



John Wilson Coker, III

September 8, 1979 - March 20, 2009

John Wilson Coker, III, 29, was born on September 8, 1979 and died Friday, March 20, 2009. A native of Hartsville, SC., he is survived by his parents, John and Vanessa Coker of Isle of Palms, SC. He was the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson Coker of Hartsville, SC and the late Dr. Theona McQueen of Shady Valley, TN.

Wilson completed a program in Wildlife Game Preserve Management from Southeastern Illinois College. He attended the University of Montana and Texas A & M in Kingsville, Texas, continuing these studies which allowed him to explore his passion for the outdoors. He proved this by working as a commercial fisherman in Texas and in South Carolina, where he worked on an off shore fishing boat. Returning to Hartsville, he formed J. Wilson Coker Farms, LLC, which led to the founding of Coker Farms, LLC, formerly known as C & G Farms, LLC, creating a very successful poultry litter cleanout and brokerage business. Wilson enjoyed anything that pertained to the outdoors, as his many friends and family can attest to, including hunting, fishing, hiking and boating.

He was dearly loved by his wonderful family including his aunts and uncles Mary and Joe Highsmith of Bluffton, SC, Jane and Michael Rivers of Hilton Head, SC, and Tina Kelley of Basalt, CO. as well as cousins, Rion Spangler, Gray Benko, Catherine Highsmith, Robert Rivers and Caroline Kelley.

To celebrate Wilson's incredible life, a graveside service will be held Friday, March 27 at 11:00 a.m. at the Magnolia Cemetery, with the Rev. Dr. Jeri Parris

Perkins officiating. The family will receive friends Thursday from 5-7 p.m. at the home of Jon and Janie Byrd, 1346 W. Carolina Ave. Because of Wilson's admiration for T-Bone Moore, the family would ask that memorials be made to The Robert E. Moore Jr. Memorial Fund, 1032 Bentwood Road, Hartsville, SC 29550. Brown-Pennington-Atkins is serving the family.

Tribute Wall



“ Vanessa,

Just wanted you to know that I love you and am thinking about you so much. If you want to talk, I'm here.

Big hugs from Miami,

Claudia###imported-begin###Claudia Connally Glasson###imported-end##

June 17, 2010 at 08:04 PM



“ *John and Vanessa, Our apologies for not writing earlier. We just found out late yesterday. Please know that we are thinking of you and will continue to have you in our thoughts and prayers. We have lost a son in another way and we know how it feels deep in your hearts. May you find solace in knowing that others care and may you heal with the love of family and friends. Family, friends, and time will help to heal a broken heart, but life will never be the same as we well know. God bless you! Our heartfelt love to you, Steven and Rhonda Hutto Bull, Isle of Palms###imported-begin###Steven and Rhonda Hutto Bull###imported-end##*

April 26, 2009 at 12:06 PM



“ *Please know that Tom and I have you both in our thoughts and prayers. We met Wilson several years ago at Deb and Kirk's river shack and just loved him.###imported-begin###Tom and Sherrie Baugh###imported-end##*

April 10, 2009 at 10:07 AM



“ John and Vanessa,

I cannot imagine the pain and anguish you must be feeling everyday and the difficulty of dealing with all of your feelings. I just met Wilson a few times at the farm at Thanksgiving but I remember thinking how much he looked like John and how sweet he was. I am praying for you and sending you thoughts of peace.##imported-begin##Martha Timmons Fedell##imported-end##

April 07, 2009 at 11:38 PM



“ Vanessa,

Let not your heart be troubled, know that John is with the heavenly Father. Continue to keep the memories of him close to your heart.

Love,

Barbara Hicks##imported-begin##Barbara Hicks##imported-end##

March 31, 2009 at 12:31 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with the family.

Laurie Schueler##imported-begin##Laurie Schueler##imported-end##

March 30, 2009 at 11:26 AM



“ John and Vanessa,

I was so saddened to read of Wilson's passing. What an accomplished young man! Our thoughts and prayers go out to your entire family.

