



Joshua William Sterling

July 1, 1986 - June 20, 2014

Accidentally in Kauai, while having the time of his life, on June 20, 2014, Joshua William Sterling, age 27, of Ross Twp., beloved son of James J. Sr. & Kathleen Filip Sterling; brother of James J. (Allison) Sterling Jr.; also survived by many aunts, uncles and cousins. Joshua was preceded in death by his grandparents, John & Francis Filip & Katherine Filip & William "Al" & Margaret "Peg" Sterling. Joshua enjoyed music, the beach and attending Pittsburgh Sporting events. Please dress casual as a celebration of Josh's relaxed lifestyle. Friends received at Simons Funeral Home, Inc., 7720 Perry Highway, on Sunday from 2 - 9 pm. Mass of Christian Burial on Monday at 1:00 pm at St. John Neumann Parish, 2230 Rochester Rd. Donations may be made to made to your favorite charity in Josh's name. www.simonsfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

North Side Catholic

204 Cemetery Lane
Pittsburgh, PA 15237

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **29**. 2:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Simons Funeral Home, Inc.
7720 Perry Highway
Pittsburgh, PA 15237
(412) 367-3100
<https://www.simonsfuneralhome.com>

Mass of Christian Burial

JUN **30**. 1:00 PM (ET)

St. John Neumann
2230 Rochester Rd.
Pittsburgh, PA 15237
<http://www.stjohnneumannpgh.org>

Tribute Wall

DL

“ Words cannot express the sorrow that I feel for you. No parent should ever have to lose a child. Our loving Creator knows how hard this is on you. We are told at In the book of Ezekiel “for I do not take any delight in the death of someone dying, is the utterance of the Sovereign Lord .” As you can see, He does not like death anymore than we do. It is not his will for us to die which is why He has given us the hope of everlasting life! (Psalms 37:9-11, 29; Rev. 21:3, 4). As the God and Father of tender mercies, He wants you to find comfort in Him through prayer (2Cor 1:3).

Dan Lawrence - July 05, 2014 at 05:28 AM

AN

“ To the family of Josh, you have my deepest sympathy. My heart goes out to you at this time and in the days ahead. May special memories bring you comfort. God knows the many tears that you cry and may he caress your aching hearts with his loving promise to reunite you together again in the future Paradise when he will bring an end to sickness, pain and even death. (Revelation 21:4, 5)
You're in my prayers. (Acts 24:15)

Angela - June 28, 2014 at 07:13 AM

JL

“ I did not know your loved one, but wanted to express my heartfelt sympathy for the tragic loss of your dear one. Such an unexpected event can bring much sorrow and pain. May you find comfort and hope in the account at Luke 7:11-17, which is a foregleam of what is promised to occur on a grand scale in the near future.

Jerlyn Lewis - June 28, 2014 at 03:56 AM

HF

“ We will always remember you Josh from growing up down the street from us. Car pooling when Josh and Melissa were in kindergarten. Josh and Bobby wrestling together at North Hills. Melissa and Josh going to homecoming together representing the wrestling team. Lots of good memories of you Josh. Our thoughts and prayers are with you Jim, Kathy, Jim and Allison.

Hankins Family - June 27, 2014 at 10:05 PM

CK

“ I had the pleasure of knowing Josh since kindergarten. He was a fun person to be around and always put others first. Your memory lives on. RIP Josh and god bless to the Sterling family.

Chad Kachinko - June 27, 2014 at 07:01 PM



“ We were so sorry to hear about the death of Josh. Josh and our son Joe Caskey were good friends. If you need anyone to talk to through this difficult time please don't hesitate to give us a call. As you know we lost our son Joe in Afghanistan and my husband is a minister and would be glad to talk to you. It is so hard to lose a child and we will keep you in our prayers. God bless you, Gerald and Debbie Caskey 724-687-0236

Debbie Caskey - June 27, 2014 at 05:26 PM



Samantha Santa

“ *The first time I saw "JJ GREY & MOFRO" was with Josh and Drew at Mr. Smalls, little did I know that would go down as one of the best nights of my life! I'll always cherish the many shows seen with Josh and all the amazing, crazy, eventful times we have had together.*

I am so thankful to have known you Josh, you were like a brother to me and always will be. I can't thank you enough for giving me some of the best memories I'll ever remember! You are truly one of a kind. You will be missed more than you could ever know, but your legacy and the memory of your smile will never die. You will always be one of the best friends I've ever had and forever my sunshine, I love you buddy...rest easy until we meet again.

Samantha Santa - June 27, 2014 at 05:14 PM



V1

“ *Victoria's Secret family 1339 purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Joshua William Sterling .*



Victoria's Secret family 1339 - June 27, 2014 at 03:35 PM

MJ

“ My thoughts and prayers are with Josh's family and friends during this difficult time. I've been so blessed growing up to share such amazing friendships with my brother's friends. Josh always stepped in and was a big brother to me when Andrew wasn't around. To the many fun times we had growing up where I would "tag" along with Andrew and Josh and the whole gang to the many visits Josh and my brother would make to come see me at WVU will forever be cherished.

For the rest of my life I will hold a special place in my heart for Josh. Sending prayers and well wishes to all who are grieving.

Martha Janeski - June 27, 2014 at 01:21 PM

DB

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

Don and Kerry Blythe - June 27, 2014 at 12:53 PM

AK

“ We will always remember the joy he brought to Jim and Allison's wedding. Godspeed Josh heaven awaits you.

Algird & Joyce Kapacinskas - June 25, 2014 at 05:51 PM