa the night of his high school reunion. I was so excited to see them both. I love you all and miss every one of you. I will always remember Roger, just being so happy all of the time and that beautiful smile on his face. What a wonderful place he is at now! My thoughts and prayers go out to his family. May God Bless you all! Debbie Sackwar and son Johnny McDougal

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MP

Melanie Moseley (Friend Of Pat & Carolyn Brewer (Parents)) posted:

I am sorry to learn of your loss. I only met Roger several times, when he was visiting Pat and Carolyn. Please know that my prayers are with your entire family. Pat and Carolyn talked so much about how much they loved each of their children, I know Roger will be deeply missed.

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WR

Wayne Haines And Family (Relation) posted:

Carolyn and Pat, We extend our sorrow at this time. I remember Roger as a little boy. I hope that your faith in God will help you and the family get through the pain and suffering. We will continue to pray for you and think of you daily. Wayne Haines Martha Haines

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TF

Tiffany Friga (Friend) posted:

Mike & I were deeply saddened to hear of your loss Kim. Words cannot express the way we feel. We haven't seen you guys in a couple of years but sure seems like yesterday. I feel privileged to have known Roger, he certainly was a one of a kind. To you Kim, my heart and soul goes out to you, I wish you plenty of love, hope and faith to get you through your hard times. We will remember you and your family in our prayers today, tomorrow and always.

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KC

Keith Campbell (High School Classmate) posted:

I am very saddened to hear of Rogers passing. Roger and I had a lot of great times in JR High and High School. We ran track and hung out together on campus. Roger was fast and a great athlete. He always walked up with a smile and put everyone in a good mood. I am very sorry for your loss. My prayers are with you all during this difficult time.

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CF

Christina Mcgehee Drewry (College Friend) posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with Roger's family. May God comfort you during this difficult time.

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WB

Walter And Terry (Friends Of Sally Brewer) posted:

Dear Sally, We are sorry for the loss of your brother-in-law. God bless and keep your family.

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CF

Caroline (Pruitt) Schaefer (High School Friends) posted:

I am so glad that I got to see Roger at our 20 year high school reunion in June. I never thought this would happen to him. I will miss him dearly!!! He always made me laugh. He was so much fun to be around. God bless.

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SF

Stacey Morris (Friends) posted:

KIM, OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU.

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SW

Steve Woodall posted:

My thoughts and prayers go out to Roger and his family.

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SF

Susan Craig Ramey (Jr & Sr. High School Friend) posted:

I am shocked and saddened by Roger's death. Roger was always a person with a great smile and humor, but more than that, you could see his sincerity and feel his heart behind his smile. I am blessed to have shared the years I did with him. He will be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Susan Craig Ramey, McClellan High Class of 83

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SF

Scott McAfee (College Friend/Fraternity) posted:

I grew up with Kim and have known Roger for many years. I am sorry that I had lost touch with you guys but if there is anything you need please let us know. Roger was a kid at heart and I would have given anything to see his interactions with his own children. Our boys are now 3 and 7 and I can't imagine what you are going through, but if you trust in God you can make it. All our thoughts and prayers are with you today. Scott, Barbie, Scott II and William McAfee

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BC

Bobbi Britton (Classmate) posted:

With deepest sympathy and sincerest regards, please know my heart is saddened with the loss of Roger. We were not personal friends, we were schoolmates, he was always a very nice person and the world is a lesser place without him.

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JF

Julie Sonk Clements (School Friend) posted:

Roger was an exceptional person who was loved by so many. I can't express how deeply Roger will be missed. The extended Brewer family will be in my thoughts and prayers.