Fran and Ronald Mims##imported-begin##Fran McKorell Mims##imported-end##

March 30, 2009 at 10:07 AM



“ John, Vanessa, and family...our thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Becky and Eddie Funderburke##imported-end##

March 28, 2009 at 07:52 PM



“ Vanessa, I'm sending my thoughts and prayers your way. There was a time when you gave me and Kristen words of encouragement when we were down. I hope that you are able to find hope and inspiration through the love of your family and friends##imported-begin##Spencer Reeves##imported-end##

March 28, 2009 at 12:44 AM



“ Vanessa and John: We were deeply saddened to learn of your terrible loss. I doubt there is much we can do, but please know we care and will pray for you two during what must be the most trying of times. With our love, your old friends, Joe, Debbie, Lena and Bettie The Murfins (Rogers, AR)##imported-begin##The Murfins##imported-end##

March 27, 2009 at 10:27 PM



“ John and Vanessa, I am so so sorry that you have lost your son Wilson. Its been a long time since I've seen the two of you. It still seems like yesterday when Wilson was born and we all lived in Hartsville. I extend you my heart thoughts and prayers. May you find peace and healing in God's love.###imported-begin##Becky Rogers Funderburke###imported-end##

March 27, 2009 at 09:24 PM



“ Dear John and Vanessa,

I have so many wonderful memories of picking Wilson up (from "Miss Farland's) for t-ball practice with both Blake III and Taylor while all singing "Take me out to the Ball Park" all the way out to the fields. They must have all thought I was a crazy mom!

Who would ever think back then that we both would loose our sons and be in the club that no one wants to be in. I want you to know that we have survived, but we are changed. We have come a long way, though.

I hope Wilson has found Taylor as Taylor has found all the fishing holes with Pop Pop (Big Blake) , and they are in a better place than we will ever know here on this earth. I feel certain that T-Bone has built and put up all the deer stands too!! What good hands they are in!

I love your Wilson and you both. I will be here when you are ready to help you as others helped me.

My heart breaks for you , but there is HOPE!

Love you,

Lee###imported-begin##Lee Boyd###imported-end##

March 27, 2009 at 08:30 PM



“ Vanessa and John, You have my deepest sympathy during this sad time. I will pray that in the days to come you and your family will gain strength.##imported-begin##Gwendolyn Henderson##imported-end##

March 27, 2009 at 05:32 PM



“ Thinking of you in this sad time.##imported-begin##Grady and Fairland Bridges##imported-end##

March 27, 2009 at 04:24 PM



“ My heart is reaching out to you in deepest sympathy and prayers. Thelma Shoate##imported-begin##Thelma D. Shoate##imported-end##

March 27, 2009 at 02:27 PM



“ Dearest John and Vanessa, I grieve with you. Although I am not there with you in body, I am present in heart and spirit. Please know that I love and pray for you constantly.
I believe that Wilson is at peace and that he is in a much better place than this troubled world.
I pray that time will send you healing.
God Bless! Your Good Friend.
Maudette##imported-begin##Maudette Twyman##imported-end##

March 27, 2009 at 01:08 PM



“ *John and Vanessa*

I am not sure I know what to say. Wilson was like a son to Marilyn and I.

You have our deepest sympathy.##imported-begin##Bruce and Marilyn Hering##imported-end##

March 27, 2009 at 11:12 AM



“ *Dearest John and Vanessa, We are so sorry that we can't be with you on this day that you are celebrating Wilson's life. It's not surprising that so many people thought well of Wilson -- he came from a great family with loving parents. We will always remember his warm and friendly smile and face. He is truly a reflection of you both. Our hearts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Rick and Michelle DeForest##imported-end##*

March 27, 2009 at 11:00 AM



“ *John & Vanessa,*
Comforting words are never easy to find. Know that we are thinking about you and praying for your inner-peace. May God's compassion and kindness support you during this most difficult time. Our sincere sympathy, Mike, Angie, Justin and Chris##imported-begin##Mike & Angie Farrish##imported-end##

March 27, 2009 at 10:28 AM



“ Vanessa,

Our prayer accompany you in a special way today. You will always remember the reality of this week. Just remember "Not my will but yours be done" was the words of Mary in God's request. We are invited to be so responsive. Love and prayers,

Charlie##imported-begin##Charles and Betty LeBlanc##imported-end##

March 27, 2009 at 09:57 AM



“ Words are so inadequate to express feelings but they help to capture some of the memories. I remember the young man, with such southern gentleness and charm. The sparkle of his face when he would smile or blush. The kindness that was always extended, sincerely. The heart of gold.

