



## Zachary L. Wise

May 23, 1994 - August 31, 2010

Anderson - Zachary L. Wise, 16, Anderson, passed away suddenly August 31, 2010. He was born May 23, 1994 in Oxnard, California, and resided in Pendleton most of his life. Zachary was a Sophomore at Pendleton Heights High School. He attended Madison Park Church of God. Zachary was a member of the Arabian Wrestling Club and High Performance Wrestling. He was a member of the varsity wrestling squad at PHHS. He is survived by his father, Chris Wise Valerie Green of Anderson; mother, Julie Wise of Anderson; two sisters, Ashleigh Wise of Anderson and Kalie Green of Anderson; brother, Elijah Green of Anderson; grandparents, Peggy & Jack Eldridge of Noblesville and Dan & Linda Roberts of Pendleton; several aunts, uncles, cousins and many special friends. He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Bill Wise and Leon Weedman. Visitation will be from 2-8:00 PM on Thursday, September 2, 2010 at Madison Park Church of God; Anderson. Services will be Friday, September 3, 2010 at 10:00 AM, at Madison Park Church of God; 6607 Providence Drive; Anderson. Burial will be in Grovelawn Cemetery, Pendleton. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Pendleton Heights High School Wrestling Club; 1 Arabian Drive; Pendleton, IN 46064. [www.LooseFuneralHomes.com](http://www.LooseFuneralHomes.com)

# Tribute Wall

MW

“ Chris and family, God bless you all in this time! My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Mindy Whitesel Weaver - September 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM

YF

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Lean on God in this very difficult time and keep Zach's memory in your heart and he will always be with you.

Young Family - September 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CN

“ Dear Family, We at the Gathering Place Church of God Fairview Heights, IL have been and will continue to pray for God's never-ending love to surround you at this time and that He gives you a peace that surpasses all understanding.

Candy Niemeyer - September 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ Julie and Chris, I am so sorry for your loss. My heart and prayers go out for you and your family.

Stacy Hollenback - September 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SL

“ Chris & Val, My deepest sympathies to you and your families in the lose of Zach. No words can ease the pain, rely on God to help you through this. Sid

Sid Little - September 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

PW

“ Julie, Chris, and Ashley We are so very sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Pat, Danielle, and TJ Wrigley

Pat Wrigley - September 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ Dear Chris, I am so sorry for your loss. I know that words can not express my deepest heart felt sorrow for you and your family, but please know that you and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers. Trust in the Lord for strength and know that you can lean on him for comfort. Dawn Vanbenthysen Lovelace also wanted to send her condolences to you and your family. Again we are so sorry for your loss. Tina Case Shaw & Dawn Vanbenthysen Lovelac

Tina Case Shaw - September 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ I'm so sorry for your lose.

Jill Johnson Frank - September 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ I am so saddened to hear of your loss. As a mother of 3 boys, one of which is a student at PHHS, I cannot comprehend what has happened. Please know, my heart and prayers go out to you and your family, as well as Zach's friends. Wendy, Michael, Timothy and Ben Branham

The Branham Family - September 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MI

“ The thoughts & prayers of the entire Mt Vernon community are extended to your family.

Mike McCarthy III - September 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ Nothing I could say except I'm sorry. My son spoke highly about him. Zach will be missed

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**Campbell Family** - September 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ May God's loving arms surround and comfort you. We love you!  
Joe, Regina, Justin, and Brad

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**joe wise** - September 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KN

“ Wise family, I'm sorry for your loss of Zachary. Your son and mine wrestled against each other. Zachary was always ready to give it his all no matter the out come was. Zachary will be missed by everyone. Just remeber the joy of the Lord is your strength!

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**Kathy Naselroad** - September 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ Peggy, Chris, Julie & Ashleigh, Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. Zachary was such a good looking young man. God Bless!

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**Tom & Jackie Bauner** - September 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ I too share in your grief I lost a loved one the same way, May God help you to recovery such a loss. Keep Zack's memories close to your heart. Have the faith that again someday you will be together and that it will be forever.