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RA

Rodney Walker (Acquaintance) posted:

I wish to send my condolence to your family. You will be in our prayers. Sincerely, Rodney

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JF

Jane Mullendore (Rhonda's Friend) posted:

To Rhonda and All of Mr. Brewer's Family: You have an extended family here in Athens where Rhonda works. The patients at Pulmonary Rehab as well as the staff of multiple departments are all thinking of you and remembering you all in our prayers. We are at a loss as to how to help in this time which much be so difficult for you all. Please know that you all hold a special place in our hearts during this time. Our genuine sympathy and love is sent your way. Most sincerely, Jane Mullendore

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KC

Kim Graves Vollendorf (Classmate) posted:

My heart hurts that you are enduring the pain of such a sudden loss. Your family is in my prayers.

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GC

Gene Osborne (Worked With Roger @ Cromwell) posted:

So Sorry to hear about Roger, I met him when My Son Gene Osborne worked with him @ cromwell. A very nice young man. May God be with you in your time of need.

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TF

Tresa Butler (Friend) posted:

I'm so sad to hear about the loss of Roger. He was such a happy go lucky guy. I cherish the memories of riding around town in that custom VW he had....the stereo blasting...REO SPEEDWAGON - "Riding the Storm Out". My thoughts and prayers are with you all in the most difficult time.....

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SC

Stanley & Sheryl New (Classmates) posted:

Dear Kim, Our hearts go out to you and your precious children. We pray that God will give you the strength that only He can supply. There are so many things we just don't understand and this is one of them. We are so very sorry. May God bless you and all of your family. Love, Sheryl

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BF

Buddy Jones (Acquaintance Of Roger's Father) posted:

Our thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family. We will always remember Roger as we last saw him this past year for our 20 year class reunion. He was a friend to be remembered. May God Bless You during this time.

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RF

Richard (Rick) Lowe (Friend Of Family) posted:

I first met Roger by his brother Randy when Roger was about 10 to 11 years old. I knew when I met Roger he was a special person. He had a spirit that would never let anything stop him. The Roger I knew didn't know the meaning of the word defeat or can't. His spirit had an impact on my life I will never forget. This world is losing a very wonderful person. My heart goes out to the Brewer family. I can only pray God will help them in there time of need and give them strength. In this time of loss we all want to question God but, the time we had Roger we can thank God, I know I do. God Bless the Brewer Family

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DF

Douglas A Younger (Friend) posted:

To the family of Roger Brewer, My prayers and thoughts are with you. I pray that the Lord will hold you close and bring comfort to you during this time of sorrow. Sincerely, Jodi Maddox

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AS

Angela Goodson Tollett (Friend From High School) posted:

I am sorry for the family and friends. Roger was very a very sweet and caring young man. I hadn't seen Roger for 20 years until our High School Reunion he was always so funny, and he hadn't changed much. We all had such a good time. He will be missed and thought of often .

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RS

Rovilla Reeves (Friend Of Pat Brewer @ Baptist Medical System) posted:

Dear Carolyn, Pat, Becky and Kim. Mother and I were so sorry to hear about Roger. Our thoughts and prayers are with you in this sad time. Roger was a wonderful person and always had a kind word for everyone. Mom especially remembers how he would tease her when he came by FCH to visit his mom. She so looked forward to his visits. Take care and let us know if there is any thing we can do. You will continue to be in our prayers. Alice & Dean

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BM

Becky Bitely (Friend Of His Mother) posted:

Words cannot express to you the sadness we feel in our hearts at the sudden loss of your precious son. But be assured, Carolyn and family, of our daily prayers for you -- that God will comfort you as only He can. Our sons, Joey and Alan, also wish to express their concern and sympathy.

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WC

William Howard (Classmate) posted:

My prayers are with you and your family. McClellan Class Of 1983

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SF

Steve Allen (Freind) posted:

Kim, We are so sorry for your loss. Please know that we are praying for you and the kids. Love, Chris and Tammy Reynolds

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LK

Lucy Hyatt (Friend Of Kim) posted:

Dear Kim, Blake, and Blair, I can't even begin to express how very sorry I am for the pain, and sorrow you must be going through. I'm sorry I will be unable to attend services for Roger. You will all be in my thoughts and prayers. If I can do anything please let me know. Love each other and try to remember your angel is still watching over you. Sincerely, Lucy Hyatt

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RA

Ruth Marlin (Acquaintance) posted:

My heart goes out to Roger's family in his untimely death.