There was always a sense of warmth in his presence. Almost a child-like innocence yet one of strenght and kindness.

My wish for you, is that you will always know, that knowing Wilson, even briefly, was something very special.##imported-begin##Janet Lockett##imported-end##

March 27, 2009 at 12:03 AM



“ John, I am Randy's (your cousin) daughter. I am so sorry to hear about ya'lls tragic loss. My dad gave me this website and I thought I would write my deepest sympathies. Please know that family are always here for support and prayer. Much love to your wife and family.##imported-begin##Chrissie Wallace##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 11:47 PM



“ We are extremely sorry about the loss of your son. You will be in our prayers.

Shirley and Wayne McCutchen

*60 Minute Cleaners###imported-begin##Shirley
McCutchen###imported-end##*

March 26, 2009 at 08:46 PM



“ John and Vanessa, I just got off of the phone with Liz and she told me about the huge crowd of friends and family that were at your niece's house. I wish I could have come to Hartsville to see you, but due to conflict it was not possible. Please know that I am thinking of you. He was such a handsome boy. I feel like I am looking at you, John. Love, Glorian###imported-begin##Glorian Easterling
Hayes###imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 08:21 PM



“ Vanessa & John,
I am so sorry to hear about Wilson. I'm also sorry that I didn't know him better, I know Theona was proud of him. He must have been a wonderful son and friend because his guestbook is filled with wonderful words and fond memories. I'm sorry I can't be there for the services. Please know you are in my thoughts and prayers and know you are loved.

*Lisa, Ashley, & Justin###imported-begin##Lisa Long
Magdziuk###imported-end##*

March 26, 2009 at 07:45 PM



“ Vanessa & John,
Wilson was loved by you, his family, and friends. His loss is profound and there are no words that I can offer; only my prayers and my thoughts which have been with you continuously. The bond of love Wilson felt goes on. God's love, family and friends will, I pray, dim the pain. But know that one day you will be reunited in that love.
God bless you in special ways during this difficult time,
JoAnn##imported-begin##JoAnn Seberger##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 07:38 PM



“ Vanessa and John: Jim and I are praying for you both. We know that right now life may seem too hard. It may never be the "normal" that you have known, but you will find peace in the future. Know that we will listen whenever you feel you want to talk. Our love and prayers, Sue and Jim##imported-begin##James and Susan Leslie##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 07:20 PM



“ John & Vanessa,

Our hearts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Ginger & Jimmy Perren##imported-end##

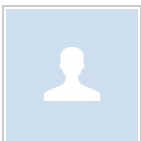
March 26, 2009 at 07:11 PM



“ Dear John and Vanessa,
We are so sad to hear about Wilson, and want you to know that we will continue to hold Wilson, and both of you, in our thoughts and prayers.

Beth and Witt Langstaff##imported-begin##Beth
Langstaff##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 06:50 PM



“ Vanessa and John,

I treasure the many conversations we shared about John and Arnett over the years and I express my sincere sympathy to you. I know that God looked around His garden, and found an empty place. He then looked down upon the earth, and saw John's tired face. He put His arms around him and lifted him to rest. God's garden must be beautiful because he always takes the best. My love and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Thelma Mumford-Glover##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 06:48 PM



“ John and Vanessa, Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers during this time of such great loss. May God be with you and comfort you. With Deepest Sympathy, Chuck and Ansie Hatchette, 4181 Cannons Campground Rd., Spartanburg, SC 29307##imported-begin##Chuck and Ansie Hatchette##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 05:43 PM



“ There are no words to express my emotions.... I wanted the boys (Wilson and Will M.) to have an adventure - this wasn't part of the plan. I am so very very sorry.
thank you for asking Will to be a part of Wilson's Service. It means a great deal to him - they were so much alike.
You are all in my heart and prayers.
Love,
Lockie##imported-begin##Lockie Manning Oliphant##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 05:06 PM