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**Billie Wince** - September 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ Our thoughts and condolences during this most difficult time. The Bevans Family Tim, Lisa, Megan, Derek, and Brock

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**Bevans Family** - September 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ Chris & Peggy, I was at visitation this evening but could not stand in line long enough to see either of you. My heart is aching for you. Please know that you are in my prayers and I will keep holding you up in prayer that God would heal your broken hearts. Love, Marilyn Creel

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**Marilyn Creel** - September 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ Julie I am so very sorry about your loss. I can only imagine Bert and Zach spending time together in Heaven now. When, I lost Dad I remember feeling like it was all just a nightmare and then when I realized it wasn't just a dream gone crazy, I just wanted the whole world to stop. God taught me a great lesson thru the loss of my Dad, a lesson that seems as fresh to me today as it did the day I learned it! My Dad was still with me. He just was watching from a different location. No parent should have to bury their children. I am so broken over what you have to deal with, but we are praying and if I can ever do anything for you please let me know. God bless you, Julie

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**Todd Shields** - September 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ Know Chris and Julie are hearts are saddened by your loss. We will keep you in our thoughts and prayers. God bless you and your families.

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**Donny & Lori Martin** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ Julie & Chris , I know Zach is in a wonderful place right now ...He will be missed greatly . He was an amazing person thanks to you .  
Kelly

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**Kelly Chambers** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ Wise family, We are so sorry for your loss. I hope that it will help you get through this very tough time knowing that Zach touched so many people in such a short time. He is an angel and we will always think of him in that way. My son Logan wrestled Zach a few times, and it never seemed to get easier. He was a great kid and we will miss him greatly. Your family is in our hearts and prayers. Sincerely,  
Michael Hunt & family

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**logan hunt & family** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CT

“ Julie, Chris and Ash: Zach was such a delight to be around. Always positive and funny. He used to play around with me as I drove through the neighborhood. If he was on his bike and he usually was, he would pretend to dart in front of my car and just wave and laugh as I drove by. It became a regular game that we would play. Many times he would follow my car home and spend time talking to me and the kids. He was so sweet and wanted to spend time playing with Drew or just hang out in the yard with us. We will cherish those memories of your wonderful son. Our family is so saddened by your loss. You will be in our prayers. Cheryl & Chris Taulman Sara,  
Emma & Drew James

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**Cheryl Taulman** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ We, at Perry Meridian, want to send our condolences. Zach was a tough competitor against several of our Perry kids. Personally, as a father of 4 boys, this saddens me beyond comprehension. To the Wise family, we are with you guys and if there is anything that you need of the wrestling community they will all be there. Coach Tonte Perry Meridian

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**Jim, Tina, Jacob, Tristen, Corinthian, and Micah Tonte** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ Chris, Julie and Princess – Words seem inadequate to express the sadness we feel. May the peace which comes from the memories of love shared, comfort you now and in the days ahead. Peace, prayers and blessings, Robin & Camdon Baker

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**The Bakers** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ Wise Family, I cannot express the deep sadness that I am feeling for you since I heard about the tragic loss of Zach. Please remember that God is the only hope to get you through all of this. We will continue to pray for all of you. With our love and prayers.

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**Jeanie Overton** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ Julie Dear: My heart goes out to you and your family. Words fail me as to how to comfort you. Just know my thoughts and prayers are with you. With Love, Janie

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**Jane Jakubiak** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ Chris & Julie & family, Our heart just breaks for you and your family. The girls just loved Zach and remembered him growing up from such a little boy to a great young man with so much talent. He will be missed by all of us and so many others. Just know that God will help you through this. We are so very very sorry, words can not explain. Love you guys!

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**Cindy,Hannah, Haylee Britton** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ We are so sad to hear about Zach, he was a great kid and wrestler. He will be missed. Kopp and Lahue family Corydon Wrestling

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**Corydon Wrestling Kopp and Lahue** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ My deepest sympathies to Zach's family,friends,school,and community.

