



## Jonathan Williamson

January 30, 1985 - April 7, 2009

WILLIAMSON, JONATHAN - Jonathan Williamson, age 24 of Lawrenceville passed away, Tuesday, April 7, 2009. Memorial Services will be held 2:00 PM Friday, April 10, 2009 in the Lawrenceville Chapel of Tim Stewart Funeral Home with Rev. Duke Forster officiating. Mr. Williamson is survived by: Father & Step-Mother: Ralph & Linda Williamson, Braselton; Mother & Step-Father: Dessa & Mark Van Schuyver, Lawrenceville; Brothers & Sister-in-law: Matthew & Brooke Williamson, Braselton; Nathan Williamson, Lawrenceville; and Grandmother: Gloria Williamson, Lewisburg, West Virginia. Family will receive friends from 6-9 PM, Thursday, April 9, 2009 at the Tim Stewart Funeral Home, 300 Simonton Road, SW, Lawrenceville, Georgia 30045. 770-962-3100. Please sign online guest registry at [www.stewartfh.com](http://www.stewartfh.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Tim Stewart Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Jonathan Williamson*



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**Tim Stewart Funeral Home** - April 07, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Jonathan Williamson*

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October 08, 2022 at 11:31 AM



“ *Dear Mark and Dessa,  
We are so sorry to hear of your great loss. Jonathan was just a bit older than Ian and a bit younger than his brother Jack. Words cannot express the pain and sense of shocking loss you must be going through.  
While it is no consolation at this time, my wish for you is that over time you may find ways to give meaning to this supreme tragedy of life by growing in ways that would have otherwise been impossible and using that growth in positive ways in the world. Certainly we can all take a lesson from this that whatever we think is worth doing, we better get on with it because even the next second is no sure thing. May God receive Jonathan in his loving arms and shower blessings on you in your time of need.##imported-begin##Jim McPherson, Ian McPherson##imported-end##*

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April 16, 2009 at 02:25 AM



“ to jonathan's family, i'm so very sorry for your loss. i cant even imagine what you all must be going through. jonathan was taken way too soon & he will be truly missed every single day. i also believe he is at home now & he is watching over us as our gaurdian angel. jonathan, we all love you & miss you so much. see you again one day.##imported-begin##Nicole Vigneaux##imported-end##

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April 13, 2009 at 11:20 AM



“ May your happiness outweigh your grief. lam truly sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##Todd Baxter##imported-end##

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April 11, 2009 at 09:12 PM



“ Lanny, Dessa, Bernie, Mathew, Brooke and Nathan, I love you guys and I'm thinking of you all. You're in my prayers and in my heart. I'm so sorry for your loss. Jonathan was blessed with an amazing family.##imported-begin##Rachel Williamson##imported-end##

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April 11, 2009 at 06:36 PM



“ You're in our thoughts and prayers with much love and symphathy.##imported-begin##Rich and Carol Giambra##imported-end##

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April 11, 2009 at 12:28 PM



“ My condolences to you and your family. "O you who believe in God and his messenger and that you strive your utmost in the cause of God, with your wealth and your persons: that will be best for you, if you but knew! He will forgive you your sins, and admit you to Gardens beneath which rivers flow, and to beautiful mansions in Garden of Eternity: that is indeed the supreme Triumph." - Al Quran

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April 11, 2009 at 10:02 AM



“ Sorry I could not make it to the funeral. I did everything I could possibly do but mother nature won the battle. All of us are so sorry. My heart goes out to you.

Love, your brother, Drue

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April 10, 2009 at 03:54 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with your entire family in this difficult time.

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April 10, 2009 at 03:25 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with all of your family at this time.

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April 10, 2009 at 03:13 PM



“ Dear Dessa,  
I am so sorry about the loss of your son.  
With Fondness, Becky Hall###imported-begin##Becky  
Hall###imported-end##

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April 10, 2009 at 01:58 PM



“ Dr. Van Schuyver, I give my condolences to you and your family. My  
prayers are with you all.###imported-begin##Simone  
Wilson###imported-end##

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April 10, 2009 at 01:17 PM



“ Mark & Dessa,  
We were so sorry to hear of Jonathan's death. Please accept our  
deepest sympathies for this terrible loss. I wish for hope in the midst  
of your sadness and comfort in the midst of your grief. Know that  
you are in our thoughts constantly, and we are here to help in  
anyway we can.