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KF

Kristin Pritchard Ward (Friend) posted:

I knew Roger during his college years. He was such a warm and caring person who had the wonderful gift of making others feel good about themselves. His beautiful smile and laughter were always present. I have never met anyone since who could truly light up an entire room like Roger Brewer. He will be deeply missed. My thoughts and prayers are with your family. Sincerely, Kristin Ward

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TF

Tracy Goodwin (Friend) posted:

Even though Roger and I had only seen each other once or twice since college, I feel a great loss and sadness. Roger was the kind of person that you could go for years without talking to and then seem like you saw each other everyday when you finally did talk. He always had a smile and a joke for you and was always there if you needed him. My heart aches for Kim and the kids for their loss and I pray for peace and comfort for them. May God be with them always. Tracy

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RF

Ralph Rios (Childhood Friend) posted:

To my wonderful friend.... I will always treasure all the great times we had growing up....you will be in my thoughts and prayers ...I miss you already....Ralph

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T1

Tammy Hopkins Porter (Friend - Class Of 1983) posted:

I remember how sweet and funny Roger was in school. He always had a smile on his face and would put a smile on anyone who came in contact with him. He was such a kind-hearted person full of love and energy. Our prayers are with his wife, his son, and his daughter. May God comfort you during this difficult time and the days to come.

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EC

Eugena (Gina) Henley, Reeder (Classmate) posted:

My deepest sympathies to his wife Kim and his children also his parents and sister Reesa. Roger will be greatly missed by all who knew him. I will always remember him as he was the last time I saw him at our 20 year reunion this summer. Your family will be in my heart and prayers. Sincerely, Gina Reeder

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DU

Donna Murray (Co Worker Ark Urology) posted:

Kim: My thoughts and prayers are with you and your children during your sorrow. Love, Donna

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D1

Dena Speer Wood (Classmates... 7Th-12Th) posted:

Roger was a GREAT friend. He could always put a smile on your face. My prayers are with you.

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KF

Kim Roper Rand (Friend) posted:

I was so saddened to read about Roger's death in the paper today. I remember how fun-loving he was at UCA, and how he always had a way about him that made you smile. Kim, my prayers are with you and your children.

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VC

Vlonda Farr-Kearse & Mark Kearse (High School Classmate) posted:

Kim, My thoughts and prayers are with you and your children. I pray that you find comfort and peace during this time of loss. Roger will be missed. I'm glad we got a chance to again during our 20th class reunion.

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VF

Vicki Winchell Burgess (High School Friend) posted:

What a wonderful guy Roger was. I was so saddened when I heard of his untimely death. He had such a wonderful attitude and always had a smile on his face! His friends at McClellan High, class of 1983, will miss him very much. Please know that we will pray for his family and that we will treasure the time we had with Roger. I will always have a smile on my face when I think of him.

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JF

Julie Marlin (Friend) posted:

Roger was the first person I met at UCA. He has been a dear friend of mine for all of my adult life --- hard to believe. It seems like just yesterday we met. He touched my heart and touched my life in a way no one else will ever do. He was a kind soul. I loved Roger with all of my heart. A thought of him will always bring a smile to my face. For now, my smile is covered by the sadness and emptiness I feel with the loss of him. God Bless Roger, and God Bless you all. Love -Julie

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CF

Craig & Michelle Adams (Friend) posted:

He was the best friend that anyone could ever ask for. He had such a big heart and truly cared about his family and friends. He leaves a legacy of honor for his children. He was so full of life and so much fun to be around. His personality could light up a room. He truly was the life of any party. His generosity was unmatched. Roger Brewer will be greatly missed.

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BC

Betty Ann Beard Horne (High School Classmate) posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with your family during this time of sorrow.