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**Dave Myrick** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ Julie, Chris & Ashleigh, We are sorry to hear about Zach, we will keep you in our prayers and thoughts. I remember you most from North Christian your family row always sat in front of our family row at church. You always looked so happy and enjoyed being with each other. Keep those happy thoughts and memories close Anita, Andy, Christopher and Lauren Marsh

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**Anita Marsh** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Our prayers & deepest sympathies are with the Wise family. We'll miss seeing Zach's big, wonderful smile at all the different wrestling events that we've shared in the past. God Bless. Bruce, Vette, Brian, Robby, Jake, & Josh

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**The Jennings Family** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SL

“ Zach, I am going to miss you so much. I love you! You were like a brother to me, growing up with you and Ash were some of the best times of my life. You guys helped me through alot, and I will be here for your family just like you guys were for me. I will never forget your smile, you were always so happy, and you will be truely missed. You were loved by so many people. I know that you are with God now, and you will be watching down on us all. I love you!

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**Savannah Levell** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ Chris and Family, I am so sorry for your loss, I don't know what you are going through right now, but I do know that the Lord of All has you in the palm of his hand, as well as Chris. I will keep your family in my prayers. May the Lord comfort you and your family during this time.

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**Pam Mercer** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**The Kieffer Family** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ Julie, Chris and Ashleigh, My prayers go out to you and our family. God and family will comfort you in this time of need. You are surrounded by love and friends and family. I love you all bunches and am thinking about you. Hugs and Kisses The Akards Dan , Shellie , Rachael and Oliver

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**Shellie Akard** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ We were very sad to hear of your loss. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers.

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**The Farrell Family** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ We will remember Zach as a tremendous competitor with a huge smile, and even bigger personality. Our thoughts and prayers are with Chris, Julie and family.

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**Mitch, Paula & Chandler Carroll** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ Zach was a great, wonderful to be around young man who brought a ray of sunshine with him..we had the pleasure of knowing Zach thru our daughter Sierra and thru him visiting our youth group. He was an awesome friend to our daughter and we are blessed to have known him. The Bilbrey family is praying for you continuously.. God keep you in the palm of his hand during this difficult time Tony , Amy, Devin, Rachael, Landon, Sierra and Cherish Bilbrey

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**Amy Bilbrey** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GW

“ We were deeply saddened to hear about your loss. We were neighbors in Pines at Deerfield and I still vividly remember Zach playing in the back yard with my daughter Claire Denny and all of the Roscoe children; Mahayla, Rachel, Kolbe and especially Abby....he loved that little girl and used to carry her around everywhere! They all used to jump on the trampoline together and we always knew Zach would watch out for the little ones. God Bless you during this time. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Gail Walschlager and Claire Denny

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**Gail Walschlager-Heflin** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ The Wise Family, I am so sorry about your loss of Zach and what you all are going through right now. Zach was one of my best friends!! He was always kind, honest, and funny. : God is now with him and will always watch over him. We'll miss him and love him everyday! Sincerely, Sabrina Walter

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**Sabrina Walter** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ Zach Was A Great Friend, We'll All Remember Him And He Will Never Leave Our Hearts. We Think Of Zach Everyday Knowing That God Is Watching Over Him. We All Will Miss You Very Much.

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**Lizzy Walter** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ May God carry you through this, give you strength and understanding!

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**Sherri Haley Hughey** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Chris, Julie and Peggy-cannot imagine your sorrow at this time. Everything I read tells what a wonderful young man and grandson Zach was. You may never know why, but just remember, God has another angel to look over you and all his family and I am sure you will be able to feel his presence. Cherish all the happy memories and time and God will help heal your hearts.

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**Dan & Judy Frazier** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TJ

“ Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. Zach will be missed by all who were lucky enough to have known him. The Indiana wrestling family has lost a good one.

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**The Corman Family, Jeff, Kimberly, Kortney and J.R.** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ I am so sorry about your loss. Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. Deb G.

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**Deb Garner** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MV

“ May God comfort you in your time of sorrow. I will miss Zach on the mat.