“ We express our sympathy to Wilson's family. We were privilaged to have met Wilson while we were on a hunting trip in Arkansas in 2003. He was a great guy. He wil be greatly missed.##imported-begin##Chad Grooms, Lee Carter & Brantley Norris##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 04:27 PM



“ I am so very sorry to hear about your son. I have been praying for you both since finding out about your loss. My thoughts and prayers will be with you for a very long time, as it has touched my heart this deeply.
Please call if there is ANYTHING I can do.##imported-begin##Sue - Cameron Cotton & Seed##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 04:13 PM



“ Vanessa and John my heart goes out to you and your family. Even though I did not have the pleasure of meeting Wilson I knew him through the many conversations with you Vanessa. I pray that God will keep you close and give you peace. He wipes away all tears and eases our pain. Trust in Him with all your heart and He will never leave you. Love and Prayers###imported-begin###Mary J. Bailey###imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 03:40 PM



“ I worked with John in Hartsville, at Cargill formally known as the Hartsville Oil Mill. I am so sorry John to hear about your son. Cliff Edwards###imported-begin###Cliff Edwards###imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 03:27 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with the Coker family during this very difficult time. I only met Wilson a few times, and he was always a gentleman. Keep the wonderful memories close to your heart and he will never be forgotten. Jordan###imported-begin###Jordan Moore###imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 03:23 PM



“ Please know that the thoughts and prayers of our entire office are with your family and friends.###imported-begin###Senator Lindsey Graham's Office###imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 03:10 PM



“ I was so sorry to hear of your son's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Ted Miller##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 02:20 PM



“ I had the pleasure of living on the same property on Goat Island as Wilson for a short while a few years ago. He was always a kind, generous, thoughtful, fun, and caring young man! We will miss him greatly and think of him often! What a true joy he was!
Sincerely,
Ashley Ullrich and Family##imported-begin##Ashley Ullrich##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 02:10 PM



“ John and Vanessa, I am so deeply shocked and saddened at the news of Wilson's death. Although I did not know him, I knew you as a child, John, and I dearly loved your mother. We grieve with you as you struggle to understand the incomprehensible.
Lucia and Bill Solomon##imported-begin##Lucia Lewis Solomon##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 01:48 PM



“ Melinda and I are very sorry to hear about Wilson's sudden passing. We believe our becoming a part of this family may be for greater reasons than employment. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the family during this terribly difficult time. If we can ever be of any service to you please allow us the honor. I wish we could have gotten to know Wilson, maybe as we grow closer to you, his parents, we can in some small way know the great guy he is.

In Christ's Amazing Love,

Glis Cribb##imported-begin##Rev. Glis P. Cribb##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 12:11 PM



“ Know I'm thinking of each of you every moment as you cope with this loss.

Love you all dearly - Peggy##imported-begin##Peggy King##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 11:36 AM



“ Corky and I will be at the services tomorrow##imported-begin##norman fpulliam##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 11:25 AM



“ We at the association are very sorry to hear of your loss. Our thoughts are prayers are with your family.##imported-begin##Southern Southeastern##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 10:46 AM



“ Dear Vanessa and John,

May God grant you the strength to make it through the loss of the most precious experience of your life, your darling son. My heart bleeds for you.

god bless,

Dianne###imported-begin##Dianne Bean###imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 10:44 AM



“ Dear John and Vanessa,

You are in our thoughts and prayers.

We love you,

Theresa and Kevin Pritchard###imported-begin##Theresa###imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 10:10 AM



“ John

We are so sorry to hear of your loss. Your family will be in our prayers.