Warm Regards,  
Sharon & Derek Kaivani###imported-begin##Sharon & Derek  
Kaivani###imported-end##

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April 10, 2009 at 10:33 AM



“ To The Parents of Jonathan Williamson,  
We are sorry to hear of your loss.

*Although the deep pain that parents feel when they lose a child does not easily disappear, I hope that prayer to God and association with true Christian friends have brought your family real comfort as you grieve the loss of Jonathan.*

*Numerous Christian parents who have lost a child experience that Jehovah is with them.*

*And the God of Love has given us his promise at Acts 24:15 that "There is going to be a resurrection of the righteous. This includes young Jonathan Williamson.*

*Our family wish to offer our Sympathy to your family at this time.##imported-begin##The Heneries of California##imported-end##*

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April 10, 2009 at 10:18 AM



“ Peace be with you man.##imported-begin##Matt  
Anderson##imported-end##

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April 10, 2009 at 09:41 AM



“ So sorry about your loss.  
We had the pleasure of having Jonathan visit in our home with Matt & Brooke, for Christmas 2007, and enjoyed having him very much. He was very well manered and we enjoyed the fellowship. We have several pictures which include him, which we will continue to enjoy.  
You ALL are in our Prayers.  
GOD BLESS you as you remember Jonathan.  
Raymond & Shirley Gibson###imported-begin##Raymond & Shirley Gibson ( Brooke's Grandparents)###imported-end##

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April 10, 2009 at 09:28 AM



“ Dessa, We are hoping and praying that you and your family get through this tough time.###imported-begin##Mark, Melissa and Bradley Lefkow###imported-end##

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April 10, 2009 at 08:54 AM



“ Dessa, I know it is difficult at such a time to find the words that will say the things one can only hope will comfort you today. But hopefully with all of your friends' love and support and the love of God, you will find comfort.  
Vicki Posey - Florence, Alabama###imported-begin##Vicki Posey###imported-end##

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April 10, 2009 at 08:54 AM



“ I am so sorry for your loss. I pray for strength and comfort for you and your family.###imported-begin##Brenda Myers Cowell###imported-end##

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April 09, 2009 at 11:55 PM



“ Dr. Van Schuyver and family,

*Your family are in my thoughts in prayers. May you all find comfort in God's peace during this difficult time.##imported-begin##Beth Burns Ogletree##imported-end##*

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April 09, 2009 at 11:14 PM



“ Mark and Dessa,

*You are in our thoughts and prayers.  
Terri Garnsey##imported-begin##Terri Garnsey##imported-end##*

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April 09, 2009 at 11:10 PM



“ Jonathan, we love you man, you will never be forgotten and you hold a special place in our hearts. You have always been a great friend, I believe you are home now. Love you buddy##imported-begin##Joel and Kayla Vigneaux##imported-end##

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April 09, 2009 at 10:43 PM



“ Mark and Dessa,

*Your Mercer family is thinking about you at this most difficult time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the family.*

*Lynn##imported-begin##Lynn Clemons##imported-end##*

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April 09, 2009 at 10:15 PM



“ Uncle Ralph, Aunt Linda, Matthew, Nathan & entire family- Words can not describe how sad I am for your loss. I didn't get to see Jonathon much since we are so far away but I'll always remember his gorgeous smile. Nothing like this ever makes sense, but the Lord is with you all & please put all your faith in him. You have incredible memories that will last forever. I wish we could all be there with you, but know you are all in our prayers. We love you so much..

Kelly Sue & Michael###imported-begin##Kelly Sue Brown###imported-end##

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April 09, 2009 at 08:29 PM



“ This is such a tragedy, we will be praying for you all! Love Kevin, Vicki, Bryce, Erin###imported-begin##Vicki King###imported-end##

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April 09, 2009 at 07:50 PM



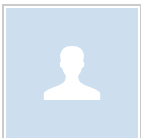
“ Dessa,

We are thinking about you and keeping you in our prayers.