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**Michael Venezia** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

FO

“ Peggy & family, So sorry to learn of Zachary's passing. Having lost a brother at 20 years old & I was 28, well, it's a shock and difficult to accept. Will keep you in our prayers. Fran

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**Frances Decker Owens** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CA

“ *R.I.P You Are Missed*

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**Candice** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ *Dan and Linda, We are so very sorry about the loss of your grandson and want you to know that we, as well as our church family, will be praying for you and your extended family. -Mike and Leanne-*

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**Mike and Leanne Porch** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ *My daughter Bailee was a friend of Zach's and received a text from him on Monday evening. She is devastated but her faith will see her through this tough time. I pray for God's love and comfort to surround you at this time and in the coming weeks and months. I pray that you find His peace and love to help you go forward from here. Zach was a wonderful friend to my daughter...she was blessed to have his friendship and she will be blessed with memories of the good times and her new guardian angel. His life was too short, but very meaningful to so many he touched. Even in his passing, he has postively affected so many kids. From one parent to another, I can not even begin to imagine your pain. Hold onto the wonderful moments your family shared together with him - celebrate his life together and know that God holds you all in the palm of his hands today and every day and He will carry you as long as you need Him to. Praying..... Susan Cecil*

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**Susan Cecil** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ *Wise's, We weep with you in your loss. We are praying for all of you during this time. The Harpers*

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**Mike Harper** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

OM

“ You were the first boy I ever said the words "I love you" To.... I Will miss you and i will love you forever...

Olivia Miller - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CO

“ There are no words. My heart breaks for the family. Blessings of peace and love to all of you.

Carri Boots O'Donnell - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Our hearts go out to the Wise family. Some of Devon's best wrestling memories were with "Team HPW". Zach was always an inspiration to be around, seems like yesterday. Let us know if we can help in any way. We are thinking of you... Mike, Stefanie, Devon, Dillon, Darian

The Jackson Family - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GL

“ We are all thinking about you and want you to know how much we will all miss Zach very much. Greg, Lori, Emily and Evan Loe.

Greg & Lori Loe - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Praying for you and your family.

Beth Raison - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the Wise family, friends, and the PHHS wrestling community. The Moss Family: Aaron and Nicole Levi, Ashlyn and Lauryn

Moss Family - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BD

“ No words at this time can ease your pain, but Zach was such a delight to be around and his joy & work ethic have truly inspired my 6yr old Bradyn in the wrestling room! Know his memory will live on in many of people he touched!

Bradley Douglas - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

LT

“ Julie and family-I am so sorry for your loss. Please let me know if there is anything I can do for you. I love you!

Lisa Travis - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ We are so sorry and will keep you in our thoughts and prayers. Stu and Sandy Cowgill

Sandy Cowgill - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BJ

“ Doesn't seem real yet. I asked Braden what his favorite thing about wrestling with Courtney is and he said , "Seeing Zach and Mason again, but seeing Zach is my favorite."

Bob and Lori Johnson - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ *My thoughts and prayers to Zach's family, friends and teammates.*

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**Tom Clark** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ *I was given the pleasure to have Zach be involved as a Mentor to my son. We will miss you! May his family keep the faith & allow God to be with you in this time of need, May the community of Pendelton allow this tragedy to help us come together & be there for one another!*

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**The Currie's** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *Our thoughts and prayers go out to The Wise Family and The Pendelton Family/Community as a whole. Zach was a special young man and a great pleasure to be around. He touched a lot of lives and now he's working his magic on everyone from Heaven! Ryan, Christen, Taybor, & Meryn*

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**Ryan Quear & Family** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

PC

“ *You will truly be missed Zach. Keep smiling. It shines*

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**Perry Wrestling Club** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ *Please accept our deepest condolences on the loss of Zach. My son Stevan was fortunate enough to have been on a couple of Indiana teams with him. Zach had a special way of making my son feel at home on the team and was a blast to hang around with. Zach will be greatly missed. Your family will be in our prayers.*

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**Steve Micic** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ Words can not express the sorrow I feel!! The family will be in my thoughts and prayers!!