Sincerely

Kent###imported-begin##Kent Fountain###imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 10:04 AM



“ *Mr. & Mrs. Coker, I consider Wilson a great man and a great friend. I enjoyed my time working with Wilson, and he will be greatly missed. My family is praying for your family and I am here if you need anything at all, just call. Love and prayers, Jamie Wayne, Prestage Farms.##imported-begin##Jamie Wayne##imported-end##*

March 26, 2009 at 10:00 AM



“ *wilson was a good friend and will be missed.##imported-begin##heyward ahrdy##imported-end##*

March 26, 2009 at 09:14 AM

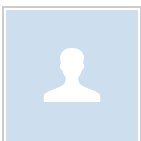


“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to the Coker family and friends. Wilson was a great person to know and his passion for the outdoors was second to none.*

Sincerely,

M. Rolfe##imported-begin##Matthew G. Rolfe##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 08:34 AM



“ *John & Vanessa,
Please know that I am thinking and praying for comfort for you both during this incredibly difficult time.
Let me know if there is anything that I can ever do for you.
Dan Byers##imported-begin##Dan Byers##imported-end##*

March 26, 2009 at 08:28 AM



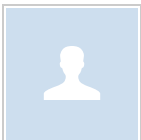
“ Dear family We are sorry to hear about Wilson. We will keep you in our prayers. May God bless you. Matt and Betsy Bramlett
Bishopville, SC##imported-begin##Matt Bramlett##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 07:54 AM



“ I can't tell you what a wonderful feeling it is to get up everyday and read the kind words that people have to say about Wilson. There is an empty feeling in my heart that will never go away and his as well as our friends will help ease the pain but the love that he had for everyone he touched. He was such a giver. He would have given anyone the shirt off his back and never had a second thought about doing it. I really can't imagine what is before us and realize that friends and family will be our source of strength as well as knowing his is at peace and having the time of his life with T, Nanny, finally getting to see his Grand Dad, and spending time with T-Bone. Please keep his flame alive! Hunt hard my friend, my buddy, my son!
Dad##imported-begin##John##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 07:24 AM



“ Dear John and Vanessa,
My deepest and heart felt sympathy goes out to you during this unimaginable time. Im sorry I couldn't attend your mom's services and now Wilson's on Friday. I know their together now watching over both of you in a better place and will be missed greatly. Your in my thoughts and prayers. God bless and keep you both.
Jody##imported-begin##Jody Long##imported-end##

March 26, 2009 at 12:38 AM



“ You all are in our thoughts & prayers! May God bless you & keep you during this difficult time!##imported-begin##Jamie Gainey (Prestage Farms)##imported-end##

March 25, 2009 at 09:57 PM



“ My deepest sympathies to you and your entire family. Wilson was a unique person that will always hold a very special place in my heart. He was an extreme woodsman, he loved nature and nature loved him. I'm truly sorry.##imported-begin##Chris Smythe##imported-end##

March 25, 2009 at 09:51 PM



“ Dear Vanessa and John-I am so sorry for your loss. Even though I never had the privilege of meeting Wilson, I know he was a dear person to so many. I wish I knew the words that would bring you comfort. I am thinking of you, and please know that you have my deepest sympathy. May Wilson's memory be a blessing. With Love-Joyce##imported-begin##Joyce Schreitmueller##imported-end##

March 25, 2009 at 09:39 PM



“ Nothing anyone can say can ease the pain and emptiness of today, but my heart and the hearts of many are broken for you. We'll cry with you in these hard days, and we'll love you today and tomorrow and forever. Much love to Cousin John and Vanessa.##imported-begin##Randy Wallace##imported-end##

March 25, 2009 at 09:32 PM



“ John - I worked with you at the Hartsville Oil Mill many years ago. I have fond memories of you and your family. I am so very sorry for your loss. I will keep your entire family in my prayers.##imported-begin##Susan Stewart Goode##imported-end##

March 25, 2009 at 09:04 PM



“ My dad worked with John at Hartsville Oil Mill. I am very sorry to hear of your family's loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Joanne Dixon Gainey##imported-end##

March 25, 2009 at 08:30 PM



“ Mr and Mrs Coker I am sad to hear about the loss of Wilson . My prayers are with you all during this difficult time.Paul##imported-begin##Paul Hawkins##imported-end##

March 25, 2009 at 08:26 PM



“ John and Vanessa,
I wanted to tell you how sorry I am for your loss. I wish I had some words to comfort you, but do know that I have prayed for you every night since I heard of your loss. I can only imagine how proud you were of Wilson, and I know Theona was so very proud. I remember her bringing him to church in Shady Valley many years ago. She went back to Children's Church with him ,and she was the doting Grandmother. She must have been visiting Aunt Elsie at the time. I had forgotten that until the other night. I also know how it hurts to lose a child, and I imagine that grief is multiplied after loving a child for so many years. I can tell how special Wilson was after reading all of these tributes. Take care of one another and come see us.

