



Christopher Ryan Nickel

July 11, 1982 - February 1, 2011

Christopher Ryan Nickel, 25, of Butler passed away Tuesday morning in a hospital after succumbing to a battle with a fatal disease, which he bravely fought against for years.

Born July 11, 1982, in Pittsburgh he is the son of Frank R. Nickel Jr. and the late Denise (O'Hara) Nickel.

Chris was a 2003 graduate of Knoch High School. He later went on to attend Butler County Community College.

Professionally, Chris was held in the highest regard by those who loved him by his devotion to helping people as he worked to assist moderately to severely disabled patients. Chris loved to help people and he was the happiest in his life when he was able to do so. He touched the life of every single person he met in a profound way. He faded away to soon but we all possess unfathomable gratitude for the inspiration, comedy, happiness, music and love that he provided to all of us in his 25 years. He will forever be in the hearts, minds, and souls of his friends and family until they meet again. You will be missed by all.

Surviving are his father Frank Jr., his brother, Frank III and his sister Andi

Rose all of Butler, two grandmothers, two uncles, three aunts and six cousins.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, February 5, 2011 at 1PM at Young Funeral Home, Ltd., 127 W. Jefferson St., Butler.

In lieu of flowers please send donations to Highmark Caring Place, 620 Stanwix Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15222.

Tribute Wall



“ *My deepest sympathy to the Nickel family. Death is usually difficult no matter the circumstance. I hope that you will take comfort in what the bible says, that soon death and sickness will be a thing of the past, Revelation 21:4, and healthy righteous people will live on the earth, Psalm 37:29. Until then you can draw close to God in prayer and he himself will sustain you, Psalm 55:22.*

Sincerely,

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“ *Dear Frank Jr., Frank III and Andrea and all Family,*

Our deepest sympathies to you on your loss of Dear Chris from this life.

Our prayers are with you for your peaceful acceptance of Chris being taken to his eternity and for the peaceful eternal rest for Chris.

With deepest sympathy,

Dana, Grace, Olivia and Al Nickel##imported-begin##Dana##imported-end##

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