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RF

Randy And Rhonda Evans (Friend) posted:

Kim, As your friend, a wife and mother, my heart breaks for you. I can only pray that your happy memories, your family and many, many friends will comfort you through this time. God has a plan for your life, lean on him for answers. Let your friends help you through this time, call on us day or night with whatever you may need. Lean on us for strength, love and support for we cry with you. I pray for healing for you, Blake, Blair and the family. Know you are loved. Tammy

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PR

Phillip Mccoley (Business Relationship) posted:

Roger was a very positive man. He always looked on the bright side of any situatiuon. His children were always in our conversations. He was a very hard worker and did what ever it took to get the job done. He had a great outlook on life.

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KC

Kim Rothwell Schofield (Classmate) posted:

You always walked away from an encounter with Roger, feeling good and laughing. He just had that effect on people. He always had a grin on in face, making you wonder just what he had been up too! He was naturally an uplifting soul. The pain I feel now, reminds me of how lucky I was to have known him. He blessed so many lives. Know that you are in my thoughts and tenderly wrapped in arms of prayer. Kim

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MC

Mark Nelson (High School Classmate) posted:

I am shocked and deeply saddened by the sudden passing of Roger. My prayers are with you and your family during this most difficult time.

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RF

Robin Johnson Miller (School Friend) posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I am glad I had the opportunity to see and spend some time with Roger at our reunion. I will always remember Roger's smile, you could always count on him for a laugh. I pray God will comfort and keep you and your family in the days to come.

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KL

Kavan Maybee (Employee Of Jim & Linda) posted:

I hadn't seen Roger since we graduated until last June at our 20th class reunion.I knew who he was immediately! He still had that same smile and laugh! I pulled my year book out and even now I can read things he wrote and just smile, that's what he enjoyed I think, is to make people smile. I'm glad I went to my 20yr class reunion not to say goodbye but to remember those positive things in people and to see that even today they still have that same influence.My heart goes out to his wife, children, family & freinds. My thoughts prayers are with you.God BlessTina Nelson Darnell

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SL

September Creamer (Employee Of Jim & Linda) posted:

Kim, you and the kids are in my families prayers.

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KC

Karen Jones Steinbeck (Former Classmate) posted:

I am so sorry for your loss. Roger was always full of energy and laughter. I know you will miss him terribly. He will be missed by me. My prayers are with you all. Sincerely, Karen Jones Steinbeck

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VC

Valerie Cockman Ryals (Classmate) posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

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LF

Lisa Smith Sadler (High School Friend) posted:

To Roger's family, You are all in my thoughts and prayers. Roger always had a smile on his face, and could always make me laugh. The McClellan High School Class of 1983 will all miss him !!! Sincerely, Lisa Smith Sadler

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CF

Cindy Sears-Clemmons (Friend) posted:

I knew Roger as an energetic, driven coworker with a passion for barbeque. He was a great help as the Logistics Chairperson for the Walk to Cure Diabetes to benefit the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation, the year that I was chair of the event. He got us an enormous flag to hang at the amphitheater and worked hard to get an Air National Guard helicopter to land at the event - even though after 9/11 they had to cancel. Just when you thought that he didn't have it together he would come through with results better than expected. I wish the best for his family.

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SF

Stephanie Butler Percefull (Junior, High School And College Friend) posted:

Roger was always so full of life. You could always count on a smile and lots of laughter. I am so grateful that I got to spend some time with him at our 20 year high school reunion. We will definately miss him at the next reunion.

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JF

Janet Springer-Hardin (Friend) posted:

Kim,You & your children are in our thoughts and prayers.Janet & Kendall

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RF

Rocky & Carol Casey (Friend Of Family) posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with your family today.