Love,

Mike, Suzanne, and Silas Averill##imported-begin##Mike, Suzanne,
and Silas (Long) Averill##imported-end##

March 25, 2009 at 08:19 PM



“ Vanessa and John - my thoughts, prayers and love are with you.
You guys made it possible for Wilson to live his life to the fullest and to follow his passion, hopefully you can find some peace in knowing his short life was filled with your love and support.
Carol##imported-begin##Carol Michaelis##imported-end##

March 25, 2009 at 08:07 PM



“ DEAR JOHN & VANESSA,
WE ARE SADDENED TO HEAR OF THE LOSS OF YOUR SON.
WE PRAY THAT YOUR FAITH AND HOPE WILL CARRY YOU
THROUGH THIS TIME OF SORROW.
GOODE & GAIL##imported-begin##GOODE & GAIL
MOBLEY##imported-end##

March 25, 2009 at 06:21 PM



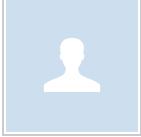
“ Dear Vanessa & John:

Although I have not seen you in many years, my thoughts and prayers are with you. I remember when you were expecting and when your son was born. I had just bought my first house from Jimmy Cannon at the end of Eleventh Street across from Senior High. What a handsome, intelligent, educated and successful young man, your son had become! My late mother, Sarah Martyn Woodham Skinner, was a childhood friend of Mr. Wilson and Ms. Hilda's. In fact, Mr. Coker was the first young man she ever dated. He walked to her grandparents home by Coker College and walked with her to the Temple Theater that was on the corner of Carolina and Fifth Street way back then. I remember thinking what a young gentlemen Mr. Coker must have been to do all that walking just to go to the movies. My mother and Ms. Hilda remained friends for many years keeping in touch when we were on Hilton Head so often and after I moved to the Island. They would talk at length on the phone about "the good old days" in Hartsville, My mother always had the utmost respect and fondness for your family. I lost my only daughter, Caroline Boles Terry, in August of 2005, just short of her 21st birthday. She was diagnosed with AML - Leukemia, half way through her third year of pre-med / pre-law / psych. After enduring 10 months battling for her life at Emory in Atlanta, massive chemotherapy treatments and a bone marrow transplant, I allowed a large part of me died with her. I now understand that she would not have wanted that but I couldn't help it. I can't imagine how you must be feeling as no one can experience another's own grief, but I do know the pain and grief of losing a child in the prime of their life...if you ever need someone to talk to or share your pain, remember that I will be more than willing to listen. If I had any advice, it would be to hold fast to your precious memories, remember that death does not end your love for each other and that your son, with that great smile is somewhere up there with T-Bone in the great outdoors doing the things they love to do most in nature. May the Holy Trinity comfort and bless you in your journey of grief. Sincerely,

Rebecca##imported-begin##Rebecca Skinner-Fulmer##imported-

end##

March 25, 2009 at 06:04 PM



“ *mr. and mrs. coker, i AM sorry FOR your (OUR) LOSS! Wilson WILL BE missed! sincerely , the service dept at Prestage Farms##imported-begin##skeeter##imported-end##*

March 25, 2009 at 05:37 PM



“ *RIP, man! tell T-BONE HEY! and don't worry , the litter still STINKS!(I MEAN SMELLS LIKE MONEY##imported-begin##skeeter##imported-end##*

March 25, 2009 at 05:30 PM



“ *John & Vanessa Lisa and I send you our deepest condolences for your loss. Please let us know if we can help you in anyway.##imported-begin##John & Lisa Gamble##imported-end##*

March 25, 2009 at 05:00 PM



“ *Words can't express how my heart aches for your loss. You will be in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##WANDA RUTLAND##imported-end##*

March 25, 2009 at 04:56 PM



“ I was deeply saddened to hear of the loss of your son, Wilson. Wilson was a wonderful young man, always smiling wanting to help everyone. I know you were very proud of him. I want to express my deepest sympathy to you and your family. You are in my thoughts and prayers today and in the days to come. Lori

March 25, 2009 at 03:42 PM



“ All the Wallaces are praying and thinking of you guys. As your uncle Gearld told me even in times like this you must somehow Keep The Faith; and know Wilson is in GODS HANDS.