Gene###imported-begin##Gene Chapman/Elizabeth Williamson###imported-end##

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April 09, 2009 at 07:02 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you. God bless you guys, and God will give you all the strength and peace at this moment!###imported-begin##Romero, Elaine and Ursula Cavalcanti###imported-end##

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April 09, 2009 at 06:30 PM



“ *Dessa and Mark,  
My heart aches for you and your family as you grieve the loss of Jonathan. I wish I could be there, but know I am with you in spirit and will keep you in my prayers. May God give you strength now and comfort and peace in time.  
Love,  
Kim###imported-begin###Kim Newsom###imported-end##*

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April 09, 2009 at 06:20 PM



“ *To family and friends of Jonathan,  
Though I didn't get to spend a lot of time with Jonathan, he was a friend and worked with my daughters Dala & Brittney for years at Durango's. As a mother, loss of any one of my 3 "babies" would be the greatest pain I could ever imagine. The one hope I find even in that loss is that Your God and mine promises all of us to trade our sorrows and pain for the "joy of the LORD". Noone can ever replace Jonathan in the hearts and minds of his parents, brothers and friends, so don't lose faith. Always remember that hope deferred makes one sick but a cheerful heart is a tree of life. Tears cried by others never need to be scooped up and cried again. Take his smile and I remember it to be a "bright and shiny"one and store it in your heart. Let it shine upon you when storm clouds rise and the rain of sadness pours down upon you. God bless you all!###imported-begin###Molly Ryland###imported-end##*

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April 09, 2009 at 06:16 PM



“ Dr. Van Schuyver - You and your family are in my deepest prayers. Sharing in your sorrow with love and friendship. In sincerest sympathy,

Mandy Flesher##imported-begin##Mandy Flesher##imported-end##

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April 09, 2009 at 06:13 PM



“ Dessa,

We cannot begin to understand the sorrow and pain you and your family are feeling at this time. We will, however, keep all of you in our prayers. I read a quote from an Irish Tombstone that seems fitting:

Death leaves a heartache no one can heal;  
Love leaves a memory no one can steal

You will always have the love you shared with Jonatahan forever!!!##imported-begin##Will and Juanita Jennings##imported-end##

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April 09, 2009 at 06:04 PM



“ I am so sad at the news of Johathon's passing. He was such a sweet boy and always fun to be with. You all have my heartfelt sympathy. God Bless You.

Love, Aunt Ping##imported-begin##Aunt Ping##imported-end##

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April 09, 2009 at 05:51 PM



“ *my thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Susan Fairley##imported-end##*

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April 09, 2009 at 04:14 PM



“ *To Jonathan's Family,  
The word of God is alive. It is profitable for giving us understanding and direction in all areas of our life. In times of pain, trouble, uncertainty, fear, sickness, suffering and most certainly death -- the scriptures are a lifeline for our troubled hearts. They give us hope. They bring us peace and comfort. They assure us that though in this world, we shall have troubles, we can persevere with hope for a glorious forever, in Heaven with the Lord. He has promised it, to those who love Him and look for His coming.  
John 16:33 - Jesus spoke, "These things have I spoken to you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you have tribulation, but take courage; I have overcome the world."  
Joshua 1:9 - Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous! Do not tremble or be dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you may go.  
We all hurt at the fact that Jonathan should have had many more years here with us. May God give you all strength. I send you my love,##imported-begin##Brittney Ryland##imported-end##*

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April 09, 2009 at 03:41 PM



“ Jonathan,

*You always had a very special place in my heart. It's hard to think that you are no longer with us. So young, with so much life to live. I'll never forget your smile. I will forever remember you!*

*And so, beloved, have faith in God. Trust him as he will never lie (Numbers 23:19). Take comfort in his word that he gave us, even in sorrowful times like these.*

*1 THESSALONIANS 4:13-18 NKJ*

*13 But I do not want you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning those who have fallen asleep, lest you sorrow as others who have no hope.*

*14 For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so God will bring with Him those who sleep in Jesus.*

*15 For this we say to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive and remain until the coming of the Lord will by no means precede those who are asleep.*

*16 For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of an archangel, and with the trumpet of God. And the dead in Christ will rise first.*

*17 Then we who are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And thus we shall always be with the Lord.*