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MF

Michele Rowe Pickett (High School Friend) posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this time. Phil and Michele Rowe PickettMcClellan Class of 1983

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FW

(Foundation Board Wrnc) posted:

Kim, David is out of town on business until Thursday night but I talked to him by phone to tell him your sad news of great loss. We are both in deep prayer that God will not only sustain you by making His presence felt by you during this difficult time of adjustment and all of the decisions that have to be made. We know that God has a plan for our lives and His plan will be revealed even in the midst of great sorrow. When you are so weak with grief and burdened with sorrow, God will fill you with His Holy Spirit, the Comforter He promised the disciples, and amazingly, you will be stronger than you could possibly believe. There are times when you will find it hard to pray and the tears will seem to wash away your words, but that is when you must rely on all of us who will be lifting you up in prayer today, tomorrow, and for the tomorrows that follow until you can feel at peace with the turmoil that came upon you so suddenly and without warning. We pray for you, Blake, Blair, his parents and siblings and all of his family. We cannot know God's plan ahead of time and God understands when we question sorrowful and untimely losses, but that is where faith comes in that this is the time that Jesus carries you and not just walks with you as you rely on Him for courage and acceptance of the unacceptable. We love you and weep with you. Peggy Parks

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JW

Jennifer Pruitt (Co-Worker) posted:

Roger was a great friend and he will be missed him dearly.

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CF

Carl King (Family Friend) posted:

We are very saddened by the sudden passing of roger, our thoughts and prayers are with you all.

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JM

Jane Cash Hankins (Don Cash's Mother) posted:

Pat and Carolyn; Words cannot express the sorrow I feel . I will never forget how kind you were Pat, to me and Hugh when he was ill at Baptist. Roger was one of my favorite people. May God comfort you at this time. Jane Cash Hankins

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MB

Mike Matull (College Pal/Fraternity Brother) posted:

I was very sad to hear of Roger's passing. I'm good friends with MacElrath, Roger's good pal and running buddy, so even though I haven't spoke with Roger in many years Mark has kept me up-to-date. My condolences to the family. Mike

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LF

Larry And Anne Krawczak (Grosse Pointe Farms Friends) posted:

How shocked we were to receive your Christmas card and read of Roger's death. We know your strong faith will see you all through this. We can only tell you that time does heal. Larry's brother, Bob, left us the same way Roger left you. He was 49 and just never woke up one morning. He left two small children and a wonderful wife, Ellen. His son, Jeff, just graduated from college and his daughter, Jennifer, is a junior in college. Ellen has been a wonderful mother and raised them well. Anne lost her brother at the age of 24 in an accident in 1970. He is still missed but life has gone on and we have lived it the way he would have wanted us to. This has all been said to let you know that the terrible pain you are feeling will ease as time goes on and, though you may not believe it now, you will smile again. Our thoughts will be with you all during this holiday season.

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DL

Danny Lyles posted:

We had no idea that Roger passed. So sorry to hear of this so many years later. I was coming to Arkansas and wanted to look him up and saw this. My condolences to Kim and family. I am at 708-439-1409 if you would like to contact me. Danny

November 17 at 7:00 PM



Jonda Pieper posted:

I used to work with Roger's mother, Carolyn, in Little Rock. I've recently moved back to Arkansas and in trying to locate Carolyn, discovered this most heartbreaking news. During the time I worked with Carolyn, we shared in common the ache of loved ones called to war. My husband was deployed, and then Roger deployed. Carolyn shared stories about Roger, who had just married Kim, and I leaned on her for support as a newlywed myself whose husband was gone to war. We would skip lunch and use the time to stay glued to the TV, watching for any news of the war. Once, she invited me to a BBQ at her home, and I got to meet several of her grown children. Carolyn was fiercely proud of Roger, and although I never got to meet him, I get the feeling that he was much like his mother; warm, outgoing personality, down-to-earth, great smile, full of life and laughter. I realize it has been years since Roger died, but I only just found out, and I offer my most sincere sympathy to Kim and the children, and to Reesa (who I did get to meet), and all the rest of the family, but mostly my dear friend Carolyn.

October 22 at 7:00 PM



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