March 25, 2009 at 11:44 AM



“ John and Vanessa, I was so sorry to hear of Wilson's death. My thoughts and prayers will be with you in the days to come.

March 25, 2009 at 10:09 AM



“ John & Vanessa
Patty and I send your our deepest condolences for your loss. Our thoughts are with you during this very difficult time.

Dennis & Patty Little

March 25, 2009 at 08:49 AM



“ *John and Vanessa*

I am so very sorry about Wilson. Once Ray called me with the news, my heart fell. I know your pain and loss must be so great.

Please know that both of you are in my prayers and thoughts constantly.

I know nothing I say will help during this time but I hope my prayers will. I will pray for both of you and for Wilson.

I love you both dearly.

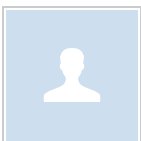
Hayden Trnavsky###imported-begin###Hayden###imported-end###

March 25, 2009 at 08:45 AM



“ *Sorry to hear about your loss. All I can think off when I think about Wilson is him trying to clean up the house at Wild Dunes after a party to keep you guys from catching him...one of a kind.###imported-begin###Martin Sellars###imported-end###*

March 25, 2009 at 06:39 AM



“ *Cuz and Vanessa. There is nothing we can say or do. Our hearts and prayers go out to you in your loss. Our Father gave His son for us and the three days passed quickly before He was with us again. Penny and I never met Wilson on this earth, but we will and look forward to it.....love ya, Penny and Robert###imported-begin###Robert and Penny Angle###imported-end###*

March 25, 2009 at 03:49 AM



“ Vanessa and John,
Word could never express my deep felt sympathy over Wilson's untimely death. Please know that I am thinking of you and your extended family.
Vanessa, I remember fondly our teaching days at Carolina Elementary, as well as, working together at the district office. Thanks for being such a good friend. I have always admired your strength.
I wish I knew secrets that could help you cope today. I just know how much I care and that I pray...

Love,
Cyndie Geries###imported-begin##Cyndie Geries###imported-end##

March 25, 2009 at 01:04 AM



“ Vanessa and John -We were so very sad to hear of Wilson's death. All of the family have wonderful memories of Wilson (usually fishing) at Wild Dunes. Please know you both are in our prayers.###imported-begin##Judy and Ray Nix###imported-end##

March 24, 2009 at 10:10 PM



“ Dear John and Vanessa,
We were so deeply saddened to hear of the heartbreaking loss of your beloved Wilson. Our hearts go out to you and your family during this most difficult time. You are in our thoughts and prayers.###imported-begin##Whit & Beth James###imported-end##

March 24, 2009 at 09:12 PM



“ *My heart aches for you in the loss of your son. You are in my thoughts as I hope you can cherish the all of the good memories and know that Wilson is at peace.##imported-begin##Sara Price##imported-end##*

March 24, 2009 at 07:08 PM



“ *Dear John and Vanessa,
How sorry I was to hear about the sudden loss of your dear son, Wilson. Wish I had known him. He certainly was a handsome young man and I know life just won't be the same for you.
Please know that Bill and I have you in our prayers for God's comfort and peace.
Love to you and your family.
Sally Thrailkill Johnson##imported-begin##Sally Johnson##imported-end##*

March 24, 2009 at 06:59 PM



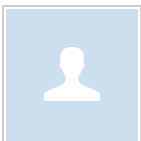
“ *John and Vanessa:Although we have not seen any of you for many years,some of our children remember you as Miss Vanessa while you lived in Hartsville.Our warmest and sincere wishes go out to you both on your lost.May God breathe his breath on him always.
Tim and Penny Anthony
Hartsville,S.C.##imported-begin##Tim and Penny Anthony##imported-end##*