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**Melissa cherry** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

NC

“ My deepest sympathy to the Wise family. I loved working out with Zach and will miss him tremendously.

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**Nathan Carmichael** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ You will truly be missed. Love you Always, the Richards Family

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**Richards Family** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ May God be with you. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Remember all the good times, I know there were lots of them. I Love you Lexie

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**Lexie Weedman** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KP

“ So do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand. Isaiah 41:10 Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Zach will always be in our hearts. We love you.

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**Kaitlyn, Andrew, & Lucas Plank** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ Dear Wise Family, My deepest sympathy and prayers go out to you and your family at this sad time.

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**Dan Koger** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ *What can I say. Nothing will take away the pain you have now. I pray that the Lord will be with you and help you as you go through this difficult time. I am deeply saddened. Please know that you are in my prayers and thoughts. God Bless. All my love Aunt Janet*

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**Janet Shields** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ *Chris, Julie, and family-our thoughts and prayers are with you. We all wish we were there. We love you!!! Gary, Mary, Carrie, and Michael*

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**mary wise** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RA

“ *Julie, Chris, and Ash, You all are in our thoughts and prayers as we grieve with all of you. I will miss My Little Buddy and Ab will miss her Bubba, we are here if you need anything at all Please call. The Boyer's*

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**Rob & Abby** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ *Julie, Chris, and Ashleigh ...My prayers and love go out to you and your family. I will miss Zach's big hugs and warm smiles. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him. He left his mark on the world. Bailey already misses talking to him, he was like a big brother to her... ..all our love....Sandy, Brandon, and Bailey Maxwell and Josh Davis*

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**Sandy Maxwell** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ To Julie, I'm Lexie's sister. Although I haven't seen you in many years, I remember the vivacious young woman who loved her father dearly. Please know my heart and prayers go out to you and your family in this time of mourning. I cannot imagine the extent of your sorrow. May God be with you through this most difficult time. Jane

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**Jane Johnson** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ Chris & Julie, Zach wrestled with my boys for somewhere around 10 years and ran the neighborhood with my kids growing up. He was like one of my own. He was a GREAT kid to be around and a GREAT inspiration to so many. Know that the entire Stephenson family is here for anything you might need. Prayers and Love, Teresa, Daniel, Cassie and Cody

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**Teresa Stephenson** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KL

“ Chris, Julie, and Ash, All our thoughts and prayers are with you. Zach was a wonderful young man and will be greatly missed by us all. Words can not even express my feelings of sorrow for you. Our family loves you all!!!! please let us know if you need anything. Love to you all, Kim, Brian, Brady, & Madison

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**kim little** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Our hearts and prayers go out to all of you. We never knew Zach personally but have heard many great stories about what a amazing young man and athlete he was. As we have read many others thoughts it is easy to see just how special he was to so many people. Chris and family just know how loved you are at this time and if there is anything you need we are just a phone call away.

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**Jim and Beta Jones** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ I send my condolences for your loss . Your family will be in my prayers that God will ease your mind and keep you in the palm of his hand. I also ask him to help you deal with this great loss.

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**Mark Reeves** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RJ

“ To the Wise family, may God be with you in this difficult time. My heart aches for you. Zach was such a ray of sunshine. What a blessing it was to watch him grow up and work his magic on and off the mat. He will truly, truly be missed. Please accept our deepest sympathies. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Sincerely,  
Robyn and Gerald Dycus

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**Robyn Jarvis** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ Chris, I'm so sorry for your loss. Zach and my step-daughter are friends. Keeping you in our thoughts and prayers. Your cousin, Mike Simpson & Cami Payne

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**Mike Simpson** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

NR

“ *Julie, there are no words to express how deeply sorry I am for the loss you have suffered. My heart aches for you. You have been in my thoughts so many times today. You have many family members and friends to help you get through your grief. Let them be there for you. Please take care of yourself and know I am praying for you.*  
Nancy

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**Nancy J. Roberts** - August 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM