



Michael "Goody" Alan Goodpaster (Rowley)

June 14, 1988 - April 16, 2017

Michael "Goody" Alan Goodpaster (Rowley), age 28 of Kingston has gone home to be with the Lord and his mother, Susan Goodpaster on Sunday April 16, 2017. Michael was born June 14, 1988 and was raised in Ludlow, KY. He is a 2006 graduate of Ludlow High School. He was a member of the Knights of the Golden Trail of Loveland Castle, Loveland, OH. After moving to Tennessee with his father, Michael attended Pellissippi State Community College studying electrical engineering. While going to school, he worked for Pinnacle Airlines (now Endeavor Airlines) as a plane cleaner. He worked for the City of Oak Ridge Electrical Department as an electrical lineman, a job he was so proud of. Michael is preceded in death by his mother, Susan Goodpaster, his maternal grandparents, Thomas and Barbara Goodpaster and his paternal grandfather, Rev. James Rowley.

He is survived by his father and stepmother, John and Sherry Rowley of Kingston, his paternal grandmother Betty Walter and husband Rev. John Walter, of Glen Campbell, PA., step-sisters Pam Walsh and husband Doug of Hamilton, OH and Tammi Toepfer and husband Rick of Harrison, OH., He was particularly close to his uncles and aunts, Chris and Kathy Rowley and Steve and Christy Rowley all of Knoxville, his aunts Sharon Evans, Theresa Rehmert and uncle Michael and Dana Goodpaster all of Ludlow, KY as well as a multitude of aunts, uncles, niece, nephews, cousins and friends across the U.S. A special thanks to his Aunt Ruth Chong of Mississippi for the excellent

personal care she gave him over the past week.

Celebration of Life 7pm Thursday, April 20, 2017 in the Kyker Chapel. The family will receive friends from 5 until 7pm Thursday at the Kyker Funeral Home in Kingston. In lieu of flowers the family suggests memorial donations be made to Shriners Hospitals for Children Care of Kerbela Shriners 315 Mimosa Ave. Knoxville, TN 37920-1607.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **20**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Kyker Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Michael "Goody" Alan Goodpaster (Rowley)*



Kyker Funeral Home - April 20, 2017 at 07:47 AM



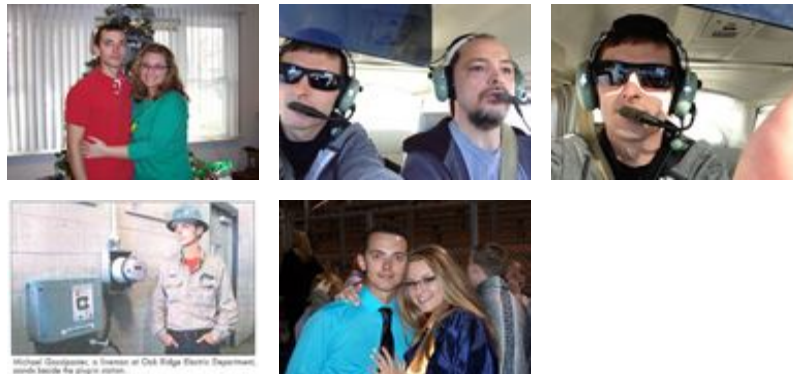
“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Michael "Goody" Alan Goodpaster (Rowley).*



April 20, 2017 at 08:19 AM



“ *60 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Kyker Funeral Home - April 20, 2017 at 07:35 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Michael "Goody" Alan Goodpaster (Rowley).*



April 19, 2017 at 09:54 PM



“ *Ryan, Liz and Eli, Nathan & Richard Cash purchased the Sapphire Skies Bouquet for the family of Michael "Goody" Alan Goodpaster (Rowley).*



Ryan, Liz and Eli, Nathan & Richard Cash - April 19, 2017 at 07:38 PM



“ *Mark, Kathie, Ben. purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Michael "Goody" Alan Goodpaster (Rowley).*



Mark, Kathie, Ben. - April 19, 2017 at 05:46 PM



“ *John and Sherry you are in my thoughts. Prayers of support and love to you and your family. Love, Terri Cleveland*

Terri Cleveland - April 19, 2017 at 04:58 PM



“ Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Michael "Goody" Alan Goodpaster (Rowley).