March 24, 2009 at 05:41 PM



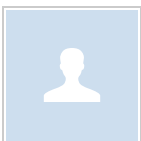
“ Dear John and Vanessa,
There are no words to express my sadness in your loss of Wilson. Just know that you are in my thoughts and prayers DAILY. I'm still reeling from the death of my nephew, Jason, so this pain rips open the wound, especially since Wilson and Katherine were the same age. I am grieving with you, even though I know that is small consolation.##imported-begin##Cindy Mims##imported-end##

March 24, 2009 at 05:32 PM



“ John and Vanesa,
I am so sorry to hear about Wilson. Unfortunatly we have seen each other in a while but I will always remember the precious little boy who looked exactly like both his Mama and his Daddy. Please know that your and your family are in my thoughts.
With love,
Liz##imported-begin##Liz Segars##imported-end##

March 24, 2009 at 11:32 AM



“ Vannessa and John,
My heart hurts for you during this most difficult time. With sincere sympathy.
Please let me know if I can help you in anyway.
Sincerely,
Brenda Oliver
Prestage Farms##imported-begin##brenda oliver##imported-end##

March 24, 2009 at 09:10 AM



“ John and Vanessa,
We enjoyed seeing you both recently at Chad and Caroline's wedding. How shocked and saddened we were to hear the news about your son. We are praying for you and all of your family. Take good care of each other.##imported-begin##JANE (THRAILKILL) AND JEFF WARREN##imported-end##

March 23, 2009 at 10:07 PM



“ John and Vanessa, I was so saddened to hear of Wilson's untimely passing. As a parent, I can not put into words the sorrow and ache I felt upon hearing of your loss. I have many fond memories of him when he lived in our old house. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Just rest assured that we will all be united together and sit at the right hand of our Father. May God bless you and comfort you during these trying times. Lynn, Phil and Mari Penn##imported-begin##Lynn McElveen Boatwright##imported-end##

March 23, 2009 at 11:49 AM



“ Vanessa and John, our love to you both. May your wonderful memories sustain you today and always. We all were blessed to have known and loved Wilson.##imported-begin##Nancy and George Bunch##imported-end##

March 23, 2009 at 09:50 AM



“ Tommy and I were deeply saddened to hear of your son, Wilson. May we express our deepest sympathy to you and your extended family. You are in our thoughts and prayers today and in the days to come. Sincerely, Terri Woodham###imported-begin###Terri Northcutt Woodham###imported-end###

March 23, 2009 at 09:07 AM



“ I want express my deep sympathy for your family. May God give you strength and comfort.###imported-begin###Irene Rogers Ingram###imported-end###

March 22, 2009 at 08:29 PM



“ John & Vanessa, Words cannot begin to express how deeply saddened we were to hear of Wilson's passing. You are both in our thoughts & prayers as you go through this very difficult time. William, Toni, Will & Cooper###imported-begin###William, Toni, Will & Cooper Gresham###imported-end###

March 22, 2009 at 07:45 PM



“ I express my deepest sympathies to Wilson's family and friends. He was a good friend and will be greatly missed.###imported-begin###Tom Goodson###imported-end###

March 22, 2009 at 06:42 PM



“ our prayers are with you and your family##imported-begin##Alec and Wendy yarbrough and family##imported-end##

March 22, 2009 at 05:12 PM



“ We were so sorry to hear of Wilson's passing. Our prayers will be with you.##imported-begin##Jason & Caroline (Benson) Beasley##imported-end##

March 22, 2009 at 05:07 PM



“ Warmest thoughts, love, and deepest sympathy is extended to the Coker family and to all those who knew and loved Wilson. May we all hold dear the special memories and great moments that Wilson brought to our lives forever. May we all find strength in one another and in our love for Wilson during this difficult time.##imported-begin##Lillian Boland##imported-end##

March 22, 2009 at 01:11 AM



“ My heart aches at the loss of such a wonderful soul. My deepest sympathy and prayers go out to Wilson's family. I am a richer person for having had the pleasure of knowing and loving Wilson. May his soul rest in peace.##imported-begin##Carter Seibels##imported-end##

March 22, 2009 at 12:38 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the Coker family. Wilson was a great friend and will never be forgotten. My love to you all.##imported-begin##Lauren Bunch Coggiola##imported-end##*

March 21, 2009 at 11:29 PM