*18 Therefore comfort one another with these words.*

*JOHN 14:1-3 NKJ*

*1 "Let not your heart be troubled; you believe in God, believe also in Me.*

*2 "In My Father's house are many mansions; if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you.*

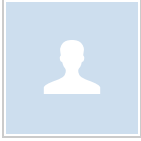
*3 "And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself; that where I am, there you may be also.*

*I will always love and hold you dear, Jonathan. You will not be*

*forgotten. May You Rest In Peace!##imported-begin##Brittney Ryland##imported-end##*

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April 09, 2009 at 03:21 PM



*“ RIP jonathan...i will always remember your laugh buddy. everytime you were around u laughed 24/7...u are in a better place my friend.##imported-begin##Tony Betancourt##imported-end##*

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April 09, 2009 at 01:55 PM



“ To: Dessa and Mark, Ralph and Bernie, Nathan, Matthew, Brooke and Wes

*Allen and I are so sorry to hear about Jonathan's death. As a parent, I can't imagine the pain you must be going through. Our heart aches for your loss. I have known Jonathan since he was a young child. Matt, Nathan and Jonathan use to play with my kids. Jonathan was always a sweet child. As he grew up to be a young man, I remember the fun times we had around him. He was always joking around and always willing to help anyone he could. I remember his big smile. I know Wes is really upset about losing Jonathan as a roommate. Because of Jonathan's friendship, it was easier for Wes to go through a difficult time in his life. I know Wes will miss Jonathan and be forever thankful to him.*

*We will see Jonathan again. But only in heaven can we fully appreciate the miraculous and free gift of salvation through Christ Jesus. We are not perfect and don't deserve his gift of eternal life. We will never be perfect. God knew no person could ever be perfect, so he gave his only son to pay for our sins on earth, so we could be with him in heaven. The Bible says God is love and he knows our hearts. He is the great physician and comforter. He will heal your hurting hearts. Just call upon his name and he will comfort you.*

*I know this is a very difficult time for all of you. In 1996, my sister lost her only child Kaylee when she was just under two years of age. She had cancer and died at Egleston Children's Hospital. Although she had signs of being very ill, we remember her for her beautiful red hair, warm smile, as well as her strength and grace. So remember Jonathan and his kind heart and smile. He was a beautiful child, son, brother, and friend. Praise God for the precious years he gave Jonathan to us.*

*Allen and I will continue to keep you all in our prayers. If you need us, just call.*

*And I go,  
while you're still here...  
know that I live on,  
vibrating to a different measure  
behind a veil you cannot see through.  
You will not see me,  
so you must have faith.  
I wait for the time when we can soar together again  
both aware of each other.  
Until then, live your life to its fullest  
and when you need me,  
Just whisper my name  
in your heart,  
I will be there.*

*Love in Christ,  
Sandy and Allen Smith###imported-begin##Sandy and Allen  
Smith###imported-end##*

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April 09, 2009 at 01:21 PM



“ *Our hearts go out to all of Jonathan's family, but especially to Dessa and Ralph. You are living the moment every caring parent fears from the moment we begin to assist our children in the rite of passage that we cannot deny them: learning to drive. They go forward with the faith of youth that something like this cannot happen to them. We know it can, but no matter how much or how well we counsel them, only with time can they acquire the wisdom and judgment that will allow them to one day face the fears their parents face. Jonathan was not allowed enough time, and all who have known and loved him can only regret that fact. He was a free spirit, and he will be missed.###imported-begin##Ron and Cindy White###imported-end##*

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April 09, 2009 at 11:22 AM



“ Dessa,  
*I was so saddened to learn of your son's passing. Losing a son myself, I can feel some of your pain. Words aren't even adequate at this time. Your friends, family, and God will take care of you.*  
Sincerely,  
Margaret Johnson - Birmingham, AL##imported-begin##Margaret Johnson##imported-end##

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April 09, 2009 at 10:54 AM



“ Dessa, Mark, Matthew and Nathan:  
  
*Words cannot suffice a loss, flowers don't console or sooth the soul.*  
  
*Peace and solice come with time .*  
  
*Comfort, from the love and best wishes friends and family bring.*  
  
*You all are in our thoughts and prayers -Ric & Steve##imported-begin##Richard Austin & Stephen Halwig##imported-end##*

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April 09, 2009 at 10:08 AM