April 19, 2017 at 03:21 PM



“ Love, The Wuestefeld Family purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Michael "Goody" Alan Goodpaster (Rowley).



Love, The Wuestefeld Family - April 19, 2017 at 09:14 AM



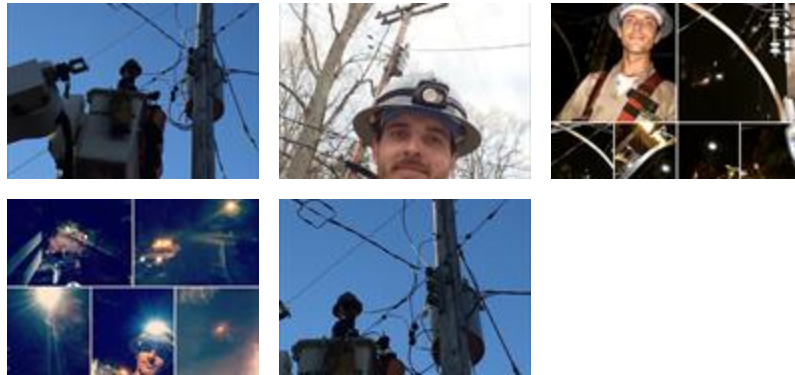
“ Love, Marjorie & family purchased the Guiding Light Bouquet for the family of Michael "Goody" Alan Goodpaster (Rowley).



Love, Marjorie & family - April 19, 2017 at 01:27 AM

JB

“ 10 files added to the tribute wall



Jamie Brown - April 18, 2017 at 08:31 PM

JB

“ I had the pleasure of working with and getting to know Little Mike for the past 4 years. He was an amazing person with the biggest heart. He loved his job, family, and friends dearly. He always went above and beyond to help anyone and was always so eager to learn. My heart breaks that we will no longer see his smiling and outgoing face but rejoicing that he is resting high on that mountain with his mother and he is at peace. Prayers and deepest condolences to all his family and friends. Little Mike is keeping the lights on for us all!! Until we meet again little buddy!!! ❤️

Jamie Brown - April 18, 2017 at 08:17 PM

RC

“ Ruth and Gary Chong purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Michael "Goody" Alan Goodpaster (Rowley).



Ruth and Gary Chong - April 18, 2017 at 04:17 PM

SF

“ Steve Wilson and Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Michael "Goody" Alan Goodpaster (Rowley).



Steve Wilson and Family - April 18, 2017 at 02:58 PM

KS

“ Kathy and family, thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. Always cherish the good memories. Thankful for God's promise. Love ya, Kristi Seal

Kristi Seal - April 18, 2017 at 02:12 PM

PW

The little brother who fought DJ to use the toilet like a big boy....the memories are precious. I love you. Rest now. Until we meet again.

Pam Walsh - April 18, 2017 at 04:56 PM

KT

“ Knights Of The Golden Trail purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Michael "Goody" Alan Goodpaster (Rowley).



Knights Of The Golden Trail - April 18, 2017 at 01:58 PM



“ We will miss you more than you'll ever know!! You were a wonderful man, brother and uncle! Prayers, peace and healing to all of the family!



Tammi Toepfer Carskadon - April 18, 2017 at 12:36 PM



“ Tammy Sowders lit a candle in memory of Michael "Goody" Alan Goodpaster (Rowley)



Tammy Sowders - April 18, 2017 at 11:46 AM



My heart is breaking for Michael's family. I worked with him at Pinnacle and enjoyed his spark for life.

Tammy Sowders - April 18, 2017 at 11:51 AM



He was and still is special to me , we worked together around 3 years , he enjoyed doing line work, loved his stepmom, spoke a lot about his dad , and talked a lot about his mother , I and the men and women he worked with at The Oak Ridge Electric Dept will surely miss MIKE, Praying for Family And friends 🌹

Steve Wilson - April 18, 2017 at 01:46 PM